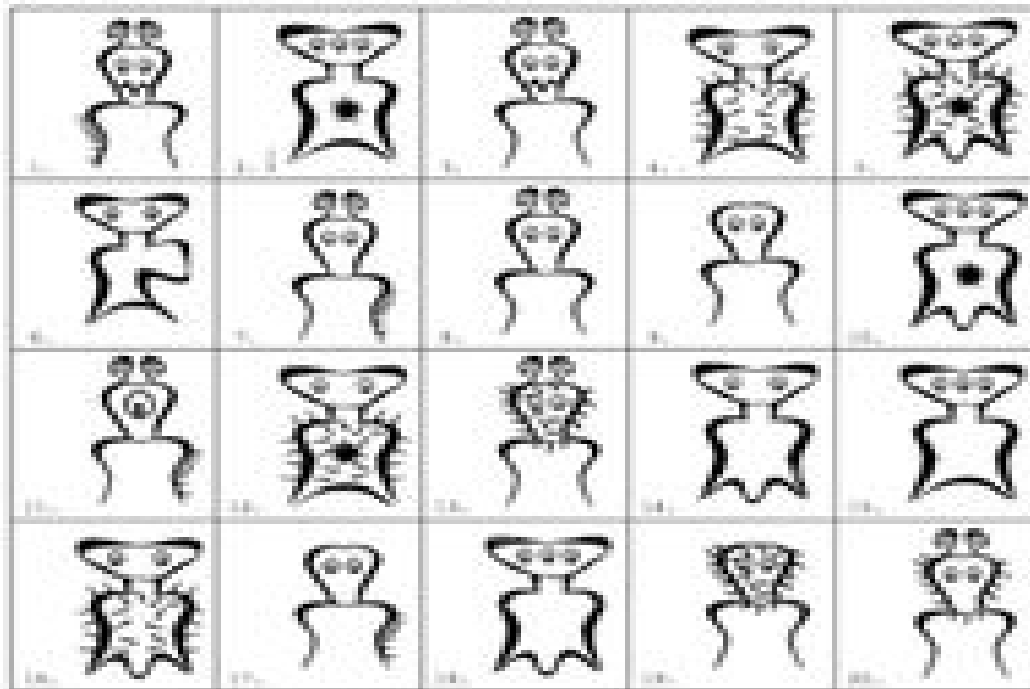


Taxonomy, Classification, and Dichotomous Keys

Help! Scientists have discovered quite a few new creatures on planet Pamishan. They need your help to identify and classify them. Use the dichotomous key on the next page to identify these creatures.



A Key to New Pamishan Creatures

1. a. The creature has a large wide head.....go to 2
 b. The creature has a small narrow head.....go to 3
2. a. It has 2 eyesgo to 4
 b. It has 1 eyego to 5
3. a. There is a star in the middle of the chest.....go to 6
 b. There is no star in the middle of the chestgo to 7
4. a. The creature has hair spikesBrother Sauron
 b. The creature has no hair spikes.....go to 8
5. a. The bottom of the creature is triangularBrother Arthur
 b. The bottom of the creature is diamondBrother Sam
 c. The creature has an oval-shaped bottomBrother Galadriel
6. a. The creature has an oval-shaped bottomBrother Galadriel
 b. The creature has a triangular bottom.....Brother Legolas
7. a. The creature has hairy spikesgo to 9
 b. The creature has no spikes.....go to 10
8. a. There is a star in the middle of the chest.....Brother Aragorn
 b. There is no star in the middle of the chest.....go to 11