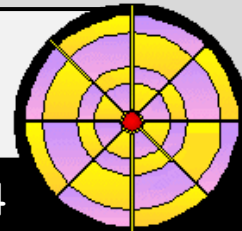


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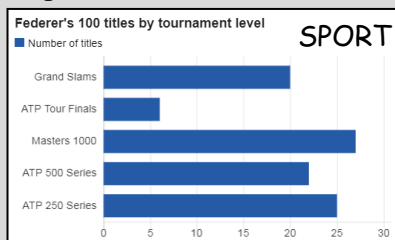
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## Rodger Federer wins 100<sup>th</sup> career singles title

Roger Federer won his 100<sup>th</sup> career singles title at the Dubai Tennis Championship.



Federer's titles have come across 19 years, on all the sport's surfaces, in 30 cities and 19 countries.

Twenty of Federer's 100 titles have come in the Grand Slams, an all-time record.

What is this figure as a fraction, decimal and percentage?

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## Football star Felipe Anderson struggles with numbers in English

In an interview this week, the Brazilian said he has learned English quickly since he joined West Ham last summer but he is still struggling to get the hang of numbers in his new language.

In Brazil, the official language is Portuguese and is spoken by 98% of the population.

Shown opposite are the numbers from 1-10 in Portuguese. We have also included a 3<sup>rd</sup> column to help with pronunciation!



MODERN LANGUAGES

No.	Word	Pronunciation
1	um	oohm
2	dois	doy-z
3	três	treh-z
4	quatro	kwah-troh
5	cinco	seen-coh
6	seis	say-z
7	sete	seh-chee
8	oito	oy-too
9	nove	noh-vee
10	dez	deh-z

(a) Can you count from 1 to 10 in Portuguese? Get your friend/teacher to test you!

(b) Can you complete the following calculations?

Question 1: cinco e dois

Question 2: nove subtrair três

## World's oldest person enjoys studying mathematics!

A Japanese woman has been officially recognised as the world's oldest living person by Guinness World Records. Kane Tanaka is usually up by 6am and enjoys playing the board game Othello and studying mathematics.



She was born on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of January 1903.

(a) How old is Kane Tanaka?

Kane is eight years younger than the oldest person ever.

French woman Jeanne Louise Calment was the oldest person ever, according to Guinness World Records.

(b) How old was Jeanne Louise when she died?

## EUROPE

