

Notes on Common Errors 4015 – 4066

		(Error incidence : total error : total entry)
4015	ANON for AEON <i>One's getting tipsy for a long time</i> AE + ON	(34 : 128 : 730)
4018	Unsatisfactory depiction of SIGN FOR INFINITY (∞ shape in grid) (i) ∞ in central cell (hence no G in SIGN FOR INFINITY) (36) (ii) Others (12 different) (23)	(59 : 99 : 484)
4019	... UN MOTS CROISSE for ... UN MOTS CROISES	(28 : 48 : 422)
4022	Unsatisfactory highlighting (i) Other than ELL for (where) the (authors) rendezvous (73) (a) ALBANY (21) (b) SÉANCE (18) (c) others (18 different) (34) ELL cells were common to PIRANDELLLO and the (other) six authors (BELLOC, etc) (ii) Alternatives to one or more of the six characters (55)	(101 : 128 : 430)
4023	Other than three colours used for the 12 pentominoes (i) Four (24) (ii) None (11) (iii) Seven (4) (iv) Eleven (1)	(40 : 64 : 753)
4024	(i) Clue numbers entered in wrong cell corner(s) and/or with wrong orientation (nearly always both) (57 : 108 : 447) (ii) Bar(s) missing/extra (46 : 108 : 447) (iii) Odd clue number(s) missing (12 : 108 : 447)	
4025	Other than ZAYIN as missing ingredient (i) SUGAR (18) (ii) others (10 different) (14)	(32 : 72 : 598)
4026	(i) Faulty 'redistribution' (a) CREME DE LA CREME exchanged for top row cells, not displacing downward those in between (19) (b) Other faults (20 different) (30) (ii) MASSJOHN for MESSJOHN (49 : 110 : 397) <i>Parish priest showing spunk to tangle with kerb-crawler?</i> "spunk" extra; MESS + JOHN (MASS \neq [to] tangle [with])	
4027	THE SEVEN VEILS left in situ, not replaced by (J)OHN THE BAPTIST(25 : 65 : 624)	
4033	Other than O S K I A R, extending other answers to form new entries (i) OSKAT (15) (TESTATED not a word) (ii) others (13 different) (22) Oskar, hero of <i>The Tin Drum</i>	(37 : 71 : 477)
4034	Bar(s) missing / extra	(63 : 76 : 435)
4038	(i) Fault(s) in half-turned (3 \times 3) 'wheels', variously caused (123 : 188 : 603) (ii) Ps (pennies) in all six blank cells (which the pennies dropped through) (41 : 188 : 603)	
4040	Faulty highlighting: House of Commons; mostly alternatives to LABOUR [MPS], OPPOSITION [MPS]	(89 : 109 : 439)
4042	Other than CHARGER, POORI, REGALE, (SALAD and/or) BOWL highlighted (at least one of these incorrect)	(89 : 122 : 669)

- 4044 (i) Other than TIME AVAILABLE FOR ITS COMPLETION highlighted (83 : 142 : 665)
 (a) TIME AVAILABLE plus 4 × (expanded) WORK (29)
 (b) others (19 different) (54)
- (ii) Other than W W W W (19 different) (27 : 142 : 665)
 O O O O
 R R R R
 K K K K
- 4046 Other than 1729 (subject of disagreement) under grid (15 different) (29 : 72 : 555)
- 4050 (i) Errors in boys' / girls' names (62 : 108 : 534)
 (a) 1 wrong (40) (b) 2 wrong (13) (c) 3 wrong (6) (d) 4 wrong (3)
 Names were formed from the set of letters of derived slugs, snails, etc
- (ii) OSIERS for OSIER Y (43 : 108 : 534)
Baskets of special filling for pies rapidly emptied
 O' + S + (p)IE(s) + R(apidl)Y
- 4051 Faulty depiction of *The Dark Side of the Moon* album cover (46 : 81 : 528)
 (33 different)
- 4054 Other than TWENTYONE in magic square cells (98 : 108 : 377)
 (i) 10 5 6 (30) (ii) Others (a) numeric (8 different) (30)
 3 7 11 (b) alphabetic (9 different) (38)
 8 9 4
- “The information [i.e. the second magic square, totalling 21] gained after this must literally [i.e. alphabetic] be used to adjust the initial grid to one that appears totally [i.e. TWENTYONE, making new words] satisfying.”
- 4057 (i) Unsatisfactory highlighting (89 : 162 : 444)
 BROSE (porridge) and THIBLE (porridge-stick) required
 (a) STOCKS for THIBLE (42)
 (b) TABLET for THIBLE (20)
 (c) others (18 different) (27)
- (ii) PACA / KNAP for PACO / KNOP (28 : 162 : 444)
Animal retreating over cover
 O + CAP rev
Player largely with approval raised feature of yarn
 PON(e) + OK rev; extra O indicated
- 4059 (i) (N)AON for (N)AOI : hence N and I of ANACONDA / VIPER (46 : 137 : 547)
 transposed
Man perhaps was worshipped in these temples arranged in a circle
 “Man” misprint for “Pan”; anag IN A O
- (ii) Wrong A (of ASP) used for end of ANACONDA (38 : 137 : 547)
 30 of the 38 had only 74, not the specified 75, letters in the grid
- 4061 Bar(s) missing/extra (45 : 49 : 335)
- 4062 All original (correct) numerical answers left in place; no letters (44 : 83 : 490)
 anywhere in the grid
 Numbers were to be changed to letters to form a wordsquare
- 4066 Unsatisfactory origami bird and/or WREN (E rotated M, N rotated Z) (118 : 129 : 431)
 highlight (many different)