

# QUIZ

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No Cheating!  
To be collected  
after dessert

1. In the Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, what was the name of the ship powered by the Infinite Improbability Drive?

2. Riddles

a. Many-maned scud-thumper,  
Maker of worn wood,  
Shrub-ruster,  
Sky-mocker,  
Rave!  
Portly pusher,  
Wind-slave.

b. Voiceless it cries,  
Wingless it flutters,  
Toothless bites,  
Mouthless mutters.

3. What was the name of Christopher Columbus's flagship which sank in 1492?

Where did it sink?

4. Who was on the throne of England/Great Britain in the following years?

1417 -

1517 -

1617 -

1717 -

1817 -

1917 -

5. In 1517 Martin Luther wrote the "Disputation on the Power and Efficacy of Indulgences". This is better known as what?

6. Who was the author of the novel *The Old Man and the Sea*?

7. Name the following music and composer



8. What is the name of the Lieutenant in Puccini 's Madame Butterfly?

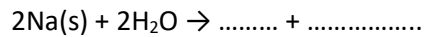
9. What do the initials IMDG stand for in IMDG Code?

How many 'classes' are there in the code?

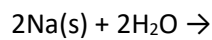
10. In bulk oil measurement, what do the following stand for:

- ROB:
- VEF:
- GSV:

11. Complete the following chemical reactions:



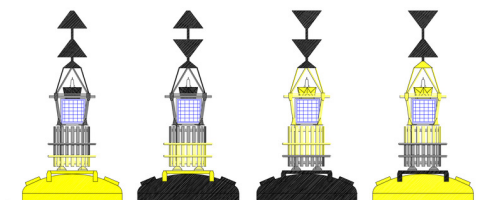
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12. How long is a league in yards?

13. Cardinal Marks are used in conjunction with the compass to indicate the direction from the mark in which the deepest navigable water lies, to draw attention to a bend, junction or fork in a channel, or to mark the end of a shoal. Mariners will be safe if they pass north of a north mark, south of a south mark, etc. Which compass points do the following Cardinal Type 2 Solar buoys represent?...



14. The rigging which exerts side forces to keep the mast vertical are the what?
  
15. A heading of one eight zero will take you which direction?
  
16. One ocean covers more of the earth's surface than all the earth's entire land area. What is that ocean, and what percentage (within .5%) of the earth's surface does it cover?
  
17. By 1876, the Thomson Dry Card Compass was in wide use. What material was used to suspend the pairs of magnets from the compass card?
  
18. If the scale representation on a chart is shown as 1:437,480, how many nautical miles would you travel by moving one inch across the chart?
  
19. An important lunar cycle is called the NODAL PERIOD. How long is this cycle?
  
20. What is the more popular name for the Ratline Hitch?
  
21. The first documented application of "women and children first" occurred during the 1852 evacuation of which Royal Navy Troup Ship.
  
22. Who was the King of England, Denmark and Norway who is known for trying to stop the tide?