

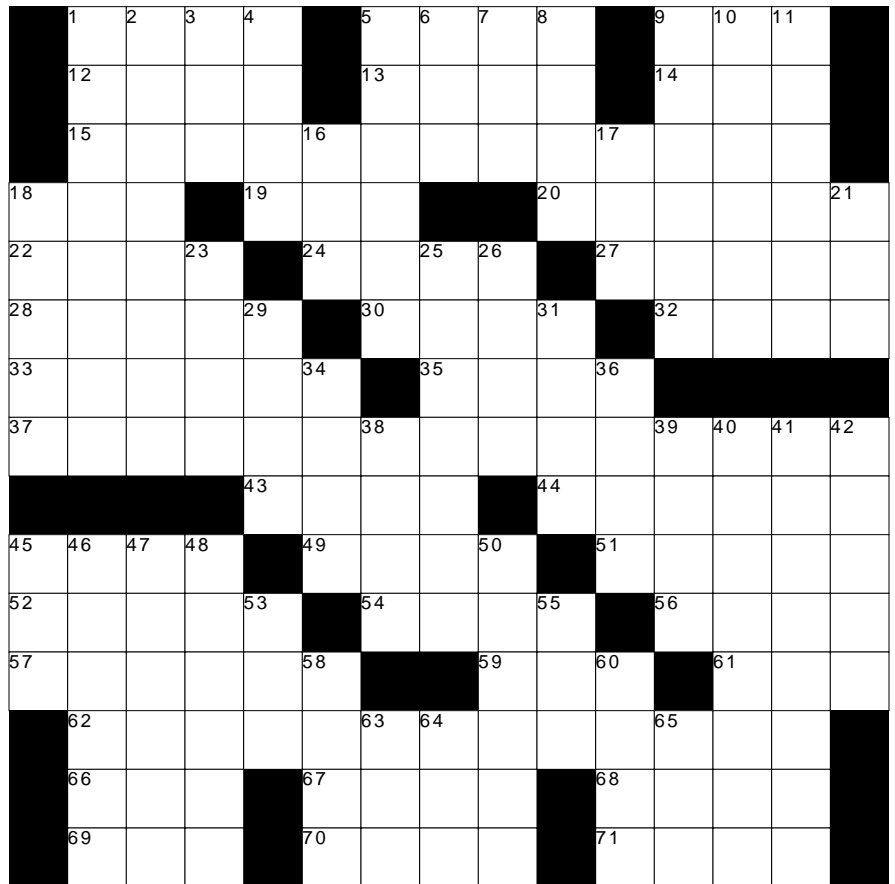
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Across

- 1 Fruit centers
- 5 Came out even
- 9 Hoop group
- 12 OPEC member
- 13 Cow catcher
- 14 Graceless person
- 15 Two of a septet
- 18 Mid-11th-century date
- 19 Inventor of the PC
- 20 Something to dunk
- 22 Pet store purchase
- 24 Little bits
- 27 Stone Age spouse
- 28 For any reason
- 30 Paper mill material
- 32 List with ease, with "off"
- 33 Italian Renaissance artist
- 35 Hold back, with "in"
- 37 Two of a septet
- 43 Restaurant rating site
- 44 Jazz trumpeter Sandoval
- 45 Low-pH
- 49 Canvas covering
- 51 Ready to go home
- 52 Gimlet garnishes
- 54 French evening
- 56 Central point
- 57 Be enjoyable
- 59 Numerical suffix
- 61 It's nothing
- 62 Three of a septet
- 66 Bracket shape
- 67 Family nickname
- 68 Roll for a hole
- 69 Starfish arm
- 70 Action film superheroes
- 71 Keats creations

Down

- 1 Amscray, for instance
- 2 Hose down, say
- 3 Frat letter
- 4 Any of the USA's 3.8 million



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- 5 Dust collector
- 6 Plunder
- 7 MPG monitor
- 8 Needle point
- 9 "That's cheating!"
- 10 Showy ornament
- 11 Burning
- 16 Vegan lunch
- 17 Chop down
- 18 Dr. hopefuls' hurdles
- 21 Pump meas.
- 23 Writer Wiesel
- 25 Start getting paid to play
- 26 Cold weather carrier
- 29 Slothful
- 31 It's 8-Down of Florence
- 34 Security Council veto
- 36 Union election agcy.
- 38 "Regrettably..."
- 39 Where Aldous Huxley once taught
- 40 Bill in Barcelona
- 41 Forecasts
- 42 Falsetto refrain
- 45 Just like
- 46 Do arithmetic
- 47 Gazelle cousin
- 48 With much feeling
- 50 Ersatz Frisbee
- 53 Dolt
- 55 GPS offering
- 58 Forest feline
- 60 Shot, for short
- 63 Current stopper
- 64 What's not a 40-Down
- 65 Clunker