



# Burt Macklin: FBI

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Macklin! You've got to help me. Petrov has broken into my home and taken everything. He stole my rubies, along with the blueprints to my mansion! Without the blueprints, I can't even find my way around here anymore.

Here's what I remember, though: Snakehole Manor is made up of nine rooms on a 6x6 grid. Each room occupies 4 squares, and is labeled with a word that runs through those squares from one end to another. Furthermore, each row of the mansion also spells something.

F	E	A	R
I	R	O	N
S	H	O	D

My sister lives in a much smaller mansion, whose blueprints are shown above. It has three rooms (FISH, EARN, and DOOR), and three rows (FEAR, IRON, and SHOD).

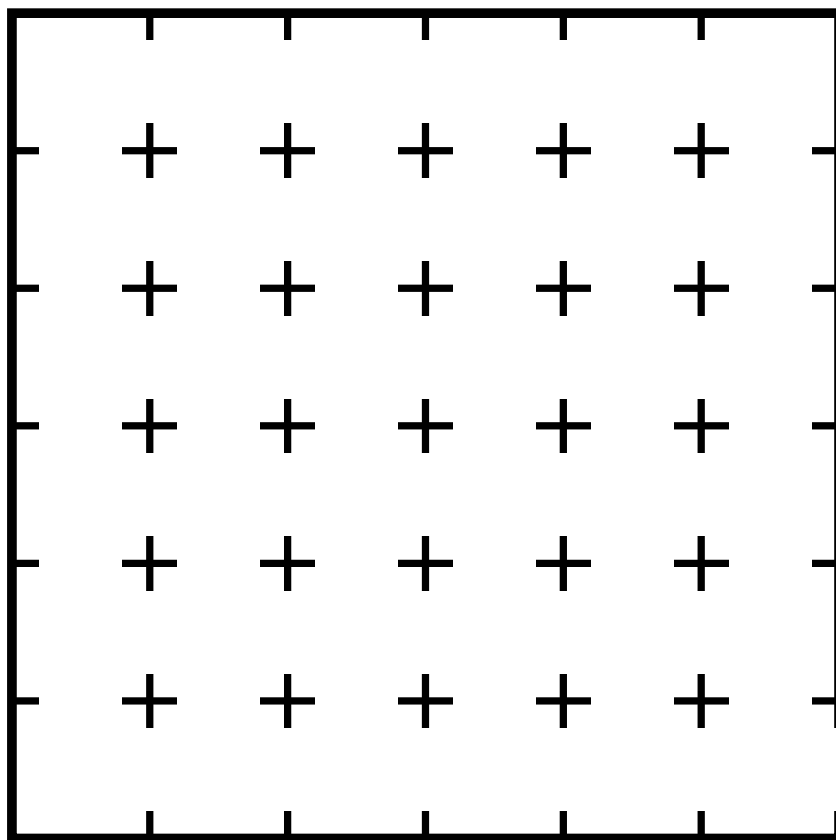
Fortunately, Petrov left behind a few clues:

### Rows

1. Blocked, as a river
2. Spoken
3. *Saturday Night Live* alumna Rachel
4. "Fine, then." (3 words)
5. View (2 words)
6. Introduction from a police officer (3 words)

### Rooms

- Hairless
- Tunnel
- "Bye!", in Bologna
- VHS successors
- Austen title heroine
- URL beginning
- Apple's desktop
- \_\_\_\_-Aid (drink mix)
- Evaluate



Macklin, there's only one way to stop him: recreate the blueprints, then search my mansion. Starting from the entrance in the southeast corner, visit all nine rooms along the shortest possible path. It may be too late to recover the jewels, but perhaps you can find out what he stole from the kitchen.