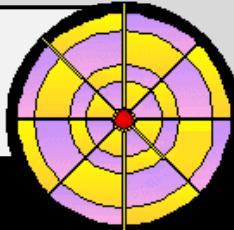


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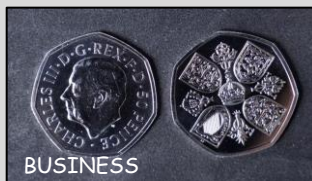
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First King Charles 50p coins enter circulation

Millions of 50p coins bearing the image of King Charles III entered circulation on Thursday via post offices across the country.

It's shape is an equilateral curved polygon with 7 sides.

Do you know the name of a polygon with 7 sides?



Nintendo lands Call of Duty in 10 year Microsoft deal

Microsoft has entered into a 10 year agreement to bring Call of Duty to Nintendo consoles, following its plan to acquire the game's publisher. The deal would enable Microsoft to stop Call of Duty from appearing on rival consoles, such as Sony's PlayStation 5.

But how good is your knowledge on Nintendo Switch games? Shown below is a list of the top 10 best selling Nintendo Switch games of all time. We have given you a clue for a missing letter or letters in each game. The answer to the calculations corresponds to the number of the letter in the alphabet, e.g. a = 1, b = 2, etc. How many games can you name???

Top 10 Best Selling Nintendo Switch Games

1. 5 - (-8) _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _
2. -3 + 4 _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ : _ _ _ / _ _ _ _
3. 38 ÷ 2 _ _ _ _ / 57 ÷ 3 _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ _
4. _ _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ / 2 + 4 × 6 _ _ _ _ : _ _ _ _ / _ _ / _ _ _ / _ _ _
5. P o k é m o n / 76 ÷ 4 _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ / 95 ÷ 5 _ _ _ _
6. S u p e r / M a r i o / √225 _ _ _ _
7. S u p e r / M a r i o / 4² _ _ _ _
8. P o k é m o n / -5 - (-7) _ _ _ _ _ / √16 _ _ _ _ / _ _ / _ _ _ _ / _ _ _
9. _ _ _ _ / _ _ _ / 5 ÷ 5 _ _ _ _
10. P o k é m o n : √144 _ _ ' _ / _ _ , / 2⁴ _ _ _ _ ! / _ / _ _ _ ' _ / _ _ , / _ _ _ _ ! +

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Lewis Capaldi fans go crazy after Scots star posts phone number online

Lewis Capaldi fans went crazy last Sunday after the Scots superstar appeared to post his mobile number on Twitter.

The number he posted is shown below with some missing digits.



0 7 * * * 1 * * * 3 7

The missing digits are all even numbers.

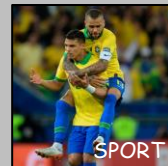
- The 5th digit is the smallest positive even number
- The 7th digit is the same as the 5th digit
- The 9th digit is larger than the 7th digit
- The 4th digit is larger than the 9th digit
- The 8th digit is the same as the 4th digit
- The 3rd digit is larger than the 8th digit

Can you work out his phone number?

Why don't you give him a call and see if he answers???

Dani Alves becomes oldest Brazilian to play in a World Cup game

Full back Daniel Alves, last week, became the oldest Brazilian to play in a FIFA World Cup match. The record was set in the 1-0 defeat against Cameroon in the final round of Group G games.



Alves actually eclipsed the record set by his team-mate Thiago Silva in Brazil's opening match in the tournament as he is one year older!

Alves and Silva have a combined age of 77.

- (a) How old is Thiago Silva?
- (b) How old is Daniel Alves?