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## PROBLEM OF THE MONTH

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There are 777 points located on a circle  $\omega$  each coloured into one of the colours  $1, 2, \dots, k$ . For each of these points and for each colour  $1 \leq r \leq k$  there exists an arc of  $\omega$  containing this point such that at least half of the points located on this arc are  $r$  coloured. Find the maximal possible value of  $k$ .