

# Atlantis FAQ

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Answer: **STING**

Step 1. Realize that each question on the first page has as a punny answer that sounds like a band name. Find the band for each:

Question	Punny answer	Band name
Why don't mouths float?	Lips sink.	Lipps Inc.
In table tennis, what happens when pong loses?	Ping wins.	The Penguins
What title did Dogbert take for himself after convincing a technical writer to join the dark side?	Tina turner	Tina Turner
What do you call a wind storm in a quartz mine?	A crystal gale.	Crystal Gale
Why do you suppose those guys look so much closer than they actually are?	They might be giants.	They Might be Giants
Whet button mekes your browser return to the lest pege?	Beck.	Beck
What do you get when you put a near-failing grade atop a combat-ready candle tip?	D on war wick.	Dionne Warwick
What objects are resilient to moss?	Rolling stones.	Rolling Stones
What do you call it when a magician makes baby chick sounds come from his hat?	A cheep trick.	Cheap Trick
What kind of predator would a noisy antelope prefer to encounter?	A deaf leopard.	Def Leppard
What do you get when you fill cash registers with buzzers?	Bee tills	The Beatles
Where can you cultivate plants in the Seattle area?	A Sound garden.	Soundgarden
Where does a Peanuts kid go to sit on a teeter-totter?	Marcy playground.	Marcy Playground
What royal evidence do careless criminals leave at crime scenes?	Prints.	Prince
What is Rosencrantz & Guildenstern are Frozen, A Midwinter Night's Dream, or Snow Angels in America?	A cold play.	Coldplay
If a police officer substitutes a false god for his club, what is he carrying?	A billy idol.	Billy Idol
How can one make monthly payments on a Teletubby rather than buying it outright?	The Po lease.	The Police
Does the koi go in or come out?	The carp enters.	The Carpenters
What do Internet-savvy fish breathe through?	E-gills.	The Eagles
What do you get by defining the macro MAGIC_NUMBER to be 43962?	ABBA.	Abba
How do males meet people who can help them with their careers?	Men network.	Men at Work
What does it take to make "ole" into a word-finding	B, G's.	Bee Gees

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What would you get if you spilled minestrone on stacks of paper?	Soup reams.	The Supremes
What's only 1/16 of a cup but is very affectionate?	The lovin' spoonful.	The Lovin' Spoonful
What do you call 16 crazy computer programmers?	10000 maniacs.	10000 Maniacs

Step 2. Realize that each answer on the second page is a response to a question posed by lyrics of a song. Each song is performed by a different band from the previous step. To aid in this step, the songs appear in alphabetical order. Determine, for each answer, the lyrical question, what song it came from, and which band performed that song:

<b>Answer</b>	<b>Lyrical question</b>	<b>Song</b>	<b>Band</b>
No, I'm a little busy devouring galaxies and light itself to bother with weather control.	Black hole sun, won't you come and wash away the rain?	Black Hole Sun	Soundgarden
My molasses offsets my sweet granules in a really appetizing way.	Ah, brown sugar, how come you taste so good?	Brown Sugar	Rolling Stones
I attract them by carrying worms and seeds in my pocket.	Why do birds suddenly appear every time you are near?	Close to You	The Carpenters
I think I'm being perfectly rational considering I'm a bold and reckless outlaw.	Desperado, why don't you come to your senses?	Desperado	The Eagles
Generally, I do, but that whole sawing a lady in half thing really strains my credulity.	Do you believe in magic?	Do You Believe in Magic	The Lovin' Spoonful
Yes, you just follow 880 south past Fremont and Milpitas.	Do You Know the Way to San Jose?	Do You Know the Way to San Jose?	Dionne Warwick
It don't. If anything, it makes them even darker. I recommend contacts instead.	Don't it make my brown eyes blue?	Don't it Make my Brown Eyes Blue	Crystal Gale
No, I come from Greenland, where females actually <i>absorb</i> light and males don't loot like pirates.	Do you come from a land down under, where women glow and men plunder?	Down Under	Men at Work
I might never get my wings if I did. You should get yourself a Mars devil instead.	Earth angel, earth angel, will you be mine?	Earth Angel	The Penguins
No, I can see nothing of the kind. I'm my own woman, mister!	Oh, can't you see you belong to me?	Every Breath You Take	The Police

First of all, my name's Francisco. And, to answer your question, YES, and if you don't stop playing them so loudly I'm calling the landlord.	Can you hear the drums, Fernando?	Fernando	Abba
No, I'm only going as far as Freaky City.	Won't you take me to Funkytown?	Funkytown	Lipps Inc.
My devotion is at least several fathoms.	How deep is your love?	How Deep is Your Love	Bee Gees
No, you didn't; no, you didn't; no, you didn't; I just had sand in my eye.	Didn't I, didn't I, didn't I see you cryin'?	I Want You to Want Me	Cheap Trick
Because they'd send me to the electric chair, regardless of how low your self-esteem was.	I'm a loser, baby, so why don't you kill me?	Loser	Beck
Neither – I'd classify him more as a mote.	Is he a dot, or is he a speck?	Particle Man	They Might be Giants
Sure, after a long day of destroying buildings while wearing high heels, I could use a male companion.	Demolition woman, can I be your man?	Pour Some Sugar on Me	Def Leppard
I think the person insidiously looking your way is Joe.	Who's that casting devious stares in my direction?	Sex and Candy	Marcy Playground
Of course. If I didn't feel like one, I wouldn't be here in this conference room doing nothing but for thirty hours straight.	Do you feel like a puzzle?	Talk	Coldplay
Because I like my "droopy shoulders" look, and, besides, I think your latissimus dorsi aren't particularly suited to carrying this load.	Why let your shoulders bend underneath this burden when my back is sturdy and strong?	Trouble Me	10000 Maniacs
Not only is it a feeling the fastest-moving part of a clock face would have, it's also a tennis score.	What's love but a second-hand emotion?	What's Love Got to Do with It	Tina Turner
It's easy, I just take your chair and your space heater and leave.	How can you just leave me standing alone in a world that's so cold?	When Doves Cry	Prince
Sure, you're kind of handy to have around, and food'll be pretty cheap once you've got a senior	Will you still need me, will you still feed me, when I'm	When I'm 64	The Beatles

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Well, big brother, I've accomplished a lot.	Hey, little sister, what have you done?	White Wedding	Billy Idol
I don't have anywhere else to go but your place, and I don't have any other vital organs to amuse myself with.	Why do you keep a coming around, playing with my heart?	You Keep Me Hangin' On	The Supremes

Step 3. Sort the songs so that their band names appear in the same order as the band names from step 1. Then, index into the song title using the number of exclamation points at the end of the corresponding answer. This yields:

Artist	Song	Index	Letter
Lipps Inc.	Funkytown	8	W
The Penguins	Earth Angel	5	H
Tina Turner	What's Love Got to Do with It	3	A
Crystal Gale	Don't it Make my Brown Eyes Blue	4	T
They Might be Giants	Particle Man	6	C
Beck	Loser	2	O
Dionne Warwick	Do You Know the Way to San Jose?	7	N
Rolling Stones	Brown Sugar	8	G
Cheap Trick	I Want You to Want Me	3	A
Def Leppard	Pour Some Sugar on Me	7	M
The Beatles	When I'm 64	3	E
Soundgarden	Black Hole Sun	4	C
Marcy Playground	Sex and Candy	4	A
Prince	When Doves Cry	4	N
Coldplay	Talk	2	A
Billy Idol	White Wedding	6	W
The Police	Every Breath You Take	9	A
The Carpenters	Close to You	4	S
The Eagles	Desperado	4	P
Abba	Fernando	7	D
Men at Work	Down Under	2	O
Bee Gees	How Deep is Your Love	3	W
The Supremes	You Keep Me Hangin' On	5	E
The Lovin' Spoonful	Do You Believe in Magic	8	L
10000 Maniacs	Trouble Me	6	L

The letters read **WHAT CON GAME CAN A WASP DO WELL?**

Step 4. Like the questions posed in the first part of this puzzle, the answer to this question is a band name. The answer is **STING**.