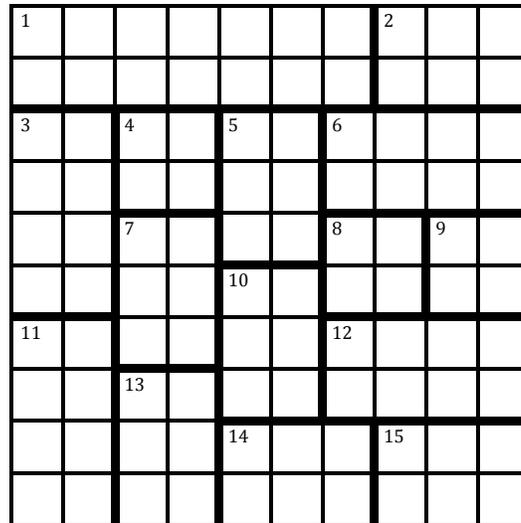


Puzzle 367 – Wordominoes 5

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This crossword has three sets of clues instead of the usual two. Answers go into the grid below in three different ways: in **cages**, which are the 16 numbered rectangular boxes bounded by the bold lines, in **rows** and in **columns**. The answers for the clues in the “cages” list go in their corresponding numbered cage: they are all to be entered **clockwise**, one letter per square, but their starting positions in the cages are **for you to determine**. The clues for the rows and for the columns are listed **by row randomly** and **by column randomly**; each row or column has one, two or three answers, minimum three letters long, to be entered in the order they are given. For example, given the set of clues “Obtained; Without cost; Not cold” in the “rows” section, you would enter **GOTFREEHOT** in a particular row. When this grid is filled, you’ll have words running three ways: clockwise around the cages, left to right in the rows, and top to bottom in the columns.



CAGES

1. What "you're gonna need an ocean of", per the classic hit "Poison Ivy"
2. Mexican menswear
3. Not direct, as a glance
4. Rams go for them
5. Symbol of military rank
6. Going by imperceptibly
7. Accepts a ride
8. Risky thing to do something on
9. Place to get baked?
10. Offers, as a suggestion
11. Gathers together
12. "Busy at the moment... ask later"
13. Earns an A+, say
14. Logically ascertain
15. Seriously bothers

ROWS

- It has a charge imbalance; One of the eight original "Public Ivies", informally; Ham-fisted sorts
- Jiff; Marked wrong, in a way; Unpronounced demonstrative
- 2015-18 NBA Finals team, on scoreboards; Instruct
- Some video files; Meager
- Carries through; Places where folks may be triaged, briefly; Mate
- Enameled metalware; Matchstick game of interest to game theorists; Comes about
- Cary of "Liar Liar"; Slightest hint
- Bland; First word of the Latin Hail Mary
- Many a Louvre display; Gravy soaker; Cry after nailing the last question on HQ Trivia, maybe
- Certain cop: Abbr.; Casual time?; Arachnophobic student of Gryffindor

COLUMNS

- Part of a press conference: Abbr.; Part of a series
- Tool for 49ers; Firm helper, casually; Came about
- Started to smoke; Slowing down, to musicians: Abbr.; One of a pile for KP duty
- Chinese tea variety; Whole lot
- Petits ____ (boyfriends, in Bordeaux); When summer begins in N.Z.; Chill, maybe
- Call at the table; Time to give up; Org. with class concerns
- 100 letter; Break omerta, say; It's "best when it's one on one", per George Michael
- Tip of the rock?; Knock, in slang; Low-heeled shoes
- Tiny energy unit; Skin So Soft brand; Youngest ever to 100 and 200 home runs in Major League history
- Where the D-backs play; "Juice": Abbr.