

People don't spend a lot of time thinking about lifts and escalators. But they're everywhere. Silently, consistently getting on with their job. Moving millions of people and countless tonnes of goods.

Do you ever stop to think about how amazing they are? About the amount of technology it takes to transport us 200 metres into the air in a matter of seconds. About the engineering excellence it takes to keep them running safely every day.

Let's tell you about our growing industry in this series of infographics, and why you shouldn't overlook it.

A RECORD-BREAKING NEED FOR SPEED

The more skyscrapers there are, the more lifts and escalators we'll need. It's all about going higher, getting faster and creating record breaking engineering marvels. These are the fastest lifts in the world.



38mph

Taipei 101 Tower Taiwan

45.9mph

Shanghai Tower Shanghai, China

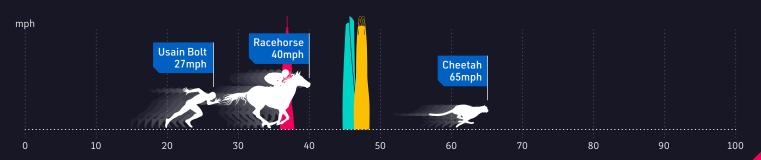
Current Guiness World Record holder for 'tallest lift in a building' at 578.5m

47mph

Chow Tai Fook (CTF) Finance Centre Guangzhou, China

Current Guiness World Record holder for 'fastest lift' When complete The Kingdom Tower, in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia will stand over 1,000m in height and will boast the world's tallest lift at 660m - maybe even the fastest - let's wait and see!

How do they compare?



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