

Puzzle 4

Condylarth Puzzle

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Abstract

We present the Mastermind theorem, a result that allows the breaking of secret codes used by evil supervillains. This research is based on the involvement of the author, when she came across various of these codes while foiling several world-domination schemes. Careful analysis of the patterns involved yields the results presented here.

Group A

Old couple in their own Roald Dahl book	_____
	(1-3)
Tax feudally	_____
	(2-1)
Khan's titled object	_____
	(2-0)
Locations on a web	_____
	(2-0)

Group B

Ballets of Spring	_____
	(3-0)
Preference	_____
	(0-3)
Worth	_____
	(1-1)
Unbending	_____
	(0-0)

Group C

Patchwork _____
(2-0)

Sixties dance the Beatles want you to do while shouting _____
(2-0)

S-shaped _____
(2-0)

Flies' shell _____
(2-0)

Group D

Impudent _____
(2-0)

This word is like a red herring. _____
(0-2)

Repeat an ending syllable _____
(0-1)

Eagle's nest _____
(0-0)

Group E

Homes for dead people _____
(0-2)

Royal tenure _____
(0-2)

A swiss army knife has lots _____
(1-1)

Fork prongs _____
(0-0)

Group F

The sin of hanging around	_____
	(1-1)
A chorister's instrument	_____
	(1-1)
Succeed at fishing	_____
	(1-0)
Like accents or split pea soup	_____
	(0-0)

Group G

Strong, as a drea	_____
	(1-1)
“Truly ----- Deeply	_____
	(1-1)
Command-Z'ed	_____
	(0-0)
Cozy	_____
	(0-0)

Group H

One less than an iota	_____
	(0-1)
Yellows that scramble	_____
	(0-0)
Vacillate	_____
	(0-0)
Our closest relative	_____
	(0-0)

