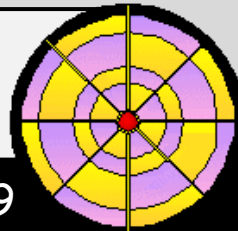


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US Open: Gary Woodland holds off Brooks Koepka to win first major

American Gary Woodland held off the challenge of world number one Brooks Koepka to claim his first major victory at the 119th US Open at Pebble Beach.

The world number 25 had a winning score of -13. In golf, the player with the lowest score at the end of the game wins. Gary scored 3 less than defending champion Brooks Koepka.

(a) What was Brooks' final score?

Brooks scored 8 less than Masters champion Tiger Woods.

(b) What was Tiger's final score?

There has been an Open Championship every year since the first tournament except for a two year break during World War 1 and a three year break during World War 2.

(c) In what year was the first ever US Open Championship?



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Flats out of fashion with first time buyers

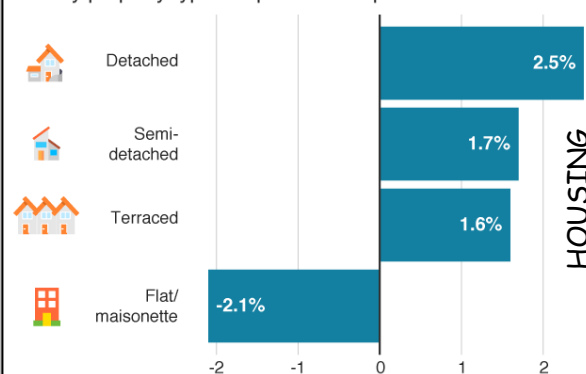
First-time buyers are bypassing flats and moving straight into houses - leading to a fall in the cost of apartments, official figures suggest.

The cost of a typical apartment or maisonette in England has fallen by 2.1% in a year, while other types of property have become more expensive.

By what figure has the cost of a detached property in England risen? Give your answer as a fraction in its simplest form.

Prices of flats drop in England

Cost by property type in April 2019 v April 2018



It's a golden ticket! Classic Wonka prop up for auction

One of the golden tickets from the film Willy Wonka & The Chocolate Factory is set to fetch thousands of pounds at auction.



Rather than have to unwrap dozens of chocolate

bars in the hope of finding one as Charlie Bucket did, those with plenty of cash to splash will be able to snap it up for a mere £12 000!

The rectangular prop - once the property of Julie Dawn Cole, who played Veruca Salt in the 1971 movie - has a perimeter of 57 centimetres.

The ticket is 19 centimetres long. What is the breadth of the ticket?

Boots swaps plastic for brown paper bags

The new paper bags will initially be available in 53 of its 2485 stores, with all of Boots' outlets using paper by early 2020, and are aimed at customers who have not brought their own bag.



The health and beauty chain claim this will remove 900 tonnes of single-use plastic from their stores every year.

A single use carrier bag weighs 22.5 grams.

How many single use plastic carrier bags are currently used by Boots each year?