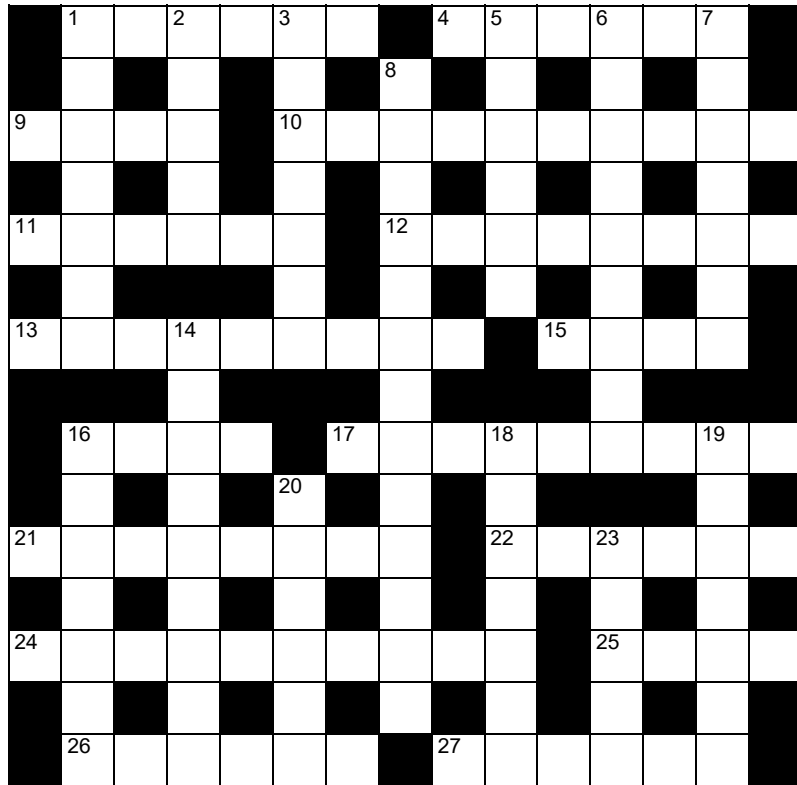


Quick Crossword



ACROSS

1. Hit repeatedly (6)
4. Robber (6)
9. Spiral (4)
10. Drink of vodka and tomato juice (6,4)
11. Killjoy (colloq) (6)
12. Subject without clearly defined rules (4,4)
13. Small, fast battleship (9)
15. Make a run for it (4)
16. Con trick (4)
17. Filled with wonder (9)
21. Eternal (8)
22. State categorically (6)
24. Juvenile (10)
25. Regrettably (4)
26. Wayward (6)
27. Blush (6)

DOWN

1. Make a suggestion (7)
2. Turns to liquid (5)
3. Trade ban (7)
5. Bewildered (6)
6. Outward behaviour (9)
7. Fast stream of water (7)
8. Alliterative series of words (6,7)
14. Voyager (9)
16. Cheat (7)
18. Surprise (7)
19. Sure (7)
20. Motive (6)
23. Burn (5)

Yesterday's solution

Across: 1. Nucleus, 5. Mascara, 9. Minus, 10. Ascertain, 11. Senseless, 12. Needs, 13. Scrap, 15. Animosity, 18. Component, 19. Taper, 21. Undue, 23. Strenuous, 25. Fortunate, 26. Duped, 27. Dodder, 28. Torture.
Down: 1. Nemesis, 2. Conundrum, 3. Ensue, 4. Stalemate, 5. Mocks, 6. Strung out, 7. Abate, 8. Amnesty, 14. Prosecute, 16. Intersect, 17. Impromptu, 18. Chuffed, 20. Residue, 22. Dared, 23. Scary, 24. Nadir.

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 D R B I

Good 9 Very Good 15 Excellent 20



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Sudoku

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

Medium

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

Simon Shuker's Mini Code-Cracker

	1	2	2	3	4	
5			6			7
1	3	7	1	3	7	1
8		6		8		3
9	8	6	9	0	1	9
6			8			6
	2	1	5	5	4	

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

1 = A

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

Yesterday's solutions

	I	T	A	L	I	C
L				I		L
E	A	T	E	N		I
T		E		E		C
H		P	I	N	C	H
A		I				E
L	A	D	L	E	D	

act, ats, acts, cast, cat, cats, coast, coat, coats, cos, cost, costa, cot, cots, oast, oat, oats, oca, ocas, sac, sat, scat, scot, soca, sot, stoa, taco, tacos, tosa