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| 1] | 53, 78 | 2] 22, 36 | 5 3] 12, 15 | 4] 246, 492 | 5] | 81, 87 | 6] 95, 96 | 7] 125 cm, 275 c | 2m 8] 80, 81, 82 |
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| 9] | 16m, 16m | , 18m | 10] 138, 140 | 11] 268, 269, | 270 | 12] | 15, 30, 20 | | |

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