

# Alphabet Echo

In the grid, each letter of the alphabet appears twice and there are four blanks. Neither the same nor any two consecutive letters of the alphabet appear in the same row, column or diagonal. A and Z are not treated as consecutive in this puzzle. Beside each row and column appear two numbers; the black number shows how

many vowels appear in that row or column and the red number shows how many letters are in the first half of the alphabet ie A-M. Using the additional clues below, can you complete the grid?

## Letters which are repeated

- In the first four rows **H, O, R, T, Y**
- In the last four rows **C, G, I, N, Q, X**
- In the first four columns **B, H, S, U, W, Z**
- In the last four columns **D, J, T, V, Y**
- In successive rows **C, E, N, O, Q, S, T, Y**
- In successive columns **J, W, Z**

All blanks are in different rows and columns; all four are immediately below letters in the second half of the alphabet.

HEN and LEG can be seen running vertically, either up or down, and MAG reads diagonally upwards. Both K's are diagonally adjacent to and below an M.



	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>		
<b>1</b>								<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>2</b>								<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>3</b>								<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>4</b>								<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>5</b>								<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>6</b>								<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>7</b>								<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>8</b>								<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>
	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>		
	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>		

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I	K	C	U	P	X	G
A	J	M	P	Z	C	O
O	V	X	D	T	N	I
G	N	G	S	M	E	B
			V	P	E	S
L	A	R	J	R	V	U
	D	M	T	K	F	O
L	O	R	T	M	Z	M