4-KOMA A4-TO-A5 TITLE: ISSUE/MONTH: AYOUT BOARD CREATOR(S): DATE: 4 3 2 7 8 11: 11 11 12 TRIM 3 4 THIS BOARD PRINTS AT 70.7% TRIM The 4-Koma boxes are indicated by the solid lines in the Live Area. 4-Koma can be two vertical strips or a single double-wide strip. Each 4-Koma has its own title. Two 4-Komas can be tied together by using a single title-banner across the page Traditionally, 4-Koma (Yonkoma) follow a structure called Kishōtenketsu a compound word formed from these Japanese Kanji characters:

Ki: The first panel forms the basis of the story; it sets the scene.

Shō. The second panel develops the story set up in the first pane

Ten: The third panel is the climax in which an unforeseen development occ

Ketsu: The fourth panel is the conclusion, in which the effects of the third panel are shown.