

# Albert the Astronaut



*Unfortunately  
Albert's calculator  
is in a  
geostationary orbit  
around Earth after  
he dropped it on a  
space walk!*

Albert is calculating how many times he will orbit the Earth during his 114.1 hour stay on the International Space Station. It orbits the Earth every 0.7 hours, so how many time will he complete an orbit?



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# Boris the Baker



*Unfortunately  
Boris baked his  
calculator after his  
dozy apprentice  
Bernard left it on  
the donut tray.*

Boris is working out how much to charge Mrs Smith, who bought 12 cupcakes at £1.34 each and 9 donuts at £0.56 each. How much change will Mrs Smith get from £30?



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# Charlie the Channel Swimmer



*Unfortunately  
Charlie's calculator  
got dropped in a  
vat of goose fat on  
her last attempt!*

Charlie is working out how far she has actually swam on her 34 channel swims. The English Channel measures 21.2 miles at its shortest width which is the route Charlie takes. How far has she swam?



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# Derek the Dentist



*Unfortunately  
Derek's nurse  
Dorothy spilled  
some false teeth  
cleaner over the  
office calculator!*

Derek is working out how much more of Mr Jones' rotten tooth could still lie within his gum after it broke as he pulled it out. The fragment he pulled out was 0.74cm long and the average tooth length is 3.4cm. How much more does he have to dig out?



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# Egbert the Engineer



*Unfortunately  
Egbert's calculator  
was crushed by the  
ball bearing  
machine!*

Egbert is trying to work out how many more ball bearings he can make from the 67.92kg of steel he has left. Each ball bearing weighs 0.12kg on average, so can he satisfy his customer who has just ordered 570?



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