



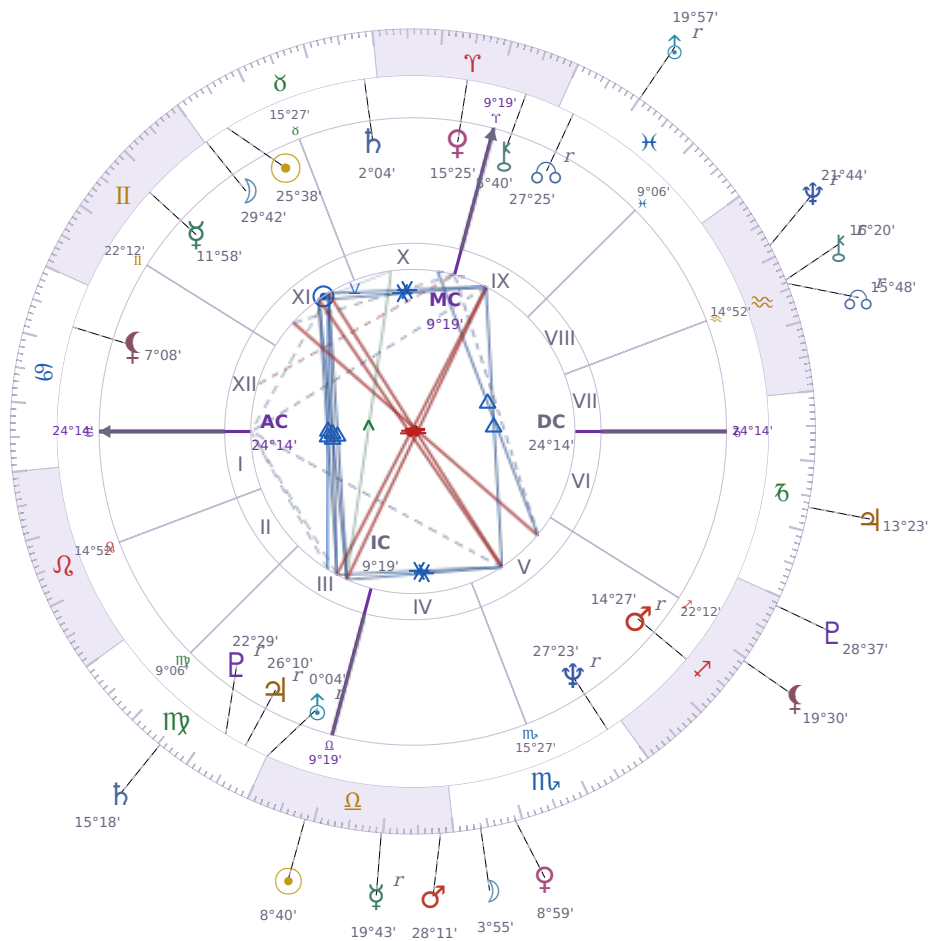
MONTHLY HOROSCOPE

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1 October - 31 October 2008



TRANSITS · 1ST OF OCTOBER 2008

☉ Sun	in ♎ Libra	8°40'43"
☾ Moon	in ♏ Scorpio	3°55'50"
☿ Mercury	in ♎ Libra Rx	19°43'57"
♀ Venus	in ♏ Scorpio	8°59'56"
♂ Mars	in ♎ Libra	28°11'08"
♃ Jupiter	in ♐ Capricorn	13°23'19"
♄ Saturn	in ♍ Virgo	15°18'47"
♅ Uranus	in ♓ Pisces Rx	19°57'18"

♆ Neptune	in	♒ Aquarius Rx	21°44'25"
♇ Pluto	in	♐ Sagittarius	28°37'38"
♄ Chiron	in	♒ Aquarius Rx	16°20'19"
♁ NNode	in	♒ Aquarius Rx	15°48'27"
♁ Lilith	in	♐ Sagittarius	19°30'31"

NATAL PLANETS

☉ Sun	in	♉ Taurus	25°38'16"	XI
☾ Moon	in	♉ Taurus	29°42'46"	XI
☿ Mercury	in	♊ Gemini	11°58'12"	XI
♀ Venus	in	♈ Aries	15°25'00"	X
♂ Mars	in	♐ Sagittarius	14°27'19"	V Rx
♃ Jupiter	in	♍ Virgo	26°10'12"	III Rx
♄ Saturn	in	♉ Taurus	2°04'36"	X
♅ Uranus	in	♎ Libra	0°04'09"	III Rx
♆ Neptune	in	♏ Scorpio	27°23'30"	V Rx
♇ Pluto	in	♍ Virgo	22°29'00"	III Rx
♄ Chiron	in	♈ Aries	5°40'23"	IX
♁ North Node	in	♓ Pisces	27°25'37"	IX Rx
♁ Lilith	in	♋ Cancer	7°08'35"	XII

KEY TRANSIT FACTORS

♃ Jupiter ☌ Semi sextile ♂ natal Mars · peak 13 Oct

Over the coming weeks, you'll notice yourself **taking action on plans you've been sitting on** without the usual self-doubt. You feel more confident when you push forward on practical tasks, and small wins come easier than usual. This is a good time to start that project or have conversations you've been putting off, because your natural momentum is working in your favour right now.

♄ Saturn ☌ Quincunx ♀ natal Venus · peak 2 Oct

Over the coming weeks, you may feel **awkward or hesitant in relationships** even though you want to be close to someone. Small gestures of affection or attempts to connect might feel clumsy or poorly timed, leaving you wondering if you are doing things right. This is temporary friction between what you want emotionally and what feels practical or safe right now.

♁ NNode * Sextile ♀ natal Venus · peak 8 Oct

You find it easier right now to connect with people in genuine ways and speak up about what matters to you socially. Your **natural warmth and openness come across more clearly**, and others respond positively to this shift in how you show up. Over the coming weeks, this period supports making new friendships or deepening existing relationships without the usual awkwardness or second-guessing.

♁ NNode * Sextile ♂ natal Mars · peak 27 Oct

You find yourself **taking action on things that matter to you without overthinking**, and people respond well to your straightforward confidence. Over the coming weeks, opportunities show up because you're willing to put yourself forward instead of holding back. Your practical energy right now is contagious, and you're likely to accomplish more by simply doing rather than planning.

♃ Jupiter ☐ Square ♀ natal Venus · peak 21 Oct

Right now you are **overestimating what others feel about you**, which makes you push harder for approval or affection than is actually welcome. You may spend more money on gifts or experiences hoping to win someone over, or say too much too soon in a new relationship because you feel so confident about the connection. When the other person does not respond with the same enthusiasm, you feel rejected and confused about where things went wrong.

♇ Pluto ☌ Quincunx ☾ natal Moon · peak 31 Oct

These days you feel like your emotions don't quite fit the situation, so you keep adjusting how you respond to people without really understanding why. Your instinct is to **control how much you show of yourself**, which can leave you feeling disconnected even in conversations that matter. Over the coming weeks, noticing this pattern of holding back will help you figure out what you actually need rather than just managing what others might think.

♄ Chiron * Sextile ♀ natal Venus · peak 25 Oct

Over the coming weeks, you find it easier to talk about what actually matters to you in relationships instead of staying quiet or pretending everything is fine. Your **honesty about your own needs** seems to land better with others right now, and people respond by opening up more too. This natural flow between what you feel and what you say creates real connection without the usual awkwardness or hurt feelings.

♆ Neptune ♁ Quincunx ♃ natal Pluto · peak 1 Oct

Over the coming weeks, you may notice that **your usual methods for handling difficult situations stop working quite the way they used to**. You might feel unsure about how much control you actually have in situations that once seemed straightforward, and old strategies for dealing with pressure start to feel off somehow. This is a practical adjustment period where you'll need to experiment with different approaches rather than pushing harder with the ones you know.

♄ Saturn ☐ Square ♂ natal Mars · peak 1 Oct

Right now you're running into delays and resistance whenever you try to push forward on anything. Your usual speed and confidence feel blocked, and you may notice **frustration building because things take twice as long as you expect**. This period is teaching you that forcing your way through doesn't work, though that lesson feels uncomfortable while you're living it.

♃ Pluto ☐ Square ♁ natal Uranus · peak 31 Oct

Right now you feel a strong urge to break free from something in your life, but the harder you push for change the more resistance you meet. You become **impatient with rules and frustrated by limits**, which can make you act rashly or damage relationships you actually want to keep. Over the coming weeks, focus on understanding what you really want to change before you make moves you cannot easily take back.

♃ Pluto ☐ Square ♃ natal NNode · peak 1 Oct

Right now you're questioning whether you're on the right track in life, and this doubt feels unusually intense and hard to ignore. You may **withdraw from people or activities** that once felt important to you, as if you need to strip things down to what actually matters. Over the coming weeks, expect to feel pushed to make real changes in how you spend your time and who you spend it with, even though the process feels uncomfortable and unclear.

♃ Pluto ∟ Semi sextile ♆ natal Neptune · peak 1 Oct

You find it easier right now to **notice patterns in situations that confused you before**, especially in relationships or creative projects where things felt murky. Your practical judgment sharpens, letting you spot what's actually happening underneath surface appearances rather than getting lost in assumptions. This clarity lasts only a few weeks, so it's a good time to make decisions about situations you've been uncertain about.

♃ Jupiter ♁ Quincunx ♃ natal Mercury · peak 1 Oct

Right now your thinking feels scattered when you try to tackle detailed work or organize your thoughts. You may notice yourself making careless mistakes in writing or communication because your **attention keeps jumping between ideas** instead of staying focused. Over the coming weeks, double-checking your work and writing things down before speaking will help you actually complete what you start.

♄ Chiron * Sextile ♂ natal Mars · peak 25 Oct

Right now you're finding it easier to **push through physical challenges without getting frustrated**, whether that's a nagging injury, fatigue, or something you've been avoiding at the gym. *Chiron* sextile your *Mars* is giving you a practical way to work with your body instead of against it. Over the coming weeks, you'll notice you can talk about what hurts without shame and actually do something constructive about it.

♃ NNode △ Trine ♃ natal Mercury · peak 31 Oct

These days you find it easier to **say what you actually mean** without overthinking or second-guessing yourself. Your conversations flow more naturally, and people seem to understand you better than usual because you're communicating more clearly and directly. Over the coming weeks, this clarity helps you connect with others on practical matters, whether that's settling a disagreement, explaining something important, or just being heard in a group.

♃ Mercury Rx · ♎ Libra

Relationship negotiations, contracts, and pending decisions become tangled right now. You may revisit agreements or feel pressure to reconsider commitments you thought were settled. Avoid finalizing important partnerships or legal matters until Mercury stations direct — clarifying existing arrangements is more productive.

LUNATIONS

○ Full Moon · Tuesday, 14 Oct

in ♈ Aries

confrontation, personal peak, energy released

in H10 — Career & Reputation

Your professional life and public reputation are under full illumination. A **career achievement, recognition, or significant turn in your public standing** is reaching its peak. This is often the full moon associated with promotions, public moments, or a situation at work coming to a decisive point. How others see you professionally is clarified now — for better or worse. What you've built toward is visible, and so are the gaps between your ambitions and your current reality.

● New Moon · Wednesday, 29 Oct

in ♏ Scorpio

deep intentions, transformation, inner power

in H4 — Home & Family

A fresh chapter is beginning in your domestic life and inner world. Whether that means **a change of home, a shift in family dynamics**, or a renewed commitment to building emotional security, this lunation asks you to look at your roots. What you choose to build or let go of in your home environment now will shape your sense of belonging for months to come. Private matters deserve deliberate attention.

KEY DATES

Wed, 1 Oct ♄ Saturn □ Square ♂ natal Mars

Sat, 4 Oct ♂ Mars enters ♏ Scorpio

Mars in *Scorpio* brings **sharper focus** and **longer attention span** — people tend to stick with difficult projects instead of jumping between tasks. In relationships and work, you'll notice more **direct confrontation** of problems that were ignored before, which can clear the air but also creates tension if handled carelessly. *Mars* here makes people **dig deeper** into whatever they're doing, whether that's research, fitness routines, or figuring out why something isn't working.

Wed, 8 Oct ♃ NNnode * Sextile ♀ natal Venus

Sun, 12 Oct ♄ Chiron * Sextile ♀ natal Venus

Tue, 14 Oct Full Moon in Aries

Thu, 16 Oct ♀ Mercury stations Direct

Mercury stationing direct means **conversations and decisions that felt stuck** will start moving again, and you'll notice **clarity returning** to emails, plans, and talks that were confusing before. At work and in daily life, **miscommunications often resolve themselves** once this station passes, and people tend to follow through on things they'd postponed. Over the next few days, **information you've been waiting for** usually arrives, and you'll feel ready to **commit to choices** you'd been sitting on.

Sun, 19 Oct ♀ Venus enters ♐ Sagittarius

♃ NNnode * Sextile ♂ natal Mars

Venus in *Sagittarius* brings a **looser, more generous** approach to spending and dating, with people tending to say yes to invitations and expensive outings rather than staying home. In relationships and work, this transit makes **honesty and directness** feel more important than keeping the peace, so conversations become blunter and less filtered. Most people notice they **want variety** — sticking with the same restaurant, routine, or person feels boring — and they're more willing to try something unfamiliar or travel to a new place.

Tue, 21 Oct ♃ Jupiter □ Square ♀ natal Venus

Thu, 23 Oct ☉ Sun enters ♏ Scorpio

The Sun moving into *Scorpio* shifts how you handle **focus and intensity** — you'll notice yourself cutting through small talk and caring less about surface-level opinions at work or in casual settings. In relationships and close partnerships, this period brings a **need for honesty** and deeper conversation, though some people find the directness uncomfortable or feel **pushed to explain themselves** more than usual. Most people report feeling **more determined to finish what they started** and less interested in scattered activity, making this a practical time for tackling difficult projects or decisions you've been putting off.

Sat, 25 Oct ♄ Chiron stations Direct

♄ Chiron * Sextile ♀ natal Venus

Chiron stationing direct means the **healing or learning process** you've been stuck on for months finally **moves forward again**, and you'll notice progress in whatever area felt frozen or repetitive. In practice, **clarity returns** about what actually helps—whether that's a health choice, a skill you're rebuilding, or how to handle a recurring problem—because you can see the full pattern now instead of going in circles. *Chiron* direct also lets you **stop second-guessing** what you've already figured out and start acting on those realizations, even if the fix isn't perfect.

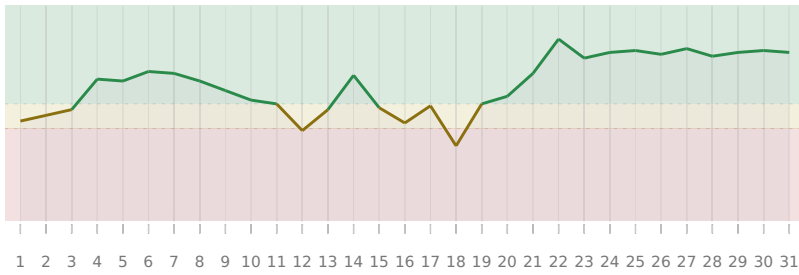
Mon, 27 Oct ♃ NNnode * Sextile ♂ natal Mars

Wed, 29 Oct New Moon in Scorpio

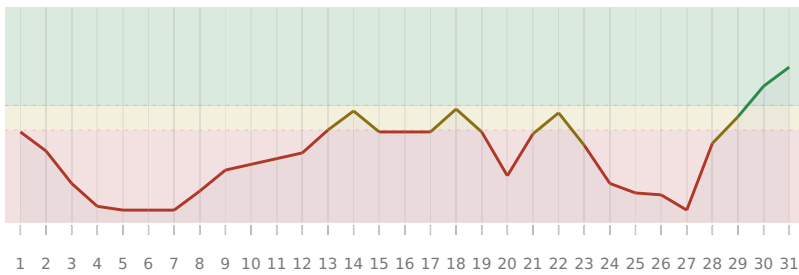
Fri, 31 Oct ♅ Pluto ☐ Square ♂ natal Uranus

AREAS OF LIFE

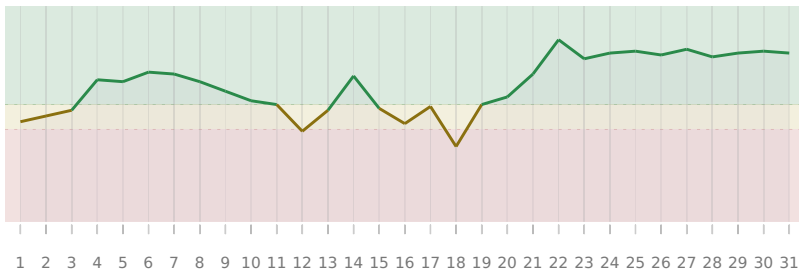
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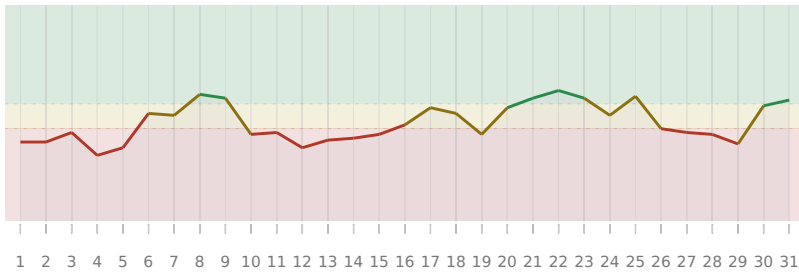
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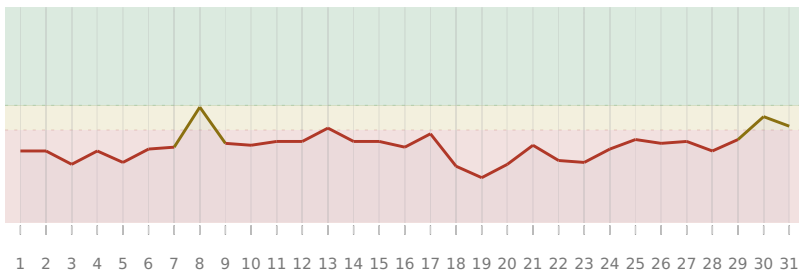
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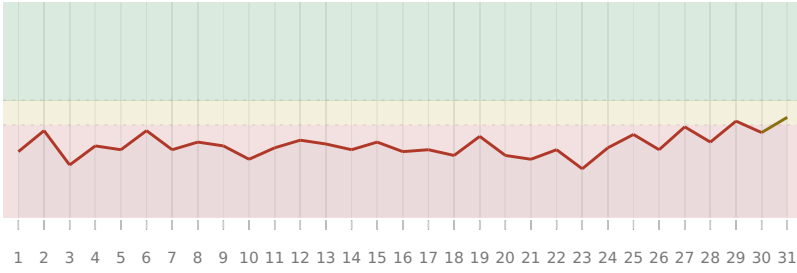
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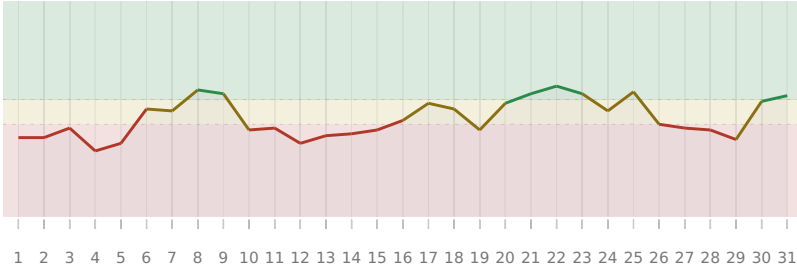
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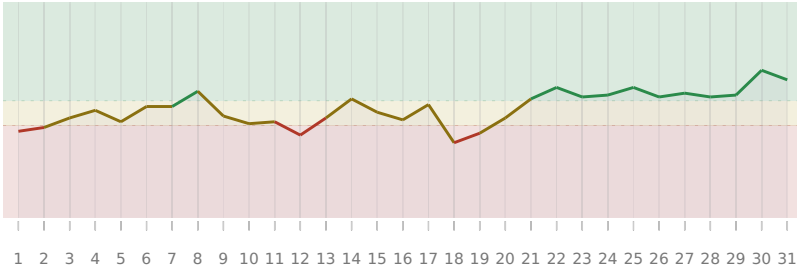
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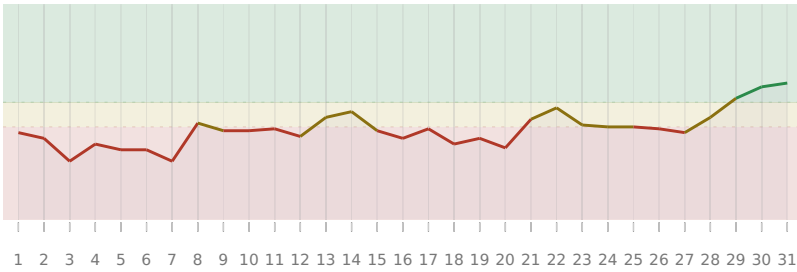
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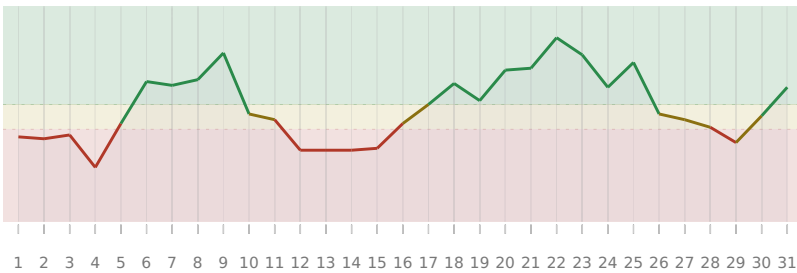
Career ★★★☆☆



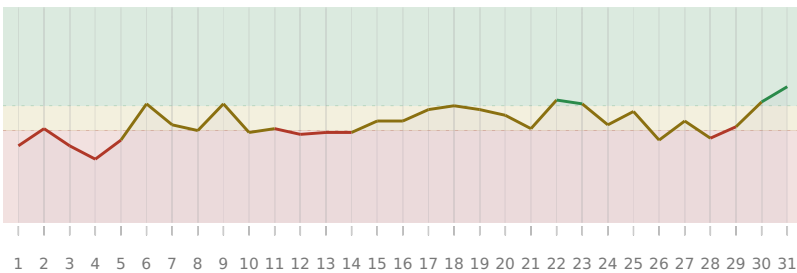
Personal Growth ★★★☆☆



Communication ★★★☆☆



Contracts ★★★☆☆



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☿ Mercury Rx