

Quiz – Race Games

GAT 110 – Game History

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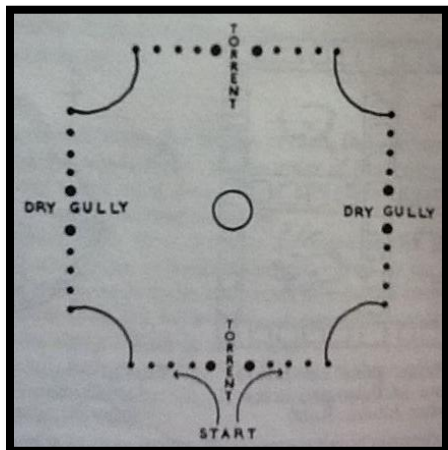
1. What backgammon precursor popular in the Arab world has rich symbolism with the 12 spaces on each side of the board representing the months of the year, 30 pieces representing the days of a week, and the sum of two sides of the die representing the 7 days of the week?

2. What cross and circle game from Korea has pieces called MAL or horses?

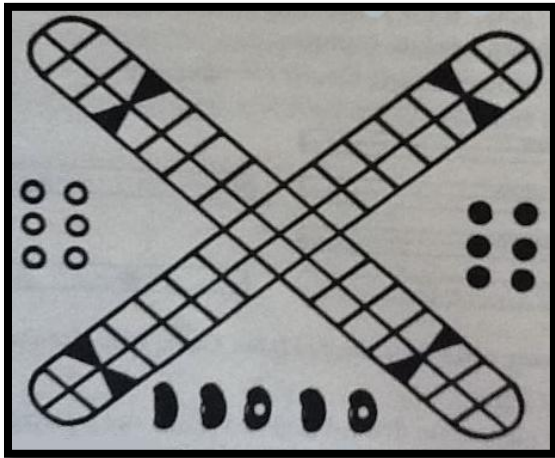
3. Emperor Akbar played what race game with harem slaves acting as the pieces that moved as directed by the throws of the six cowrie shells?

4. In the 1920's, Sir Leonard Woolley discovered five boards of what game from Sumeria that has distinctive rosette-patterned spaces?

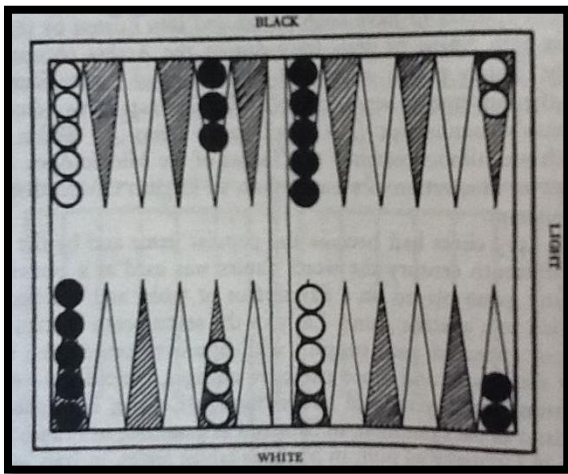
5. The Kiowa Indians in Oklahoma play this cross and circle game with runners and dice sticks.



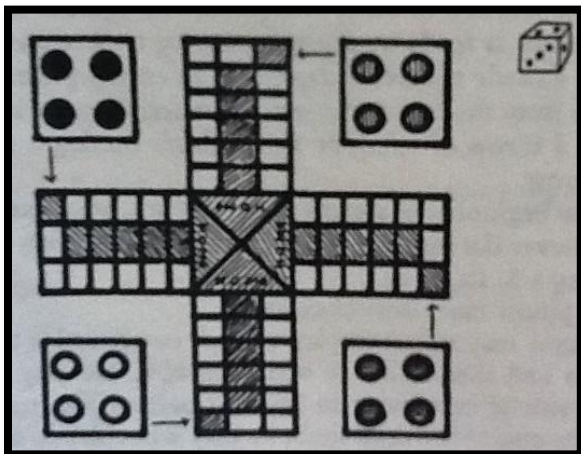
6. Name this Aztec gambling race game.



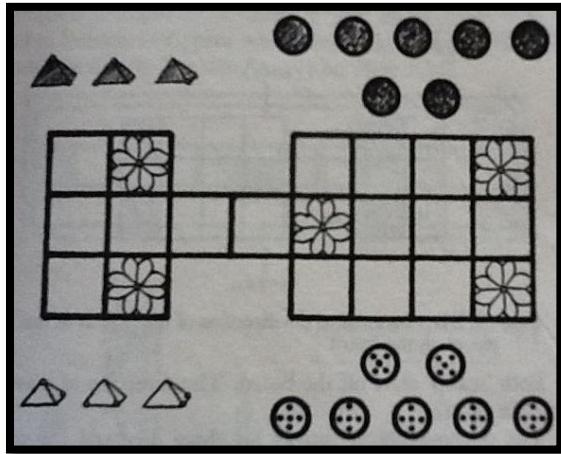
7. Identify this game which is the pinnacle of the evolution of this game type from Nard.



8. Identify this Pachisi descendant introduced to England in 1896.



9. Identify this game.



10. Name three descendants of Pachisi.

11. What game's movement symbolizes souls drifting through the Egyptian world of the dead?

12. What mystical race game from India was used for religious instruction and since R.H. Harte introduced it in 1893, is played on a square board with 100 squares?

13. What is the English name of the game that Francesco de Medici gave to King Phillip II of Spain as a present?

14. Name at least three games from the tables group of race games?

15. What spiral race game published by W. & S. B. Ives in the US in 1843 was attributed to Anne Abbot, but was actually designed by George Fox and published in 1800 in London?

16. What two-player peg game with 58 holes on the board is of Egyptian origin?
