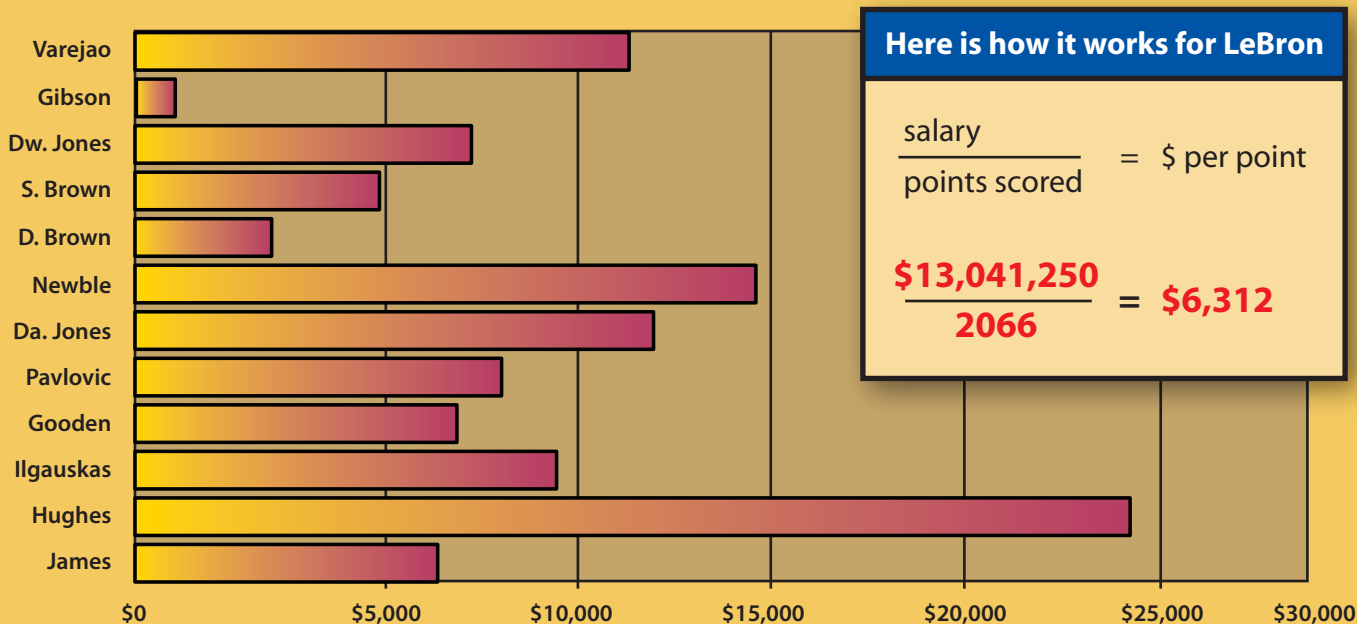


# Who Gives The Most **BANG** For The Buck?

We all know who the star of the team is. It's the one who has been crowned King James. Take a look at the graph. LeBron James makes over \$13 million this year. That means he gets paid over \$6,000 for every point he scores.

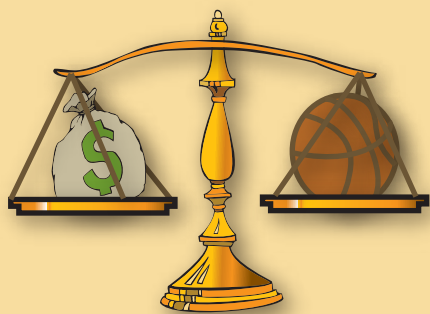


**Here is how it works for LeBron**

$$\frac{\text{salary}}{\text{points scored}} = \$ \text{ per point}$$

$$\frac{\$13,041,250}{2066} = \$6,312$$

**\$ Paid for Each Point Scored**  
 These numbers are projected for the entire 2007-2008 season



- Which player is the best deal? Why?
- If you played on a school team and averaged 8 points a game, estimate how much would you make during an average game if you made as much per point as LeBron?
- Approximately how much would you make if you played a 14 game season?
- How could Hughes' graph become more like LeBron's?