Scoring Board Template

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Use the reference

Count the diagonal as one stroke in a group of five. The following filled board is your observation reference.

Player	1	2	3	4	5
A					
B					
C					

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Original prompt

Using the filled example board, calculate Player A's total score across all five columns.

Player	1	2	3	4	5
A					
B					
C					

Answer

Player A's scores are 3, 7, 5, 2 and 9. Adding them gives 3 + 7 + 5 + 2 + 9 = 26.

Reasoning

Each column score is read by counting tally groups of five plus leftovers, then all five column scores are summed.

Check

Recount each cell independently: column 1 has three strokes, column 2 has one group of five plus two, column 3 has one group of five, column 4 has two strokes, column 5 has one group of five plus four. Summing gives 26.