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**Mystery phrase**

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| “ | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ |  | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ | , |  | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ |  | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ | \_ | ; | " |
|  | 1 | 2 | 6 | 7 |  | 4 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 10 |  |  | 1 | 2 | 8 | 1 |  | 4 | 9 | 3 | 11 | 12 | 9 | 7 |  |  |

Table I

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| O  Simplify | N  Factor | E  Simplify | A  Factor |
| T  Factor | C  Solve | B\*  Solve | M  Simplify |
| I  Factor | H  Factor | S  Solve | G  Factor |

Table II

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | 4 | 5 | 2 |
| 11 | 3 | 9 | 6 |
| 7  or | 10 | 8 | 12 |

Some extra challenge factoring:

1. Factor:
2. Factor:
3. Factor:

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|  | 1 | 2 | 6 | 7 |  | 4 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 10 |  |  | 1 | 2 | 8 | 1 |  | 4 | 9 | 3 | 11 | 12 | 9 | 7 |  |  |

***Pratītyasamutpāda*** (Sanskrit: प्रतीत्यसमुत्पाद), commonly translated as dependent origination.

"This being, that becomes; from the arising of this, that arises. This not being, that does not become; from the ceasing of this, that ceases." Majjhima Nikaya

Table I

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| O🡺11  simplify | N🡺5  factor | E🡺9  Simplify | A🡺8  factor |
| T🡺1  factor | C🡺3  Solve | B🡺4  Solve | M🡺12  Simplify |
| I🡺6  factor | H🡺2  factor | S🡺7  factor | G🡺10  factor |

Table II

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | 4 | 5 | 2 |
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