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A pear drop is a traditional British hard-boiled sweet that is shaped like a pear and may have a pear flavoring. These sweets are instantly recognizable not just by their shape, but by their two-tone coloring; usually half of the pear drop is pink and the other half is yellow. Some pear drop sweets may also be wholly pink and wholly yellow; these may come in separate packets or mixed packets. Formerly, artificial colors and flavors were used to give the pear drop its classic look and taste. These had the advantage of being more convenient to use and of assuring batch conformity. They also gave the sweets a longer shelf life. Isoamyl acetate, an artificial flavoring chemical, was once used to give the pear drops their distinctive pear flavoring; this chemical is also used in the aeronautical industry in aircraft construction. As this chemical is not good for human consumption, the emphasis nowadays is on only using natural and healthier colors and flavors. It is now common for sweet manufacturers to use pear juice concentrates or the apple extract malic acid. This has, of course, rather altered the taste and the look of the pear fruit sweets. The main ingredients used to make pear drop sweets are cane sugar, glucose syrup, pear drop flavor and color. The cane sugar and glucose syrup are dissolved in water and boiled on high heat, while constantly stirring, until the mix thickens. The thickened mix is then poured onto a flat surface and the pear flavoring is melded into it. The mix is then divided into three parts and each part is separately colored yellow or pink. The mix is first stretched and pulled, and is a white color. Colors have to be added to get the yellow and the pink. The three colored parts are then placed side by side and processed into a rolling machine which cuts them into the classic pear shapes. The newly formed pear drop sweets then pass into a spinning container where they are moisturized to make them sticky and then they either undergo crystallization or are coated all over with powdered sugar. The next step is to allow them to dry properly and then the pear sweets are ready to be packaged. DelightedCooking is dedicated to providing accurate and trustworthy information. We carefully select reputable sources and employ a rigorous fact-checking process to maintain the highest standards. To learn more about our commitment to accuracy, read our editorial process. Pear drop is a term often used by wine writers to describe the flavor of Beaujolais Nouveau. These writers would all be British since pear drops are virtually unknown in North America. They're a traditional type of candy that the British call boiled sweets and Americans call hard candy.They get their flavor from isoamyl acetate, an artificial flavoring commonly called banana oil. Yes, pear drops taste mainly like bananas but also like ripe pears as well. Beaujolais Nouveau gets its pear drop/ banana candy flavor from carbonic maceration, a process where whole bunches of grapes are fermented without crushing. The process produces isoamyl acetate, the pear drop flavor compound. ,the free encyclopedia that anyone can edit.107,766 active editors 7,028,600 articles in EnglishLiz Truss (born 26July 1975) is a British politician who was prime minister from September to October2022. A Liberal Democrat in her youth, she defected to the Conservatives in 1996. After several bids for public office she was elected as an MP in 2010 and served continuously in government in the Cameron, May and Johnson ministries, latterly as foreign secretary. After Johnson resigned in July2022 Truss stood in the election to replace him, defeating Rishi Sunak and becoming the leader of the party. Two days after her appointment as prime minister Queen ElizabethII died, freezing government business for ten days during a national mourning period; after its conclusion Truss's ministry announced a mini-budget which was received badly by markets, the fallout from which subsequently engulfed her government. Facing a rapid loss of confidence in her leadership, Truss resigned fifty days into her premiership and was succeeded by Sunak, becoming the shortest-serving British prime minister. (Fullarticle...)Recently featured: Lesley J. McNairSecond Test, 1948 Ashes seriesDaily News BuildingArchiveBy emailMore featured articlesAboutUSSSabine, which took 35 years to finish... that the Potomac-class frigates (example pictured) were built slowly for the sake of quality, only for the last ships to be outdated by the time they were finished?... that Indonesian mystic Mbah Suro reportedly consumed only coffee and cigarettes for two years?... that the United States' first capitol building was later sold for $425 and then demolished?... that the mascot of an Australian HIV prevention campaign was a condom-wielding superhero?... that Audichron estimated that Don Elliot Heald's voice was heard on 12 million Audichron phone calls a day in 1971?... that the British indie rock band Girl Ray named themselves after the surrealist visual artist Man Ray?... that avery r. young became the first poet laureate of Chicago in 2023?... that by spinning off Lord Fitzhenry (1794) from a four-volume work in progress, Elizabeth Gunning was paid for two novels instead of one?... that American Civil War chaplain Thomas Mooney was pulled from service after baptizing a cannon?ArchiveStart a new articleNominate an articleOzzy OsbourneArmed clashes erupt in the CambodiaThailand border conflict.Ozzy Osbourne (pictured), the lead singer of Black Sabbath, dies at the age of 76.A fighter jet crashes into a college in Dhaka, Bangladesh, killing more than 30 people.In golf, Scottie Scheffler wins the Open Championship.A tourist boat capsizes during a thunderstorm in H Long Bay, Vietnam, leaving at least 36 people dead.Ongoing: Gaza warRussian invasion of UkrainetimelineSudanese civil wartimelineRecent deaths: Chuck MangioneHulk HoganThomas Anthony DurkinGiora EpsteinBatrice Uria-MonzonRex WhiteNominate an articleJuly 26: Independence Day in the Maldives (1965), Kargil Vijay Diwas in IndiaHillary Clinton1551 The Knights Hospitaller surrendered the Castello of Gozo to the Ottoman Empire following a brief siege, leading to the mass enslavement and dispersal of the Gozitan population.1778 On the orders of Catherine the Great the first of tens of thousands of Greek and Armenian Christians were removed from Crimea and resettled in Pryazovia.1953 In Short Creek, Arizona, police conducted a mass arrest of approximately 400 Mormon fundamentalists for polygamy.1993 Asiana Airlines Flight 733 crashed into a mountain during a failed attempt to land at Mokpo Airport, South Korea, leading to the deaths of 68 people on board.2016 Hillary Clinton (pictured) became the first female nominee for president of the United States by a major political party at the Democratic National Convention in Philadelphia.Carl Jung (b.1875)Ana Mara Matute (b.1925)George W. Romney (d.1995)Olivia de Havilland (d.2020)More anniversaries: July 25July 26July 27ArchiveBy emailList of days of the yearAboutCytoplasmic streaming is a biological process in which cytoplasm flows inside a cell, driven by forces from the cytoskeleton. It is usually observed in large plant and animal cells, as well as amoebae, fungi, and slime moulds. It is likely that its function is, at least in part, to speed up the transport of molecules and organelles around the cell. The process was first discovered by the Italian scientist Bonaventura Corti in 1774, within the algae genera Nitella and Chara. While its mechanism is not fully understood, what is clearly visible in plant cells which exhibit cytoplasmic streaming is the motion of the chloroplasts moving with the cytoplasmic flow. This motion results from fluid being entrained by moving motor molecules of the plant cell. 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For other uses, see 1965 (disambiguation).1965JanuaryFebruaryMarchAprilMayJuneJulyAugustSeptemberOctoberNovemberDecemberFrom top to bottom, left to right: The Vietnam War escalates as the United States begins regular bombing campaigns in Operation Rolling Thunder and deploys ground combat troops for the first time; the Indo-Pakistani War of 1965 erupts over Kashmir, drawing international concern and resulting in thousands of casualties before a UN-brokered ceasefire; the Voting Rights Act of 1965 is signed into law by President Lyndon B. Johnson, prohibiting racial discrimination in voting; Malcolm X is assassinated while delivering a speech in New York City, silencing one of the most influential and controversial voices in the civil rights movement; the Dominican Civil War breaks out as constitutionalist and loyalist factions clash, prompting a U.S. military intervention amid fears of a second Cuba; former British Prime Minister Winston Churchill dies at the age of 90, prompting a global outpouring of tributes and a state funeral attended by world leaders; the Battle of Ia Drang becomes the first major battle between U.S. and North Vietnamese forces, signaling a new phase of intense ground combat in the Vietnam War; the Indonesian mass killings of 196566 begin following an attempted coup, leading to the deaths of an estimated 500,000 to 1,000,000 people in a brutal anti-communist purge; the Selma to Montgomery marches for voting rights take place in Alabama, culminating in the violent crackdown known as Bloody Sunday and ultimately leading to new federal protections.Calendar yearYearsMillennium2ndmillenniumCenturies19thcentury20thcentury 21stcenturyDecades1940s1950s1960s 1970s1980sYears1962196319641965 196619671968vte1965 by topicSubjectAnimationArchaeologyArchitectureArtAviationAwardsComicsFilmLiteraturePoetryMeteorologyMusicCountryJazzRail transportRadioScienceSpaceflightSportsFootballTelevisionAmericanBelgianBrazilianBritishScottishCanadianDanishIrishItalianBy countryAfghanistanArgentinaAustraliaBelgiumBrazilBulgariaCanadaDenmarkFranceGermanyIndiaIndonesiaIrelandIranIsraelItalyJapanKuwaitLuxembourgMalaysiaNew ZealandNorwayPakistanPhilippinesPortugalSingaporeSouth AfricaSouth KoreaSoviet UnionSpainSwedenSwitzerlandThailandTurkeyUnited KingdomUnited StatesLists of leadersSovereign statesSovereign state leadersTerritorial governorsReligious leadersLawBirth and death categoriesBirthsDeathsEstablishments and disestablishments categoriesEstablishmentsDisestablishmentsWorks categoryWorksIntroductionsvte1965 in various calendarsGregorian calendar1965MCMLXVAb urbe condita2718Armenian calendar1414 Assyrian calendar6715Bah calendar121122Balinese saka calendar18861887Bengali calendar13711372Berber calendar2915British Regnal year13Eliz.214Eliz.2Buddhist calendar2509Burmese calendar1327Byzantine calendar74737474Chinese calendar (WoodDragon)4662 or 4455to (WoodSnake)4663 or 4456Coptic calendar16811682Discordian calendar3131Ethiopian calendar19571958Hebrew calendar57255726Hindu calendars- Vikram Samvat20212022- Shaka Samvat18861887- Kali Yuga50655066Holocene calendar11965Igbo calendar965966Iranian calendar13431344Islamic calendar13841385Japanese calendarShwa 40()Javanese calendar18961897Juche calendar54Julian calendarGregorian minus 13 daysKorean calendar4298Minguo calendarROC 5454Nanakshahi calendar497Thai solar calendar2508Tibetan calendar(male Wood-Dragon)2091 or 1710 or 938to(female Wood-Snake)2092 or 1711 or 939Wikimedia Commons has media related to 1965.1965 (MCMLXV) was a common year starting on Friday of the Gregorian calendar, the 1965th year of the Common Era (CE) and Anno Domini (AD) designations, the 965th year of the 2ndmillennium, the 65th year of the 20thcentury, and the 6th year of the 1960s decade. Calendar year Main article: January 1965Main article: February 1965January 14 The First Minister of Northern Ireland and the Taoiseach of the Republic of Ireland meet for the first time in 43 years.January 20Lyndon B. Johnson is sworn in for a full term as President of the United States.Indonesian President Sukarno announces the withdrawal of the Indonesian government from the United Nations.January 29 Hakamets, the first ice rink of Finland, is inaugurated in Tampere.[1]January 30 The state funeral of Sir Winston Churchill takes place in London with the largest assembly of dignitaries in the world until the 2005 funeral of Pope John Paul II.[2]February 4 Trofim Lysenko is removed from his post as director of the Institute of Genetics at the Academy of Sciences in the Soviet Union. Lysenkoist theories are now treated as pseudoscience.[3][4]February 12 The African and Malagasy Common Organization (Organization Commune Africaine et Malgache; OCAM) is formed as successor to the Afro-Malagasy Union for Economic Cooperation (Union Africaine et Malgache de Cooperation Economique; UAMCE), formerly the African and Malagasy Union (Union Africaine et Malgache; UAM).February 18: Flag of the newly independent GambiaFebruary 15 The maple leaf is adopted as the flag of Canada, replacing the Canadian Red Ensign flag.February 18 The Gambia becomes independent from the United Kingdom.February 20Ranger 8 crashes into the Moon, after a successful mission of photographing possible landing sites for the Apollo program astronauts.Suat Hayri rgpl forms the new (interim) government of Turkey (29th government).February 21 Malcolm X is gunned down while giving a speech at the Audubon Ballroom in Harlem.Main article: March 1965Main article: April 1965March 2 Vietnam War: Operation Rolling Thunder The United States Air Force 2nd Air Division, United States Navy and South Vietnamese air force begin a 312-year aerial bombardment campaign against North Vietnam.March 7Mass in the Catholic Church worldwide is said in local languages (rather than Latin) for the first time.[5][6]"Bloody Sunday": Some 200 Alabama State Troopers attack 525 civil rights demonstrators in Selma, Alabama, as they attempt to march to the state capitol of Montgomery.March 8 Vietnam War: Some 3,500 United States Marines arrive in Da Nang, South Vietnam, becoming the first American ground combat troops in Vietnam.March 9 The "Turnaround Tuesday" march from Selma to Montgomery, Alabama, under the leadership of Martin Luther King Jr., stops at the site of "Bloody Sunday", to hold a prayer service and return to Selma, in obedience to a court restraining order. On the same day, White supremacists attack three white ministers, leaving Unitarian Universalist minister James J. Reeb in a coma.March 10 An engagement is announced between Princess Margriet of the Netherlands and Pieter van Vollenhoven, who will become the first commoner and the first Dutchman to marry into the Dutch royal family.March 18 Cosmonaut Alexei Leonov leaves his Voskhod 2 spacecraft for 12 minutes, becoming the first person to walk in space.[7]March 20"Poupe de cire, poupe de son", sung by France Gall (music and lyrics by Serge Gainsbourg), wins the Eurovision Song Contest 1965 (staged in Naples) for Luxembourg.[8]The Indo-Pakistani War of 1965 begins.March 23Events of March 23, 1965: Large student demonstration in Morocco, joined by discontented masses, meets with violent police and military repression.Gemini 3: NASA launches the United States' first 2-person crew (Gus Grissom, John Young) into Earth orbit.The first issue of The Vigilant is published from Khartoum.March 25 Martin Luther King Jr. and 25,000 civil rights activists successfully end the 4-day march from Selma, Alabama, to the capitol in Montgomery.March 28 At least 400 are killed or missing after an earthquake triggered a series of dam failures in La Ligua, Chile.[9]March 30 The second ODECA charter, signed by Central American states on December 12, 1962, becomes effective.April 3 The world's first space nuclear power reactor, SNAP-10A, is launched by the United States from Vandenberg AFB, California. The reactor operates for 43 days and remains in low Earth orbit.April 5 At the 37th Academy Awards, My Fair Lady wins 8 Academy Awards, including Best Picture and Best Director. Rex Harrison wins an Oscar for Best Actor. Mary Poppins takes home 5 Oscars. Julie Andrews wins an Academy Award for Best Actress for her performance in the title role. Sherman Brothers receives 2 Oscars including Best Song, "Chim Chim Cher-ee".April 6 The Intelsat I ("Early Bird") communications satellite is launched. It becomes operational May 2 and is placed in commercial service in June.April 9 The West German parliament extends the statute of limitations on Nazi war crimes.April 12 A historic and extremely destructive tornado outbreak struck the Midwest region of the United States, killing 266.April 18 Consecration of Saint Clement of Ohrid Macedonian Orthodox Cathedral in Toronto, Canada.April 23 The Pennine Way officially opens.April 24The 1965 Yerevan demonstrations start in Yerevan, demanding recognition of the Armenian genocide.The bodies of Portuguese opposition politician Humberto Delgado and his secretary Arajayr Moreira de Campos are found in a forest near Villanueva del Fresno, Spain (they were killed February 12).In the Dominican Republic, officers and civilians loyal to deposed President Juan Bosch mutiny against the right-wing junta running the country, setting up a provisional government. Forces loyal to the deposed military-imposed government stage a countercoup the next day, and civil war breaks out, although the new government retains its hold on power.April 26 Rede Globo is founded in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.April 28U.S. troops occupy the Dominican Republic.Vietnam War: Prime Minister of Australia Robert Menzies announces that the country will substantially increase its number of troops in South Vietnam, supposedly at the request of the Saigon government (it is later revealed that Menzies had asked the leadership in Saigon to send the request at the behest of the Americans).April 29 Australia announces that it is sending an infantry battalion to support the South Vietnam government.Main article: May 1965Main article: June 1965May 1Bob Askin replaces Jack Renshaw as Premier of New South Wales.The Battle of Dong-Yin occurs as a conflict between Taiwan and the People's Republic of China.May 9 Pianist Vladimir Horowitz returns to the stage after a 12-year absence, performing a legendary concert in Carnegie Hall in New York.May 12 West Germany and Israel establish diplomatic relations.Muhammad Ali standing over Sonny ListonMay 25 Muhammad Ali knocks out Sonny Liston in the first round of their championship rematch with the "Phantom Punch" at the Central Maine Civic Center in Lewiston.May 27 Internazionale beats Benfica 10 at the San Siro, Milan and wins the 196465 European Cup in Association football.May 29 A mining accident in Dhanbad, India, kills 274.May 31 Scottish racing driver Jim Clark wins the Indianapolis 500, later this year winning the Formula One world driving championship.June 1 A coal mine explosion in Fukuoka, Japan, kills 237.June 2 Vietnam War: The first contingent of Australian combat troops arrives in South Vietnam.June 7 Kakanj mine disaster: A mining accident in Kakanj, Bosnia and Herzegovina, results in 128 deaths.June 10 Vietnam War Battle of Dong Xoai: About 1,500 Viet Cong mount a mortar attack on ng Xoi, overrunning its military headquarters and the adjoining militia compound.June 19Houari Boumediene's Revolutionary Council ousts Ahmed Ben Bella, in a bloodless coup in Algeria.Air Marshal Nguyen Cao Ky, head of the South Vietnamese Air Force, was appointed prime minister at the head of the military junta, with General Nguyn Vn Thiu becoming a figurehead president, ending two years of short-lived military juntas.[10][non sequitur]June 20 Police in Algiers break up demonstrations by people who have taken to the streets chanting slogans in support of deposed President Ahmed Ben Bella.June 22 The Treaty on Basic Relations between Japan and the Republic of Korea is signed in Tokyo.June 25 A U.S. Air Force Boeing C-135 Stratolifter bound for Okinawa crashes just after takeoff at MCAS El Toro in Orange County, California, killing all 85 on board.Main article: July 1965Main article: August 1965July The Commonwealth secretariat is created.July 14 U.S. spacecraft Mariner 4 flies by Mars, becoming the first spacecraft to return images from the Red Planet.July 15 Greek Prime minister Georgios Papandreou and his government are dismissed by King Constantine II.July 16 The Mont Blanc Tunnel, a highway tunnel between France and Italy, is inaugurated by presidents Giuseppe Saragat and Charles de Gaulle.July 24 Vietnam War: Four F-4C Phantoms escorting a bombing raid at Kang Chi are targeted by antiaircraft missiles, in the first such attack against American planes in the war. One is shot down and the other 3 sustain damage.July 26 The Maldives obtains full independence from Great Britain.[11]July 27 Edward Heath becomes Leader of the British Conservative Party.July 28 Vietnam War: U.S. President Lyndon B. Johnson announces his order to increase the number of United States troops in South Vietnam from 75,000 to 125,000, and to more than double the number of men drafted per month - from 17,000 to 35,000.July 30 War on Poverty: U.S. President Lyndon B. Johnson signs the Social Security Act of 1965 into law, establishing Medicare and Medicaid.August 7 Tunku Abdul Rahman, Prime Minister of Malaysia, recommends the expulsion of Singapore from the Federation of Malaysia following a deterioration of PAPUMNO relations, negotiating its separation with Lee Kuan Yew, Prime Minister of Singapore.August 9Proclamation of Singapore: Singapore is expelled from the Federation of Malaysia, which recognises it as a sovereign nation. Lee Kuan Yew announces Singapore's independence and assumes the position of Prime Minister of the new island nation a position he holds until 1990.An explosion at an Arkansas missile plant kills 53.Indonesian president Sukarno collapses in public.August 11 Racial rioting in the Los Angeles, California neighborhood of Watts breaks out after an African American motorist, Marquette Frye,[12] is stopped on suspicion of drunken driving. Six days of unrest are quelled by over 14,000 members of the California National Guard. There are 34 deaths and over $40 million in property damage. It is the largest and costliest urban rebellion of the Civil Rights movement.[13]August 18 Vietnam War: Operation Starlite 5,500 United States Marines destroy a Viet Cong stronghold on the Van Tuong peninsula in Qung Ngi Province, in the first major American ground battle of the war. The Marines were tipped off by a Viet Cong deserter who said that there was an attack planned against the U.S. base at Chu Lai.August 19 At the conclusion of the Frankfurt Auschwitz trials, 66 ex-SS personnel receive life sentences, 15 others shorter ones.August 21 NASA launches Gemini 5 (Gordon Cooper, Pete Conrad) on the first 1-week space flight, as well as the first test of fuel cells for electrical power on such a mission.August 30 An avalanche buries a dam construction site at Saas-Fee, Switzerland, killing 90 workers.August 31 U.S. President Johnson signs a law penalizing the burning of draft cards with up to 5 years in prison and a $1,000 fine.Main article: September 1965Main article: October 1965September 2Pakistani troops enter the Indian sector of Kashmir, while Indian troops counter at Lahore.The People's Republic of China announces that it will reinforce its troops on the Indian border.Vietnam War: In a follow-up to August's Operation Starlite, United States Marines and South Vietnamese forces initiate Operation Piranha on the Batangan Peninsula, 23 miles (37km) south of the Chu Lai Marine base.September 8India opens 2 additional fronts against Pakistan.The Pakistan Navy destroys Indian Port of Dwarka. Operation Dwarka (Pakistan celebrates Victory Day annually).September 9U.N. Secretary General U Thant negotiates with Pakistan President Ayub Khan.U Thant recommends China for United Nations membership.September 14 The fourth and final period of the Second Vatican Council opens.September 16 In Iraq, Prime Minister Arif Abd ar-Razzaq's attempted coup fails.September 17 King Constantine II of Greece forms a new government with Prime Minister Stephanos Stephanopoulos, in an attempt to end a 2-year-old political crisis.September 18In Denmark, Palle Srensen shoots 4 policemen in pursuit; he is apprehended the same day.Comet IkeyaSeki is first sighted by Japanese astronomers.Soviet Premier Alexei Kosygin invites the leaders of India and Pakistan to meet in the Soviet Union to negotiate.September 19 Pakistani Forces achieve a decisive victory at the Battle of Chawinda, ultimately halting the Indian advance and successfully stabilizing the Sialkot Front, it is the world's largest tank battle since the Battle of Kursk in the Second World War between Nazi Germany and the Soviet UnionSeptember 20 Vietnam War: An USAF F-104 Starfighter piloted by Captain Philip Eldon Smith is shot down by a Chinese MiG-19 Farmer. The pilot is held until March 15, 1973.September 21 Gambia, Maldives and Singapore are admitted as members of the United Nations.September 22 Radio Peking announces that Indian troops have dismantled their equipment on the Chinese side of the border.September 24Fighting resumes between Indian and Pakistani troops.The British governor of Aden cancels the constitution and takes direct control of the protectorate, due to the bad security situation.September 27 The largest tanker ship at this time, Tokyo Maru, is launched in Yokohama, Japan.September 28Fidel Castro announces that anyone who wants to can emigrate to the United States.Taal Volcano in Luzon, Philippines, erupts, killing hundreds.September 30The Indonesian army, led by General Suharto, crushes an alleged communist coup attempt (see Transition to the New Order and 30 September Movement).The classic family sci-fi show Thunderbirds debuts on ITV in the United Kingdom.October 3 Fidel Castro announces that Che Guevara has resigned and left Cuba.October 4At least 150 are killed when a commuter train derails at the outskirts of Durban, KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa.Prime minister Ian Smith of Rhodesia and Arthur Bottomley of the Commonwealth of Nations begin negotiations in London.Pope Paul VI makes the first papal visit to the United States. He appears for a Mass in Yankee Stadium and makes a speech at the United Nations.The University of California, Irvine opens its doors.October 5 Pakistan severs diplomatic relations with Malaysia because of their disagreement in the UN.October 6 Ian Brady, a 27-year-old stock clerk from Hyde in Cheshire, is arrested for allegedly hacking to death (with a hatchet) 17-year-old apprentice electrician Edward Evans at a house on the Hattersley housing estate.October 7 Seven Japanese fishing boats are sunk off Guam by Super Typhoon Carmen; 209 are killed.October 8Indonesian mass killings of 19651966: The Indonesian army instigates the arrest and execution of communists which last until next March.[14]The 7 Fundamental Principles of the Red Cross and Red Crescent are adopted at the XX International Conference in Vienna, Austria.The International Olympic Committee admits East Germany as a member.October 10 The first group of Cuban refugees travels to the U.S.October 12Per Borten forms a government in Norway.The U.N. General Council recommends that the United Kingdom try everything to stop a rebellion in Rhodesia.October 13 Congo President Joseph Kasavubu fires Prime Minister Moise Tshombe and forms a provisional government, with variste Kimba in a leading position.October 15 Vietnam War: The Catholic Worker Movement stages an anti-war protest in Manhattan. One draft card burner is arrested, the first under the new law.October 17 The New York World's Fair at Flushing Meadows, closes. Due to financial losses, some of the projected site park improvements fail to materialize.October 18 The Indonesian government outlaws the Communist Party of Indonesia.[15]October 20 Ludwig Erhard is re-elected Chancellor of West Germany (he had first been elected in 1963).October 21Comet IkeyaSeki approaches perihelion, passing 450,000 kilometres (280,000mi) from the sun.The Organization of African Unity meets in Accra, Ghana.October 22African countries demand that the United Kingdom use force to prevent Rhodesia from declaring unilateral independence.Colonel Christophe Soglo stages a second coup in Dahomey.October 25 The Soviet Union declares its support of African countries in case Rhodesia unilaterally declares independence.October 27Brazilian president Humberto de Alencar Castelo Branco removes power from parliament, legal courts and opposition parties.Sleyman Demirel of AP forms the new government of Turkey (30th government).October 28 Pope Paul VI promulgates Nostra aetate, a "Declaration on the Relation of the (Roman Catholic) Church with Non-Christian Religions" by the Second Vatican Council which includes a statement that Jews are not collectively responsible for the death of Jesus (Jewish deicide).October 29 An 80-kiloton nuclear device is detonated at Amchitka Island, Alaska, as part of the Vela Uniform program, code-named Project Long Shot.October 30 Vietnam War: Near Da Nang, United States Marines repel an intense attack by Viet Cong forces, killing 56 guerrillas. A sketch of Marine positions is found on the dead body of a 13-year-old Vietnamese boy who sold drinks to the Marines the day before.Main article: November 1965Main article: December 1965November 1 A trolleybus plunges into the Nile at Cairo, Egypt, killing 74 passengers.November 3 French President Charles de Gaulle announces (just short of his 75th birthday) that he will stand for re-election.November 5 Martial law is announced in Rhodesia. The United Nations General Assembly accepts British intent to use force against Rhodesia if necessary by a vote of 829.November 6 Freedom Flights begin: Cuba and the United States formally agree to start an airlift for Cubans who want to go to the United States (by 1971, 250,000 Cubans take advantage of this program).November 8 Vietnam War Operation Hump: The United States Army 173rd Airborne is ambushed by over 1,200 Viet Cong.November 11In Rhodesia (modern-day Zimbabwe), the white-minority government of Ian Smith unilaterally declares de facto independence ('UDI').United Airlines Flight 227 crashes short of the runway and catches fire at Salt Lake City International Airport, killing 43 out of 91 passengers and crew.November 12 A UN Security Council resolution (voted 100) recommends that other countries not recognize independent Rhodesia.November 13The SSYarmouth Castle burns and sinks 60 miles (97km) off Nassau, Bahamas, with the loss of 90 lives.British theatre critic Kenneth Tynan says "fuck" during a discussion on BBC satirical programme BBC-3 for what many believed was the first time on British television. The corporation later issues a public apology.November 14 Vietnam War Battle of Ia Drang: In the Ia Drang Valley of the Central Highlands in Vietnam, the first major engagement of the war between regular United States and North Vietnamese forces begins.November 15 U.S. racer Craig Breedlove sets a new land speed record of 600.601mph (966.574km/h).November 16 Venera program: The Soviet Union launches the Venera 3 space probe from Baikonur, Kazakhstan toward Venus (on March 1, 1966, it becomes the first spacecraft to reach the surface of another planet).November 20 The United Nations Security Council recommends that all states stop trading with Rhodesia.November 22 The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) is established as a specialized agency of the United Nations.November 23 Soviet general Mikhail Kazakov assumes command of the Warsaw Pact.November 24 Congolese lieutenant general Mobutu ousts Joseph Kasavubu and declares himself president.November 26 At the Hammaguir launch facility in the Sahara Desert, France launches a Diamant A rocket with its first satellite, Astrix-1 on board, becoming the third country to enter outer space.November 27Tens of thousands of Vietnam War protesters picket the White House, then march on the Washington Monument.Vietnam War: The Pentagon tells U.S. President Lyndon B. Johnson that if planned major sweep operations to neutralize Viet Cong forces during the next year are to succeed, the number of American troops in Vietnam will have to be increased from 120,000 to 400,000.November 28 Vietnam War: In response to U.S. President Lyndon B. Johnson's call for "more flags" in Vietnam, Philippines President-elect Ferdinand Marcos announces he will send troops to help fight in South Vietnam.November 29 The Canadian satellite Alouette 2 is launched.December 5Charles de Gaulle is re-elected as French president with 10,828,421 votes.The "Glasnost Meeting" in Moscow becomes the first spontaneous political demonstration, and the first demonstration for civil rights in the Soviet Union.December 8: End of the Second Vatican CouncilDecember 8The Second Vatican Council closes.Rhodesian prime minister Ian Smith warns that Rhodesia will resist a trade embargo by neighboring countries with force.The Race Relations Act becomes the first legislation to address racial discrimination in the UK.December 9 A Charlie Brown Christmas, the first Peanuts television special, debuts on CBS in the United States. It becomes a Christmas tradition.December 15The Caribbean Free Trade Association (CARIFTA) is formed.Gemini 6 and Gemini 7 perform the first controlled rendezvous in Earth orbit.December 20 The World Food Programme is made a permanent agency of the United Nations.December 21The Soviet Union announces that it has shipped rockets to North Vietnam.In West Germany, Konrad Adenauer resigns as chairman of the Christian Democratic Party.The United Nations adopts the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination.A new 1-hour German-American production of the ballet The Nutcracker, with an international cast that includes Edward Villella in the title role, makes its U.S. television debut. It is repeated annually by CBS over the next 3 years but after that is virtually forgotten until issued on DVD in 2009 by Warner Archive.December 22 A military coup is launched in Dahomey.December 25 The Yemeni Nasserist Unionist People's Organisation is founded in Ta'izz.December 30: Ferdinand Marcos is the 10th President of the PhilippinesDecember 30Ferdinand Marcos becomes President of the Philippines.President Kenneth Kaunda of Zambia announces that Zambia and the United Kingdom have agreed on a deadline before which the Rhodesian white government should be ousted.December 31 Bokassa takes power in the Central African Republic.Aborigines are given the vote in Queensland, Australia.Hainzl Industriesysteme GmbH company is founded in Austria.[16]Tokyo officially becomes the largest city of the world, taking the lead from New York City.[17]World population196519601970 World3,334,874,0003,021,475,000 313,399,0003,692,492,000 357,618,000 Africa313,744,000277,398,000 36,346,000357,283,000 43,539,000 Asia1,899,424,0001,701,336,000 198,088,0002,143,118,000 243,694,000 Europe634,026,000604,401,000 29,625,000655,855,000 21,829,000 Latin America250,452,000218,300,000 32,152,000284,856,000 34,404,000 Northern America219,570,000204,152,000 15,418,000231,937,000 12,367,000 Oceania17,657,00015,888,000 1,769,00019,443,000 1,786,000Julia OrmondVinnie JonesJoely RichardsonDiane LaneJanuary 4Julia Ormond, British actress[18]Yvan Attal, Israeli-born French actor and directorJanuary 5Vinnie Jones, British footballer-turned-actor[19]Patrik Sjberg, Swedish high jumper[20]January 9Haddaway, German singerFarah Khan, Indian choreographer, film directorJoely Richardson, British actressJanuary 10 Butch Hartman, American animator and voice actorJanuary 12Nikolai Borschevsky, Russian ice hockey playerMaybrit Illner, German television journalist and presenterRob Zombie, American musicianJanuary 14Shamil Basayev, Chechen terrorist (d. 2006)Marc Delissen, Dutch field hockey playerBob Essensa, Canadian ice hockey playerJanuary 15Adam Jones, American musician, guitarist of metal band ToolJames Nesbitt, Northern Irish actor[21]January 20 Sophie, Duchess of Edinburgh, wife of Prince Edward, Duke of EdinburghJanuary 21 Jam Master Jay, American DJ, rapper and producer (d. 2002)January 22DJ Jazzy Jeff, American disc jockeyDiane Lane, American actressJanuary 23 Catherine Guillouard, French businesswomanJanuary 24 Porfirio Fisac, Spanish basketball coachJanuary 25 Esa Tikkanen, Finnish ice hockey playerJanuary 26 Natalia Yurchenko, Soviet artistic gymnastJanuary 27Alan Cumming, Scottish actorIgnacio No, Argentine artistJanuary 29Dominik Haek, Czech hockey playerJo Min-su, South Korean actressChris RockAdama BarrowMichael BayDr. DreFebruary 1Dave Callaghan, South African cricketerBrandon Lee, Chinese-American actor (d. 1993)Sherilyn Fenn, American actressPrincess Stphanie of MonacoFebruary 3 Maura Tierney, American actressFebruary 5 Gheorghe Hagi, Romanian footballer, manager and club owner[22]February 7 Chris Rock, African-American actor, comedian, and film directorFebruary 8 Dicky Cheung, Hong Kong actorFebruary 11 Roberto Moya, Cuban athlete (d. 2020)February 12 Brett Kavanaugh, American attorney and Supreme Court JusticeFebruary 15 Hctor Beltrn Leyva, Mexican drug lord (d. 2018)February 16 Adama Barrow, Gambian politician, 3rd President of GambiaFebruary 17 Michael Bay, American film director[23]February 18 Dr. Dre, African-American rapper and music producerFebruary 23Kristin Davis, American actress[24]Michael Dell, American computer manufacturer[25]Vincent Chalvon-Demersay, French producerHelena Sukov, Czech tennis player[26]February 25 Sylvie Guillem, French ballerinaFebruary 27 Claudia Zobel, Filipina actress (d. 1984)February 28 Park Gok-ji, South Korean film editorAamir KhanMark CarneyRick HarrisonThe UndertakerSarah Jessica ParkerMarch 1Mike Dean, Record producerStewart Elliott, Canadian jockeyJack Tu, Taiwanese-Canadian cardiologist (d. 2018)March 2 Ami Bera, American politician[27]March 3Tedros Adhanom, Director of the World Health OrganizationMarch 4Greg Alexander, Australian rugby league playerPaul W. 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The First Industrial Revolution, though it began in the late 18th century, expanded beyond its British homeland for the first time during the 19th century, particularly remaking the economies and societies of the Low Countries, France, the Rhineland, Northern Italy, and the Northeastern United States. A few decades later, the Second Industrial Revolution led to ever more massive urbanization and much higher levels of productivity, profit, and prosperity, a pattern that continued into the 20th century. The Catholic Church, in response to the growing influence and power of modernism, secularism and materialism, formed the First Vatican Council in the late 19th century to deal with such problems and confirm certain Catholic doctrines as dogma. Religious missionaries were sent from the Americas and Europe to Asia, Africa and the Middle East.In the Middle East, it was an era of change and reform. The Islamic gunpowder empires fell into decline and European imperialism brought much of South Asia, Southeast Asia, and almost all of Africa under colonial rule. Reformers were opposed at every turn by conservatives who strove to maintain the centuries-old Islamic laws and social order.[1] The 19th century also saw the collapse of the large Spanish, Portuguese, French and Mughal empires, which paved the way for the growing influence of the British, French, German, Russian, Austro-Hungarian, Italian, and Japanese empires along with the United States.Following the defeat of France in the Napoleonic Wars, it marked the end of Frances status as the world superpower. Britain took Frances status as the world superpower, the British and Russian empires expanded considerably, becoming two of the world's leading powers. Russia expanded its territory to the Caucasus and Central Asia. The Ottoman Empire underwent a period of Westernization and reform known as the Tanzimat, vastly increasing its control over core territories in the Middle East. However, it remained in decline and became known as the sick man of Europe, losing territory in the Balkans and North Africa.The remaining powers in the Indian subcontinent, such as the Maratha and Sikh empires, suffered a massive decline, and their dissatisfaction with the British East India Company's rule led to the Indian Rebellion of 1857 and the company's dissolution. India was later ruled directly by the British Crown through the establishment of the British Raj. During the post-Napoleonic era (after 1815), Britain enforced what became known as the Pax Britannica, which ushered in unprecedented globalization on a massive scale. Britain's overseas possessions grew rapidly in the first half of the century, especially with the expansion of vast territories in Canada, Australia, India, and in the last two decades of the century in Africa. By the end of the 19th century, the British controlled a fifth of the world's land and a quarter of the world's population.By the end of the century, Britain, France, Germany, and the United States had colonized almost all of Oceania. In East Asia, China under the Qing dynasty endured its century of humiliation by foreign powers that lasted until the first half of the 20th century. The last surviving man and woman, respectively, verified to have been born in the 19th century were Jiroemon Kimura (18972013) and Nabi Tajima (19002018), both Japanese.Official portrait of Queen Victoria, 1859The first electronics appeared in the 19th century, with the introduction of the electric relay in 1835, the telegraph and its Morse code protocol in 1837, the first telephone call in 1876,[2] and the first functional light bulb in 1878.[3]The 19th century was an era of rapidly accelerating scientific discovery and invention, with significant developments in the fields of mathematics, physics, chemistry, biology, electricity, and metallurgy that laid the groundwork for the technological advances of the 20th century.[4] The Industrial Revolution began in Great Britain and spread to continental Europe, North America, and Japan.[5] The Victorian era was notorious for the employment of young children in factories and mines, as well as strict social norms regarding modesty and gender roles.[6] Japan embarked on a program of rapid modernization following the Meiji Restoration, before defeating China, under the Qing dynasty, in the First Sino-Japanese War. Advances in medicine and the understanding of human anatomy and disease prevention took place in the 19th century, and were partly responsible for rapidly accelerating population growth in the Western world. Europe's population doubled during the 19th century, from approximately 200 million to more than 400 million.[7] The introduction of railroads provided the first major advancement in land transportation for centuries, changing the way people lived and obtained goods, and fuelling major urbanization movements in countries across the globe. Numerous cities worldwide surpassed populations of a million or more during this century. London became the world's largest city and capital of the British Empire. Its population increased from 1 million in 1800 to 6.7 million a century later. The last remaining undiscovered landmasses of Earth, including vast expanses of interior Africa and Asia, were explored during this century, and with the exception of the extreme zones of the Arctic and Antarctic, accurate and detailed maps of the globe were available by the 1890s. Liberalism became the pre-eminent reform movement in Europe.[8]Arab slave traders and their captives along the Ruvuma River, 19th centurySlavery was greatly reduced around the world. Following a successful slave revolt in Haiti, Britain and France stepped up the battle against the Barbary pirates and succeeded in stopping their enslavement of Europeans. The UK's Slavery Abolition Act 1833 charged the British Royal Navy with ending the global slave trade.[9] The first colonial empire in the century to abolish slavery was the British, who did so in 1834. America's Thirteenth Amendment following their Civil War abolished slavery there in 1865, and in Brazil slavery was abolished in 1888 (see abolitionism). Similarly, serfdom was abolished in Russia in 1861.The 19th century was remarkable in the widespread formation of new settlement foundations which were particularly prevalent across North America and Australia, with a significant proportion of the two continents' largest cities being founded at some point in the century. Chicago in the United States and Melbourne in Australia were non-existent in the earliest decades but grew to become the 2nd largest cities in the United States and British Empire respectively by the end of the century. In the 19th century, approximately 70 million people left Europe, with most migrating to the United States.[10]The 19th century also saw the rapid creation, development, and codification of many sports, particularly in Britain and the United States. Association football, rugby union, baseball, and many other sports were developed during the 19th century, while the British Empire facilitated the rapid spread of sports such as cricket to many different parts of the world. Also, women's fashion was a very sensitive topic during this time, as women showing their ankles was viewed to be scandalous.The boundaries set by the Congress of Vienna, 1815It also marks the fall of the Ottoman rule of the Balkans which led to the creation of Serbia, Bulgaria, Montenegro, and Romania as a result of the second Russo-Turkish War, which in itself followed the great Crimean War.Map of the world from 1897. The British Empire (marked in pink) was the superpower of the 19th century.Industrial RevolutionEuropean imperialismBritish Regency, Victorian era (UK, British Empire)Bourbon Restoration, July Monarchy, French Second Republic, Second French Empire, French Third Republic (France)Risorgimento (Italy)Belle poque (Europe)Edo period, Meiji period (Japan)Qing dynasty (China)Nguyen dynasty (Vietnam)Joseon dynasty (Korea)Zulu Kingdom (South Africa)Tanzimat, First Constitutional Era (Ottoman Empire)Russian EmpireManifest destiny, Antebellum era, Reconstruction era, American frontier, Gilded Age (United States)Main article: Napoleonic WarsFor a chronological guide, see Timeline of the Napoleonic era.Napoleon's retreat from Russia in 1812. The war is turning decisively against the French Empire.The Napoleonic Wars were a series of major conflicts from 1803 to 1815 pitting the French Empire and its allies, led by Napoleon I, against a fluctuating array of European powers formed into various coalitions, financed and usually led by the United Kingdom. The wars stemmed from the unresolved disputes associated with the French Revolution and its resultant conflict.In the aftermath of the French Revolution, Napoleon Bonaparte gained power in France in 1799. In 1804, he crowned himself Emperor of the French.In 1805, the French victory over an Austrian-Russian army at the Battle of Austerlitz ended the War of the Third Coalition. As a result of the Treaty of Pressburg, the Holy Roman Empire was dissolved.Later efforts were less successful. In the Peninsular War, France unsuccessfully attempted to establish Joseph Bonaparte as King of Spain. In 1812, the French invasion of Russia had massive French casualties, and was a turning point in the Napoleonic Wars.Napoleon Bonaparte, Emperor of the First French EmpireIn 1814, after defeat in the War of the Sixth Coalition, Napoleon abdicated and was exiled to Elba. Later that year, he escaped exile and began the Hundred Days before finally being defeated at the Battle of Waterloo and exiled to Saint Helena, an island in the South Atlantic Ocean.After Napoleon's defeat, the Congress of Vienna was held to determine new national borders. The Concert of Europe attempted to preserve this settlement was established to preserve these borders, with limited impact.Main article: Spanish American wars of independenceThe Chilean Declaration of Independence, 18 February 1818Mexico and the majority of the countries in Central America and South America obtained independence from colonial overlords during the 19th century. In 1804, Haiti gained independence from France. In Mexico, the Mexican War of Independence was a decade-long conflict that ended in Mexican independence in 1821.Due to the Napoleonic Wars, the royal family of Portugal relocated to Brazil from 1808 to 1821, leading to Brazil having a separate monarchy from Portugal.The Federal Republic of Central America gained independence from Spain in 1821 and from Mexico in 1823. After several rebellions, by 1841 the federation had dissolved into the independent countries of Guatemala, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Costa Rica.[11]In 1830, the post-colonial nation of Gran Colombia dissolved and the nations of Colombia (including modern-day Panama), Ecuador, and Venezuela took its place.Main article: Revolutions of 1848Liberal and nationalist pressure led to the European revolutions of 1848.The Revolutions of 1848 were a series of political upheavals throughout Europe in 1848. The revolutions were essentially democratic and liberal in nature, with the aim of removing the old monarchical structures and creating independent nation states.The first revolution began in January in Sicily.[clarification needed] Revolutions then spread across Europe after a separate revolution began in France in February. Over 50 countries were affected, but with no coordination or cooperation among their respective revolutionaries.According to Evans and von Strandmann (2000), some of the major contributing factors were widespread dissatisfaction with political leadership, demands for more participation in government and democracy, demands for freedom of the press, other demands made by the working class, the upsurge of nationalism, and the regrouping of established government forces.[12]Main articles: Abolitionism and American Civil WarPolitician and philanthropist William Wilberforce (17591833) was a leader of the movement to abolish the slave trade.The abolitionism movement achieved success in the 19th century. The Atlantic slave trade was abolished in the United States in 1808, and by the end of the century, almost every government had banned slavery. The Slavery Abolition Act 1833 banned slavery throughout the British Empire, and the Lei urea abolished slavery in Brazil in 1888.Abolitionism in the United States continued until the end of the American Civil War. Frederick Douglass and Harriet Tubman were two of many American abolitionists who helped win the fight against slavery. Douglass was an articulate orator and incisive antislavery writer, while Tubman worked with a network of antislavery activists and safe houses known as the Underground Railroad.The American Civil War took place from 1861 to 1865. Eleven southern states seceded from the United States, largely over concerns related to slavery. In 1863, President Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation. Lincoln issued a preliminary[13] on September 22, 1862, warning that in all states still in rebellion (Confederacy) on January 1, 1863, he would declare their slaves "then, thenceforward, and forever free."[14] He did so.[15] The Thirteenth Amendment to the Constitution,[16] ratified in 1865, officially abolished slavery in the entire country.Five days after Robert E. Lee surrendered at Appomattox Courthouse, Virginia, Lincoln was assassinated by actor and Confederate sympathizer John Wilkes Booth.Main article: Decline and modernization of the Ottoman EmpireIbrahim Pasha of Egypt, leader of the Egyptian Army in the EgyptianOttoman War (18311833)[17]In 1817, the Principality of Serbia became suzerain from the Ottoman Empire, and in 1867, it passed a constitution that defined its independence from the Ottoman Empire. In 1830, Greece became the first country to break away from the Ottoman Empire after the Greek War of Independence. In 1831, the Bosnian Uprising against Ottoman rule occurred. In 1831, The First EgyptianOttoman War (18311833) occurred, between the Ottoman Empire and Egypt brought about by Muhammad Ali Pasha's demand to the Sublime Porte for control of Greater Syria, as reward for aiding the Sultan during the Greek War of Independence. As a result, Egyptian forces temporarily gained control of Syria, advancing as far north as Ktahya.[18] In 1876, Bulgarians instigated the April Uprising against Ottoman rule. Following the Russo-Turkish War, the Treaty of Berlin recognized the formal independence of the Serbia, Montenegro, and Romania. Bulgaria became autonomous.Main article: Taiping RebellionA scene of the Taiping RebellionThe Taiping Rebellion was the bloodiest conflict of the 19th century, leading to the deaths of around 2030 million people. Its leader, Hong Xiuquan, declared himself the younger brother of Jesus Christ and developed a new Chinese religion known as the God Worshipping Society. After proclaiming the establishment of the Taiping Heavenly Kingdom in 1851, the Taiping army conquered a large part of China, capturing Nanjing in 1853. In 1864, after the death of Hong Xiuquan, Qing forces recaptured Nanjing and ended the rebellion.[19]Main article: Meiji RestorationDuring the Edo period, Japan largely pursued an isolationist foreign policy. In 1853, United States Navy Commodore Matthew C. Perry threatened the Japanese capital Edo with gunships, demanding that they agree to open trade. This led to the opening of trade relations between Japan and foreign countries, with the policy of Sakoku formally ended in 1854.By 1872, the Japanese government under Emperor Meiji had eliminated the daimy system and established a strong central government. Further reforms included the abolition of the samurai class, rapid industrialization and modernization of government, closely following European models.[20]Main articles: Western imperialism in Asia and Scramble for AfricaArrival of Marshal Randon in Algiers, French Algeria in 1857The Maratha Confederacy and the East India Company sign the Treaty of Bassein in 1802.1803: United States more than doubles in size when it buys out France's territorial claims in North America via the Louisiana Purchase. This begins the U.S.'s westward expansion to the Pacific, referred to as its Manifest Destiny, which involves annexing and conquering land from Mexico, Britain, and Native Americans.1817 1819: British Empire annexed the Maratha Confederacy after the Third Anglo-Maratha War.1823 1887: British Empire annexed Burma (now also called Myanmar) after three Anglo-Burmese Wars.1848 1849: Sikh Empire is defeated in the Second Anglo-Sikh War. Therefore, the entire Indian subcontinent is under British control.1862: France gained its first foothold in Southeast Asia and in 1863 annexed Cambodia.1867: United States purchased Alaska from Russia.Comparison of Africa in the years 1880 and 1913In Africa, European exploration and technology led to the colonization of almost the entire continent by 1898. New medicines such as quinine and more advanced firearms allowed European nations to conquer native populations.[21]Motivations for the Scramble for Africa included national pride, desire for raw materials, and Christian missionary activity. Britain seized control of Egypt to ensure control of the Suez Canal, but Ethiopia defeated Italy in the First ItaloEthiopian War at the Battle of Adwa. France, Belgium, Portugal, and Germany also had substantial colonies. The Berlin Conference of 18841885 attempted to reach agreement on colonial borders in Africa, but disputes continued, both amongst European powers and in resistance by the native populations.[21]In 1867, diamonds were discovered in the Kimberley region of South Africa. In 1886, gold was discovered in Transvaal. This led to colonization in Southern Africa by the British and business interests, led by Cecil Rhodes.[21]18011815: First Barbary War and the Second Barbary War between the United States and the Barbary States of North Africa.1802: Tay Son army recaptured Phu Xuan, causing Vo Tanh to commit suicide, Nguyen Phuc Anh successfully captured Thang Long, founded the Nguyen dynasty18041810: Fulani Jihad in Nigeria.18041813: Russo-Persian War.18061812: Russo-Turkish War, Treaty of Bucharest.18071837: Musket Wars among Mori in many parts of New Zealand.18081809: Russia conquers Finland from Sweden in the Finnish War.1816: Shaka rises to power over the Zulu Kingdom. Zulu expansion was a major factor of the Mfecane ("Crushing") that depopulated large areas of southern Africa.1810: Grito de Dolores begins the Mexican War of Independence.1811: Battle of Tippecanoe: U.S. outnumbering Native Americans resulting in defeat and burning of community18121815: War of 1812 between the United States and Britain; ends in a draw, except that Native Americans lose power.18131837: AfghanSikh Wars.18141816: Anglo-Nepalese War between Nepal (Gurkha Empire) and British Empire.1817: First Seminole War begins in Florida.1817: Russia commences its conquest of the Caucasus.1820: Revolutions of 1820 in Southern Europe18211830: Greek War of Independence against the Ottoman Empire.18251830: Java War begins.18261828: After the final Russo-Persian War, the Persian Empire took back territory lost to Russia from the previous war.18281832: Black War in Tasmania leads to the near extinction of the Tasmanian aborigines1830: July Revolution overthrew old line of Bourbons.1830: November Uprising in Poland against Russia.1830: Belgian Revolution results in Belgium's independence from Netherlands.1830: End of the Java War. The whole area of Yogyakarta and Surakarta Manca nagara Dutch seized. 27 September, Klaten Agreement determines a fixed boundary between Surakarta and Yogyakarta and permanently divide the kingdom of Mataram was signed by Sasradiningrat, Pepatih Dalem Surakarta, and Danurejo, Pepatih Dalem Yogyakarta. Mataram is a de facto and de yure controlled by the Dutch East Indies.1831: France invades and occupies Algeria.18311833: EgyptianOttoman War.18321875: Regimental rebellions of Brazil18351836: Texas Revolution results in Texas's independence from Mexico.18391842: First Opium War begins.18461848: MexicanAmerican War leads to Mexico's cession of much of the modern-day Southwestern United States.1848: February Revolution overthrew Louis Philippe's government. Second Republic proclaimed; Louis Napoleon, nephew of Napoleon I, elected president.18531856: Crimean War between France, the United Kingdom, the Ottoman Empire and Russia.18561860: Second Opium War1857: Indian Rebellion against the Company Raj. After this the power of the East India Company is transferred to the British Crown.1859: Franco-Austrian War is part of the wars of Italian unification.18611865: American Civil War between the Union and seceding Confederacy. Dead Confederate soldiers. In the American Civil War, 30% of all Southern white males aged 1840 were killed.[22]18611867: French intervention in Mexico and the creation of the Second Mexican Empire, ruled by Maximilian I of Mexico and his consort Carlota of Mexico.18631865: January Uprising against the Russian Empire.18641870: Paraguayan War ends Paraguayan ambitions for expansion and destroys much of the Paraguayan population.1866: Austro-Prussian War results in the dissolution of the German Confederation and the creation of the North German Confederation and the Austrian-Hungarian Dual Monarchy.18681869: Boshin War results in end of the shogunate and the founding the Japanese Empire.18681878: Ten Years' War between Cuba and Spain.18701871: Franco-Prussian War results in the unifications of Germany and Italy, the collapse of the Second French Empire and the emergence of a New Imperialism.1870: Napoleon III abdicated after unsuccessful conclusion of Franco-Prussian War. Third Republic proclaimed.1876: The April Uprising in Bulgaria against the Ottoman Empire.1879: Anglo-Zulu War results in British victory and the annexation of the Zulu Kingdom.18791880: Little War against Spanish rule in Cuba leads to rebel defeat.18791883: Chile battles with Peru and Bolivia over Andean territory in the War of the Pacific.18801881: First Boer War begins.18811899: Mahdist War in Sudan.A depiction of the Battle of Omdurman, 1898. During the battle, Winston Churchill took part in a cavalry charge.1882: Anglo-Egyptian War British invasion and subsequent occupation of Egypt18831898: Mandingo Wars between the French colonial empire and the Wassoulou Empire of the Mandingo people led by Samory Tour.18941895: After the First Sino-Japanese War, China cedes Taiwan to Japan and grants Japan a free hand in Korea.1895: Taiwan is ceded to the Empire of Japan as a result of the First Sino-Japanese War.18951896: Ethiopia defeats Italy in the First ItaloEthiopian War at the Battle of Adwa.18951898: Cuban War for Independence results in Cuban independence from Spain.18961898: Philippine Revolution results in a Filipino victory.1898: SpanishAmerican War results in the independence of Cuba.18991901: Boxer Rebellion in China is suppressed by the Eight-Nation Alliance.18991902: Thousand Days' War in Colombia breaks out between the "Liberales" and "Conservadores", culminating with the loss of Panama in 1903.18991902: Second Boer War begins.18991902: PhilippineAmerican War begins.Distinguished Men of Science.[23] Use the cursor to see who is who.[24]Main article: 19th century in scienceThe 19th century saw the birth of science as a profession; the term scientist was coined in 1833 by William Whewell,[25] which soon replaced the older term of natural philosopher. Among the most influential ideas of the 19th century were those of Charles Darwin (alongside the independent researches of Alfred Russel Wallace), who in 1859 published the book The Origin of Species, which introduced the idea of evolution by natural selection. Another important landmark in medicine and biology were the successful efforts to prove the germ theory of disease. Following this, Louis Pasteur made the first vaccine against rabies, and also made many discoveries in the field of chemistry, including the asymmetry of crystals. In chemistry, Dmitri Mendeleev, following the atomic theory of John Dalton, created the first periodic table of elements. In physics, the experiments, theories and discoveries of Michael Faraday, Andr-Marie Ampre, James Clerk Maxwell, and their contemporaries led to the creation of electromagnetism as a new branch of science. Thermodynamics led to an understanding of heat and the notion of energy was defined. Other highlights include the discoveries unveiling the nature of atomic structure and matter, simultaneously with chemistry and of new kinds of radiation. In astronomy, the planet Neptune was discovered. In mathematics, the notion of complex numbers finally matured and led to a subsequent analytical theory; they also began the use of hypercomplex numbers. Karl Weierstrass and others carried out the arithmetization of analysis for functions of real and complex variables. It also saw rise to new progress in geometry beyond those classical theories of Euclid, after a period of nearly two thousand years. The mathematical science of logic likewise had revolutionary breakthroughs after a similarly long period of stagnation. But the most important step in science at this time were the ideas formulated by the creators of electrical science. Their work changed the face of physics and made possible for new technology to come about including a rapid spread in the use of electric illumination and power in the last two decades of the century and radio wave communication at the end of the 1890s.Michael Faraday (17911867)Charles Darwin (18091882)1807: Potassium and Sodium are individually isolated by Sir Humphry Davy.18311836: Charles Darwin's journey on HMSBeagle.1859: Charles Darwin publishes On the Origin of Species.1861: James Clerk Maxwell publishes On Physical Lines of Force, formulating the four Maxwell's equations.1865: Gregor Mendel formulates his laws of inheritance.1869: Dmitri Mendeleev creates the Periodic table.1873: Maxwell's A Treatise on Electricity and Magnetism published.1877: Asaph Hall discovers the moons of Mars1896: Henri Becquerel discovers radioactivity; J. J. Thomson identifies the electron, though not by name.Robert Koch discovered the tuberculosis bacilli. In the 19th century, the disease killed an estimated 25% of the adult population of Europe.[26]1804: Morphine first isolated.1842: Anesthesia used for the first time.1847: Chloroform invented for the first time, given to Queen Victoria at the birth of her eighth child, Prince Leopold in 18531855: Cocaine is isolated by Friedrich Gaedcke.1885: Louis Pasteur creates the first successful vaccine against rabies for a young boy who had been bitten 14 times by a rabid dog.1889: Aspirin patented.Thomas Edison was an American inventor, scientist, and businessman who developed many devices that greatly influenced life around the world, including the motion picture camera, phonograph and long-lasting, practical electric light bulb.Built for the Netphener bus company in 1895, the Benz Omnibus was the first motor bus in history.1804: First steam locomotive begins operation.1816: Laufmaschine invented by Karl von Drais.1825: Erie Canal opened connecting the Great Lakes to the Atlantic Ocean.1825: First isolation of aluminium.1827: First photograph taken (technique of heliography) by Joseph Nicephore Niepce.1825: The Stockton and Darlington Railway, the first public railway in the world, is opened.1826: Samuel Morey patents the internal combustion engine.1829: First electric motor built.1837: Telegraphy patented.1841: The word "dinosaur" is coined by Richard Owen.1844: First publicly funded telegraph line in the worldbetween Baltimore and Washingtonsends demonstration message on 24 May, ushering in the age of the telegraph. This message read "What hath God wrought?" (Bible, Numbers 23:23)1849: The safety pin and the gas mask are invented.1852: The first successful blimp is invented1855: Bessemer process enables steel to be mass-produced.1856: World's first oil refinery in Romania1858: Invention of the phonautograph, the first true device for recording sound.1859: The first ironclad was launched into sea by the French Navy.1860: Benjamin Tyler Henry invents the 16-shot Henry Rifle1861: Richard Gatling invents the Gatling Gun, first modern machine gun used notably in the battles of Cold Harbor and Petersburg1862: First meeting in combat of ironclad warships, USSMonitor and CSSVirginia, during the American Civil War.1863: First section of the London Underground opens.1866: Successful transatlantic telegraph cable follows an earlier attempt in 1858.1867: Alfred Nobel invents dynamite.1868: Safety bicycle invented.1869: First transcontinental railroad completed in United States on 10 May.1870: Rasmus Malling-Hansen's invention the Hansen Writing Ball becomes the first commercially sold typewriter.1873: Blue jeans and barbed wire are invented.1877: Thomas Edison invents the phonograph1878: First commercial telephone exchange in New Haven, Connecticut.c. 1875/1880: Introduction of the widespread use of electric lighting. These included early crude systems in France and the UK and the introduction of large scale outdoor arc lighting systems by 1880.[27]1879: Thomas Edison patents a practical incandescent light bulb.1882: Introduction of large scale electric power utilities with the Edison Holborn Viaduct (London) and Pearl Street (New York) power stations supplying indoor electric lighting using Edison's incandescent bulb.[28][29]1884: Sir Hiram Maxim invents the first self-powered Machine gun, the Maxim gun.1885: Singer begins production of the 'Vibrating Shuttle'. which would become the most popular model of sewing machine.1886: Karl Benz sells the first commercial automobile.1890: The cardboard box is invented.1892: John Froelich develops and constructs the first gasoline/petrol-powered tractor.1894: Karl Elsener invents the Swiss Army knife.1894: First gramophone record.1895: Wilhel

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If youve never tried them, youre missing out on a truly unique flavor experience. Imagine the delicious taste of juicy pear but in candy form. Thats exactly what you can expect from pear drops. But these delightful candies are much more than just a flavor; theyve got a fascinating history and some surprising health benefits too. So, whether youre a longtime fan or a curious newbie, keep reading to learn all about the delicious candy.Please leave a review or any memories of this snack in the comments at the bottom of this page. Thank you! The origins of Pear Drops can be traced back to the early 19th century in England. They were invented by a man named Edward Sharp, who was a confectioner in the city of York. Sharp was known for his innovative candy creations, and Pear Drops were no exception. The first pear drops were made using a mixture of sugar, water, and pear flavoring. They were originally sold as hard candies, but over time, a chewy variety was also developed. The popularity of pear drops quickly spread, and they became a beloved treat across the UK and beyond. In the early days, pear drops were sold in small paper bags or wrapped in wax paper. But as they became more popular, they were packaged in larger bags and sold in shops and supermarkets. Today, pear drops are still widely available in the UK, and theyve even made their way to other countries around the world. Theyre a popular choice for people of all ages, from kids who love the sweet flavor to adults who enjoy the nostalgic appeal. If youre looking to get your hands on some pear drops, youre in luck. Theyre widely available in the UK. You can find them in most supermarkets and candy shops, as well as online retailers. There are several different brands available, each with its own unique flavor and texture. Some popular brands include Barratt, Maynards, and Bassetts. When it comes to choosing pear drops, there are a few things to keep in mind. If you prefer a harder texture, look for classic hard pear drops. If you prefer something chewier, opt for the newer, softer, chewier variety. Pear Drops were once used as a remedy for coughs and sore throats. The strong flavor of the candy was believed to have a soothing effect on the throat, and it was a popular home remedy for many years. READ MORE: Giggles Cookies (History, Marketing & Commercials)The sugar in Pear Drops is quickly broken down by the body into glucose, which can be used as fuel for the brain and muscles. This can be helpful for athletes or anyone who needs a quick energy boost. Some people find that consuming sweets can help lift their mood and reduce stress. This is due to the release of endorphins in the brain, which are natural feel-good chemicals. However, its important to remember that this effect is temporary and can quickly be outweighed by the negative effects of consuming too much sugar. The exact ingredients in Pear Drops can vary depending on the brand, but most will include sugar, glucose syrup, and pear flavoring. Some brands may also include other flavorings or coloring agents. Its worth noting that pear drops are candy and are therefore high in sugar and calories. A 100-gram serving of pear drops typically contains around 400 calories, 98 grams of carbohydrates, and 96 grams of sugar. Theyre also very low in protein and fat, with less than 1 gram of each per serving. While not precisely a healthy meal, pear drops do give you a fast energy boost and can occasionally be an enjoyable treat. Just be sure to brush your teeth after indulging, as the high sugar content can be tough on tooth enamel. People who are concerned about the nutritional content of candy can consider looking for sugar-free or low-calorie alternatives. But if one is looking for a classic treat thats been loved for generations, Classic Pear Drops are always a great choice. Sugar Glucose Syrup Citric Acid Flavoring Colors (Anthocyanins, Lutein). Serving Size:2 sweets (8g)% Daily Value*Amount Per ServingCalories 31Total Fat 0gSaturated Fat 0gTrans Fat 0gPolyunsaturated Fat 0gMonounsaturated Fat 0gCholesterol 0mgSodium 2mgTotal Carbs 8gDietary Fiber 0g3%Total Sugars 5gSugar Alcohols 0gProtein 0gAlcohol 0gCaffeine 0mg The % Daily Value (DV) tells you how much a nutrient in a serving of food contributes to a daily diet. 2,000 calories a day is used for general nutrition advice. There are different types of Pear Drops on the market. Among them, the most interesting ones are boiled and chewy varieties. Boiled Pear Drops are the classic variety and have a hard, crunchy texture. Theyre perfect for those who enjoy a satisfying crunch in their candy. The candy is made by boiling sugar and other ingredients to create a hard candy shell thats satisfying to bite into. This texture can be particularly enjoyable for those who like candy that has a bit of crunch to it. READ MORE: Cadbury Dream Chocolate (History, Marketing & Commercials)In terms of flavor, boiled Pear Drops have a strong and distinct pear flavor thats not too sweet. This flavor is created by using pear flavorings and other natural ingredients. Boiled Pear Drops have more sweetness thats not overpowering, which can be a good option for those who dont want to indulge in pure sugar. Boiled Pear Drops also have a longer shelf life than other types of Pear Drops. The hard candy shell helps preserve the candy and keeps it fresh for longer periods. Chewy Pear Drops, on the other hand, are softer and more pliable. Theyre a good option for those who prefer a candy thats easier to chew. Chewy Pear Drops also have a different flavor profile. While they still have the distinct pear flavor, the chewy texture allows the candy to release its flavor more slowly, giving you a more prolonged and satisfying taste experience. The texture also makes the candy more malleable, which can help enhance the flavor as you chew. Another advantage of chewy Pear Drops is that theyre less likely to stick to your teeth than boiled Pear Drops. Boiled Pear Drops can sometimes get stuck in your teeth, which can be uncomfortable. Chewy Pear Drops, on the other hand, are less likely to get stuck and can be easier to remove if they do. Another type of Pear Drop is the sugar-free variety. These Pear Drops are perfect for those who are watching their sugar intake but still want to indulge in a fruity candy. Sugar-free Pear Drops have a similar flavor to the regular variety, but without the added sugar. As already mentioned above, there are different brands and types of Pear Drops. Lets explore the unique and different varieties of this beloved candy. Barratt Pear Drops are a true classic and have been a staple in British candy jars for generations. These Pear Drops have a distinct pear flavor and a crunchy texture. They come in a bright yellow and pink color that makes them visually appealing. If youre looking for a traditional and authentic experience, Barratt is the way to go. READ MORE: King Vitaman Cereal These Pear Drops are known for their unique flavor combination of pear and banana. This might sound like an odd pairing, but it works. Swizzels Pear Drops are also a bit softer in texture than Barratts, making them a good option for those who prefer a chewy candy. If youre looking for a more natural and organic option, you might want to try Simpkins Pear Drops. Simpkins is a brand that specializes in high-quality, handmade candies made with natural ingredients. Their Pear Drops are made with real fruit juice and have a natural pear flavor thats not too sweet. They also have a slightly softer texture than Barratts Pear Drops. As a classic British candy, Pear Drops have made their way into pop culture over the years. From mentions in songs to appearances in TV shows and movies, Pear Drops have become a beloved part of British pop culture. One example is the song Pear Drops by the band The Real People. The song was released in 1994 and features lyrics about the sweet and nostalgic memories associated with Pear Drops. The song has become a fan favorite and is often played at The Real Peoples live shows. In the popular TV show Doctor Who, the character Clara Oswald is often seen snacking on Pear Drops. The candy becomes a recurring motif throughout the show, representing Claras connection to her childhood memories and the comfort of the past. Pear Drops have also made appearances in British movies, such as the 2007 film Control, about the life of musician Ian Curtis. In one scene, Curtis is seen eating Pear Drops as a nod to the candys cultural significance. Pear Drops also have a fun connection to the world of literature. In the famous childrens book Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl, one of the characters, an eccentric inventor named Mr. Wonka, creates a candy that tastes like an entire three-course meal. And one of the flavors he includes is Pear drops. PEAR DROPS PEAR DROPS Above in this article, we explored delicious and mouthwatering Pear Drops. From their sweet and tangy flavor to their interesting history and health benefits, these little candies are truly something. Whether you prefer the classic hard candy version or the more modern chewy variety, one thing is for sure: pear drops are sure to satisfy your sweet tooth.Nato is a content writer and researcher with a background in psychology. Shes passionate about writing about the candy industry and exploring the cultural significance of sweets and treats. She believes that the stories behind our favorite snacks can reveal a great deal about our values. A pear drop is a traditional British hard-boiled sweet that is shaped like a pear and may have a pear flavoring. These sweets are instantly recognizable not just by their shape, but by their two-tone coloring; usually half of the pear drop is pink and the other half is yellow. Some pear drop sweets may also be wholly pink and wholly yellow; these may come in separate packets or mixed packets. Formerly, artificial colors and flavors were used to give the pear drop its classic look and taste. These had the advantage of being more convenient to use and of assuring batch conformity. They also gave the sweets a longer shelf life. Isoamyl acetate, an artificial flavoring chemical, was once used to give the pear drops their distinctive pear flavoring; this chemical is also used in the aeronautical industry in aircraft construction. As this chemical is not good for human consumption, the emphasis nowadays is on only using natural and healthier colors and flavors. It is now common for sweet manufacturers to use pear juice concentrates or the apple extract malic acid. This has, of course, rather altered the taste and the look of the pear fruit sweets. The main ingredients used to make pear drop sweets are cane sugar, glucose syrup, pear drop flavor and color. The cane sugar and glucose syrup are dissolved in water and boiled on high heat, while constantly stirring, until the mix thickens. The thickened mix is then poured onto a flat surface and the pear flavoring is melded into it. The mix is then divided into three parts and each part is separately colored yellow or pink. The mix is first stretched and pulled, and is a white color. Colors have to be added to get the yellow and the pink. The three colored parts are then placed side by side and processed into a rolling machine which cuts them into the classic pear shapes. The newly formed pear drop sweets then pass into a spinning container where they are moisturized to make them sticky and then they either undergo crystallization or are coated all over with powdered sugar. The next step is to allow them to dry properly and then the pear sweets are ready to be packaged. DelightedCooking is dedicated to providing accurate and trustworthy information. We carefully select reputable sources and employ a rigorous fact-checking process to maintain the highest standards. To learn more about our commitment to accuracy, read our editorial process. We are independent & ad-supported. We may earn a commission for purchases made through our links. Advertiser Disclosure Our website is an independent, advertising-supported platform. We provide our content free of charge to our readers, and to keep it that way, we rely on revenue generated through advertisements and affiliate partnerships. 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Knowing early signs will help a person to make any appropriate changes needed to live healthier and reduce their risk. A sign in a persons breath could mean type 2 diabetes.In type 2 diabetes, the body isnt able to effectively use insulin to bring glucose into the cells. This causes the body to rely on alternative energy sources in the tissue, muscles and organs. The condition develops slowly and having a bad smelling breath could signal type 2 diabetes.Type 2 diabetes raises glucose levels in the mouth and this promotes bacteria growth, infection and bad breath.Type 2 diabetes also damages blood vessels, which reduces blood flow throughout the body, including the gums.When a persons gums and teeth are not receiving a proper supply of blood, they become weak and prone to infection.When blood sugars are high, it becomes very difficult for the body to fight off infection and makes it harder for the gums to heal.Type 2 diabetes also causes a person to have a dry mouth and increased thirst. Dehydration causes halitosis because bacteria live in the mouth and tend to multiply when the mouth is dry.When the mouth is dry it leads to the breath smelling bad. This is because saliva contains natural antimicrobials that protect against bacteria forming.Type 2 diabetes: Having a bad smelling breath could mean you have the condition (Image: Getty Images)When the body isnt making insulin, the cells dont receive glucose that they need for fuel. The body will then switch to burning fat instead of sugar and produces ketones. High ketone levels often causes bad breath.Diabetes.co.uk said: "Typical symptoms of diabetic ketoacidosis include vomiting, dehydration, confusion, and an unusual smell on the breath - sometimes compared to the smell of pear drops."Symptoms of diabetic ketoacidosis usually evolve over a 24 hour period if blood glucose levels become and remain too high.Other symptoms of type 2 diabetes:Constant hungerLack of energyFatigueWeight lossFrequent urinationItchy skinBlurry visionType 2 diabetes: A frequent need to urinate is a major symptom of type 2 diabetes (Image: Getty Images)Type 2 diabetes: When a body doesn't effectively use insulin it could mean serious health risk (Image: Getty Images)A persons breath could be an indicator that there is an underlying health condition, including type 2 diabetes.A person with type 2 diabetes can reduce or eliminate dry mouth and bad breath by carefully checking their glucose intake, eating the right foods, taking medication, maintaining a healthy weight, monitoring insulin levels and following some general prevention tips.If you suspect you might have type 2 diabetes due to your breath smelling bad, it is important to speak with your GP about the possible reasons. Your GP will offer the best remedies to helping you overcome the condition. Skip to main content Reddit and its partners use cookies and similar technologies to provide you with a better experience. By accepting all cookies, you agree to our use of cookies to deliver and maintain our services and site, improve the quality of Reddit, personalize Reddit content and advertising, and measure the effectiveness of advertising. By rejecting non-essential cookies, Reddit may still use certain cookies to ensure the proper functionality of our platform. For more information, please see our Cookie Notice and our Privacy Policy. Hello Folks. This morning I woke and could smell peardrops. I knew it had a significance but wasn`t sure what, and a search told me it could mean I have diabetes. The only other symptom I have is slightly affected vision but I am very overweight. I`ve just had a telephone consultation with my GP who is sending me for a blood test. I thought I`d better join the forum because if my fears are correct I will need as much support and information as I can get. Last edited: Jul 15, 2020 Hello @Grannie G and welcome to the forumIt is good that you are getting a blood test done, as the symptoms of Diabetes are not always obvious. Diabetes is a serious disease, but there is a great deal that you can do to help yourself, although it may mean a few changes.There is much help and experience available on this forum.A good place to start is to have a look at the 'learning zone. There is a link tab at the top of this page.Also the section useful-links-for-people-new-to-diabetes may be worth a look.Please let us know if you have a positive diagnosis, and we will always try to help and answer any questions. Diagnosed 2012. Latest HbA1c 39 with the help of reduced carb diet, metformin and moderate exercise Thank you for the welcome @Toucan I have an appointment for a Blood Test next Tuesday so will report back when I get my results. Meanwhile I`ll have a look round the Forum. When my husband had Dementia I had a great deal of help from Talking Point, The Alzheimer`s Society`s Forum and I`m really pleased to see there`s another good forum here for people with diabetes. Welcome GrannieG! You're right on track, getting yourself checked. I'm newly diagnosed and have a lot to learn; think we've both found a good forum. No doubt like me, other pressures seemed to take priority until I came to realise it's time look after myself. The fear of something is always the worse, and in my case I was imagining the worse case scenario, in the end the diagnosis wasn't as bad as I thought. Good luck! 13th July 2020 - diagnosed T2DHbB1c - 52 Cholesterol - 6.2 Thank you @Jenny55 I feel a bit embarrassed because if I do have diabetes it is self inflicted. I have struggled with my weight for over 60 years and had an excuse for everything. Now it looks as if I`ll be paying the price. A sweet tooth has been my downfall and now I may be forced to lock the stable door after the horse has bolted. Thank you @Jenny55 I feel a bit embarrassed because if I do have diabetes it is self inflicted. I have struggled with my weight for over 60 years and had an excuse for everything. Now it looks as if I`ll be paying the price.A sweet tooth has been my downfall and now I may be forced to lock the stable door after the horse has bolted. You could be talking about me.... snap x 13th July 2020 - diagnosed T2DHbB1c - 52 Cholesterol - 6.2 Well - not necessarily! Treat your diabetes seriously by adopting the right diet (ie cutting all the carbohydrates somewhat, not by any means only sugar!) and sustainable exercise, plus any medication you need and there are lots more people these days who manage to reverse their Type 2. Don't give up on that thought before you get started! Jenny Type 1 since 1972, pumping Novorapid Quote @trophywench Don't give up on that thought before you get started! I won`t. Thank you. I`m not waiting for results of my blood test. I`ve started today, which is why I joined this forum to find out as much as I can. Dxxoo Type 2 since 5th February 2016 Meds: Amlodipine 10mg Bisoprolol recently increased to 10mg Levothyroxine sodium 50mcg Ramipril 10mg, a spoonful of Normacol fibre daily for Diverticulitis. but refusing Simvastin 40mg. Interesting: 'H G Wells had diabetes,[93] and was a co-founder in 1934 of The Diabetic Association (now Diabetes UK, the leading charity for people with diabetes in the UK.' Hello @GrannieG , welcome to the forum .Firstly please dont panic about diabetes, if it turns out you have joined our select club, its doable, we do need to make some changes though we do get to eat good tasty food , much of which will surprise you ,pleasantly I might add !The dietary changes we make can also aid in weight loss too , its also a healthy diet for folks who dont have diabetes. Just like Talking point this is a great forum for friendly helpful support,m advise.Ask all the questions you need about diabetes, well do our best to help. Lin Dx T2 1994Now on Insulatard and Novorapid. Dx changed to LADA 29/12/2042 Hb1ac 29 Dec 202052 Hb1ac 19 Aug 2021 Oh and my elderly iPad has developed a mind of its own it loves to scupper my posts ,adding or mis spelling words etc Hello GRANNIEG and welcome to the forum Search Google for symptoms of diabetes and there are several references, including this websiteCommon symptoms include - thirst, tiredness, weight loss, and frequent peeing, especially at night, but there are others Two of these are blurred vision, and smelling of peardrops Diabetes is the inability of the body to process carbohydrates, caused by the lack of insulinAs the body cannot use carbohydrates as a source of energy it starts to use, and break down fatsThe side effect of this is that ketones are released, resulting in a fruity smell similar to acetone or peardrops This process id called ketoacidosis Assuming you do have diabetes, try not to panic or worryYes, that's easy to say, and diabetes is a serious condition, but if you control or manage the condition you can live very wellThe most important thing is to reduce the amount of carbohydrates in your dietAs all carbohydrates are turned into glucose, this includes starchy carbs like bread, spuds, pasta & rice as well as the obvious things like cakes, sweets, and biscuits However, that control will probably mean some changes to the way you have been living - diet, losing weight, and so onI think the best thing to do for the moment is to look through The Learning Zone and the Help Boxes on the Home Page of this forumAlso previous Threads on this Forum, especially Newcomers, Food & Carbs; and Weight Loss Nothing in the body happens in isolation; things like diabetes, cardiovascular problems, high blood pressure, high cholesterol levels, being overweight are all interconnected, and as you change & improve one thing, it will help with the othersChanging your diet and doing a bit of exercise has a sort of combined or rolling effect - as you do it, so you are able to do more Hello Jenny55 & GrannieG Many people take the diagnosis of Diabetes as an opportunity and the motivation to make changes to the way they've been living - Cut out carbohydrates obviously; but also a lot of processed & junk food like burgers, pizzas, takeaways & convenience meals, and a lot of very fatty & cheap meat, and fried foodYou can still eat fat, in fact the old ideas about absolutely cutting out fat have changed. You can eat a reasonable amount of fat, though obviously not great bucketfuls of the stuff, as long as it's 'good' fat like olive oil and oily fish Start eating vegetables and salads, but not too much fruit Cut out fags and a lot of booze, and start a bit of exerciseLose weight - but you may well find that when you make the other changes, this happens anywayA comment I've seen is -- I've been healthier since I've had diabetes than I ever was before Last edited: Jul 16, 2020 Thanks @zuludog. I don`t drink or smoke. I don`t have takeaways. I don`t eat convenience meals. I cook for myself every day. My problem is SUGAR. Sweets, chocolate, cake, biscuits, Ice cream. These are my weaknesses and are as difficult to give up as smoking was 20 years ago, Welcome to the forum @GrannieG Sorry to hear you are having to get tested for diabetes. The smell of pear drops is often linked to type 1 diabetes or LADA, with very high blood glucose levels with insufficient insulin where ketones are produced as the body begins to break down fat for fuel. This is potentially quite serious, and may lead to diabetic ketoacidosis if you end up being LADA rather than T2, so while its great that you have blood tests booked, if you experience nausea, vomiting or abdominal pain you should get yourself to A&E.Hopefully that wont be necessary and you can just go for your bloodtests on Tuesday, but I thought it was worth mentioning! Mike. Type 1 since 1991. Pump user since 2011, using NovoRapid in a Medtronic MM780G (Simplera / hybrid loop). HbA1c 42 (6.0%). Low dose statin. TC 3.2, non HDL 1.7, Trigs 0.9.Blogging at: www.everydayupsanddowns.co.ukOnline Community CoordinatorDiabetes UK Mine too!! I never ate a lot of sweets, so they were fairly easy to give upI stopped eating cake; as I changed my diet I found I didn't need it, or miss itMy weakness was, and still is, biscuits. But I realised it wasn't so much the sweetness as the nibblingSo I cut back a lot; now if I fancy a biscuit I have a dry oatcake or a sugar free digestive; no more than two, and I make them last Ordinary chocolate contains a lot of sugar, and doesn't actually taste much of chocolateInstead, look for high cocoa chocolate, but still ration yourself to one or two squares. That will give you the intense hit of chocolate flavour & taste, but with hardly any sugar I used to like ice cream, but I just went off the idea, and now I neither buy it nor keep it in the house You will find that when you change your diet your taste changes, and you get used to going without very sweet and sugary thingsIt's hard at first, but you can get used to it surprisingly quickly -- and then if you do have anything sweet it tastes really sickly and unpleasant Last edited: Jul 16, 2020 Hi GrannieGOne further thought - I'm not sure you can say your diabetes is self inflicted. Its not your fault that you have been surrounded by sugary temptations all your life, and as you say, you have 'struggled' with your weight for 60 years Hello @GrannyG if as we suspect you are diagnosed with the big Dyou have all the support you will ever need on this forum.May I just point out as @Toucan says this is not a disease but a condition and withthe correct knowledge can be controlled, please ask any question we are here to help. Thankyou you for joining our little club, pear drop tastes are concerning but hopefullytests will come back ok, it is not your fault it has developed yes reducing weight andreducing carbs will also help but don`t beat yourself up over it. Take care stay safe. No medication left.Hope you are all well?Ted @KARNAK. Thank you so much @KARNAK I had a very thorough eye test today and apart from a slight increase macular degeneration, the examination showed no sign of diabetes. I was told it doesn`t mean I don`t have it but it`s a good start and now I wait for the blood test next Tuesday. Whether or not I have diabetes, I know I must make life-style changes. It looks like this forum is better than any slimming club to help me on my way. I`ve only had a single experience of peardrop breath but see it as a wake up call. Page 2 I am a skinny type 2 diabetic but if I can just add a little to all the good advice you have already and that is not to try to change everything all at once .For example I used to have 3spoons of sugar in my tea but a very wise friend advised cutting down by about half a spoonful per week which I tried sometimes it took 2 weeks to drop the next half spoonful but I persevered and now I hate tea with even a hint of sugar .Don't go hungry that will make you want to snack ,fill up with green veg with butter or add cheese . Carol @GrannieG, you weren't a Mod on Talking Point were you? I won't put your name on here, but my username is the same as it was on TP. Let me know if it's you lovely lady. Maybe we have another forum in common! Diagnosed with type 2 in April 2020Weight in April 2020 - 12st 10lb, BMI 32Current weight - 7st 7lb, BMI 20.6 Metformin reduced to 1 x 500 per day in Jan 2021HbA1c:Apr 20 - 76Jun 20 - 54Sep 20 - 37Jan 21 - 36Mar 21 - 36Oct 21 - 39 Aug 22 - 38Aug 24 - 40 eek!Cholesterol 4.7 - Simverstatin increased to 40mg @GrannieG, you weren't a Mod on Talking Point were you? I won't put your name on here, but my username is the same as it was on TP. Let me know if it's you lovely lady. Maybe we have another forum in common! I still am a mod on Talking Point @Vonny. This is turning out to be a fantastic forum. Waves to GrannieG and Vonny. Its been ages since I posted on TP my name was lin1 Lin Dx T2 1994Now on Insulatard and Novorapid. 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Its been ages since I posted on TP my name was lin1 I remember you too @Ljc - lovely to "speak" again x Diagnosed with type 2 in April 2020Weight in April 2020 - 12st 10lb, BMI 32Current weight - 7st 7lb, BMI 20.6 Metformin reduced to 1 x 500 per day in Jan 2021HbA1c:Apr 20 - 76Jun 20 - 54Sep 20 - 37Jan 21 - 36Mar 21 - 36Oct 21 - 39 Aug 22 - 38Aug 24 - 40 eek!Cholesterol 4.7 - Simverstatin increased to 40mg Welcome GrannieG good you are getting checked. I think I recall pear drops, not sure if it relates to vision changes, but for sure high blood glucose can affect vision, but once blood glucose is back under control the vision readjusts so that is good news. Reduce carbs, exercise and metformin all helped to bring blood glucose down for me, plus with reduced carbs there is a healthy gradual weight loss. Total carbs is what to check for on back of packets (this includes sugars) and if you can keep carbs 30 - 45g per main meal to begin with and any snacks 10-12g carbs and under, you will begin to start to notice the difference, then you can reduce further 20 - 35g carbs per main meal to continue with the weigh loss and lowering blood glucose momentum.Best wishes for your blood results and ongoing management. Type 2 - HbA1c records; 55 mmol -- June 2017 controlling by diet and exercise. HbA1c 52mmol -- June 2018. May 2019 HbA1c 86 (13.4 mmol) after several months of high stress.8 May 2019 prescribed 500mg Metformin. 18 July HbA1C 65mmol meds 500mg Metformin twice daily. Reducing lower carbs intake, reduced portion size and exercise. HbA1C at Nov 2019 45mmol YayHbA1C at Nov 2020 51 mmol HbA1C at Dec 2021 58 mmolHbA1C at Aug 2023 60 mmol (to try for 55 mmol now)HbA1C at Aug 2024 106 mmol (Just plain naughty) Prescribed 10mg Empagliflozin and 500mg x3 metformin daily.HbA1C at Nov 2024 54 mmolHbA1C May 2025 56 mmol 10mg Empagliflozin 2 x Metformin daily It's absolutely and un-arguably an indication of ketones.@GrannieG - I hope you don't live alone? Reason I say this is with blood ketones - they are literally a killer so if you fall asleep when they haven't been treated, you might never wake up. Dietary ones aren't killers. Jenny Type 1 since 1972, pumping Novorapid In terms of undiagnosed diabetes the smell of pear drops is an indication of DKA, which is a serious condition and can be fatal if untreated.If caused by DKA the small of pear drops would usually be accompanied by other symptoms - the following link might be helpful for a fuller context; And would just re-iterate the point made by @everydayupsanddowns that if you experience any abdominal pain or vomiting then to seek medical support quickly. Although it is possible to get dietary or starvation ketones with or without diabetes these arent related to DKA so dont provoke the same concerns. Its reassuring that you have only had the one instance of that though and aside from the blurred vision (which can be caused by elevated bg) no other symptoms at present. This is very worrying, my daughter often smells of peardrops and she says I do too! She's not diabetic though. Dxxoo Type 2 since 5th February 2016 Meds: Amlodipine 10mg Bisoprolol recently increased to 10mg Levothyroxine sodium 50mcg Ramipril 10mg, a spoonful of Normacol fibre daily for Diverticulitis. but refusing Simvastin 40mg. Interesting: 'H G Wells had diabetes,[93] and was a co-founder in 1934 of The Diabetic Association (now Diabetes UK, the leading charity for people with diabetes in the UK.' Update. I`m delighted to say my blood test was fine and I am not diabetic. However this has been a big wake up call for me and my aim now is to lose weight and not put myself in this position again. I will take advantage of the dietary advice on this forum and use the meal plans as much as I can. Thank you for all the support I was given when I posted in a panic. This is a wonderful forum and I`m really grateful for all the replies I had pointing me in the right direction, diabetic or not. Stay well everyone. Fantastic news @GrannieG! I'm so pleased for you, and wish you all the best with losing weight. Keep me posted on how it's going xxx Diagnosed with type 2 in April 2020Weight in April 2020 - 12st 10lb, BMI 32Current weight - 7st 7lb, BMI 20.6 Metformin reduced to 1 x 500 per day in Jan 2021HbA1c:Apr 20 - 76Jun 20 - 54Sep 20 - 37Jan 21 - 36Mar 21 - 36Oct 21 - 39 Aug 22 - 38Aug 24 - 40 eek!Cholesterol 4.7 - Simverstatin increased to 40mg Thank you @Vonny I will keep you posted and wish you every success in your weight control too. 24 pounds since April is brilliant. I`ve lost 6 pounds since I first posted and will now have to be satisfied with a pound or two a week. I`m still morbidly obese so have a long haul ahead of me. Pleased to hear you have the "all clear" but are taking the opportunity to improve your lifestyle. There are lots of apps which will help you keep a food and exercise diary so on the straight and narrow. I use NutraCheck but I believe there are free ones which do much the same thing. It helped me get my weight and blood glucose down although I am nowsuffering the COVID-10 effect - 10 pounds back since lockdown, which I MUST address!!! Targets set: HbA1c

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