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On the Subject of Mahjong

Plum, Orchid, Chrysanthemum, Bamboo. Remember that.

- Take the first character of the serial number. If it's a letter, take its alphabetic position and add 9. Take the result modulo 14.
- Find the Mahjong tile in that position in the first Match Row below, counting from 0.
- Perform the same calculation with the second character of the serial number and find the corresponding Mahjong tile in the second Match Row.
- Swap those two tiles.
- Do the same again with the third and fourth character, then once more with the fifth and sixth.

Match Rows



- Identify the extra tile in the bottom-left corner of the module and determine its position in the Counting Row below, counting from 0.
- · Cycle the bottom Match Row to the right by that many tiles.

Counting Row



- On the module, a tile is "available" if either its left or its right edge has no tile adjacent to it, and no tile is (even partially) on top of it.
- Select pairs of <u>available</u> tiles on the module whose likenesses are vertically aligned in the modified Match Rows.
- · A correct pair disappears. An incorrect pair incurs a strike.
- Once all tiles are eliminated, the module is disarmed.