Tetris: the most popular video game ever

There is an almost **(1)**…………… (LIMITED) number of video games on the market today and you could be forgiven for being under the **(2)**…………… (IMPRESS) that the best ones are those packed with special effects, requiring great techniques. Nothing could be further from the **(3)**…………… (TRUE). The favourite game of all time is also one of the oldest and most basic: Tetris. The player has to fit a **(4)**…………… (VARY) of shapes together on the screen. When a whole row is made without gaps between the blocks, the line vanishes. Should a line remain **(5)**…………… (COMPLETE), however, new blocks will build up on top of it. Once the screen's full, the game's over.

Part of the **(6)**…………… (APPEALING) is that anyone can play Tetris. Scientists also believe that the game's **(7)**…………… (POPULAR) is due to the fact that it makes our brains work with greater **(8)** …………… (EFFICIENT). The more we play, the easier it becomes, so we carry on, **(9)**…………… (CONTINUE) trying to beat our last high score.