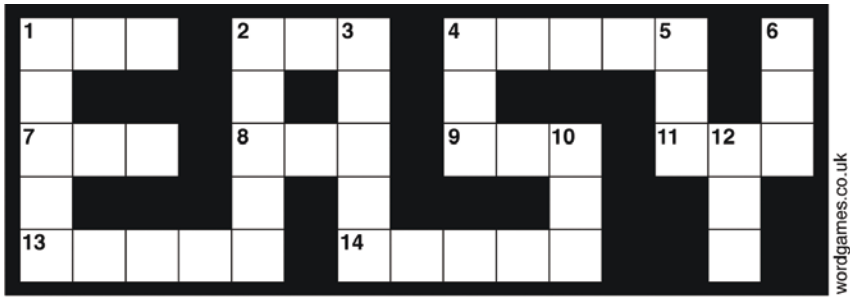


EASY CROSSWORD



- CLUES ACROSS**  
 1 Canter  
 2 Irritate or needle  
 4 Ornate or decorative  
 7 Climbing plant  
 8 Belonging to us  
 9 Baby-talk for the stomach  
 11 Fall asleep or . . . off  
 13 Score, especially one kept by notches  
 14 Gentle push with the elbow
- CLUES DOWN**  
 1 Supporting beam  
 2 Horn-like substance of tusks  
 3 Muslim holy book  
 4 Obese  
 5 Currency in Japan  
 6 Piece of grass and soil  
 10 Pneumatic life-jacket or . . . West  
 12 Yob
- LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS**  
**Across:** 1 Wig 2 Sup 4 Young 7 Tan 8 Ire 9 Tic 11 Dry 13 Haste 14 Nasty  
**Down:** 1 Watch 2 Shine 3 Preen 4 Yet 5 God 6 Hay 10 Coy 12 Ram

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bed  
burrow  
rock  
immense  
goblet  
barmaid  
desert  
fable  
sailor  
smile

**CLUE**  
decorate fabric

Write the words forwards, back, up or down onto the sticks and make sense of the crossing letters

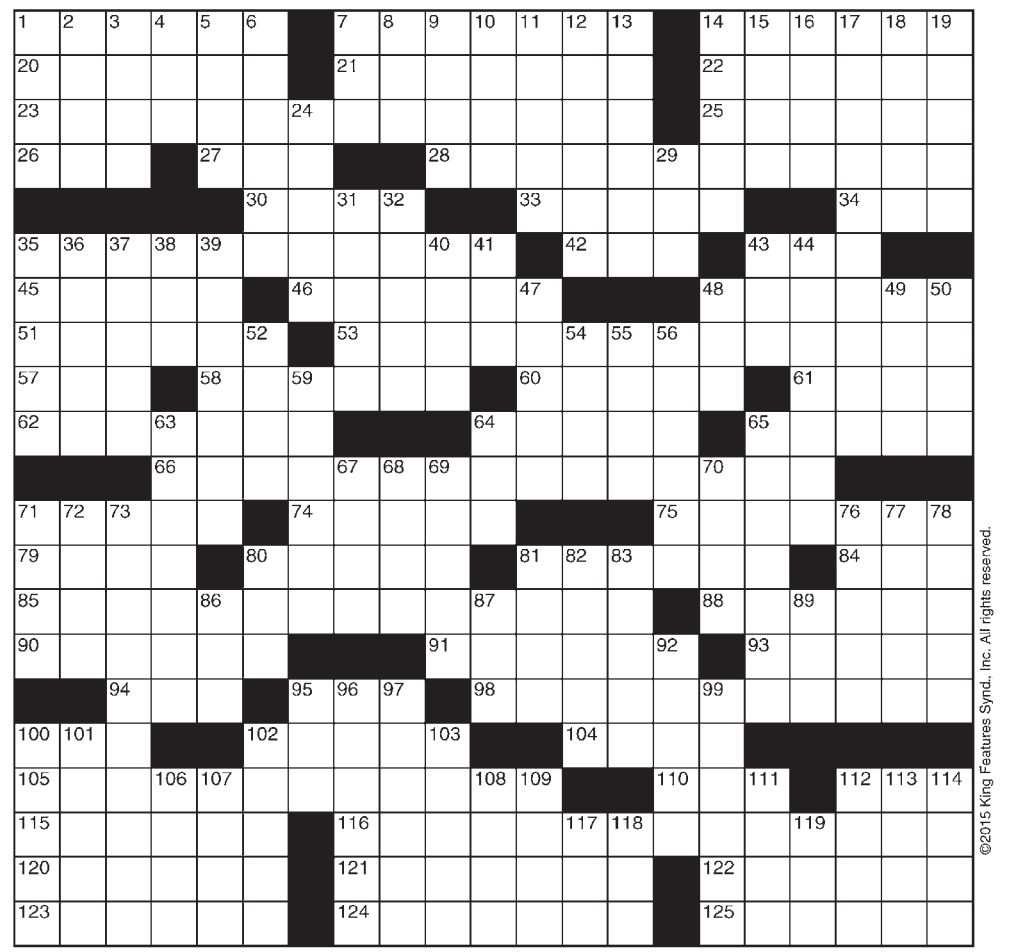
WORD FIND

**BC**  
**BIZ**  
**CHUCKLEBROS**  
**CRANKYGIRL**  
**HOLYMOLE**  
**HOXWINDERHALL**  
**KARMACAFE**  
**LOOSEPARTS**  
**OFFTHEMARK**  
**PICKLES**  
**RALFTHEDESTROYER**  
**SPECTICKLES**  
**SQUIDROW**  
**THATMONKEYTUNE**  
**THEDEPEND**  
**THEDOOZIES**  
**TUNDRA**  
**WIZARDOFID**

Z I W O R D I U Q S P E C K S T T E  
 E L F A N U T T U N D R A R T U H N  
 H T E E F E H U I S H E R E N N E U  
 O F F A C T E S T I O Y L D E E D T  
 L L A H R E D N I W X O H E E L E S  
 Y R C L A P O E E Z Z O R E D O Z E S  
 M I A O N Q O L R I G T H O X W P E  
 O O M O K B Z O A W S S S O D E E R  
 L X R S Y W I Z F O I E A Z I W N D  
 E T A O G O E Z R F P D L E F R D I  
 N O K L I R S B O A T E A K E E P F  
 A C L E R K E A R O X H K R C A T O  
 M K B M L L A T R R M T E O Z I R D  
 S G A A K Z S T A Y I F I M I R P R  
 S P E C T I C K L E S L O V A L A A  
 E N U T Y E K N O M T A H T O R R Z  
 H H D N I W H O X W E R A L R R K I  
 C O W S S R A L F T E A R M W I S W

SUPER CROSSWORD: CAN'T YOU SEE IM DIZZY?

- ACROSS**  
 1 Bar mitzvah language  
 7 Its capital is Montgomery  
 14 Old jazz buff  
 20 Henry II player Peter  
 21 Horse feed supporter  
 22 106-Down on Cal Ripken's cap  
 23 Amaze a Sherlock Holmes portrayer?  
 25 — acid (corrosive liquid)  
 26 — -mo  
 27 Brighton brew  
 28 12-month famine?  
 30 Trendy berry in juices  
 33 Shire of film  
 34 Goddess of the dawn  
 35 Singer Brown got dressed?  
 42 Gridiron gains: Abbr.  
 43 Pen giant  
 45 Make reparations  
 46 Cosa — (Mafia's kin)
- DOWN**  
 1 Mortar trays  
 2 List-ending abbr.  
 3 TV clown  
 4 "Frasier" woman  
 5 Jazz singer Fitzgerald  
 6 Li'l fellow  
 7 Gasleyer of "Mean Girls"  
 8 Truckload  
 9 Deadly pale  
 10 Neuwirth of "Frasier"  
 11 "If I Had —" (Lyle Lovett song)  
 12 American avant-garde artist  
 13 Antediluvian  
 14 Toyota rival  
 15 Iroquois foe  
 16 Falafel bread  
 17 Amendment  
 18 Samuel of justice  
 19 PC whizzes  
 24 Intel mission  
 29 Hi — (stereos)  
 31 Positive pole  
 32 Atlas feature  
 35 Son of Isaac  
 36 Video game name
- ACROSS**  
 48 Areas of expertise  
 51 Provides party platters  
 53 Determine which team scored?  
 57 Supper scrap  
 58 "Egypt — up like a flood": Jeremiah 46:8  
 60 "NO TURN —" (traffic sign)  
 61 Octa- plus one  
 62 Relative of a résumé  
 64 Judge on the bench, e.g.  
 65 Bee creation  
 66 Fact about a consolidation loan?  
 71 Two-spot  
 74 University in Atlanta  
 75 In — (owing)  
 79 Old science magazine  
 80 Balance pan  
 81 Pittsburgh's Carnegie — University  
 84 Instructors' org.  
 85 Sub-shop blaze?
- DOWN**  
 86 Relative key of B minor  
 90 Michelangelo work  
 91 California wine region  
 93 Old Greek market  
 94 Erwin of old films  
 95 "The Tell-Tale Heart" tale-teller  
 98 Moola earned by a love god?  
 100 Blocks from the freezer  
 102 Is up against Berkshire  
 104 School in  
 105 Road named after singer Deanna?  
 110 Seeded loaf  
 112 — Alamitos, California  
 115 Thinking the world of  
 116 What to do to socks that tear every 24 hours?  
 120 Appear  
 121 Asinine  
 122 Late actress Brennan  
 123 Hot — (drag racer)  
 124 Turn from a straight line
- ACROSS**  
 125 Say "no" to  
 37 Catchphrase on the fly  
 38 Phenyl ender  
 39 Saw-toothed  
 40 Ingrain  
 41 Soft & —  
 43 Jazz genre  
 44 Limonite, e.g.  
 47 Worship  
 48 Nursed, say  
 49 Kin of -ess  
 50 Don't depart  
 52 Uses a stool  
 54 Writer Blyton  
 55 Grove plant  
 56 Kind of tea  
 59 — Field (Mariners' stadium)  
 63 Most chancy  
 64 "— will be done"  
 65 Very irate  
 67 Arabian Sea country  
 68 Actor's part  
 69 Long lock of hair  
 70 Stomped  
 71 Tip, as a hat  
 72 Arab bigwig  
 73 Frank and open  
 76 Pear variety  
 77 Corp. shuffling  
 78 Mother of Isaac  
 80 — -cone  
 81 List of dishes
- DOWN**  
 82 Get hitched on the fly  
 83 Maximum  
 86 Post-OR area  
 87 OR worker  
 89 Before now  
 92 Prettyfy  
 95 "NerdTV" network  
 96 Bested  
 97 Online investing site  
 99 Tom of "Tomorrow"  
 101 Pataki's predecessor Mario  
 102 Make furious  
 103 Font flourish  
 106 Nest builder  
 107 "Picnic" dramatist William  
 108 Organic compound  
 109 Head, to Gigi  
 111 Falco with four Emmys  
 112 In — of (rather than)  
 113 Jai-alai cries  
 114 "Auld Lang —"  
 117 Amp plug-in  
 118 Masquerade  
 119 Furry TV alien



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