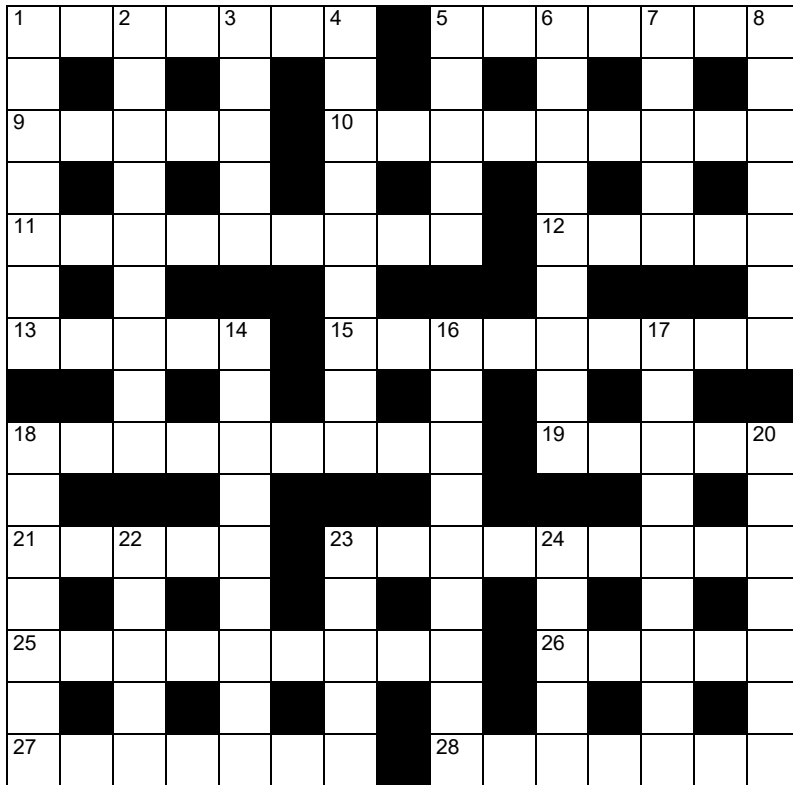


## Quick Crossword



### ACROSS

1. Imitator (7)
5. Slim (7)
9. Transactions (5)
10. Blizzard (9)
11. Exaggerate (9)
12. Letter of Greek alphabet (5)
13. Woodland god (5)
15. Streamlined (9)
18. Boundary (9)
19. The same (L) (5)
21. Decorate (5)
23. Neat, orderly (9)
25. Sausage dog (9)
26. Horse straps (5)
27. Agony (7)
28. Neither here nor there (7)

### DOWN

1. Traditions (7)
2. Synthetic fabric (9)
3. Expenses (5)
4. Profession of belief (9)
5. Range (5)
6. Safely settled (9)
7. Unmanned aircraft (5)
8. Out of control (7)
14. Recall the past (9)
16. Prohibited (9)
17. Depart (9)
18. Accolade (7)
20. Supervise (7)
22. Take place (5)
23. Daring skillful act (5)
24. Propeller (5)

### Yesterday's solution

**Across:** 1. Crocodile tears, 10. Umami, 11. Salvation, 12. Agitate, 13. Suspect, 14. Antic, 16. Beekeeper, 19. Eccentric, 20. Traps, 22. Baptism, 25. Impinge, 27. Orchestra, 28. Afire, 29. Larger-than-life.  
**Down:** 2. Realistic, 3. China, 4. Dismember, 5. Lolls, 6. Transient, 7. Abide, 8. Senator, 9. Guyana, 15. Centipede, 17. Enchilada, 18. Plaintiff, 19. Embroil, 21. Skewer, 23. Pacer, 24. Motet, 26. Pearl.

## WordBuilder

How many words of three or more letters, including plurals, can you make from the five letters, using each letter only once?

No foreign words or words beginning with a capital are allowed. There's at least one five-letter word.

# A M S E H

Good 11 Very Good 14 Excellent 18

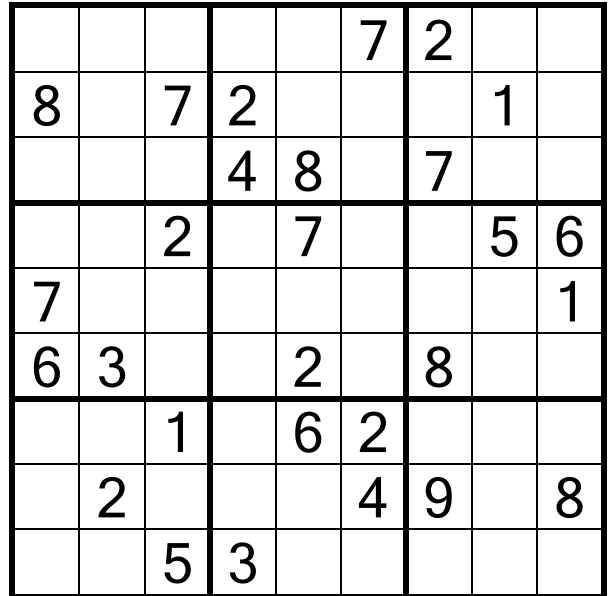


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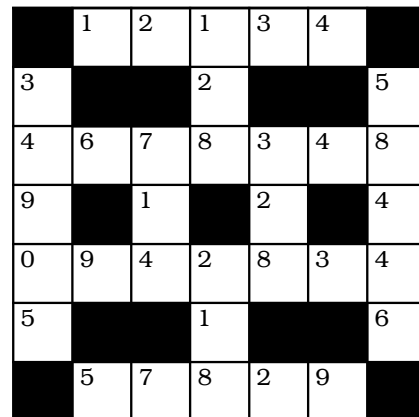
## Sudoku

Fill in the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains the digits 1 to 9

Medium



## Simon Shuker's Mini Code-Cracker



Numbers have been substituted for letters. Use the letter(s) given to work out the rest of the puzzle.

**1 = C**  
**2 = A**

8	9	1	2	5	6	7	4	3
6	4	2	8	3	7	1	5	9
5	7	3	9	1	4	2	6	8
1	6	4	5	8	2	9	3	7
3	8	9	4	7	1	6	2	5
2	5	7	6	9	3	8	1	4
9	2	6	3	4	8	5	7	1
7	3	8	1	2	5	4	9	6
4	1	5	7	6	9	3	8	2

### Yesterday's solutions



are, ares, awe, awes, ear, ears, era, eras, ers, rase, raw, res, resaw, saw, sea, sear, sera, sew, sware, swear, war, ware, wares, wars, was, wear, wears

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