



TETRA GENIA

A TRICKY PIECE DROPPING GAME
FOR 1 PLAYER AGE 8+



GAME INSTRUCTIONS & SOLUTIONS

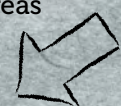
THIS IS INCLUDED:



14 pieces

27 challenge cards with 54 challenges

4 game boards with 8 playing areas



WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT:

Each of the 54 challenges presents you with a really tricky task:

How must the pieces drop to find the solution to the illustrated challenge?

To begin with, the challenges are easy and – in no time – the pieces are lying in the right place. But the further you progress, the more difficult it becomes. Can you manage to find the solutions to all 54 challenges?



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THIS IS WHAT THE CHALLENGE CARDS SHOW YOU:

The challenge cards are sorted according to the level of difficulty. The fronts and backs of the cards each show one challenge.

Each challenge card gives you the following information:

PLAYING AREA: You must find the solution to the challenge on this area.

LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY:

Easy to difficult

PIECES: The pieces depicted drop from above onto the playing area, in order from left to right.

LINE COMPLETE: ● means, that the piece to the left of this black dot has completed a line.

OVERHANGING PIECES: Here, 1 piece is overhanging the top of the playing area.

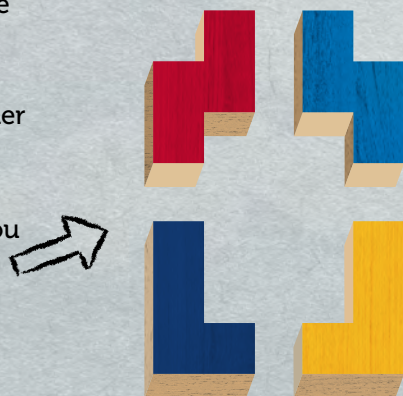
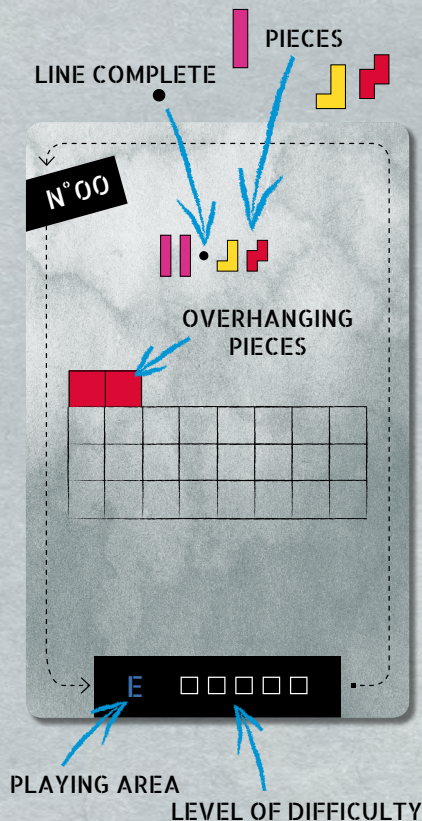
HOW TO SET UP A CHALLENGE:

Take a challenge card and lay it in front of you. We recommend beginning with challenge N°01.

Look for the matching playing area (A to H) and place this in front of you, too. The playing area limits the area designated for finding the solution to the challenge.

Last of all, take the pieces indicated and place them above the playing area. It's best if you lay them down in exactly the same order as shown on the challenge card.

BEWARE: Two pieces have different colours on the front and reverse side! Place these pieces with the correct side up, so that you don't get confused.



HOW DO YOU FIND SOLUTIONS TO THE CHALLENGES?

THE PIECES DROP FROM ABOVE ONE AFTER THE OTHER

You must place these pieces in exactly this same order on the playing area. You may neither skip any pieces nor omit any pieces. You must lay all the pieces shown. The pieces drop from above one after the other. First of all, the piece drops on the far left, then the next piece directly beside it on the right etc.

NOTE: In the case of the more difficult challenges, the pieces are often shown in two lines. First of all, lay the top line completely (from left to right) and then the bottom line (from left to right).

TURNING AND SHIFTING

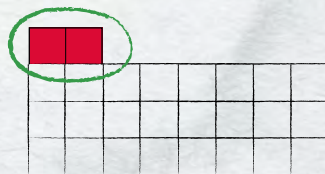
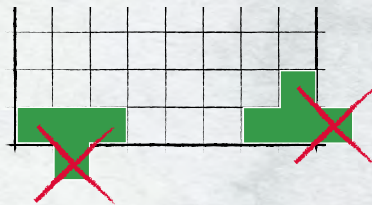
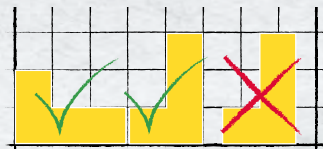
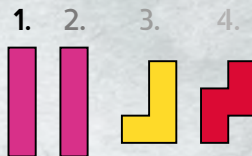
Before the pieces drop, you can turn them in 90° steps. However, you may not turn over the pieces from the front to the reverse side. Besides, the pieces always drop down into the slots so that in the end, they are lying precisely on the pre-printed boxes. It's up to you to find out exactly where they drop!

THE PLAYING AREA

The pieces may not overhang the sides or bottom of the playing area.

The challenge will show you whether pieces may overhang the playing area at the top. In that case, that also means, that a piece **must** overhang. And exactly the same piece as shown.

NOTE: The lines on these pieces serve to make things clearer. That way, you can see more quickly how the piece shown must lie.



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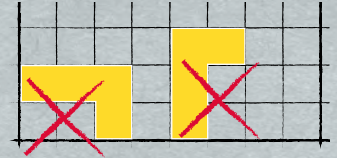
All pieces must lie directly on the playing area.

You may not stack any pieces on top of each other. You must be able to see all the pieces clearly and completely.



NO GAPS BELOW

The pieces must always fall in such a way, that no gaps are created below the pieces. You may not fill these gaps later on.



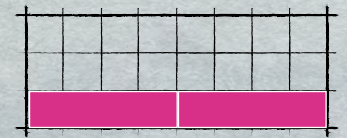
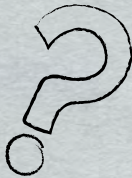
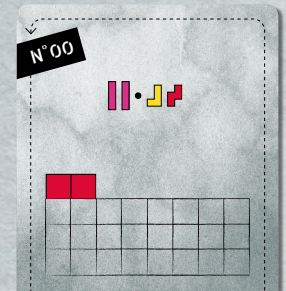
● ----> LINE COMPLETE

This black dot • depicted on the challenge card means that 1 line has been completed.

The piece on the left of the dot has completed the line. If several of these dots are depicted, then the corresponding number of lines is complete: ●●● -> 3 lines complete. A line is only complete, when all boxes in one line are occupied by pieces and without any gaps.

HOW TO FIND THE SOLUTION TO THE SAMPLE CHALLENGE:

The first two pieces must be turned 90°, otherwise they would overhang the top of the playing area. Since the second piece completes a line, they must drop side by side. It is of no importance whether the first piece drops to the left or the right.



The third piece must in any case be turned, otherwise it would either overhang or there would be gaps below the piece. Neither of these is allowed.

You cannot find out which slot it will drop into, until you have laid the fourth piece!

The fourth piece should overhang the top of the playing area. To make sure that happens on precisely this spot, this piece must be placed last of all like this.

But, make sure that no gap is created under the piece. Thus, the third piece must form the basis for the fourth one. And there is only one way of achieving that:

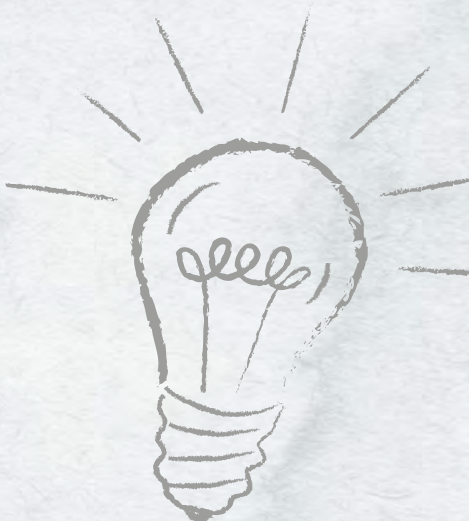
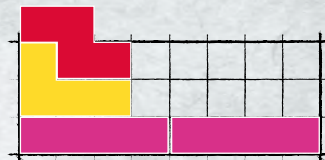
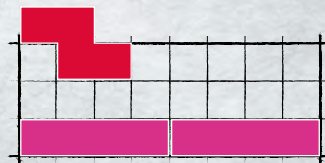
DONE!

As you can see, sometimes you must tackle a challenge “from behind” to find the solution. When solving a challenge, you may of course place pieces that should really not drop until later. That sometimes makes it easier.

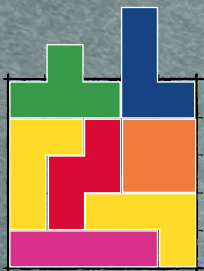
HAVE FUN WORKING IT OUT!

ATTENTION: ON THE FOLLOWING PAGES, YOU WILL FIND THE SOLUTIONS TO THE 54 CHALLENGES. TRY TO SOLVE THE CHALLENGES ON YOUR OWN, BEFORE PEEKING AT THE SOLUTIONS.

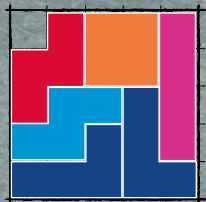
FOR SOME CHALLENGES, THERE IS MORE THAN ONE SOLUTION, EVEN THOUGH WE HAVE ONLY SHOWN ONE SOLUTION TO THOSE CHALLENGES!



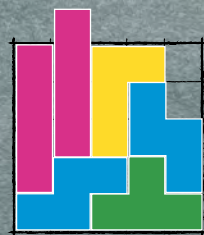
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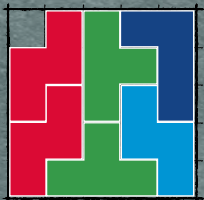
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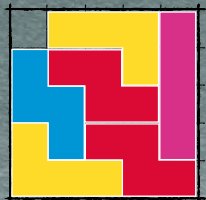
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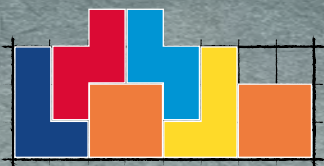
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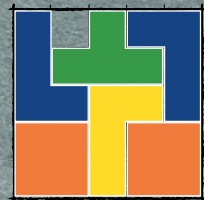
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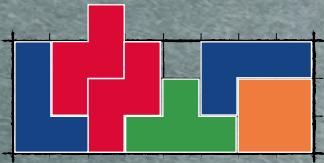
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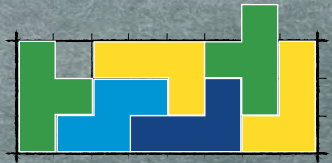
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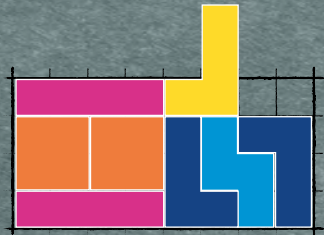
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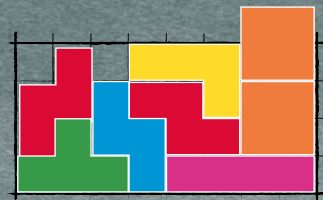
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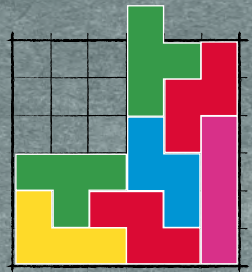
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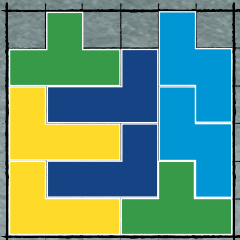
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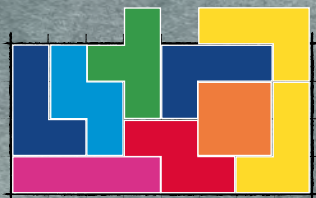
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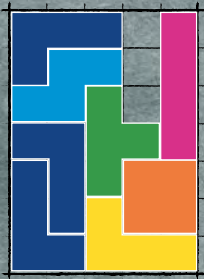
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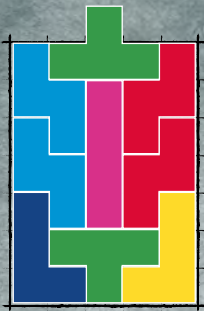
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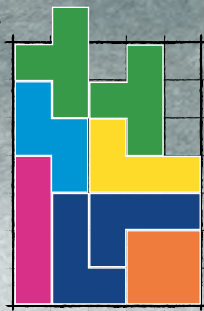
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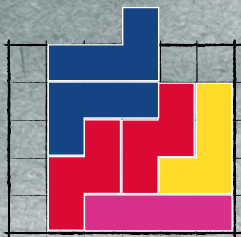
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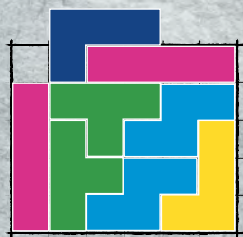
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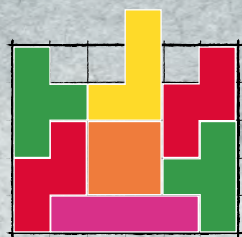
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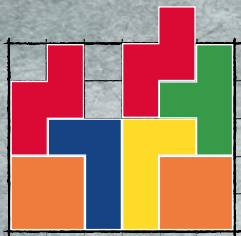
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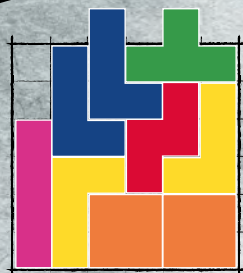
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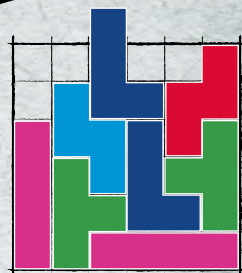
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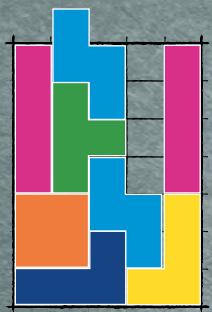
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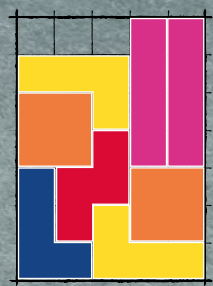
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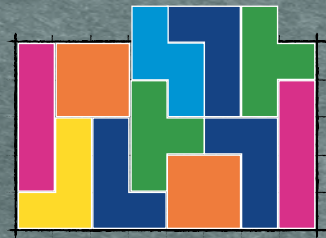
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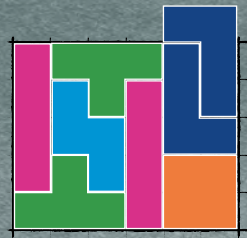
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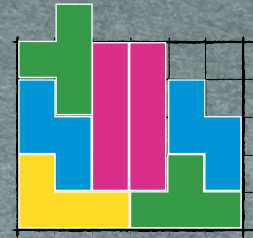
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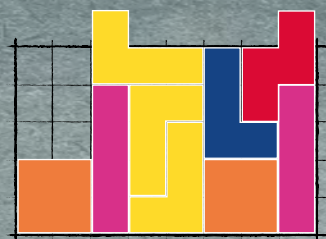
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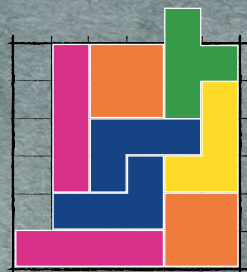
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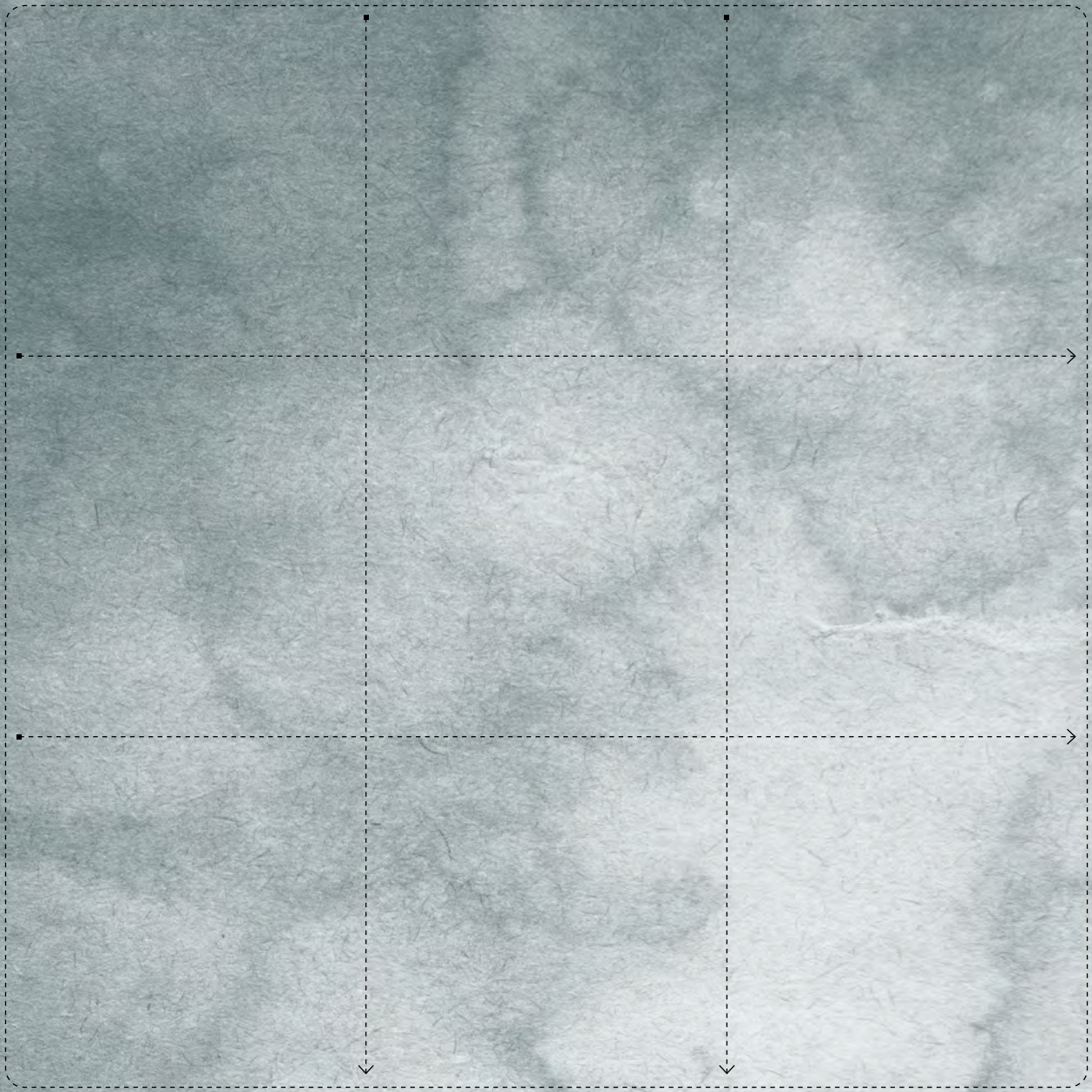


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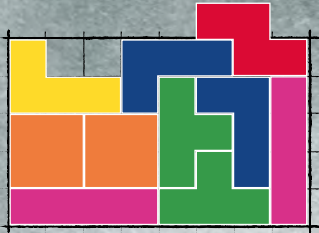


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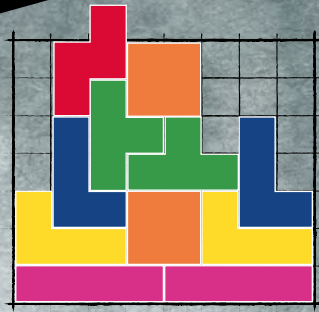




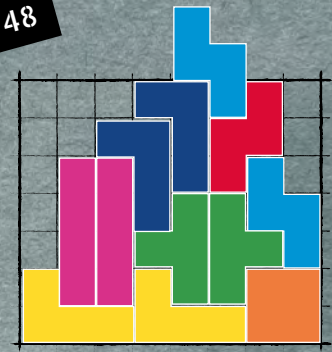
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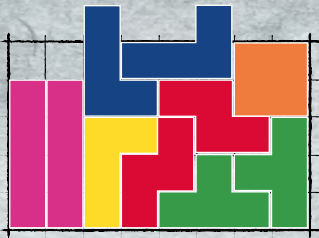
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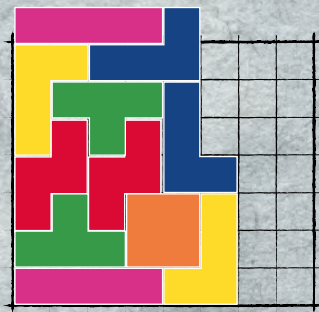
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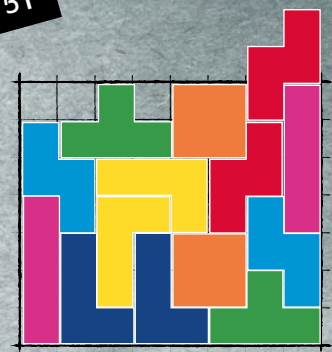
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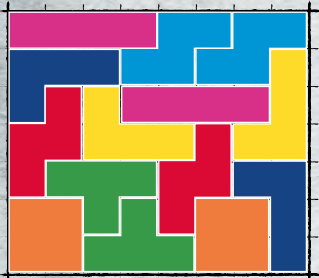
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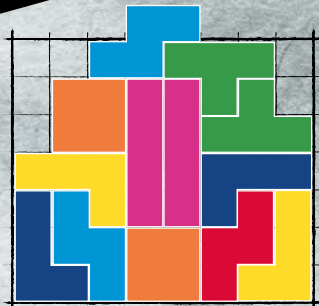
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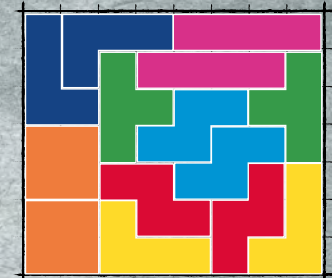
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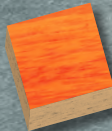
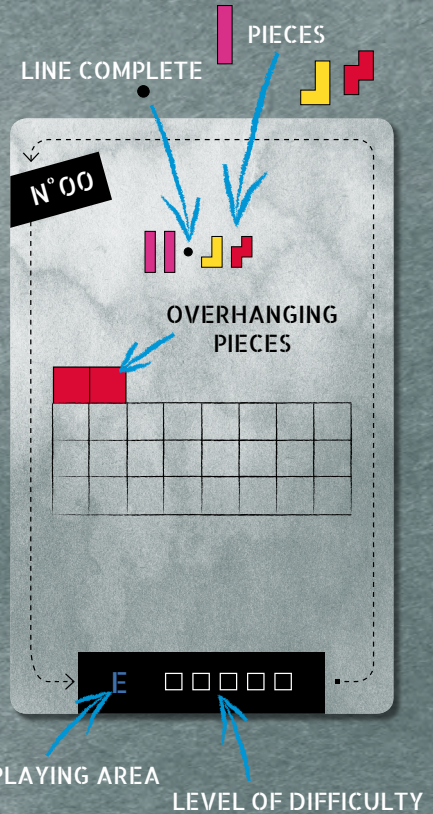
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QUICK OVERVIEW:

- The pieces drop one at a time and in order.
- You may make 90° turns before dropping.
- There may never be a gap below a piece.
- Pieces may not overhang the side or the bottom of the playing area.
- However, they must overhang the top, if the challenge requires it.
- Lines must be complete, when indicated.



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