

## COLOURS, NUMBERS AND SIZES. ANSWERS

1. A Rehoboam is equivalent to how many 750cc bottles of wine? 6
2. How many laps would you do to complete a speedway race? 4
3. What colour is the breast of a grey wagtail? yellow
4. What colour were Nat King Cole's sails in the sunset? red
5. What colour is Noddy's hat? blue
6. What colour is the flesh of a Sharon fruit? Yellow/orange
7. The Bass logo was the first trademark to be registered in the UK under the Trade Mark Registration Act 1875. What colour and shape is it? (both for a point) Red triangle
8. In an advertising campaign in the early 1990's what colour had a bright future? Orange (mobile phone network)
9. What are the colours of the five Olympic circles? (All five correct for a point) Blue, black, red, yellow, green
10. What is the height of a tennis net at the centre of the court? 36 inches
11. What is the value of the brown ball in Snooker? 4
12. How many counters does each player have in a game of Backgammon? 15
13. How many pairs of ribs does a human have? 12
14. Inch, foot, yard, chain, ....., mile furlong
15. What colour would litmus paper turn if you dipped it in washing up liquid? blue
16. How many sides has a heptadecagon? 17
17. How many feet in a fathom? 6
18. What sport has a playing area of 45 square feet? Table tennis
19. How many claws are there on a normal domestic cat? 18
20. What is size 38 (Europe), size 7 (USA) in women's shoes in the UK? 5
21. How many zeros follow a '1' to form a googol? 100
22. What is minus 40 degrees Fahrenheit expressed as degrees Celsius? -40 the same
23. How many 3 inch diameter muffins can fit in one layer on a flat 12 inch diameter tray? 12
24. What is the "perfect score" in a game of ten pin bowling? 300
25. 4 couples are celebrating their wedding anniversaries: coral, pearl, ruby and wood. How many years in total have they been married 110.  
Coral 35, pearl 30, ruby 40, wood 5

26. How many hoops are there in croquet? 6
27. What shirt number did Bobby Moore wear in the 1966 Football World Cup? 6
28. What fraction of a second is a microsecond? 1 millionth
29. In international rugby union what number shirt does a hooker wear? 2
30. What colour was the rose named after Diana Princess of Wales? White
31. There are many slang terms for denominations of money. How much is a "monkey"? £500
32. What is the third highest score you can get with 3 darts? 174 2 x treble 20, 1 x treble 18; or 1 x treble 20, 2 x treble 19
33. How old does a road vehicle need to be described by the Government as "historic" or "classic" to qualify for vehicle road tax exemption? 40 years, i.e. built before 1980
34. Chris de Burgh sang about a lady wearing which colour? Red
35. In cookery, how many teaspoons are there in one tablespoon? 3
36. In standard UK bed sizes, how much wider in inches, is a King Size compared to a standard Double? 6 inches (a Double is 4'6" x 6'3", and a King Size is 5'0" x 6'6")
37. What is the heaviest UK resident wild mammal (excluding escaped cattle, horses and wandering whales)? Grey seal (bull). Up to 680lbs. The biggest red deer is a mere 300lbs
38. Which bird has the smallest egg in proportion to the size of its body? Ostrich
39. Which is the second longest bone in the human body? Tibia
40. Norwegian, Hans Nilsen Langseth, widely known as the King of Whiskers, is the World Record Holder for the longest beard at:  
e. 17ft 6"
41. The world's largest tree is a giant sequoia called General Sherman in which State of USA? California
42. What is the biggest type of *freshwater* fish found in UK inland non-tidal waters? Catfish
43. The world's biggest aircraft is manufactured by: c. Antonov (Ukraine), AN-225 Mriya
44. In men's athletics shot-put competitions what is the weight of the shot?  
c. 16lb (7.26kg)

45. What is the name of the group whose songs included "I'm Not In Love" (1975), "The Things We Do For Love" (1977), "Dreadlock Holiday" (1978)  
10cc
46. How many died in the 1955 Ealing Comedy "The Ladykillers"? 5.  
Professor Marcus (Alec Guinness), Harry (Peter Sellers), One Round (Danny Green), Louis (Herbert Lom), Major Claude (Cecil Parker). The lady (Katie Johnson) blissfully survived.
47. Which of these mammals deliberately kills the greatest number of its own kind in proportion to its population? e. Meerkats. It's Sergei and his pals!
48. The American flag has 50 white stars on a blue background and how many red stripes on a white background? 13 stripes representing the 13 original colonies.
49. What is the speed limit in the UK for a conventional tractor with a trailer in mph? 25. Tell that to the tractor driver that hit the side of my car!
50. If  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 2$ ,  $c = 3$  etc. how many is "quiz"? 73.  $q = 17$ ,  $u = 21$ ,  $i = 9$ ,  $z = 26$