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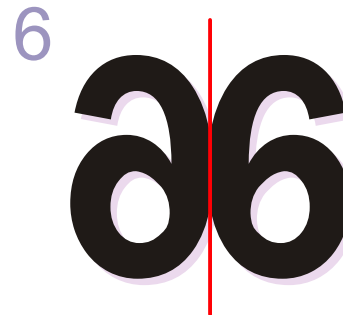
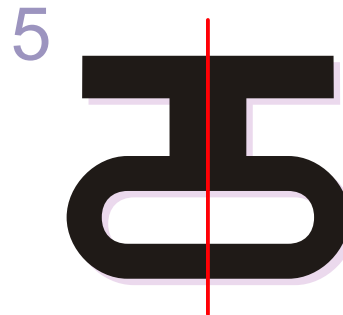
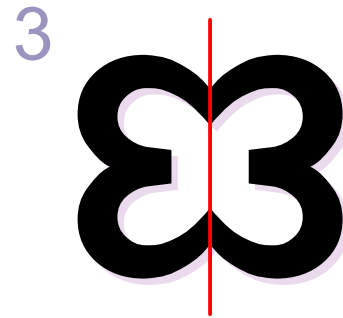
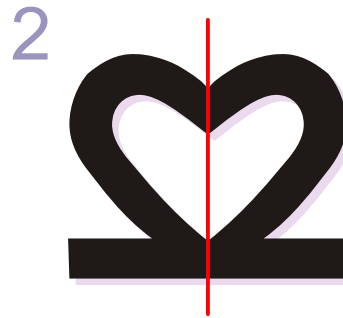
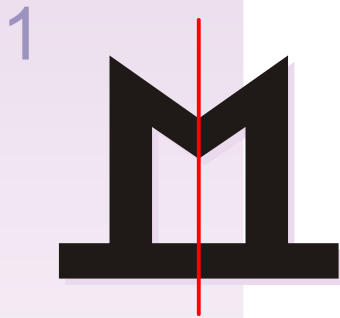
Next Symbol

after Martin Gardner

What symbol has to come next in the sequence of the five symbols in the illustration? Can you sketch this sixth figure?

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Next Symbol (solution)

As shown in the illustration each figure in the sequence is formed of one of the numerals 1 through 5 and its mirror reflection joined together as the right and left parts of the figure. The vertical lines of symmetry are shown in red.

Thus the sixth figure has to be the 6 combined with its mirror reflection as shown.