



March 2022 – Internet shopping Answer Sheet

Welcome to Puzzled Pint!

Tonight

- We're here to help! This is not a competitive event. Ask the Game Control volunteers (GC) for hints as often as you'd like. The goal is to have fun, not to be frustrated!
- You can find complete information about this puzzle set online at: <http://puzzledpint.com>
 - Go to the location page there to find out if your location is running virtually and how to contact your local GC.
 - Look there for online remote solving tools for remote teams, like google-sheets and answer checkers.
- How did tonight go? Email us at Feedback@puzzledpint.com or fill out a brief survey at this QR code link ----->



The Puzzles

- Each puzzle's solution will be a short word or phrase. How do you find it? That's for you to discover!
- Need a code sheet or solving resources? Check out the Resources page on Puzzled Pint's webpage: <http://www.puzzledpint.com/resources/>
- You can use anything to help solve: Use your phone; the internet is fair game! Think your brother might have an insight? Give him a call!
- While each month has a theme, you need no special knowledge of the theme to solve.

About Puzzled Pint

- We're an all-volunteer organization.
- Help us run locally: Talk with Game Control about how you can volunteer.
- Help us run globally: <https://www.patreon.com/PuzzledPint>.

Team Name: _____ **Start Time:** _____

Team Size: _____ **End Time:** _____

Puzzle Answers	
One Size Fits All	
Batteries Not Included	
Some Assembly May Be Required	
Product Customisation	
Meta: Disclaimers	
Bonus: Contents May Settle During Transit	

One Size Fits All



One problem with online shopping is that it can be hard to get a sense of scale from only looking at a photo of the product. Here's a bunch of things I bought, but some of them turned out to be way bigger than I expected, and some of them are tiny!

Perhaps you could help me **group similar-sized items together** and then **label each group**?

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|------------|--------------|-----------|
| Bar | Fry | Picture |
| Britain | Golf | Potatoes |
| Brother | Gravity | Ship |
| Calculator | Handkerchief | Skirt |
| Canyon | Intestine | Sum |
| Dane | Master | Tale |
| Depression | Order | Tolerance |
| Dipper | Piano | Watch |

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What did I really want? Something that was...

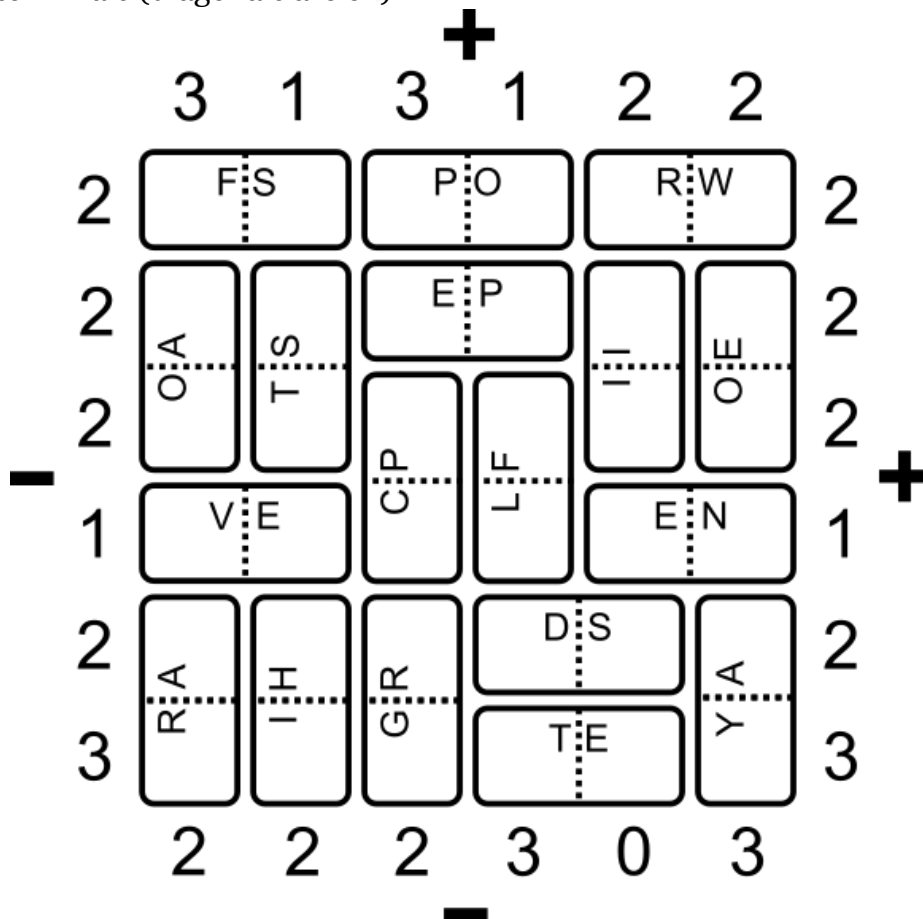
_____ - _____

Batteries Not Included



The power requirements for this product are very complicated: inside the battery compartment there are many slots, and batteries must be inserted into the correct slots, with the correct orientation, according to the following rules:

- Every battery has a positive (+) and a negative (-) terminal
- Batteries must be inserted into the slots shown below, so that:
 - The number of + terminals in each row/column equals the total printed at the right/above
 - The number of - terminals in each row/column equals the total printed at the left/below
- Not all slots need to be filled! Only insert enough batteries to provide the exact power stated for each row/column
- Batteries may be placed in adjacent cells, but positive terminals cannot be placed next to other positive terminals, and negative terminals cannot be next to other negative terminals (diagonals are ok)



What's the problem with these batteries? They're all...



Some Assembly May Be Required



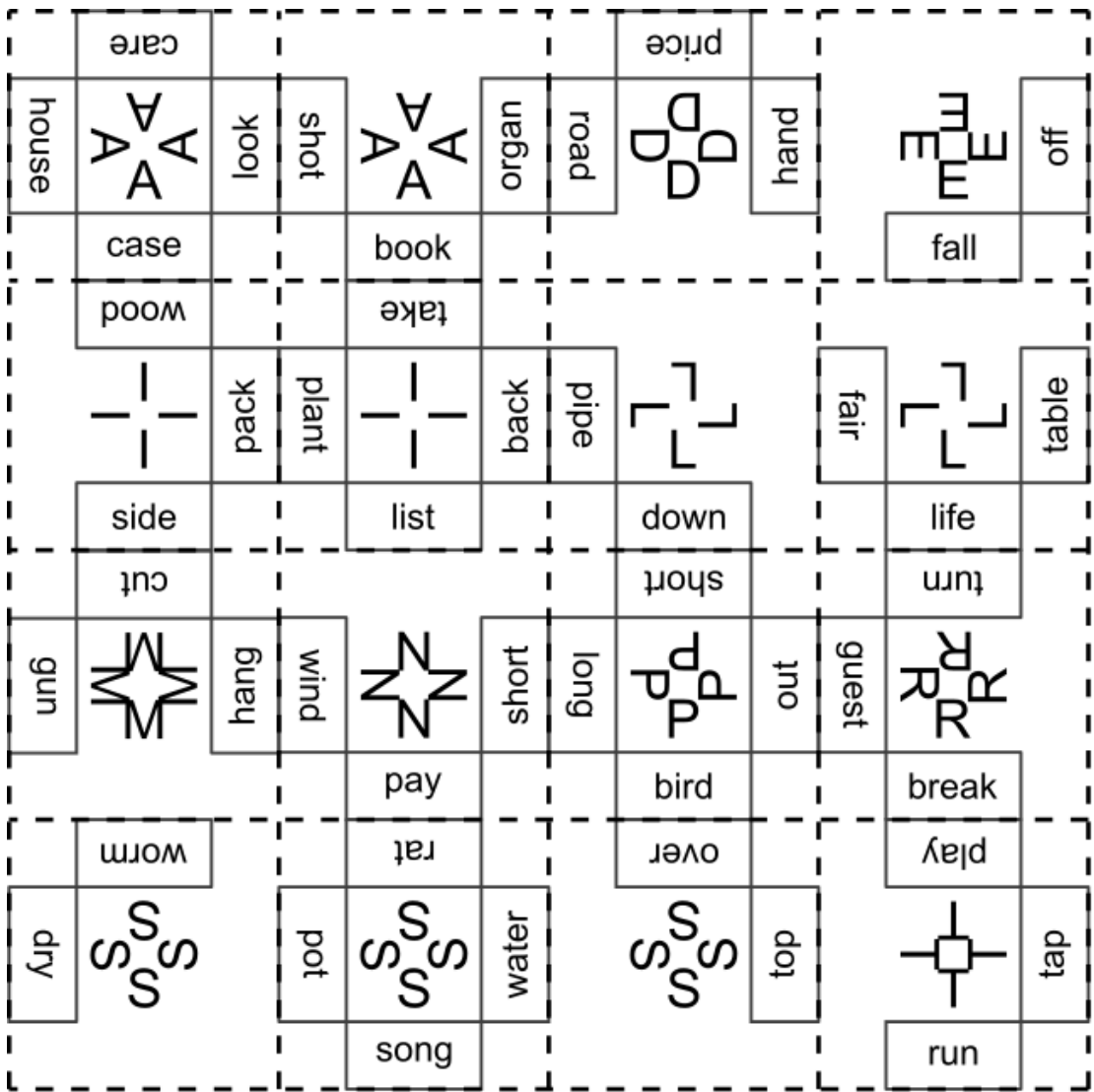
This product was delivered in pieces that need putting together: fortunately, each piece has labelled connectors on the sides. The only instructions provided are as follows:

Step 1: Cut out the square pieces (× 16)

Step 2: Assemble into a 4 × 4 grid

IMPORTANT!!! Rotate and position the pieces as required to ensure touching connectors **fit together from both directions**. Sometimes it may seem that there are several possible connectors that can be joined together, but there is only one correct way that the complete product can be assembled.

CAUTION: There are _____



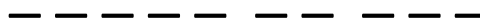


Sometimes items are advertised as being available in various “styles”, but they’re really just a fancy way of describing different colours.

Item	Description
1	Warning sign (4) + U.S. residency permit (4) + Reliable company (4)
2	Having extremely high temperature (3)
3	Floor covering for VIPs (6) + Technical drawing (5)
4	Hot caffeinated drink from East Asia (3)
5	Vegetable retailer (6)
6	Unwanted effect of camera flash (3)
7	Meaningless distraction (7) + Anti-oxidising fruit popular in muffins (5)
8	Overtly manly (7) + World's largest island (4)
9	Give the go-ahead (5) + Wireless communication interface (5)
10	Caught in the act (6) + Commando (5)
11	Memorable occasion (6,3) + Manual work (6)
12	Lettuce-based side dish (5)
13	Common type of star (5) + Eco-friendly sources of power (6)
14	Fish of the <i>Lutjanidae</i> family (7)
15	Embarrassed (5) + Place for actors to prepare (4)
16	Area of preserved natural landscape (4)
17	Warning that an attack is imminent (5) + Award for outstanding quality (6)
18	Stilton, Roquefort, or Gorgonzola (6)
19	How Mars is sometimes known (6)
20	Spiderman’s archenemy (6)

Styles Available	Item																				
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
“Flame”																					
“Forest”																					
“Ocean”																					

I can’t really see any difference between them, but I guess that depends on your...





Buyers should always carefully check any conditions or disclaimers before purchasing online, as some sellers will try to **arrange terms** to avoid any liability that may arise. For example:

When you buy a product that turns out to be “_____ - _____” but it had been portrayed otherwise, a seller might claim the picture was:

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If something is provided “_____” be aware that you might not be protected as a buyer, since there was:

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Parents should exercise care for products that have “_____”, and be sure to heed the warning to:

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When a product’s “_____” appears different in real life than it did on the website, take note of the statement that:

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Terms

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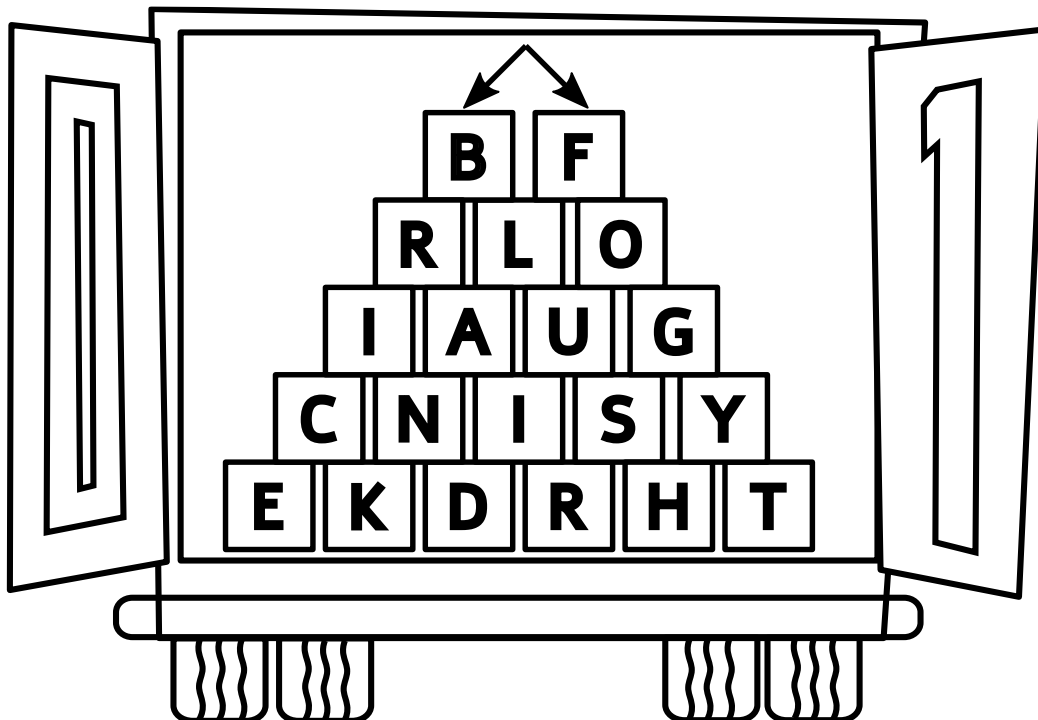
To be honest, I just want to send these goods back to the seller and ask for a refund. Unfortunately, I’ve realised that it’s...

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Once you've placed an order, it's down to the logistics network to deliver your goods. Unfortunately, items can get damaged by rough handling and being jiggled about during transportation. Take a look at the parcels in the lorry below – the driver is swerving so much that parcels at the top are falling to the bottom, with ones getting thrown to the right while others are sent to the left!

- Unmarked
- Trade name
- Building block
- Side of an animal
- Become red in the face
- Decorative woven material or hair
- The extreme edge (of disaster)
- Lacking flavour, plain
- Liquid or gas
- Stylishness



I just hope that, unlike these deliveries, my order doesn't arrive in a ...
