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**Greetings to you from Ziac Software!!**

## **PAUL - The Oracle Octopus of FIFA Predictions!**



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The Octopus named Paul predicted correctly & continuously for six times in the FIFA 2010 football matches! This really made us scratch our heads to search on net to know more about the FIFA Octopus Paul, here is some more information useful which we may have missed.



Paul is believed to be hatched from an egg in January 2008 at England and currently living in a sea tank aquarium of Germany. His name derives from the title of a poem by the German children's writer Boy Lornsen. Sea Life Centres, commercial sea life themed exhibitors own the eight legged octopus, which is used to provide enthusiasm among visitors in their panoramic windows displaying the real sea life.

All in progress back in the European finals which took place in 2008. Paul the Octopus unexpectedly came into picture during that competition when someone showed that the Octopus can easily show who the winner is. The work process was, two transparent containers full of clams / mussels were lowered into his tank and both the containers had the team's national flag marked outside. The octopus used to open the lid of one and used to feed from it. The container from which he ate would be the team which would win the match.

It was simple and no one really knew how he did it. In the European Championship 2008, he was set to predict all of the German matches. He predicted them all correctly except two; the one against Croatia which Germany actually won and the match against Spain, which was the final and the Germans lost.

On July 12, 2010, Paul was retired from making predictions. Paul's owners stated that he will not do any further oracle predictions either in football or in politics instead move with his job to make the children laugh. He was rewarded with World Cup trophy replica garnished with his favourite food – mussels.



Octopus in India for our Cricket matches? Yeah, may be our BCCI or IPL committee may be planning to add on hype with an octopus or parrot to predict cricket match winners. Hmm...should we retain cheer leaders???

Let us not depend on the predictions, irrespective of the predictions we need to be positive, optimistic, build unexpected strategies, give out our best and prove not to depend on predictions or be superstitious.

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## General Work Characters based on Blood Group.

Blood Group	O	A	B	AB
<b>Work Performance</b>	Ability to concentrate vary from time to time, depending on aim	Perfectionist	Creative and possess new ideas	Able to handle a wide scope of jobs
	Mostly prefer to lead	Handle one thing at a time	Cannot differentiate between work and hobby	Value hard work
	Can overlook details	Work a line between work and personal affairs	Cannot take orders	Quick in understanding
		Highly responsible	Do not hesitate to introduce innovative changes and are not worried about their criticisms	Not highly responsible and unable to follow-up on a project until its completion
		Tend to choose hobbies which help them release stress		Tend to be artistic in approach

### Disclaimer

This is a data analysis info based on the study of Blood Groups; however they may differ from person to person. Ziac Softwares is not responsible for this forwarded message being shared with you all.

### Solution to last edition's Brain Teaser

Rupees Ninety Five is the difference! Ah! Ah!

### Brain Teaser

A LCV vehicle gets itself jammed underneath a bridge. It cannot manage to get itself out. What should the driver do to take out the vehicle?

### Thought for the Day!

"Superstition is our great enemy, but bigotry is worse."  
**Swami Vivekananda**

### Joke of the Day!

Interviewer to Millionaire: To whom do you owe your success as a millionaire?"  
Millionaire: "I owe everything to my wife."  
Interviewer: "Wow, What were you before you married her?"  
Millionaire: "A Billionaire"

## Information

### THE RUPEE SYMBOL



It is really exciting that finally our nation has its own currency symbol, just like Dollar (\$) or the Euro (€) or the Pound (£). The Cabinet finalised design for the Indian Rupee (₹).

It may take few more time for the symbol to enter into the PC world and keypads but thanks to Foradian Technologies to get the symbol on our systems without wastage of time. The font can be downloaded from <http://blog.foradian.com/rupee-font-version-20>. We can type ₹99,999 in MS Word or Excel with the rupee symbol.

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