

Solution for 5.2 Recapitulation (Answer = METALLICA)

Each set of words share a common property and these properties can be used to extract a letter (or letters) from each word. These extracted letters then form another word with the same property and for which the extraction method can be repeated.

Performing this on all sets yields the phrase ULRICH HAMMETT HETFIELD'S BAND and hence the answer is **METALLICA**.

No.	Property	Extracted word	Letter(s)
1	Contains a 5-letter palindromic substring; take central letter	MISUSING	U
2	Synonyms of "start"; take leading letter	LEADING	L
3	Colour names with an extra letter; take the extra letter	PREACH	R
4	Technology companies with one letter changed; take the changed letter	BULLION	I
5	Contains two double letters; take the doubled letters	MAGIC CRASH HELMET	CH
6	Comprised almost entirely of doubled up letters; take the single unpaired letter	EGGSHELLS	H
7	All letters except one occur on single keyboard row; take the different rowed letter	WIRETAP	A
8	Contains a silent letter; take the silent letter	LEMMING	M
9	Cryptic representations; take the indicated letter	HEADMOST	M
10	Starcraft actions; take the in-game hotkey	ENSNARE	E
11	Curtailments form new words; take the last letters	SLEIGHT	T
12	Three letters removed from US state name; take the first letters of the removed trigrams	WASHING	T
13	Names of popes; take the number of popes and convert alphanumerically (not including anti-popes)	BONIFACE	H
14	Contains 3-4 regularly spaced Is and Os; convert from binary to alphabetic character	BINOMIAL	E
15	Contains a consecutive triple letter; take the tripled letter	MATT TILLEY	T
16	Starts with a Greek letter substring; take the following letter	MUFFINS	F
17	Starts and ends in same letter; take this letter	ISRAELI	I
18	Synonyms of "size" or "length"; convert the length of each string alphanumerically	WIDTH	E
19	Beheadments of words; take the beheaded letters	ITERATE	L
20	Reversals of definitions of 2-letter terms	DLEHDNAH ODNETNIN	DS
21	Contains surname of a Maxim Hot 100 model; take the list placement of each model and convert alphanumerically	FOXSKIN	B
22	Contains a single letter that is repeated 4 times; take that letter	CATAMARAN	A
23	Begins with a phonetic letter sound	ENCRUST	N
24	Texas hold'em poker hand terms; take the sum of the card values and convert alphanumerically	DUCKS	D