



**T**apa  
**V**ariations  
**C**ontest

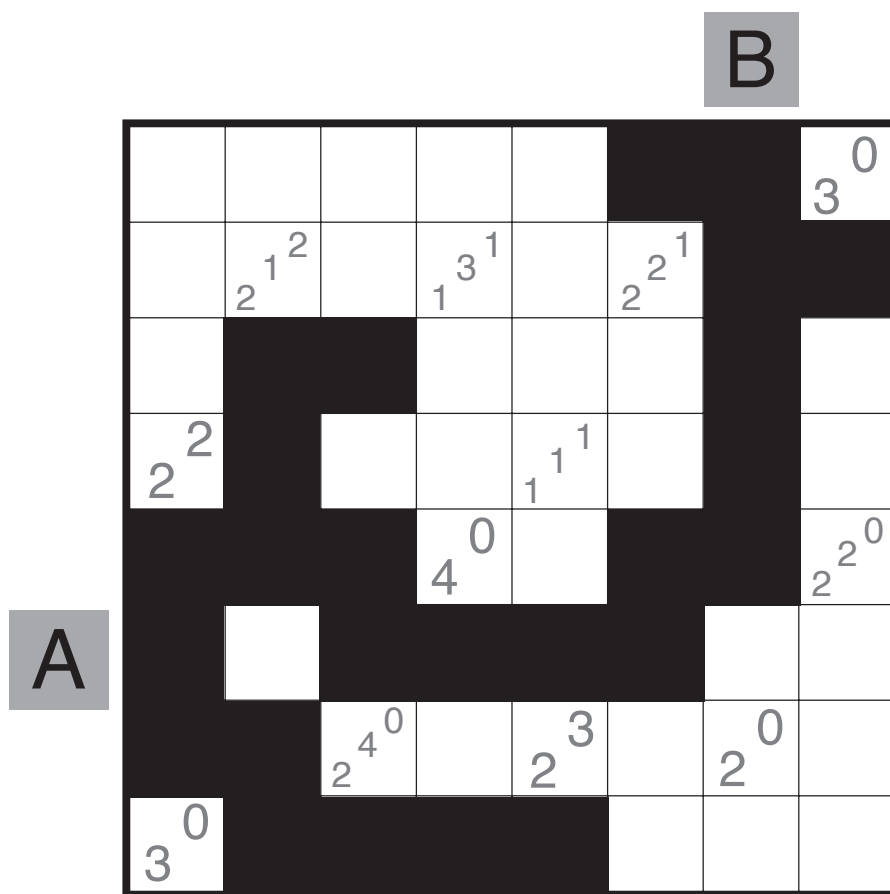
**June**  
**week 2**

**TVC XXII**

**2021/06/25-30**

**SOLUTIONS**

1. Power of Tapa - Hatice Esra Aydemir (38)



Answer Entry: 14, 5

2. Tapa Rundweg - Fatih Kamer Anda (57 + 51)

			<b>B</b>		<b>C</b>	
			3	3		1
	6		2			
2				4		3
	5		4			2
2			4			3
2		1				1
<b>A</b>				6		2
	3		2	2		

Answer Entry: 11, 23, 21

							<b>C</b>	
<b>A</b>				2	2		2	3
		5						
				1			4	
<b>B</b>				2				
					3			
		5			2			
							5	
	1	2		3	3			

Answer Entry: 7, 11, 7

3. Mad Max Tapa - Hatice Esra Aydemir (7 + 17)

	2							3
A			8			8		
				2 <sub>2</sub> 1				
				2 <sub>2</sub>				
B		6				6		
	2							1 <sub>1</sub>

Answer Entry: 3112, 1111

							2	
			3 <sub>2</sub>					
A	1							1
							4 <sub>2</sub>	
			2					

Answer Entry: 6, 31, 13

4. Tapa Pentopool - Fatih Kamer Anda (91)

A 10x10 Tapa Pentopool grid with black cells forming a pattern. Clues are placed in grey boxes:

- Row 1: Clue C (1-3), Clue D (4-6), Clue D (7-8)
- Row 2: Clue A (1-2), Clue A (3-4), Clue A (5-7), Clue A (8-9)
- Row 3: Clue A (1-2), Clue A (3-4), Clue A (5-7), Clue A (8-9)
- Row 4: Clue A (1-2), Clue A (3-4), Clue A (5-7), Clue A (8-9)
- Row 5: Clue B (1-2), Clue B (3-4), Clue B (5-7), Clue B (8-9)
- Row 6: Clue B (1-2), Clue B (3-4), Clue B (5-7), Clue B (8-9)
- Row 7: Clue B (1-2), Clue B (3-4), Clue B (5-7), Clue B (8-9)
- Row 8: Clue B (1-2), Clue B (3-4), Clue B (5-7), Clue B (8-9)
- Row 9: Clue B (1-2), Clue B (3-4), Clue B (5-7), Clue B (8-9)
- Row 10: Clue B (1-2), Clue B (3-4), Clue B (5-7), Clue B (8-9)

Answer Entry: 132, 27, 121, 212

A 10x10 Tapa Pentopool grid with black cells forming a pattern. Clues are placed in grey boxes:

- Row 1: Clue G (1-5), Clue H (6-8)
- Row 2: Clue G (1-5), Clue H (6-8)
- Row 3: Clue E (1-2), Clue E (3-4), Clue E (5-7), Clue E (8-9)
- Row 4: Clue E (1-2), Clue E (3-4), Clue E (5-7), Clue E (8-9)
- Row 5: Clue E (1-2), Clue E (3-4), Clue E (5-7), Clue E (8-9)
- Row 6: Clue F (1-2), Clue F (3-4), Clue F (5-7), Clue F (8-9)
- Row 7: Clue F (1-2), Clue F (3-4), Clue F (5-7), Clue F (8-9)
- Row 8: Clue F (1-2), Clue F (3-4), Clue F (5-7), Clue F (8-9)
- Row 9: Clue F (1-2), Clue F (3-4), Clue F (5-7), Clue F (8-9)
- Row 10: Clue F (1-2), Clue F (3-4), Clue F (5-7), Clue F (8-9)

Answer Entry: 15, 1111, 1122, 311

5. Transparent Tapa - Murat Can Tonta (117 + 62)

			C			D		
		4		4			4	
A	2							
			1	3		5		3
	4							
			1	1			1	2
		2	3		1	1		
B							3	
	3		1	5		6		
	4			1	3		1	2

Answer Entry: 211, 211, 211, 111

						C		D	
							5	1	3
	2	4							
					1	5		1	3
	2	2		6					3
							5		1
	4		4					1	1
								1	3
	2		4		6				3
A									5
B		4		4					

Answer Entry: 114, 7, 215, 152

6. Neanderthal Tapa - Murat Can Tonta (44 + 112)

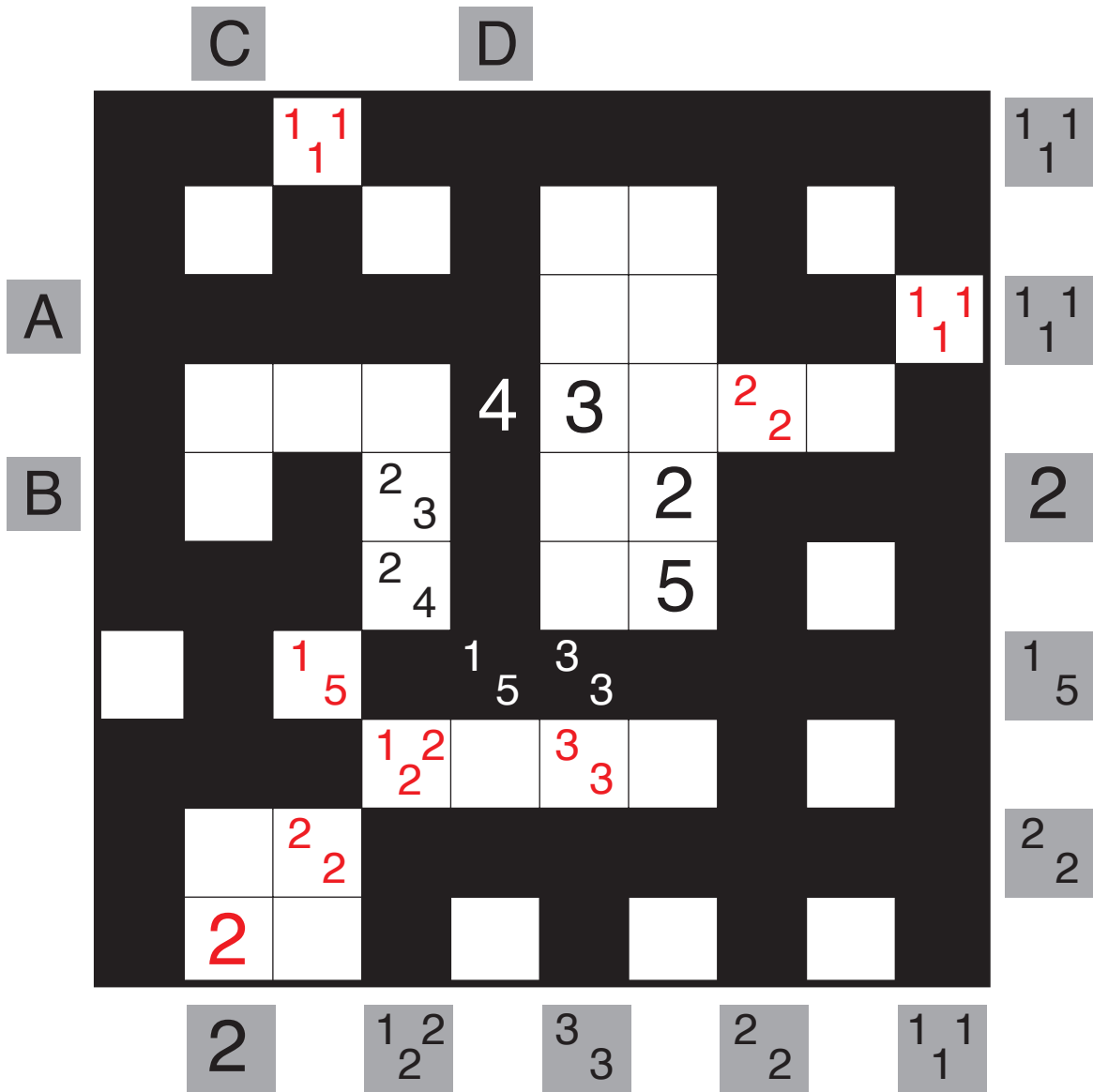
		C				D				
					+	+			+	+
A		1	1					1		
		+								
			+	+			+			
				+	+					
	+								1	+
					1					
			1	+				+	+	
			1	+					1	+
B	1	1			+	+				

Answer Entry: 142, 2111, 2212, 142

		C				D				
								1	+	
A			1	+						
					1	+			1	+
								+	+	
	1	1		+	+	1	+	1	1	+
									+	+
										1
				+	+					
								1	1	
B		+	+					1	1	
								1	1	
									+	+
				1	+					

Answer Entry: 11121, 1121, 221, 241

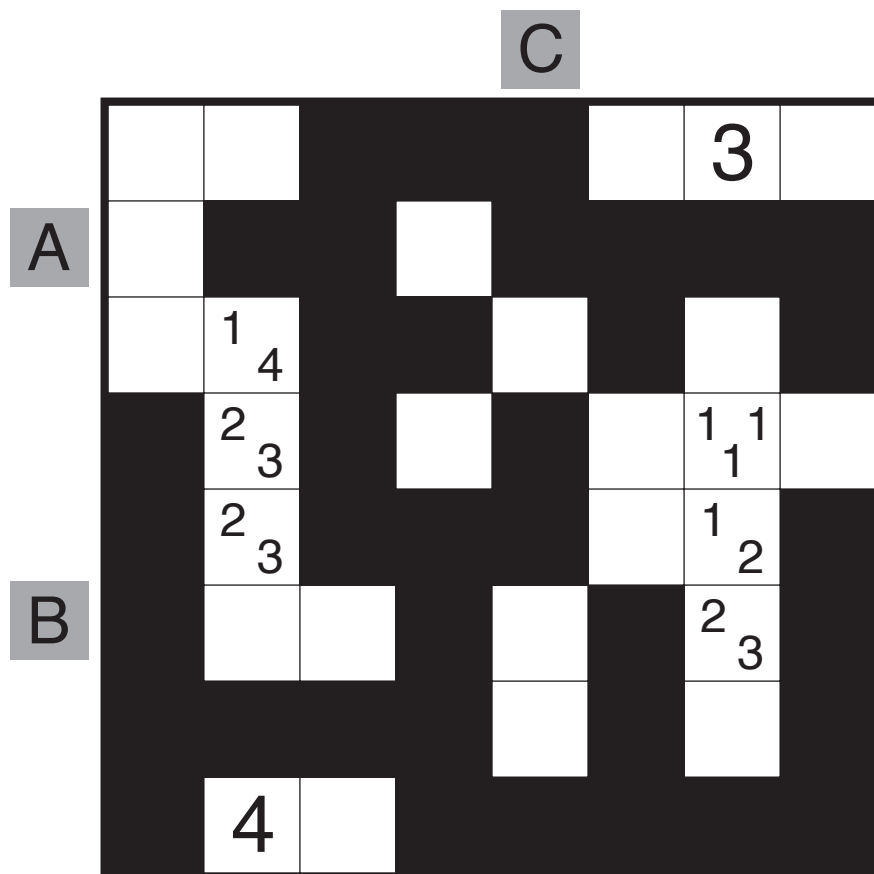
7. Taca - Murat Can Tonta (95)



Answer Entry: 52, 1113, 113, 71



8. Diagonal Tapa - Fatih Kamer Anda (62)



Answer Entry: 24, 1111, 221

9. Tapa Islands - Murat Can Tonta (76 + 81)

A 10x10 Tapa puzzle grid with black and white cells. The grid is labeled with 'A' on the left side (rows 2, 4, 6, 8) and 'B' on the right side (rows 3, 5, 7, 9). At the top, 'C' is above column 3 and 'D' is above column 4. Numbers are placed in white cells: (1,4)=3, (1,9)=2, (2,1)=1<sub>2</sub>, (2,3)=1<sub>5</sub>, (4,4)=1<sub>5</sub>, (4,9)=3, (5,1)=3, (5,3)=2<sub>3</sub>, (8,4)=6, (8,9)=3, (9,1)=1<sub>1</sub>, (9,3)=3.

Answer Entry: 11112, 232, 1212, 321

A 10x10 Tapa puzzle grid with black and white cells. The grid is labeled with 'A' on the left side (rows 2, 4, 6, 8) and 'B' on the right side (rows 3, 5, 7, 9). At the top, 'C' is above column 3 and 'D' is above column 4. Numbers are placed in white cells: (1,7)=7, (1,8)=6, (2,1)=1<sub>2</sub>, (2,2)=2, (4,3)=3<sub>3</sub>, (4,4)=3, (5,1)=1<sub>4</sub>, (5,3)=6, (6,2)=2<sub>3</sub>, (6,8)=7, (7,4)=1<sub>3</sub>, (7,5)=1, (8,8)=1<sub>2</sub>, (8,9)=2, (9,2)=7, (9,4)=1<sub>4</sub>.

Answer Entry: 232, 11121, 11111, 1143

10. Elimination Tapa - Hatice Esra Aydemir (31 + 59)

**B** **C**

**A**

Clues in the grid:

- Row 1: (1,3) 3<sub>4</sub>, (1,4) 3<sub>1</sub>
- Row 2: (2,6) 3<sub>3</sub>, (2,7) 1<sub>1</sub>, (2,8) 1<sub>2</sub>
- Row 3: (3,1) 4<sub>1</sub>
- Row 4: (4,6) 4<sub>6</sub>
- Row 5: (5,2) 2<sub>4</sub>, (5,3) 4<sub>4</sub>, (5,5) 7<sub>8</sub>
- Row 6: (6,7) 1<sub>3</sub>
- Row 7: (7,4) 3<sub>3</sub>, (7,5) 3<sub>2</sub>, (7,7) 5<sub>1</sub>
- Row 8: (8,8) 2<sub>4</sub>
- Row 9: (9,2) 1<sub>1</sub>, (9,3) 1<sub>1</sub>, (9,5) 5<sub>7</sub>
- Row 10: (10,4) 2<sub>3</sub>, (10,6) 3<sub>4</sub>

Answer Entry: 11, 14, 53

**B**

**A**

Clues in the grid:

- Row 1: (1,8) 1<sub>1</sub>, (1,9) 1<sub>5</sub>
- Row 2: (2,3) 1<sub>1</sub>, (2,4) 2<sub>1</sub>, (2,5) 1<sub>3</sub>, (2,6) 3<sub>3</sub>, (2,7) 2<sub>2</sub>, (2,8) 2<sub>2</sub>
- Row 3: (3,1) 5<sub>6</sub>, (3,2) 1<sub>4</sub>, (3,7) 2<sub>3</sub>, (3,8) 3<sub>3</sub>
- Row 4: (4,4) 3<sub>4</sub>
- Row 5: (5,5) 5<sub>1</sub>, (5,6) 2<sub>2</sub>
- Row 6: (6,3) 1<sub>1</sub>, (6,4) 2<sub>2</sub>, (6,7) 2<sub>1</sub>, (6,8) 2<sub>2</sub>, (6,9) 7<sub>4</sub>
- Row 7: (7,2) 1<sub>3</sub>, (7,3) 2<sub>3</sub>, (7,5) 5<sub>1</sub>, (7,6) 2<sub>2</sub>, (7,7) 1<sub>1</sub>, (7,8) 1<sub>1</sub>
- Row 8: (8,1) 5<sub>1</sub>, (8,7) 1<sub>3</sub>, (8,8) 4<sub>4</sub>, (8,9) 1<sub>1</sub>, (8,10) 1<sub>3</sub>

Answer Entry: 112, 221