



Kibō

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Answer: YOKES

The five puzzles represent five TomTom/KenKen™/Calcudoku puzzles with distinct integer sets taken from 1-25. Solvers need to identify the integer sets and then complete the grids to get to the below solutions. Ordering the grids by the upper-left clues (1-5) and reading the numbers in the unclued single cells as letters across grids gives “SHIFT”, “XNJDR”, and “ONEUP” in the columns. Shifting the string XNJDR up one letter gives the final answer.

¹ 23	24	⁵ 3	15	19
⁴ 19	15	⁴⁹ 23	3	³⁶⁰ 24
²¹ 3	⁸⁵⁵ 19	24	23	15
24	3	15	⁴² 19	23
15	⁴ 23	19	⁸ 24	3

² 7	14	¹⁶ 1	17	8
²⁵ 17	8	⁴⁹ 7	1	³ 14
⁹ 8	¹³⁶ 1	14	7	17
1	17	8	²¹ 14	7
14	¹⁰ 7	17	⁸ 8	1

³ 10	13	²⁷ 5	22	9
³¹ 22	9	²⁷ 13	5	⁵⁰ 10
⁴ 13	⁴⁹ 22	10	9	5
9	5	22	³ 10	13
5	⁹⁰ 10	9	³⁵ 13	22

⁴ 25	21	⁴⁸ 12	4	6
³ 4	12	⁵² 6	25	⁹ 21
¹⁸ 6	⁵⁰ 25	4	21	12
12	4	21	¹⁵⁰ 6	25
21	¹⁹ 6	25	¹⁶ 12	4

⁵ 11	16	³⁶ 2	18	20
²⁰ 2	18	⁶⁴⁰ 16	20	²⁷ 11
³⁶⁰ 20	⁴² 11	18	2	16
18	20	11	³² 16	2
16	⁴⁰ 2	20	⁷ 11	18