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where no
2nd mean
either one
used

DECODING

DECODE

- ① Cross out the first 2 letters of each group after first group. The first 2 letters is width of which subgroups follow to eight following. In some cases letters 4 & 5; in short group 5, 4, 3, 2, 0, 2, 7, 2, 9. In long messages 33 3 1 of last group. In cryptograms cross out the 2nd letter of the 1st group.
- ② Ignore any vowels before or between the first two letters in any group.
- ③ Ignore the 2nd & 3rd end letters of each group after the 2nd consonant.
- ④ If the vowel U is present ~~remember it means~~ ~~anywhere~~ in the group, it means to be second meaning.
- ⑤ If any vowel is present before either the first or second letter of any group, it means "take 2nd interpretation".
- ⑥ Now read off on alphabet square (less vowels). Always read 1st letter from top line down, then find 2nd on side by across.

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[B.]

- B ways (s)
- C ~~500~~ machine (LMG)
- D ~~LANGKAPAK~~ smoke
- F . . . ✓ battery (condenser)
- G . . . ✓ thousand (million)
- H . . . ✓ 8 [eight]
- J . . . ✓ MALINAU
- K . . . arrive (-ing)
- L . . . help (re^{ing}placements)
- M . . . ✓ generator (valve)
- N . . . ✓ LELANG
- P . . . border (coast)
- Q . . . B [b]
- R . . . where (~~what~~ (who))
- S . . . wireless (WT)
- T . . . go (ing)
- V . . . ✓ KENINGAU
- U . . . ✓ divided by (last)
- X . . . ✓ LOEMBS
- Y . . . ✓ april
- Z . . . ✓ BARFO

[C]

- B. ✓ ~~LAJ~~ ~~KET~~ ^(DE) KULITAN (SERIA)
C. ✓ LEMBOEDOKT
D. ✓ 3 [three]
F. . . . flood (rapids)
G. ✓ JAP
H. . . . in
J. ✓ BALIKOE (RUAB)
K. ✓ OWEN
L. . . . by
M. . . . Q [9]
N. ✓ SARAWAK
P. . . . MALAY
Q. . . . delay (-ing)
R. . . . B [6] -
S. ✓ TAGAI (~~RUAB~~) (MELALAP)
T. ✓ rifle (-s) [303]
V. . . . situation
W. . . . safe (se)
X. . . . plain (flat)
Y. . . . see (~~stay~~) (-ing)
Z. . . . food

[D]

- B . . . ✓ . . . BISAI
 C prevent (ing)
 D . . . ✓ . . . year
 F P [P]
 G . . . ✓ . . . LEMBOEDOKT
 H reliable
 J strip (clearing)
 K intelligence (intelligent)
 L . . . ✓ . . . 6 [six]
 M ~~SXAN~~ 3 raid (ing)
 N bloody
 P fed (~~to~~) (tired)
 Q . . . ✓ . . . Capt S.
 R . . . ✓ . . . LIO MATU
 S wait (ing)
 T MIRI (BRIWAN - ^{house} ^{Swiss})
 V . . . @ . . . ~~may~~ MAY [month or verb]
 W dollars
 X . . . ✓ . . . TAGAL
 Y . . . @ . . . O [o] [letter o]
 Z . . . @ . . . approximate (~~to~~)

[F]

B. road (railway)
C. ✓ 8 [eight]
D. rumour (lie)
F. ✓ KABIRAN
G. guerilla
H. ✓ MALINDAU
J. explosive (blow ~~up~~)
K. ✓ ~~million~~ 6 [six]
L. ✓ BLAYIO (?BRIYIOT)
M. ~~brake~~ (injure)
N. ✓ POEPONG
P. punctuality
Q. ✓ AMERICAN
R. ✓ JULY
S. can (table)
T. ✓ MENSALONG
V. ✓ 7 [seven]
W. working
X. ✓ thousand (million)
Y. hot
Z. native

[E]

[G]

- B difficulty (i)
C ✓ months
D ✓ BATU APOI
F M [m]
G village (rice house)
H 10
J ✓ NOVEMBER
K ✓ KALACAN
L anger (angry)
M ✓ JUNE
N ✓ TARAKAN
P storepedo (parachute)
Q sulap
R ✓ MATANG [on PADAS R.]
S ✓ BLOWIT
T incendiary fire (incendiary)
V traitor
W ✓ frequency (CR/Rebecca)
X ✓ LUMADAN
Y AUSTEN
Z from

(H)

B. . . . ✓ AUGUST
C ✓ hundred
D pay (-ing)
F ✓ 1 [one]
G die (dying)
H (✓) Zero (none)
J must
K ✓ ~~4~~ KOLLITAN 4 [four]
L ✓ LAWAS
M food (beta)
N in
P ✓ 4 [four]
Q all
R ✓ SEMA DOE [TRUSMIK]
S watch (comp^{ing})
T ✓ hundred
V ✓ BAWANG
W will [= future tense] (use also O)
X ✓ JULY
Y guerrilla
Z ✓ AMERICAN

[J]

- B. Mountain (hill)
- C. or
- D. Kill (murder)
- F. . ✓ . . . TOMANI
- G. . ✓ . . . RAYE [RAYA] [trib. of KEMALOEH]
- H. expect with
- J. degree (minute)
- K. K [k]
- L. X [x]
- M. . ✓ . . . TRAP [also can be used in sense of "a trap"]
- N. enemy
- P. check your security signal group
- Q. ~~RAF~~ red (yellow).
- R. . ✓ . . . carbine
- S. . ✓ . . . 3 [three]
- T. protect (-ing)
- V. . (N) . . . zero (nobe)
- W. please (pass)
- X. . ✓ . . . AKAH
- Y. have, ~~if used~~ after a verb [= past tense]
- Z. officer

[K]

- B. . . . ✓ Australian
 C. look (-ing)
 G. . . . ✓ SEMAMOK
 F. pound
 R. police (spy)
 H. . . . ✓ MEIN
 J. . . . ✓ day (night)
 K. escape (-ings)
 L. LAWAS
 M. signal (-ing)
 N. afraid
 P. post (centre)
 Q. K [e] (also = East)
 R. full (much, plenty)
 S. . . . ✓ NAWANG (AAT)
 T. . . . ✓ MAY [month or verb]
 V. follow (-ing)
 W. near (-ly)
 X. . . . ✓ BENGAR (MUDOH)
 Y. . . . ✓ B.N.B.
 Z. cancel (forget)

[L]

B part
C . . ✓ 10 [ten]
D you(-r)
E hide (-page)
G . . ✓ SINDUMIN
H plan (code)
J . . ✓ ~~MUDOH~~ 5 [five]
K ammunition (powder)
L wound(-ing)
M out
N extra (apart)
P fool (ish)
Q . . ✓ TOKA [TUA]
R . . ✓ 10 [ten]
S you(-r)
T . . ✓ TAMBA ABO
V friend (-ly)
W . . ✓ 1 [one]
X . . ✓ SEPTEMBER
Y Map
Z cache (-ing)

[14]

B . . . ✓ . . . BAHAU
C . . . ✓ . . . BRITISH
D am (be)
F . . . ✓ . . . AUSTERCRAFT
G . . . ✓ . . . crystals (aerial)
H . . . ✓ . . . SESAJAP
J C [c]
K SILOU
L will [= future tense]
M . . . ✓ . . . KAYAN
N . . . ✓ . . . BOSTON
P change (exchange)
Q tell (speak to)
R d [d]
S . . . ✓ . . . 50 [fifty]
T . . . ✓ . . . KUBAAN
V . . . ✓ . . . ~~MA~~ MADALAM
W . . . (✓) . . . MARCH (also ~~in sense~~
~~of march~~)
X river
Y . . . ✓ . . . TENGOA
Z medical

[N]

B. 9 (my)
C. M [m]
D. ✓ MENTARANG
E. native
F. A [a]
G. ✓ hundred
H. ✓ 2 [two]
I. ✓ CATALINA (MITCHELL)
J. ~~MELELAT~~ ground
K. patrol (ing)
L. order (ing)
M. JAP
N. ✓ KENYA
O. ~~ARMY~~ of
P. and
Q. J [j]
R. not
S. understand (ing)
T. river (stream)
U. chief (perhaps)
V. H [h].

[P]

B . ✓ BRUNET
C . ✓ ARIS [Tuon Aris]
D . ✓ 12 [twelve]
F report (ing)
G mile (distance)
H . ✓ KEMALOEH
J full stop (top)
K G [g]
L . ✓ DUTCH
M week (period)
N ~~patrol~~ fast (slow)
P ~~parang~~ parang (sword)
Q . ✓ CHINESE
R strong (powerful)
S . ✓ BEAUFORT (BEAUFIGHTER)
T . ✓ 7 [seven]
V JAP
W long [inc. long in names]
X take (ing)
Y . ✓ 9 (nine)
Z . ✓ WY-AGONG (WAILAJA)

Q

- B E [e]
- C ✓ AUGUST
- D this (those)
- F ✓ PADALIT (MADA)
- G health (fit)
- H ✓ KUALA [in place names]
- J ✓ February
- K ✓ IBANG
- L JAP
- M Repeat (-ing)
- N ✓ BRUNET
- P ✓ JUNE
- Q ✓ multiplied by
- R U [u]
- S stroke [1] (question ?
mark)
- T ✓ UKONG
- V big (huge)
- W ✓ ~~D# [d]~~ D2
- X ✓ DECEMBER (JANUARY)
- Y N [NORTH]
- Z ✓ hundred

R

- B. front (before)
- C. ✓ BELAIT (BARANI)
- D. full stop
- F. ✓ MAHAKAMAP [Tua Keeli of Berong]
- G. report (-ing)
- H. attack (-ing)
- J. shoot (-ing) [~~shoot~~ shoot ^{shoot} _{shoot}]
- K. silence (secrecy)
- L. ✓ IBAN
- M. ✓ 15 (number)
- N. bring (carry) (-ing)
- P. weak (small)
- Q. ✓ BANGAR [Bahau]
- R. ✓ 4 [four]
- S. confirm (-ing)
- T. ✓ OEPAN
- U. caution (cautious)
- W. ✓ Tuan ATONG
- X. run (-ing)
- Y. district (area)
- Z. ✓ TUTOH

[S]

- B. ✓ 5 [five]
- C. full stop (top)
- D. ✓ AGAS
- F. E [e]
- G. quotes [or "and quotes"]
- H. ✓ BERANG
- J. W [a = west]
- K. ✓ minus
- L. Y [y]
- M. ✓ TIK
- N. ✓ call me again at
- P. R [r]
- Q. low (-er)
- R. ✓ Tuon ATONG
- S. attack (-ing)
- T. ✓ check you signal for security group
- V. less (bottom)
- W. ✓ KABAK
- X. ✓ certain (definite)
- Y. ✓ 20 [twenty]
- Z. up (-per)

[T]

- B ✓ This signal is ok & secure
C need (-ing)
D ~~not~~ letter (writing)
F fast
G ✓ TRUSAN
H ✓ This signal is ok & secure
J boots (feet)
K all (they)
L o.k.
M ✓ TERNOM (~~SOOK~~)
N here
P evacuate (-ing)
Q repeat (-ing)
R ✓ jungle (grassland)
S ✓ LADEM (SOOK)
T T [E]
V ✓ minus
W meet (-ing)
X ✓ MERAPOK (LANGLEPAK)
Y ~~need (-ing)~~
Z Z [E]

V

- B defend (defending)
C bad
D - ✓ - PAGAS
F - - - - E [= East]
G - - - - bush (tree)
H - ✓ - ~~sea (band)~~ (plane)
J - - - - ~~the~~ hope (-ing)
K - - - - clock (time)
L - - - - I (mine)
M - - - - bomb (-ing)
N - ✓ - plus
P - - - - head (wind)
Q - ✓ - SIPAYANG
R - ✓ - grenade (pistol)
S - ✓ - zero (nil)
T - ✓ - quarter (section)
V - - - - S [= South also]
U - ✓ - ~~JANUARY~~ OCTOBER
X - - - - dysentery (sh) (gaws)
Y - ✓ - BOETAL
Y₂ - ✓ - quarter (-ing)

W

- B - ✓ KALABIT
- C - do (-ing)
- D - phase
- F - ✓ SEMUT
- G - have [= PASI Rense]
- H - C
- J - ✓ PANDARIAN
- K - security (insecure)
- L - ✓ PELUAN
- M - track (road)
- N - repeat (-ing)
- P - ✓ BENDANG
- Q - quoted [and "end notes"]
- R - Q [q.]
- S - ✓ LIBERATOR
- T - recce (-ing)
- V - F [f]
- W - ✓ thousand (million)
- X - ✓ POWAN
- Y - prison (-er)
- Z - ✓ BLOWIT

X

B	.....	meet(-ing)
C	..... ✓	MELADE
D	.....	buffalo (cow)
F	.....	half
G	.....	very
H	..... ✓	SWARDAR
J	.....	District Office
K	.....	think(-ing)
L	..... ✓	yard (hour)
M	.....	poilt game (poultry)
N	.....	drop(-ping)
P	..... ✓	SARDJALASIPITANG
Q	.....	pink black (white)
R	.....	estimate (-ing)
S	.....	leave (-ing)
T	.....	fruit
V	.....	I (mine)
W	.....	follow (-ing)
X	..... ✓	TOLBOE
Y	.....	full stop
Z	.....	important

Y

- B. ~~any~~ am (be)
- C. woman (girl)
- D. use
- F. ~~BRUSH~~ land (-ing)
- G. man (boy)
- H. ✓ PADI
- J. ✓ SARAWAK
- K. way (route)
- L. ✓ KLUAN (PA)
- M. ✓ ~~inlet~~
- N. Z [3]
- P. start (-ing)
- Q. ✓ SEMBAKONG
- R. avoid (-ing)
- S. urgent
- T. intelligence (intelligent)
- V. ✓ NEWIAT [WUAT]
- W. ✓ adopt ^(swamp) emergency plan ^{how}
- X. ✓ Major C
- Y. priority (first)
- Z. behind (back)

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- B - ✓ ~~5[ing]~~ 2[two]
- C - ~~detail~~ (-ing)
- D - ✓ ~~yet~~ SAGAN (BATU LAWI)
- F - ✓ MADIHIT
- G - any
- H - ✓ MURUD (SERIDIAN)
- J - malaria
- K - ✓ do (-ing)
- L - ✓ ~~man~~ 2
- M - ✓ GUTCH
- N - stay (-ing)
- P - money
- Q - PA
- R - clothes
- S - over (above)
- T - L [l]
- V - yet (until)
- W - ✓ gun (sumpit)
- X - ✓ KALULONG (REJANG)
- Y - expect (-ing)
- Z - ✓ SROT (A/ACH)

SECURITY

"REMEMBER—Never discuss military, naval or air matters in public or with any stranger, no matter to what nationality he or she may belong.

The enemy wants information about you, your unit, your destination. He will do his utmost to discover it.

Keep him in the dark. Gossip on military subjects is highly dangerous to the country, whereas secrecy leads to success.

BE ON YOUR GUARD and report any suspicious individual."