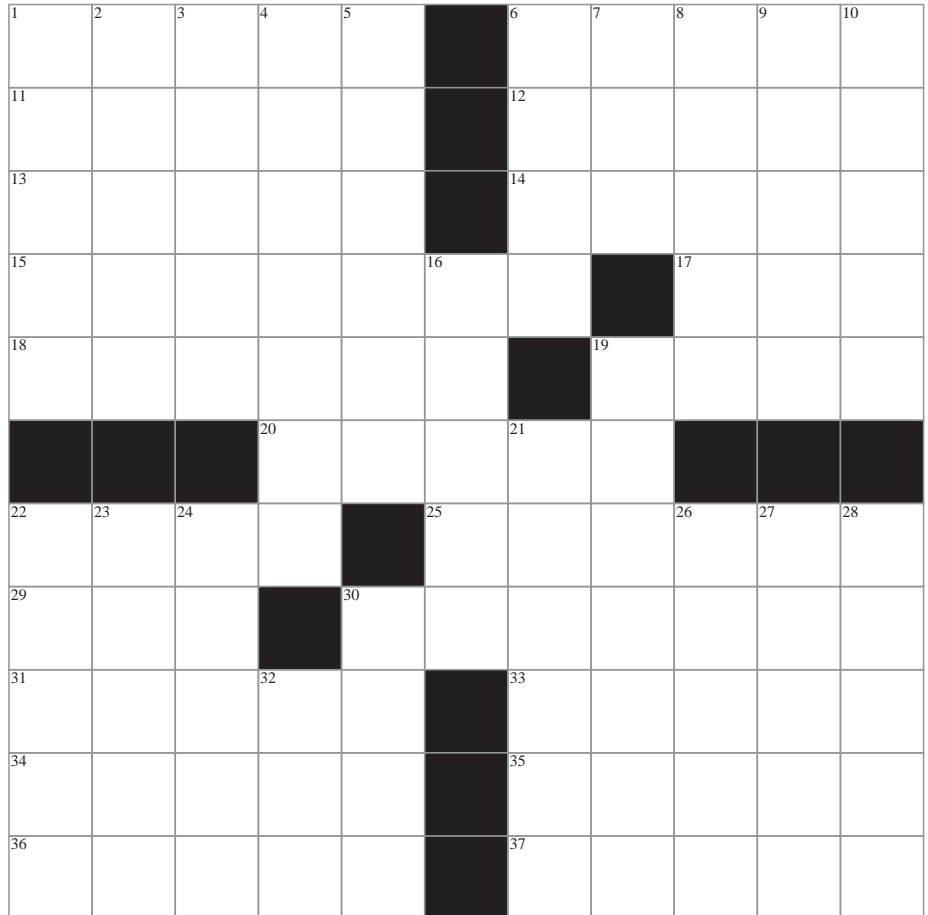


ACROSS

- 1: lacquerware decorated and varnished in the _____ese manner with a glossy durable black lacquer
- 6: a face veil covering the lower part of the face (up to the eyes) worn by observant Muslim women
- 11: feeling or showing extreme anger
- 12: frogs, toads, tree toads
- 13: homosexual or arousing homosexual desires
- 14: a storyteller in West Africa; perpetuates the oral traditions of a family or village
- 15: pain in the gums
- 17: a number you choose and use to gain access to various accounts
- 18: a member of one of four linguistic divisions of the prehistoric Greeks
- 19: ctenophores lacking tentacles; comprises one genus: beroe
- 20: either of two large African antelopes of the genus Taurotragus having short spirally twisted horns in both sexes
- 22: the sixth month of the civil year; the twelfth month of the ecclesiastic year in the Jewish calendar (in February and March)
- 25: a person who wants or needs something
- 29: the exponent required to produce a given number
- 30: a city of central Iraq to the south of Baghdad; a holy city for Shiite Muslims because it is the site of the tomb of Mohammed's grandson who was killed there in 680
- 31: a naturally occurring glyceride of oleic acid that is found in fats and oils
- 33: a blemish on the skin that is formed before birth
- 34: cubes of meat or seafood cooked in hot oil and then dipped in any of various sauces
- 35: any of several slow-moving arboreal mammals of South America and Central America; they hang from branches back downward and feed on leaves and fruits
- 36: subject to a process or _____ment, with the aim of readying for some purpose, improving, or remedying a condition
- 37: a religious doctrine that is proclaimed as true without proof

DOWN

- 1: Cuban timber tree with hard wood very resistant to moisture
- 2: an artificial language intended for international use as an auxiliary language



- 3: (ancient Greece) a hymn of praise (especially one sung in ancient Greece to invoke or thank a deity)
- 4: a studio especially for an artist or designer
- 5: (Akkadian) god ruling with his consort Ereshkigal the world of the dead
- 6: Kamarupan languages spoken in northeastern India and western Burma
- 7: an agency that is the primary source in the State Department for interpretive analyses of global developments and focal point for policy issues and activities of the Intelligence Community
- 8: calculator consisting of a cord with attached cords; used by ancient Peruvians for calculating and keeping records
- 9: any plant of the family Araceae; have small flowers massed on a spadix surrounded by a large spathe
- 10: a town in north central Algeria
- 16: devoid of intelligence
- 19: a Bantu language sometimes considered a dialect of Zulu

- 21: German physicist and chemist who formulated the third law of thermodynamics (1864-1941)
- 22: in the higher atmosphere above the earth
- 23: (poetry) painful grief
- 24: a yellow pungent volatile oil (trade name _____) formerly used for bleaching and aging flour
- 26: red dual-purpose cattle of English origin
- 27: wash out with a solvent, as in chromatography
- 28: city in northwestern Iran near the Caspian Sea
- 30: king of Denmark and Norway who forced Edmund II to divide England with him; on the death of Edmund II, Canute became king of all England (994-1035)
- 32: an agency of the United Nations affiliated with the World Bank