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*" Lucy in the Leap Year is a gentle book. Its events are uncontrived, its background is peopled by characters from unobtrusively assorted cultures, and it is subtly enlivened by Ken Searle's illustrations, some of which are unusually innovative and perceptive.*

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A Swedish pocket calendar from showing February 29 February calendar showing that was not a leap year February 29 is a date that usually occurs every four years, and is called leap day. This day is added to the calendar in leap years as a corrective measure, because the Earth does not orbit the sun in precisely days. The Gregorian calendar is a modification of the Julian calendar first used by the Romans. The Roman calendar originated as a lunisolar calendar and named many of its days after the syzygies of the moon: The Nonae or nones was not the first quarter moon but was exactly one nundina or Roman market week of nine days before the ides, inclusively counting the ides as the first of those nine days. This is what we would call a period of eight days. In , Ideler believed that the lunisolar calendar was abandoned about BC by the decemvirs , who implemented the Roman Republican calendar , used until 46 BC. The days of these calendars were counted down inclusively to the next named day, so February 24 was ante diem sextum Kalendas Martias "the sixth day before the calends of March" often abbreviated a. The Romans counted days inclusively in their calendars, so this was actually the fifth day before March 1 when counted in the modern exclusive manner not including the starting day. The remaining days of Februarius were dropped. This intercalary month, named Intercalaris or Mercedonius , contained 27 days. The religious festivals that were normally celebrated in the last five days of February were moved to the last five days of Intercalaris. Because only 22 or 23 days were effectively added, not a full lunation, the calends and ides of the Roman Republican calendar were no longer associated with the new moon and full moon. The Julian calendar, which was developed in 46 BC by Julius Caesar , and became effective in 45 BC, distributed an extra ten days among the months of the Roman Republican calendar. Caesar also replaced the intercalary month by a single intercalary day, located where the intercalary month used to be. To create the intercalary day, the existing ante diem sextum Kalendas Martias February 24 was doubled, producing ante diem bis sextum Kalendas Martias. Hence, the year containing the doubled day was a bissextile bis sextum, "twice sixth" year. For legal purposes, the two days of the bis sextum were considered to be a single day, with the second half being intercalated; but in common practice by , when Censorinus wrote, the intercalary day was followed by the last five days of February, a. Thus the intercalated day was effectively inserted between the 23rd and 24th days of February. All later writers, including Macrobius about , Bede in , and other medieval computists calculators of Easter , continued to state that the bissextum bissextile day occurred before the last five days of February. In the older Roman Missal , feast days falling on or after February 24 are celebrated one day later in leap year. Matthias shifting from February 23 to the leap day of February  Other feasts normally falling on February 25â€"28 in common years are also shifted to the following day in a leap year although they would be on the same day according to the Roman notation. The practice is still observed by those who use the older calendars. Synchronized calendars Bengali, Indian and Thai [ edit ] The Revised Bengali Calendar of Bangladesh and the Indian National Calendar organise their leap years so that the every leap day is close to a February 29 in the Gregorian calendar and vice versa. This makes it easy to convert dates to or from Gregorian. Julian, Coptic and Ethiopian calendars[ edit ] From AD 8 the Julian calendar received an extra day added to February in years that are multiples of 4. The Coptic calendar and Ethiopian calendar also add an extra day to the end of the year once every four years before a Julian day February. This rule gives an average year length of  However, it is 11 minutes longer than a tropical year. This means that the vernal equinox moves a day earlier in the calendar about every years. Revised Julian calendar[ edit ] The Revised Julian calendar adds an extra day to February in years that are multiples of four, except for years that are multiples of that do not leave a remainder of or when divided by  This rule agrees with the rule for the Gregorian calendar until  The first year that dates in the Revised Julian calendar will not agree with those in the Gregorian calendar will be , because it will be a leap year in the Gregorian calendar but not in the Revised Julian calendar. This is a very good approximation to the mean tropical year, but because the vernal equinox year is slightly longer, the Revised Julian calendar for the time being does not do as good a

job as the Gregorian calendar at keeping the vernal equinox on or close to March  Chinese calendar[ edit ] The Chinese calendar is lunisolar , so a leap year has an extra month, often called an embolismic month after the Greek word for it. In the Chinese calendar the leap month is added according to a rule which ensures that month 11 is always the month that contains the northern winter solstice. Hebrew calendar[ edit ] The Hebrew calendar is lunisolar with an embolismic month. According to the Metonic cycle , this is done seven times every nineteen years specifically, in years 3, 6, 8, 11, 14, 17, and  This is to ensure that Passover Pesah is always in the spring as required by the Torah Pentateuch in many verses [12] relating to Passover. In addition, the Hebrew calendar has postponement rules that postpone the start of the year by one or two days. These postponement rules reduce the number of different combinations of year length and starting days of the week from 28 to 14, and regulate the location of certain religious holidays in relation to the Sabbath. In particular, the first day of the Hebrew year can never be Sunday, Wednesday or Friday. Accordingly, the first day of Passover is never Monday, Wednesday or Friday. One reason for this rule is that Yom Kippur , the holiest day in the Hebrew calendar and the tenth day of the Hebrew year, now must never be adjacent to the weekly Sabbath which is Saturday , i. However, Yom Kippur can still be on Saturday. These rules for the Feasts do not apply to the years from the Creation to the deliverance of the Hebrews from Egypt under Moses. It was at that time cf. Exodus 13 that the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob gave the Hebrews their "Law" including the days to be kept holy and the feast days and Sabbaths. Years consisting of 12 months have between and days. In a chaser "lacking" year, the month of Kislev is reduced to 29 days. In a malei "filled" year, the month of Marcheshvan is increased to 30 days. Islamic calendar[ edit ] The observed and calculated versions of the Islamic calendar do not have regular leap days, even though both have lunar months containing 29 or 30 days, generally in alternating order. However, the tabular Islamic calendar used by Islamic astronomers during the Middle Ages and still used by some Muslims does have a regular leap day added to the last month of the lunar year in 11 years of a year cycle. It is the month in which the sun is in the same sign of the stellar zodiac on two consecutive dark moons. Adhika maas occurs once every 33 to 34 months, compensating for the approximately eleven fewer days per year in twelve lunar months than the solar calendar. Thus, Hindu festivals tend to occur within a given span of the Gregorian calendar. Buddhist calendars in several related forms each a simplified version of the Hindu calendar are used on mainland Southeast Asia in the countries of Cambodia , Laos , Thailand , Myanmar formerly Burma and Sri Lanka. All the official work is done based on this calendar. The calendar followed in some parts of South India mainly in Tamil Nadu is solar. It has a leap year every four years. A period of "Intercalary Days", called Ayyam-i-Ha , are inserted before the 19th month. This period normally has 4 days, but an extra day is added when needed to ensure that the following year starts on the vernal equinox. This is calculated and known years in advance. Solar Hijri calendar[ edit ] Main article: Solar Hijri calendar The Iranian calendar is an observational calendar that starts on the spring equinox and adds a single intercalated day to the last month Esfand once every four or five years; the first leap year occurs as the fifth year of the typical year cycle and the remaining leap years occur every four years through the remainder of the year cycle. The system used is more accurate and more complicated, and is based on the time of the March equinox as observed from Tehran. The year period is not completely regular; every so often the year cycle will be broken by a cycle of 29 years. In Ireland and Britain, it is a tradition that women may propose marriage only in leap years. While it has been claimed that the tradition was initiated by Saint Patrick or Brigid of Kildare in 5th century Ireland, this is dubious, as the tradition has not been attested before the 19th century. Women looking to take advantage of their opportunity to pitch woo were expected to wear a scarlet petticoat â€" fair warning, if you will. In Greece, marriage in a leap year is considered unlucky. Women anxiously awaiting January 1 Histrionically preparing Birthdays[ edit ] A person born on February 29 may be called a "leapling" or a "leaper". In some situations, March 1 is used as the birthday in a non-leap year, since it is the day following February  Technically, a leapling will have fewer birthday anniversaries than their age in years. This phenomenon is exploited when a person claims to be only a quarter of their actual age, by counting their leap-year birthday anniversaries only: For legal purposes, legal birthdays depend on how local laws count time intervals. If a period fixed by weeks, months, and years does not commence from the beginning of a week, month, or year, it ends with the ending of the day which precedes the day of the last

week, month, or year which corresponds to that on which it began to commence. But if there is no corresponding day in the last month, the period ends with the ending of the last day of the last month. Where a person has been born on February 29 in a leap year, the relevant anniversary in any year other than a leap year shall be taken to be March 1. This section shall apply only where the relevant anniversary falls on a date after the date of commencement of this Ordinance.

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