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best practices and a different kind of aviation company.

**2017**  
Calendar



2017

### **Need for Speed**

In this industry, we all feel the need for speed, which is why we've made that our theme for 2017. Enjoy! And if we don't catch you at the various MROs, conferences and Industry Events this year, email us at [info@airstart.com](mailto:info@airstart.com) and we'll connect on your home turf.

In the meantime, we wish you a happy, healthy, profitable 2017 with your seats full, no AOGs and low fuel prices.



### Setting the pace

The SR-71 Blackbird, which made its inaugural flight 53 years ago, is still the fastest plane that has ever flown. In a 1976 flight it reached a speed of 2193.13 mph.

1 New Year's Day

# January

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4



### Small but mighty

The tiny Anna's hummingbird moves at an average of 385 times its own body length a second, blowing away the peregrine falcon's 200 body lengths a second.

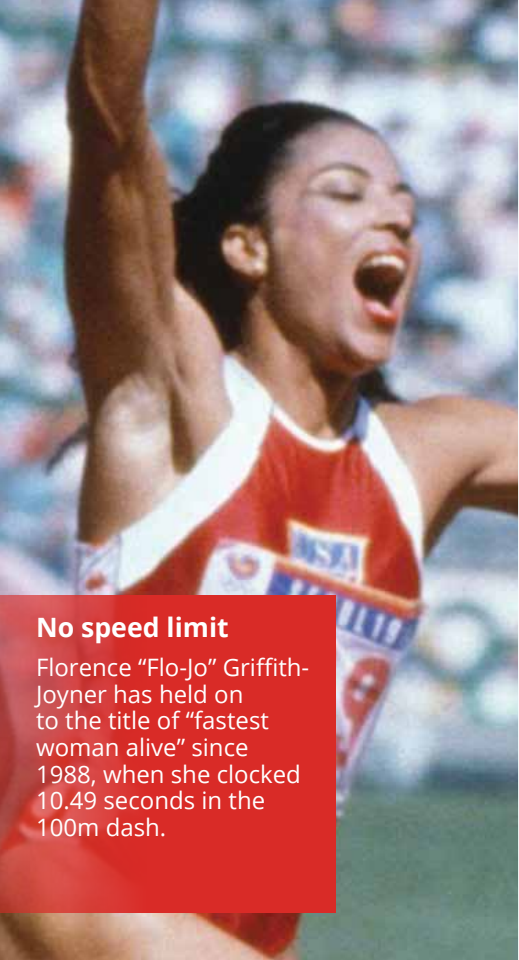
8 **MRO Middle East**  
February 8-9  
World Trade Centre,  
Dubai, UAE

20 **Family Day (ON)**

23 **National  
Aviation Day  
(Canada)**

# February

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29	30	31	1	2	3	4
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8 International Women's Day

8 MRO East Asia  
March 8-9  
Seoul, South Korea

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### No speed limit

Florence "Flo-Jo" Griffith-Joyner has held on to the title of "fastest woman alive" since 1988, when she clocked 10.49 seconds in the 100m dash.

# March

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### Strong silent type

With its incredibly powerful engines, the Q400 holds three records for climbs to 29,527 ft. And it's one of the quietest aircraft flying today!

14 Good Friday

17 Easter Monday

25 MRO Americas

April 25-27  
Orange County  
Convention Center,  
Orlando, FL

27

# April

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26	27	28	29	30	31	1
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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	1	2	3	4	5	6

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## Fastest growing economy

With a projected 7.4% growth for 2017, India is on track to maintain its mantle of fastest growing major economy for yet another year.

22 Victoria Day

# May

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28	29	30	31	1	2	3



### On the fast track

Michael Schumacher, the winningest driver in the history of F1, rode a Ferrari to a record seven victories at the Montréal Grand Prix between 1994 and 2004.

9 **Grand Prix  
Montréal**

12 June 9-12  
Montréal, QC

19 **International  
Paris Air Show**

25 June 19-25  
Le Bourget,  
Paris, France

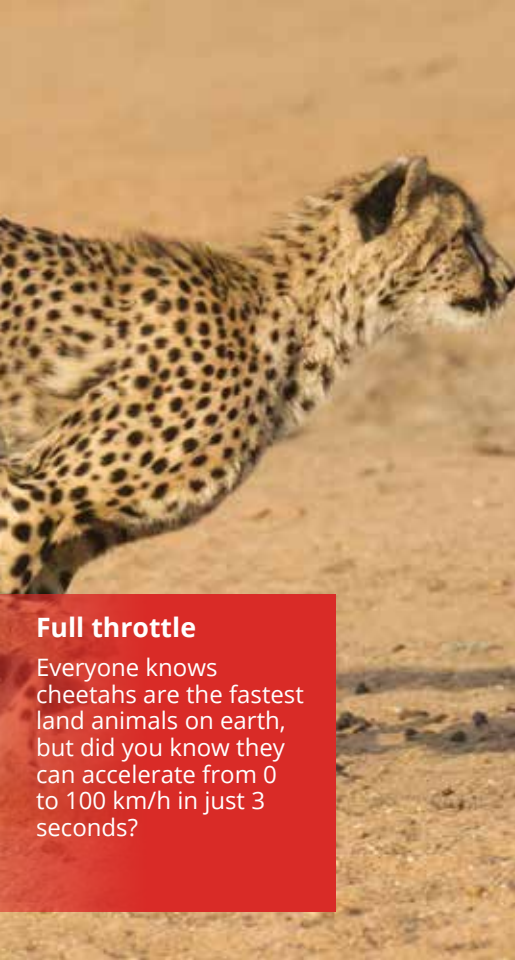
# June

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### Full throttle

Everyone knows cheetahs are the fastest land animals on earth, but did you know they can accelerate from 0 to 100 km/h in just 3 seconds?

1 **Canada Day**  
150th Anniversary  
of Confederation

18 **Nelson Mandela  
Day**

# July

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### Irritating aviators

Horseflies can reach speeds of 90.1 mph, which, given their size, would feel like around 4000 mph to us.

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### ACPC Conference

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August 26-29  
Marriott Marquis San  
Diego Marina Hotel,  
San Diego, CA, USA

# August

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## Flying off the "shelves"

Last year **Airbus** patented what could become the fastest helicopter in the world, but we still love the **A320**, the world's best-selling single-aisle aircraft family.

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Labour Day  
(Canada)

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RAA Conference

September 24-27  
Palm Beach, FL, USA

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# September

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## Speed demons

While other mammals can glide, bats are the only mammals capable of continued flight (up to 97 km/h or 60 mph) and use echolocation to “see” in the dark.

3 **MRO Europe**

October 3-5  
ExCel London,  
London, UK

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9 **Thanksgiving  
(Canada)**

# October

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## Hyperloop Hype

Will this be the year that travelling in pods levitating inside massive tubes surrounded by a cushion of air (at 760 mph) becomes reality?

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**ATAC 83rd  
National  
Aviation  
Conference and  
Tradeshow**

November 6-8  
Fairmont Queen  
Elizabeth Hotel,  
Montreal, QC

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**Remembrance  
Day**

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**Dubai Air Show**

November 12-16  
DWC, Dubai Airshow  
Site, UAE

23  
**Thanksgiving  
(USA)**

# November

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### Got speed?

Speed skiers regularly exceed 250 km/h (160 mph), which is even faster than the terminal velocity of a free-falling skydiver in the belly-to-earth position.

25 Christmas Day

26 Boxing Day

## December

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1 New Year's Day

### Time flies

The ERJ-145 was launched by Embraer at the Paris Airshow in 1989. Today they have surpassed the impressive mark of 13 million cycles and 15 million flight hours.

# January 2018

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