



December 2017

Answer Sheet

Welcome to Puzzled Pint!

Tonight your packet contains four puzzles. Each puzzle will somehow solve to a short word or phrase. If you're joining us for the first time tonight, please read our Puzzling Basics page by going to <http://www.puzzledpint.com/basics> or by scanning the QR code. Note the **"How to solve"** section that discusses puzzle techniques like indexing and using the code sheet, which should have been provided to you along with your packet.



Puzzling Basics

Puzzled Pint is **not a competitive** event. We encourage you to **ask Game Control (GC) for hints as often as you'd like**. Our goal is for you to have fun, not to be frustrated!

While we like to theme our puzzle sets, most puzzles do not require special knowledge of the theme to solve them. Still, using the internet is completely allowed and even expected for some puzzles.

When you've solved all four puzzles, confirm your answers with GC, and you'll get the final meta-puzzle, which requires the previous puzzle answers to solve.

When you're all finished, please **return this answer sheet to Game Control**, along with your code sheet and any borrowed items like pencils, tape, or scissors. Returning your answer sheet with an accurate count of your team size will allow us to make sure that we have enough space for everyone at our venues in future months and that we have enough puzzle packets available. Additionally, you'll be able to see how your time ranks relative to other teams worldwide on our web site.

To provide any feedback on your experience tonight, please visit <http://www.puzzledpint.com/feedback>

Thanks, and we sincerely hope you enjoy your evening! — *Puzzled Pint GC*

Team Name: _____ Team Size: _____

Start Time: _____ End Time: _____

NOTE: Answers may be proper nouns. Check with GC to confirm your answers!

It's Just Dinner _____

Ancient Runes _____

Spy Newspaper _____

The Enigma Machine _____

The Secret Message (Meta) _____

Question of the Month

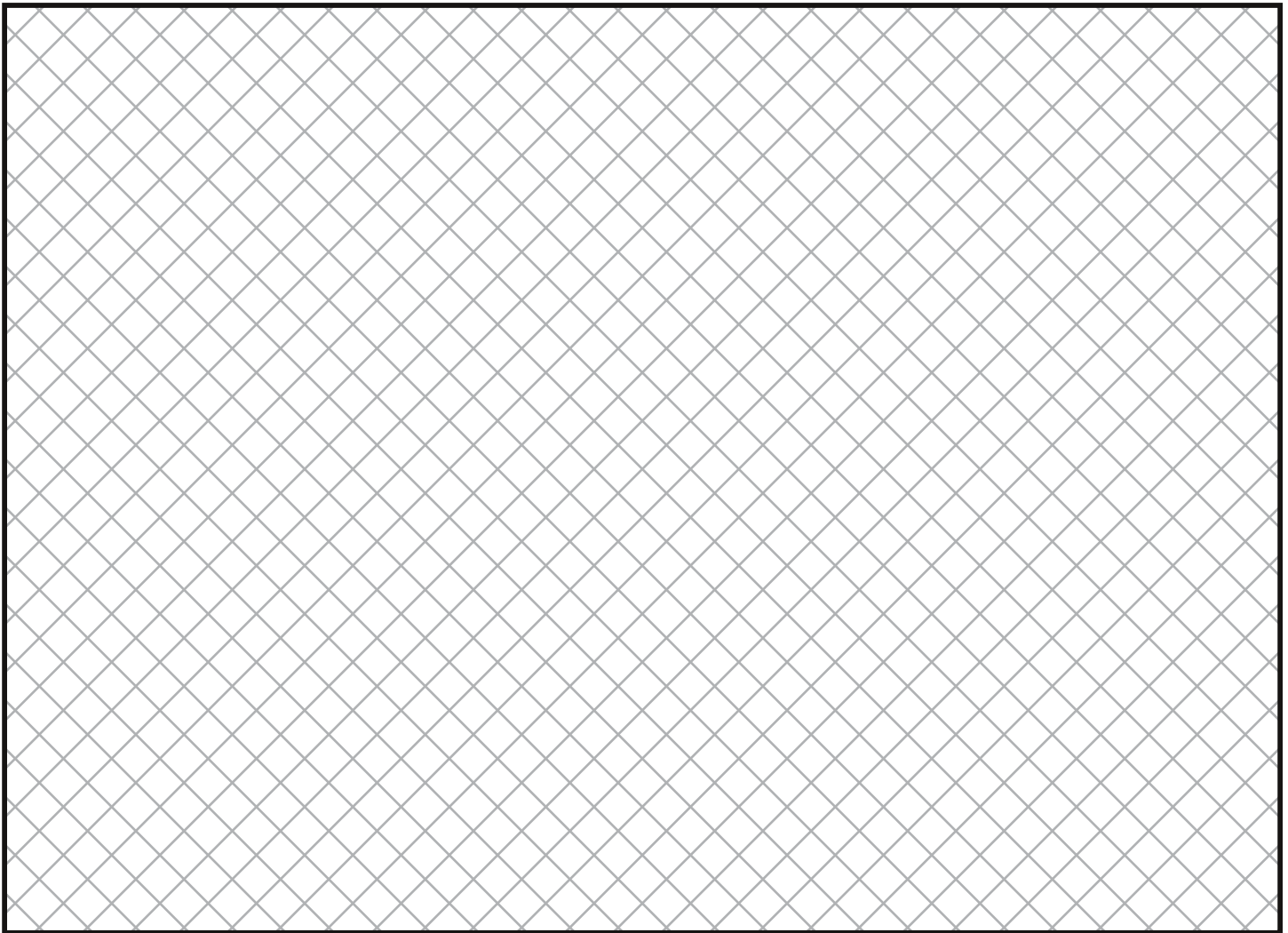
What one thing can we do to improve Puzzled Pint? _____

It's Just Dinner



Vera Atkins, the world's greatest secret agent, stares at you from across the dinner table. She's hidden a message for you in the tableware. Perhaps it's the secret ingredient in tonight's meal?

Carefully cut out each of the 12 items and arrange them onto the table below. Keep like objects together and carefully note the level of the champagne; you don't want to spill it!





Ancient Runes



The oldest known use of a cipher was carved into a wall of a tomb in Egypt nearly 4,000 years ago. Consider this tablet of runes written in an ancient language. You will need to see past obscuring connections to decode the true meaning of each rune. Once you can read them, search for the translation using modern equipment. *NOTE: The letters K, M, and U do not appear.*



Google this exact phrase of four non-English words together to find their 6-letter abbreviation that is the final answer: _____

In the cold war, newspapers were used to broadcast messages to covert agents.

Find one letter per article, then put them in the correct order to get a French name.

A new world record was made yesterday when the Flagstaff cheerleading team made the tallest human pyramid in history. Head cheerleader Seema Phor made a perfectly triangular top of the pyramid with her arms. Our hometown team has only managed the fifth largest.

Tonight's third double-feature with Arnold Schwarzenegger dragged on and was somewhat aggravating. The action movie Juggernaut may have egg on his face for this one. Though, we did like the Loggins soundtrack.

On this sad day in May in 1955, five soldiers from the 8th brigade gave their lives. We remember their sacrifice five days from now in the Pentacostal church.

Radioactive waste resulting in sickness runs rampant in rivers in the seventh regional district. Rueful directors report that clean up remains a challenge.

The city's second oldest park is in danger of shutting down. Letter writing campaigns have not seemed to help. Is this the last we'll see of the cultural icon? I don't know.

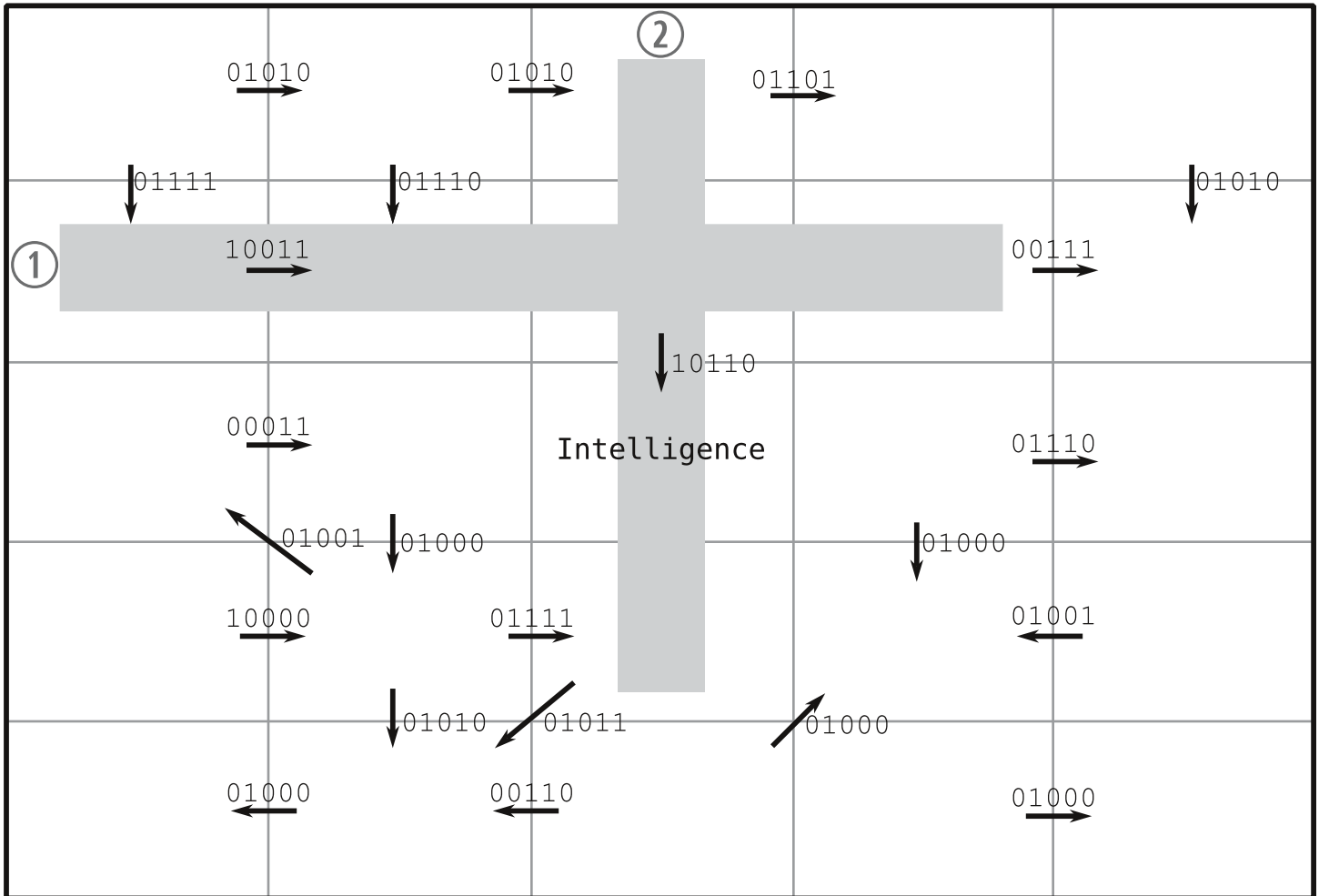
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For the sixth time this year, the FBI found that papers were using steganography to hide secret messages to KGB agents. Luckily, we'd never do that here at our paper.

The Enigma Machine

The Enigma machines were among the first cipher machines ever built. They played an important part in encrypting German communications in WWII. Assemble your own Enigma machine using the computer components below to reveal something you should always do. *Total bandwidths among components have already been provided.*



Components

Artificial	Java	Script
Board	Key	Tube
Compression	Language	USB
Drive	Microsoft	Vacuum
Extension	NAND	Windows
File	OS	X
Gate	Programming	You
Hard	Registry	Zip