

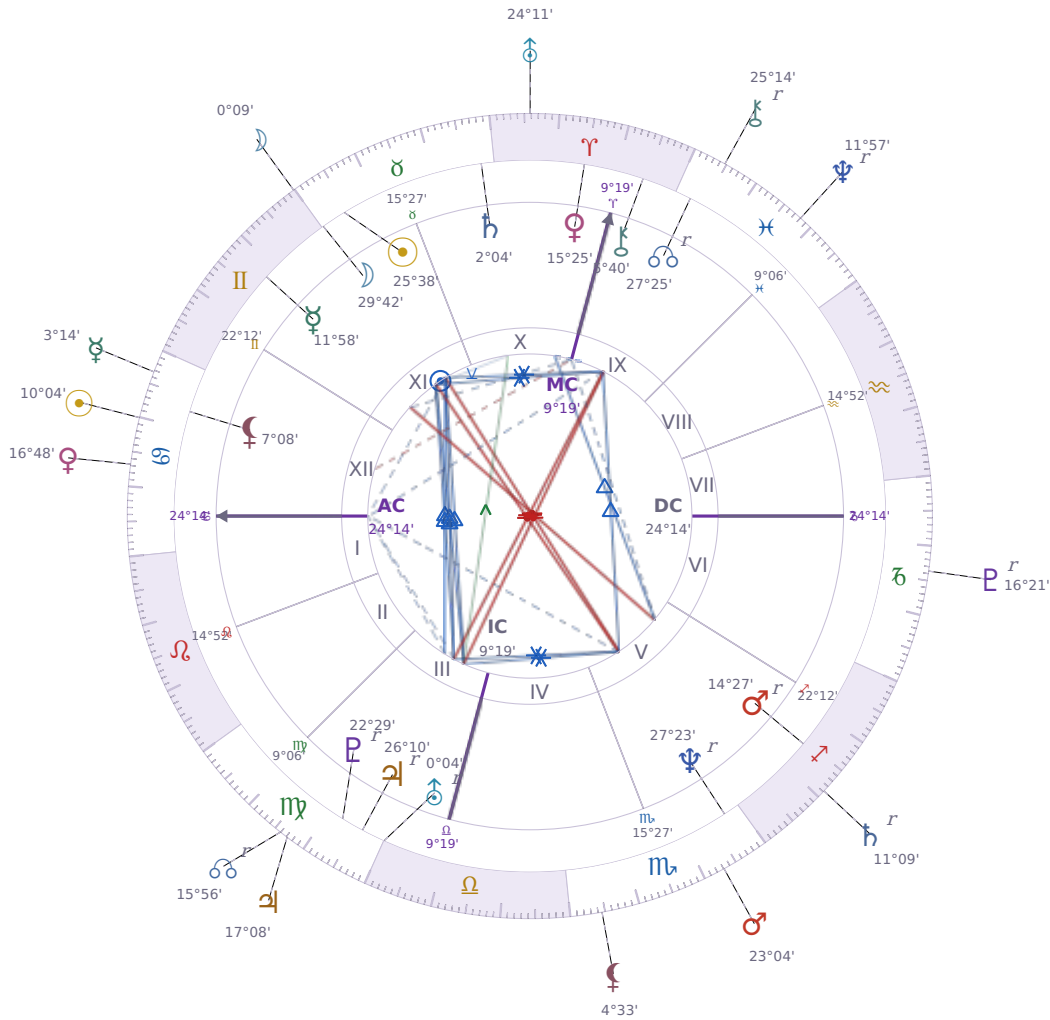
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1 July - 31 July 2016



TRANSITS · 1ST OF JULY 2016

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| ☉ Sun     | in ♋ Cancer         | 10°04'12" |
| ☾ Moon    | in ♊ Gemini         | 0°09'30"  |
| ☿ Mercury | in ♋ Cancer         | 3°14'14"  |
| ♀ Venus   | in ♋ Cancer         | 16°48'33" |
| ♂ Mars    | in ♏ Scorpio        | 23°04'25" |
| ♃ Jupiter | in ♍ Virgo          | 17°08'29" |
| ♄ Saturn  | in ♐ Sagittarius Rx | 11°09'43" |
| ♅ Uranus  | in ♈ Aries          | 24°11'01" |
| ♆ Neptune | in ♓ Pisces Rx      | 11°57'28" |
| ♇ Pluto   | in ♑ Capricorn Rx   | 16°21'59" |
| ♁ Chiron  | in ♓ Pisces Rx      | 25°14'34" |
| ♊ NNNode  | in ♍ Virgo Rx       | 15°56'39" |
| ♁ Lilith  | in ♏ Scorpio        | 4°33'17"  |

NATAL PLANETS

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|--------------|------------------|-----------|--------|
| ☉ 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 △ Trine ☉ natal Sun · peak 31 Jul ★

Right now you feel **more confident in yourself** and people around you pick up on that shift. You're more likely to speak up in meetings, take on new projects, or ask for what you want without overthinking it. Over the coming weeks, this is a practical time to pitch ideas, apply for opportunities, or have conversations you've been putting off because your natural self-assurance makes people more receptive to you.

### ♀ Venus △ Trine ♂ natal Mars · peak 23 Jul ★

These days you find it easier to ask for what you want without coming across as aggressive or demanding. Your **natural confidence** is backed by genuine warmth, so people respond well when you take initiative in social or romantic situations. Over the coming weeks, this combination of directness and charm works in your favor, making it simpler to move forward on practical goals while keeping relationships smooth.

### ♁ NNode qx Quincunx ♀ natal Venus · peak 11 Jul

Right now you're noticing a mismatch between what you want in relationships and what actually feels right for you. You might say yes to social invitations or romantic gestures while feeling oddly disconnected from them at the same time. Over the coming weeks, pay attention to what your gut is telling you about your connections, because your head and heart aren't quite lined up.

### ♁ NNode □ Square ♂ natal Mars · peak 29 Jul

Right now you're running into **obstacles when you try to take direct action**, especially on goals that matter to you personally. People around you seem to resist or block what you're pushing for, which makes you frustrated and impatient. Over the coming weeks, you'll need to slow down and reconsider your approach instead of just charging ahead like you normally do.

### ♆ Neptune □ Square ♀ natal Mercury · peak 1 Jul

Your thinking feels foggy right now, and you struggle to organize your thoughts into clear sentences or plans. You may say things you don't fully mean, misunderstand what others are telling you, or find yourself **second-guessing decisions** you would normally make quickly. Over the coming weeks, you will need to double-check important information and avoid signing contracts or making commitments until this confusion lifts.

### ♇ Pluto □ Square ♀ natal Venus · peak 31 Jul

Your relationships feel strained right now as you become more critical of your partner or people close to you. You may notice yourself **withdrawing affection or testing whether people really care**, which often pushes them away further. Over the coming weeks, this pattern will force you to look honestly at what you actually want from your connections instead of settling for surface comfort.

### ♁ Chiron \* Sextile ☉ natal Sun · peak 1 Jul

Right now you are more willing to **talk honestly about your mistakes and learn from them** without getting defensive or ashamed. This period gives you the practical ability to see where you have struggled and turn that into useful knowledge about yourself. Over the coming weeks, people around you will notice you handle feedback better and recover faster from setbacks.

### ♃ Jupiter ♂ Conjunction ♇ natal Pluto · peak 31 Jul

Right now you are drawn to situations where you can take charge and reshape things that feel stalled or broken. You may push harder than usual to gain control over a project, relationship, or part of your life that frustrates you—and **your determination is real, but you risk overwhelming others or moving too fast**. Over the coming weeks, notice whether you are solving actual problems or simply trying to force change for its own sake.

### ♄ Saturn ☌ Opposition ♀ natal Mercury · peak 1 Jul

Right now your thinking feels slower and more cautious than usual, as though you have to work harder to organize your thoughts or explain yourself clearly. You may notice **self-doubt creeping into conversations** where you normally feel confident, or find yourself second-guessing decisions you would have made quickly before. Over the coming weeks, this friction can actually sharpen your communication if you sit with the discomfort instead of rushing through it.

### ♄ Chiron ☌ Opposition ♃ natal Jupiter · peak 1 Jul

Over the coming weeks, your usual confidence in your own judgment hits a wall, and you start second-guessing decisions you'd normally make without hesitation. You feel **blocked from moving forward on plans** that seemed solid before, as if something keeps exposing the weak spots in your thinking. This period asks you to slow down and check your assumptions rather than barrel ahead—which feels frustrating, but catching these gaps now saves you from bigger mistakes later.

### ♅ Uranus ☌ Semi sextile ☼ natal Sun · peak 29 Jul

These days you feel **ready to try something different** without needing to blow up your whole life to do it. Small changes at work or home suddenly feel possible, and you notice you're less attached to how things have always been done. This is a good window to test out new routines or introduce fresh ideas that have been sitting in the back of your mind.

### ♇ Pluto ☌ Semi sextile ♂ natal Mars · peak 31 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you'll notice a quiet **steadiness building underneath your actions**, as if you're becoming more deliberate about where you spend your effort. Small projects that felt stuck suddenly move forward because you're not forcing them anymore—you're working with what actually works. This calm persistence is temporary, but while it lasts you can accomplish practical things without the usual friction.

### ♅ Uranus ☌ Quincunx ♃ natal Jupiter · peak 29 Jul

Over the coming weeks, you feel restless about plans or beliefs that used to satisfy you, and you may suddenly want to change direction even though you have not finished what you started. Your **impatience with the status quo** makes it hard to stick with practical commitments or long-term goals that require steady effort. The mismatch between your urge for something new and your actual responsibilities can leave you feeling scattered, so it helps to write down what you genuinely want before you act.

### ♅ Uranus ☌ Quincunx ♇ natal Pluto · peak 1 Jul

You feel an odd restlessness about situations you thought you had under control, and you're picking up on small details that suddenly seem important. Your impulse is to shake things up or take back power, but the timing never quite feels right, leaving you **frustrated by your own hesitation**. Over the coming weeks, small adjustments to your approach will work better than any dramatic move.

### ♃ Jupiter ☌ Quincunx ♀ natal Venus · peak 1 Jul

Right now you're noticing that what you want socially or romantically doesn't quite fit with what you're actually doing about it. You might feel **pulled in opposite directions**—generous impulses clash with practical limits, or you're generous in ways that don't land the way you hoped. Over the coming weeks, small adjustments to how you show up in relationships will feel more natural than pushing harder in any one direction.

### ♄ Saturn Rx · ♊ Sagittarius

Beliefs that have been functioning as unexamined rules are being tested for their actual utility right now. Long-term plans based on optimistic assumptions may need grounding in more realistic evaluation. Honest review of what you have committed to — in education, philosophy, or travel — is more productive than continuing forward without looking back.

*★ = natal resonance — this transit echoes your birth chart, amplifying its influence*

## LUNATIONS

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● New Moon · Monday, 4 Jul

### in ♋ Cancer

emotional reset, home, inner security

### in H12 — Inner Life & Solitude

A new cycle is beginning in the hidden, private areas of your life. This lunation brings **inner work, spiritual renewal, and a clearing of old burdens** to the foreground. What you choose to let go of, process, or release over the coming weeks will free up significant inner resources. Solitude, contemplation, and honest self-examination are more productive than external activity right now. Trust what surfaces from beneath the surface — it's asking to be acknowledged.

○ Full Moon · Tuesday, 19 Jul

in ♑ Capricorn

career results, ambition tested, authority reviewed

in H6 — Health & Service

A health situation or work matter is coming to a head. Something in your **daily routines, workplace dynamics, or physical wellbeing** can no longer be deferred — it needs attention and resolution. Overwork, health imbalances, or conflicts with colleagues become impossible to ignore under this full moon. This is the moment to address what your body has been signaling, complete a work project, or acknowledge a work dynamic that isn't sustainable.

#### KEY DATES

**Fri, 1 Jul** ♃ Neptune ☐ Square ♃ natal Mercury

♄ Chiron \* Sextile ☉ natal Sun

♄ Saturn ♂ Opposition ♃ natal Mercury

♄ Chiron ♂ Opposition ♃ natal Jupiter

**Mon, 4 Jul** New Moon in Cancer

**Mon, 11 Jul** ♃ Neptune ☐ Square ♃ natal Mercury

♄ Chiron \* Sextile ☉ natal Sun

**Tue, 12 Jul** ♀ Venus enters ♌ Leo

*Venus* in *Leo* brings a **shift toward directness in how people show affection** — instead of hints or subtlety, you'll notice clearer compliments, more obvious flirting, and straightforward declarations of interest. At work and in social settings, there's a natural **pull toward attention and admiration**, so people tend to dress differently, speak up more, and take on visible roles rather than staying behind the scenes. In relationships, this transit typically creates a **need for appreciation and genuine recognition**, which means partners who feel overlooked now actively seek out situations where they matter or stand out.

**Thu, 14 Jul** ♃ Mercury enters ♌ Leo

*Mercury* in *Leo* makes people talk more **directly and with confidence**, so conversations at work or home tend to feel bolder and less cautious than usual. When someone speaks up during this transit, they usually **want to be heard** and remembered, which means they pick words for impact rather than softness. In practice, this shows up as **clearer requests, firmer opinions**, and less apologizing—though it can also mean people interrupt more or push their point when they should listen.

**Sun, 17 Jul** ♁ NNode ☐ Square ♂ natal Mars

**Tue, 19 Jul** Full Moon in Capricorn

**Fri, 22 Jul** ☉ Sun enters ♌ Leo

*The Sun entering Leo* brings a **shift toward more direct self-expression** — people tend to speak up more at work, take on visible roles, and want their efforts noticed rather than working quietly behind the scenes. In relationships and social settings, **confidence and attention-seeking increase**, which can mean more fun and boldness but also more friction if someone feels overshadowed or ignored. Over the next month, most people find themselves **more willing to take charge**, pursue what they actually want, and care less about blending in.

**Sun, 24 Jul** ♅ Pluto ☐ Square ♀ natal Venus

**Fri, 29 Jul** ♁ NNode ☐ Square ♂ natal Mars

**Sat, 30 Jul** ♅ Uranus stations Retrograde

*Uranus* stationing retrograde typically brings **delays and reversals** in tech, internet connections, and unexpected plans that felt solid just weeks ago. Areas like innovation projects, group friendships, or sudden life changes often **pause or shift direction** — what looked like progress stalls, and people find themselves rethinking decisions they thought were final. In practice, this period favors **reviewing old ideas** rather than launching new ones, and you'll notice others becoming less willing to commit to radical changes or unusual partnerships.

**Sun, 31 Jul** ♃ Mercury enters ♍ Virgo

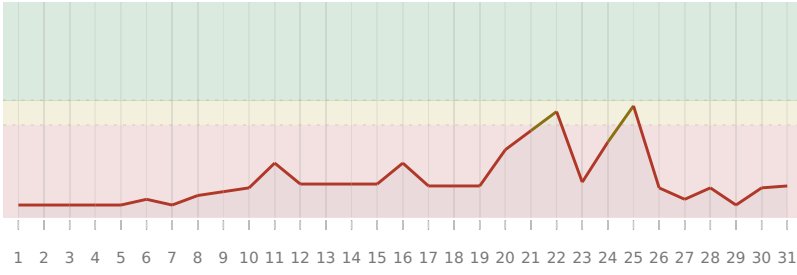
♅ Pluto ☐ Square ♀ natal Venus

♃ Jupiter ♂ Conjunction ♅ natal Pluto

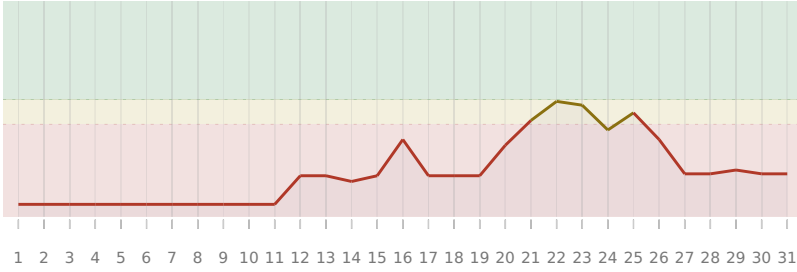
*Mercury* entering *Virgo* sharpens how you **think and communicate** — your mind becomes more precise, you spot details you missed before, and you naturally organize information instead of leaving things vague. At work and in conversations, people tend to **speak more carefully**, ask better questions, and get frustrated faster with unclear explanations or messy processes. Over the next few weeks, this transit pushes you toward **sorting things out** — whether that's cleaning up your schedule, fixing a system that never worked right, or finally having that direct talk you've been avoiding.

#### AREAS OF LIFE

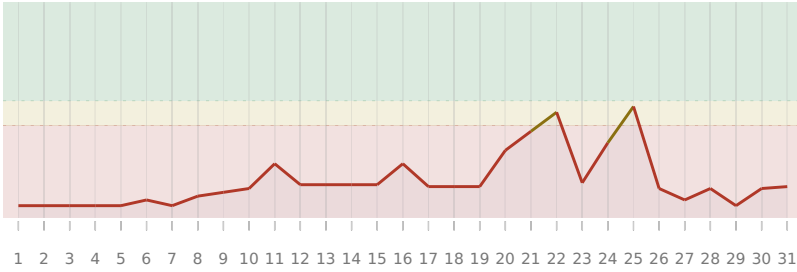
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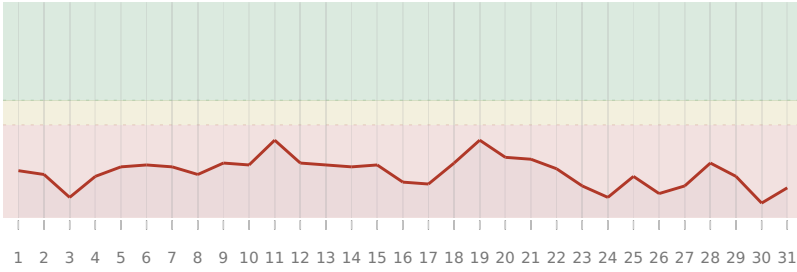
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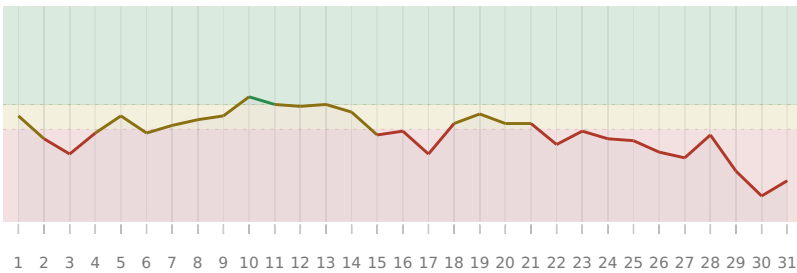
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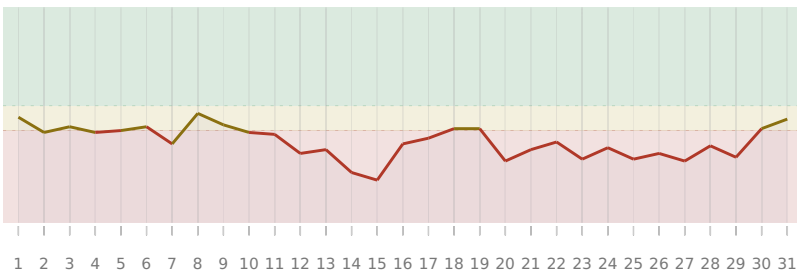
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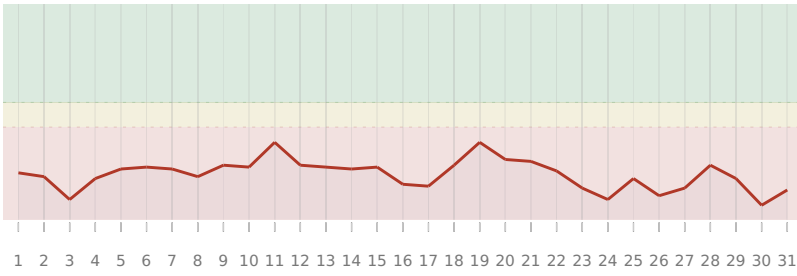
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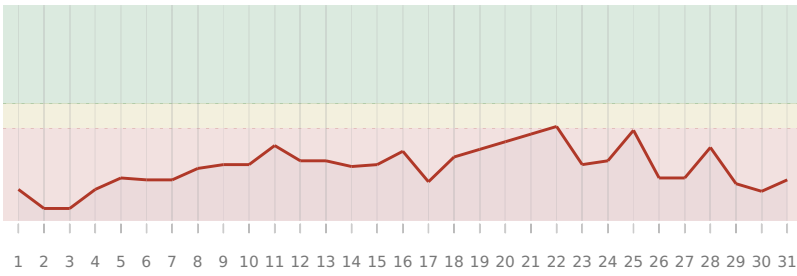
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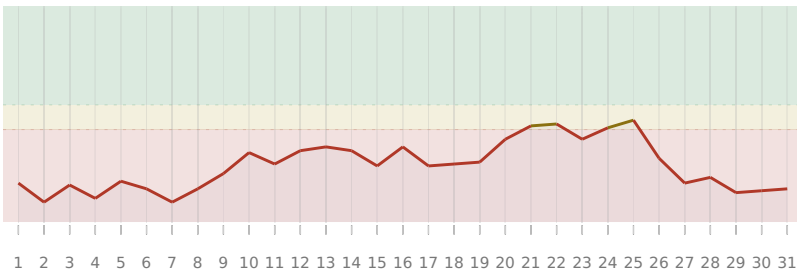
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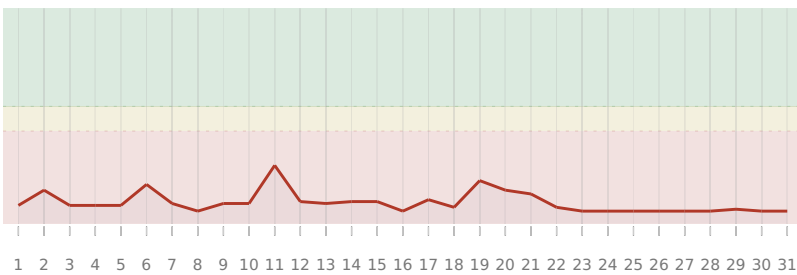
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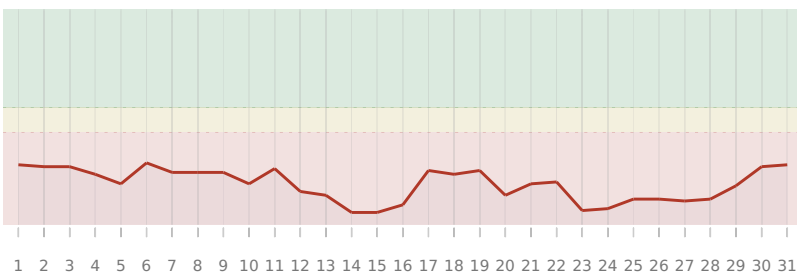
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↳ Saturn Rx