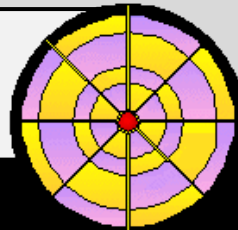


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## Only one in 10 nurses in Scotland are men

Last year in Scotland the number of male nurses fell to a seven-year low despite studies suggesting that men view nursing as a worthwhile career with good progression opportunities.

An NHS study last year said there was still a "stigma" attached to men in nursing and there were not enough role models to challenge this.

(a) Write the proportion of male nurses in Scotland as a percentage.

There are 65 000 nursing staff across the country.

(b) Calculate the number of male nurses currently working in Scotland.

## World Championship 2019: Judd Trump beats John Higgins in Crucible final

Judd Trump dismantled John Higgins in a best of 35 frames match to claim his maiden World Championship title in one of the most breath taking Crucible finals ever witnessed.

(a) How many frames did Judd Trump need to win in order to win the match?

John Higgins won 50% of the total number of frames Judd won.

(b) How many frames did John Higgins win in the final?

At the start of a frame of snooker there are 15 red balls and six "coloured" balls; a yellow ball, a green ball, a brown ball, a blue ball, a pink ball and a black ball.

Each red ball is required to be potted followed by a "colour". Then the "colours" have to be potted one after the other in the order stated above. The player who accumulates the most point during this process wins the frame.


(c) How many balls are on a snooker table altogether at the start of a frame?



## Australia's A\$50 note misspells responsibility!

Australia's latest A\$50 note comes with a big blunder hidden in the small print - a somewhat embarrassing typo.

Today's Exchange Rate:

£1 = 1.8575 AUD 

The Reserve Bank of Australia spelled "responsibility" as "responsibilty" on millions of the new yellow notes!

The Bank confirmed the typo on Thursday and said the error would be fixed in future print runs. But for now, around 46 million of the new notes are in use across the country.



What is the value of an Australian \$50 note in pounds and pence?

## Oh my cod! Hugh Jackman spotted in Clydebank chippy

Hollywood star Hugh Jackman has been exploring Scotland over the Bank Holiday weekend.

After working up an appetite on a boat trip across Loch Lomond, the Wolverine and Greatest Showman star popped into Bennie's fish and chip shop in Clydebank for a deep fried pizza.



A deep fried  $\frac{1}{2}$  pizza costs £2.50.

How much change would Hugh Jackman receive from a A\$50 note?

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