Hour 5:
Podcast B-B-B-B-BONUS-S-S-S-S
General

1. Easy first question. What is the common name for audio programs made available digitally and then downloaded to or streamed on portable electronic devices? In the 2004 article that first named them, other suggestions were “AudioBlogging” and “GuerillaMedia”.

2. This American Life episode “When Patents Attack... Part Two!” included a segment on the patent troll Personal Audio, which has demanded licensing fees from Adam Carolla, Stuff You Should Know, Marc Maron, and others. When did they claim to patent podcasting?

3. Geeks who like open standards (and boring programs like GNU World Order and Lotta linux links) may prefer listening to these programs, that take their name from a container format used by the Vorbis project:

4. The FCC doesn’t have jurisdiction over podcasts, so these seven words enumerated by George Carlin in 1972 are fair game:

Name That Podcast(er)!

5. “You go on WTF, and the host is like ‘Why should I care about you?’ Then you go on The Nerdist, the host is like ‘I care about you too much.’ Then you come here, and the host isn’t aware of what’s happening at all, or who the person is, and all he wants to do is wait for you to say the words ‘my wife.’” --Paul F. Tompkins. What podcast is he talking about?

6. This esteemed Chicago Public Media host appeared on a Professor Blastoff live show impersonating himself and as the elf Alfur on a Thrilling Adventure Hour segment “Touch of Keeble”:

7. While notable for being married to another successful podcaster, this actress also has her own podcast, Who Charted? with Howard Kremer where they listen to and review current pop hits:

8. Mental Illness Happy Hour is hosted by this hackish comic, whose career peaked when he co-hosted TBS’s Dinner and a Movie:

9. Who is founder of Nerdist Industries, and what new Comedy Central panel show has he recently gained more fame for hosting?

10. What musical humorist came to prominence via his “Thing-a-Week” podcast of parodies and novelty songs?
11. Via podcast, you might listen to the answer of the last question now as the house band on what NPR game show?

12. At whose desk do the Tiny Desk Concerts take place?

13. Boomer, Monkey, and La Fonda are the cats of this well-known podcaster and host of *WTF*?

14-21. Name the characters/actors (either one is fine) from left-to-right:

![Image of cartoon characters](image_url)

22. What *is* that above the right-most character’s head?

23. Name the source of the image:

*Radiolab*

24. Host Robert Krulwich attracted controversy for his aggressive interview of Hmong veteran Eng Yang and his niece/translator Kao Kalia Yang during a segment on this unusually colored precipitation:

25. In addition to full-length episodes, Radiolab also releases these podcast-only mini-episodes that “follow some detour or left turn”:
26. The live episode “Apocalyptical” featured a performance by this singer/keyboardist/looping machine user in his native Seattle. Some may know him better for writing the “Comedy Bang! Bang!” theme song:

Mentalpod

27. We mentioned earlier that the host of this show got his big break co-hosting Dinner and a Movie. Name his Dinner and a Movie co-host, who showed up on the very first episode. More recently, she’s played Carly in Burning Love and voiced Korra in The Legend of Korra:

28. As the podcast developed, the host’s traumatic childhood came to light. What happened to him?

29. The host is also an accomplished woodworker in the Danish Modern style. What wooden objects has he recently been giving away to listeners?

30. The #1 and #2 voted episodes of 2012 featured a lot of crying and this mental health professional:

31. On the podcast, bipolar II disorder is given this light-hearted subtitle, taken from the Breakin’ franchise:

Comedy Bang! Bang!

32. Name any two rap battle topics on CB!B!:

33. What happens to Would You Rather suggestions sent to @ScottAukerman?

34. Where does the Would You Rather theme song come from?

35. Since episode 103, what has the Memorial Plugs segment been in memoriam of?

36. Longtime intern at the show and longtime fifteen-year-old Marissa Wompler is enrolled in this special education class:

37. What ingredient did the Cake Boss use too much of in an R2-D2 cake that he accidentally made sentient?

38. If you’re going to Bing it, you should instead use this service:
Totally Laime

39. Who is Elizabeth’s psychic?

40. How did Totally Laime come into being?

Pod F. Tompkast

41. Who does PFT call for chats in many episodes of the show? What is his nickname for that person?

42. What does the Sleepy Voice of the Internet say?

43. What is Academy Award nominated actor John C. Reilly addicted to, according to this podcast?

My Brother, My Brother, And Me

44. Are you Ira Ray?

45. Who is the middlest brother?

46. What is their favorite animal?

Welcome to Night Vale:

47. The writers of Night Vale recently came under fire for an important change to the lineup. Who got changed out, and why was it important?

48. Who is Tamika Flynn and what are her accomplishments?

49. What’s the deal with the dog park?

50. Why is Big Rico’s the best pizza place in Night Vale?

51. Hiram McDaniels is a convicted insurance fraudster and may have murdered someone and stolen their car. However, what reason does current mayor Pamela Winchell cite in declaring him unfit for mayoral office?
The Thrilling Adventure Hour

52. What is the Martian name for Mars on “Sparks Nevada, Marshal on Mars”?

53. What onscreen duo are Frank and Sadie Doyle of “Beyond Belief” loosely based on?

Stuff You Should Know

54. Who are the hosts of the show?

55. What website produces the show?

56. One memorable episode of the show addressed the myotonic goat, which has the unfortunate property of doing what when in danger?

57. Another memorable episode provided details instructions on creating what object, which involves rolling hot rocks around an object with a wooden ball inside and then attaching a boiled covering?

The Grantland Network

58. In many ways, the entire Grantland website spawned out of its founder’s popular podcast. Who is he, and what is his flagship podcast called?

59. That podcast prepared an elaborate 15-hour NBA season preview for the 2013-2014 season, analyzing each team in the league for nearly half an hour. What NBA player cohosted, and for which segment was his personal experience most valuable to the podcast?

60. The podcast aired a live episode in 2012 from a newly prestigious sports convention. Name the convention and any two of the four guests from that event—one NFL coach, one former NBA coach, one NBA GM, and one baseball statistician.

61. The most frequent guest in this podcast’s seven-year history has been the cousin of what late-night TV host, who provides football prognostication?

62. Grantland, however, has another basketball-based podcast, produced by its top NBA writer. What is its punning title?

63. What is the name of Grantland’s soccer-based podcast, and according to its lead-in, from where is it broadcast?
64. That show gave what inaugural honor to what ESPN personality last year, celebrating his
tireless promotion of soccer in America?

65. Name any two of the three “Girls in Hoodies.”

66. The pro wrestling podcast is named after what term, denoting when a heel blatantly
agonizes the audience?

How to Do Everything

67. The hosts of the show, Mike and Ian, primarily work as the producers of what NPR
program?

68. In a recurring segment, viewers are invited to call in and describe particularly distinctive
examples of what architectural features that they have encountered?

69. A recent episode centered upon how to avoid what common action while driving—
to which the best answer appears to be having someone say something totally random so as to
confuse your brain?

The Final Level

70. Finish the name of a segment on Ice-T’s new podcast: “I’m not a hater, but _ ____
___”

71. Paul F. Tompkins recently got a phone call from Ice-T, one of the celebrities he
impersonated. Why was it funny?

Nerdist

72. The Nerdist’s most popular interview episode features Tom Hanks. What did the hosts
give Hanks to convince him to come on the show?

Doug Loves Movies

73. The host reads a vague description of the movie from this man’s criticism and the year
of the movie, along with a punny description of the movie category. Then contestants go
around and say how few actors’ names they need listed to correctly identify the movie.
What critic and MST3000 guest star is this game named after?
74. What other pot-themed podcast does Doug Benson host?

Advertisers

75. Where would podcasting be without advertisers? While we don’t have space to ask you about Stamps.com, NatureBox, SquareSpace, HostGator, Audible.com, or Extreme Restraints, we will ask you to name the advertisers in the blanks in this limerick from the Andy Daly Podcast Pilot Project pilot “Kiss Me, I’m Patrick McMahon LIVE!”:

When goin’ online to buy clothes
Best go to the place everyone knows
   If you’re Union and a Team-tress
   You won’t need a seamstress
Because I hope _____ _____, ______, and _______ is what you chose.