



ANSWER SHEET

Puzzles: the final frontier. These are the voyages of the starship Puzzled Pint. Your ongoing mission: to explore strange new flavortext, to seek out new codes and new hidden messages, to boldly solve what no one has solved before!

Welcome to Puzzled Pint!

BASICS



Tonight your packet contains four(4) puzzles. Each puzzle will solve to a **word, short phrase, or name**. If you're joining us for the first time, please read the "**Puzzling Basics**" introduction page by visiting <http://www.puzzledpint.com/basics> or by scanning the QR code to the left. Note the "**How to solve**" section that discusses techniques like indexing and using the **code sheet**, which should have been provided along with your packet.

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, we generally do not require any special knowledge of the theme to solve the puzzles. Use of the internet is thus completely allowed and even expected for occasional trivia lookups.

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.

If you'd like to provide any feedback on your experience tonight, please e-mail: gamecontrol@puzzledpint.com

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

THIS IS

Team Name: _____ **Team Size:** _____

Start Time: _____ **End Time:** _____

NOT A

CLUE

The Trouble With Tribbles: _____

Make It So: _____

Wormhole Alien Vision: _____

Number Theory: _____

(META) The Final Frontier: _____





“ THE TROUBLE WITH TRIBBLES ”

Ensign, there's been a **mix-up** and these Captain's Log entries never got summary titles. Review them and determine the correct title for each. Especially note any alien *species* involved. Remember, a stardate is DECIMALS followed by an hour. When you're finished, figure out who is responsible for all this!

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(Note: No Star Trek specific knowledge is required for this puzzle)

99 PROBLEMS

- Captain's Log Stardate 0914.1 — We've been asked to escort **Susf**, the *beautiful* daughter of First Minister *Vulp*, back to her home planet.
- Captain's Log Stardate 0405.1 — The pact between the new **Rywor** settlements and the *lone Lup* colony is in jeopardy of being torn apart!
- Captain's Log Stardate 2408.7 — We're on our way to **Camp Itloonic** where Chief Medical Officer *Cancr* has insisted we stop for some shore leave, because the whole crew seems to be very *irritated*.
- Captain's Log Stardate 1521.7 — I'm to be awarded the honor of a **Crios Button** from an ambassador of a *wise* race called the *Strig*.
- Captain's Log Stardate 1820.1 — We've been *meandering* our way through deep space for days searching for a stolen **Festri** spaceship that the infamous criminal *Colubr* has stolen.
- Captain's Log Stardate 0805.2 — We're exploring ancient **Yonancean** architecture. My chief engineer tells me they use *Formic* bonds, which allow them to *hold many times their own weight*. Amazing!
- Captain's Log Stardate 1401.8 — While answering a distress call from the starship **La Ghelcen**, we're not sure what to do about her Captain *Bov*. He's speaking in *utter* nonsense!
- Captain's Log Stardate 0404.6 — Crewman **Plomber** and Lieutenant *Porc* have decided to get married. She's a great cook, so I hope he doesn't get too *fat*!
- Captain's Log Stardate 1205.9 — We had a moment of *sheer* terror when the **Siota Unit** overloaded in our warp core. Chief Engineer *Ov* fell asleep at his console!
- Captain's Log Stardate 0719.3 — The famous comedy duo **Freig** the earthling & *Anser* the alien have beamed aboard. I hope the crew enjoys their *silliness*.

The _____
With _____

BUT ALIENS

AIN'T ONE



“ MAKE IT SO ”

Wesley Crusher's Personal Log: Captain Picard rarely listens fully to the requests of a young bridge cadet like me. When he's not saying "Shut up, Wesley," he's just going around saying "make it so" with little regard to what I am asking. He does it even in the middle of my sentence without paying any attention. I can't deal with him being short with me all the time, even during my scientific endeavors. Here are some voice transcripts from previous missions to show it. I wonder what his problem is?

SO

CAPTAIN, ROMULANS! SHOULD I HIT THE SONERAL ALASO? WE NEED TO GET SOYONE WSOETHIN THE CORRIDORS, INCLUDING HSOANS, TO TAKE COVER!

CAPTAIN, SHOULD WE TRANSPORT THE DETAISOD ALIENS WE CAPTURED TO THE MAXIMUM SECURITY PRISSO PLANET?

CAPTAIN, SHOULD I SCAN NEUTSOL SPACE FOR ENEMIES? IF NOT I CAN TELL THE SOAGNOSTICS TEAM TO RESSOE THE TESTS THEY HALTED.

SO

CAPTAIN, I NEED TO DEACSOVATE THE ARRAY THAT WAS MISSOKENLY INFILTRATED WITH ORGASOSMS BEFORE WE JSOP TO WARP SPEED.

SO

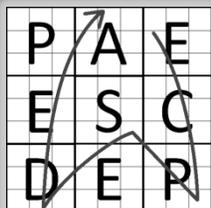
CAPTAIN, THE CLIMATE IS BECOMING TSOIC! I AM AFRAID BASIC ANTISEPTIC AND WATER HSOIENE ISN'T GOING TO BE SOOUGH THIS TIME. SHOULD I START THE ENVIRONMENTAL SWEEP?

CAPTAIN, THE USOTED FEDERATION OF PLANETS SOEATY STATES THAT BIOLSOY BASED WEAPONS MAY NEVER BE SOGAGED. SHOULD I STAND DOWN THE WEAPONS?

CAPTAIN, WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO RESOIN COMMUNICATIONS WITH OUR LONGTIME ASOIES IF WE TRY VARIOUS MEDSOMS TO RELAY OUR SOESSAGES. DO I HAVE YOUR PERMISSION TO PROCEED?

CAPTAIN, A SSOERICALLY SHAPED COLSOSAL OBJECT IS MORSOING INTO A SSOT OF IMPERVIOSO STARSHIP. SHOULD WE FIRE BACK?

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“ WORMHOLE ALIEN VISION ”

Those finicky wormhole aliens are at it again. They’re threatening to close the wormhole permanently if they don’t get what they want, but they’re being mysterious about what that actually is. They sent Commander Sisko on a vision quest, but he *couldn’t* see what they were getting at. Just when he was starting to understand what they were asking for, he awoke from the vision and shouted, “Nuts!”

Fill in the grid below so that all 9 letters in DEEP SPACE appear once in each row, column, and 3x3 sub-grid. After you have filled in the grid, use the wormhole map to the left to *get a feel* for what the aliens want and also the *order* Sisko should use to tell the Deep Space 9 crew what to send into the wormhole...

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P				A	C		S	E

“ NUMBER THEORY ”

Some kind of subspace anomaly is affecting the main computer display! The bio-neural gel packs that identify incoming sensor readings have been scrambled. Turn *on* the *primary* Boolean logic cells in each row of backup isolinear chips below to find out who or what is behind this unusual interference.

2357

1113

1719

19	21	37	75	63
84	41	57	25	93
32	20	11	12	23
69	27	88	47	16
46	13	67	89	31
29	45	51	73	39
99	81	43	97	17