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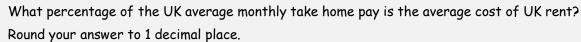
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#### Rents hit fresh high as lack of homes available continues

Average rents have continued to hit new highs as the shortage of available properties continues.

UK rents outside London have reached a record of £1190 a month on average.

The average take home monthly pay in the UK is £2656.





Sweden's Loreen has won the Eurovision Song Contest for the second time, with her soaring pop anthem Tattoo.

The star, who last won the competition in 2012, saw off competition from Finland's Käärijä in a nail-biting vote.

Germany, however, came in last place with a score of 18 - a multiple of 6.

Germany, the United Kingdom and Serbia's scores were CONSECUTIVE multiples of 6. Moldova and Cyprus also had points totals that were multiples of 6.

Can you work out the points scored by the United Kingdom, Serbia, Moldova and Cyprus?

|          |    |           |              |         |       | ENTERTAINMENT  |
|----------|----|-----------|--------------|---------|-------|----------------|
|          |    |           | FINAL RESULT | S GRAND | FINAL |                |
| -        | )1 | SWEDEN    | 583          |         | 14    | ARMENIA 122    |
| 0        | )2 | FINLAND   | 526          |         | 15    | AUSTRIA 120    |
| \$ 0     | )3 | ISRAEL    | 362          |         | 16    | FRANCE 104     |
| 0        | )4 | ITALY     | 350          | 衝       | 17    | SPAIN 100      |
| <u> </u> | )5 | NORWAY    | 268          | A POR   | 18    | MOLDOVA        |
|          | )6 | UKRAINE   | 243          |         | 19    | POLAND 93      |
| 0        | 07 | BELGIUM   | 182          | +       | 20    | SWITZERLAND 92 |
| 0        | 8( | ESTONIA   | 168          | 0       | 21    | SLOVENIA 78    |
| *: 0     | 9  | AUSTRALIA | 151          | 1991    | 22    | ALBANIA 76     |
|          | 10 | CZECHIA   | 129          | (*)     | 23    | PORTUGAL 59    |
| ĺ        | 11 | LITHUANIA | 127          | -       | 24    | SERBIA         |
| € 1      | 12 | CYPRUS    |              |         | 25    | UNITED KINGDOM |
| 1        | 13 | CROATIA   | 123          |         | 26    | GERMANY 18     |

## Driver finds 700 potholes on 10 mile stretch of road

A fed up driver has compiled a dossier of pictures of 700 potholes along a 10 mile stretch of road between Lockerbie and

UK



Annan in South West Scotland.

She started the list after her car was damaged on the stretch of road 3 times in the past year.

On average, how many potholes per mile did she photograph?

## Google Pixel Fold announced with eye watering price tag

Google has announced its first folding smartphone, with a



market leading starting price of £1749.

That puts the Pixel Fold well ahead of the Samsung Galaxy Z Fold4, the world's most expensive foldable handset, which comes in at £1649. But believe it or not these are nowhere near the most expensive smartphones in the world!

The most expensive phone in the world currently is the Falcon Supernova iPhone 6 Pink Diamond.

Using your estimating and rounding skills, can you guess how much this phone costs to buy in dollars?

