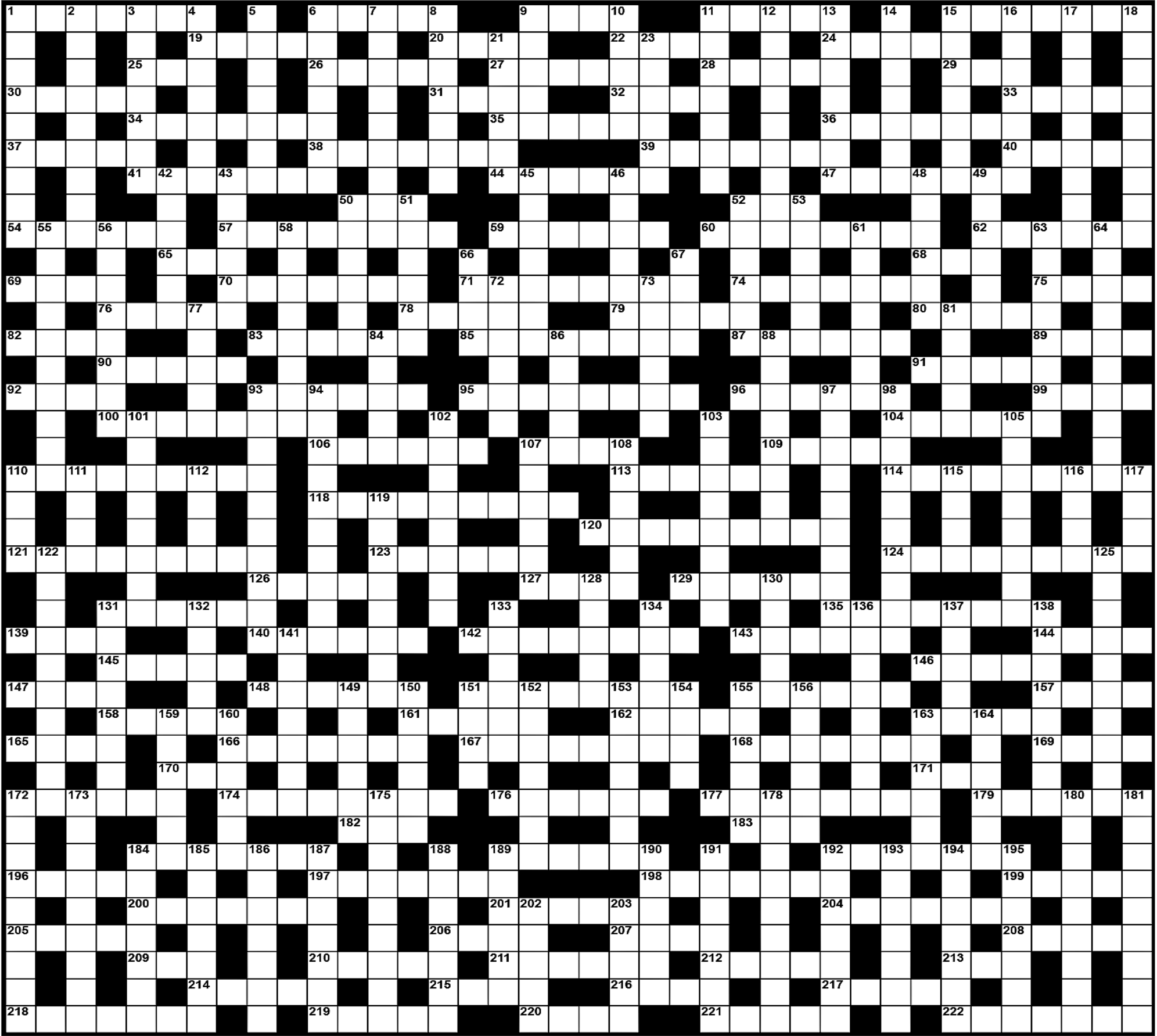




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1 Model of excellence

6 Local dialect

9 Group of cattle

11 Sharp-tasting

15 Groups of seven

19 Poppy drug

20 Church recess

22 South African money

24 Follow on

25 Small pest

26 Tablets

27 Colouring agent

28 Made a choice

29 Marsupial (abb)

30 Part of hand

31 Legal wrong

32 Small rodent

33 Dark period

34 On the side

35 Caught sight of

36 Call together

37 Rent on property

38 Makes certain

39 Most simple

40 Rub out

41 House cleaners

44 Is on one's feet

47 Haven

50 For each

52 Our last month (abb)

54 Learned writing

57 Set free

59 Bring back to life

60 Permanent dweller

62 Capered around

65 A pig

68 Knot

69 Olden tale

70 Thick

71 Gives for safe-keeping

74 Kitchen tool

75 Spaces

76 Judged

78 Object

79 Upstanding

80 Picture stand

82 Leave out

83 Badly paid worker

85 Chaired meeting

87 A sailor

89 Small measure

90 A flower

91 Acting

92 Small piece of land

93 Go unfed

95 Give new orders

96 Angled

99 Dutch cheese

100 Faster

104 Complete

106 Farmed

107 Breeding place

109 Rig out

110 Cessation of war

113 Stand down

114 Remains too long

118 Animal shells

120 Fond feeling

121 Moved clumsily

123 Leguminous plant

124 Will minders

126 Hang down

127 Groups

129 Walk clumsily

131 Attack

135 Playing games

139 Applaud

140 Turns outwards

142 Rigid leader

143 Clothes fastener

144 An air

145 Fold in garment

146 More aged

147 Disfigure

148 Stamps

151 Disagrees

155 Parts of dresses

157 Flat plate

158 Greek letter

161 Give out one's thoughts

162 Oily fruit

163 Waterside plant

165 Small skirt

166 Type of singer

167 Turned back to

168 Pictorial story

169 Metal fastener

170 Biblical figure

171 Consumed

172 Niche

174 Patterned

176 Give a sermon

177 Writer of music

179 Carrier

182 Slippery fish

183 Putrefy

184 Unison

189 Refer

192 Churchmen

196 Freight carried

197 Be a glutton

198 High-pitched singer

199 Measure of heat

200 Blood-sucker

201 Line on map

204 An upstart

205 Mother-of-pearl

206 Scottish hill

207 Body of church

208 Ex UK Prime Minister

209 A cereal

210 Dwelling place

211 Part of foot

212 A passage

213 Label

214 Explain again

215 Smallest one

216 Communists

217 An expression

218 Casts scorn on

219 Casts off

220 Sieve

221 Relaxes

222 Go ahead

DOWN

1 Hurtful to health and life

2 Renowned

3 All mixed

4 Makes notes

5 Large plant

6 Pierces on horns

7 Sicknesses

8 Overcomes

9 Warms up

10 Impel

11 Unfortunate

12 Gets back

13 Takes away

14 Go ahead

15 Large reptile

16 Settler

17 Puzzling

18 Smashed up

21 Undue worries

23 Battery parts

42 Result

43 Swollen

45 Playhouse

46 Worked out

48 Small

49 Tribal chiefs

50 Criticised badly (coll)

51 Ebb

52 First appearances

53 Place for movies

55 Top teacher

56 Frightens

58 Well-read

61 Hold in bondage

63 Night attire

64 Hope

66 A fibre

67 Employed

72 Attended the sick

73 A gutter

77 Get away from

81 Concerning

84 Small hammer

86 Move

88 High point

93 Way of riding

94 Speak clearly

97 Proudest

98 A statement

101 Games

102 Answer

103 Felon

105 Keep in check

107 Odours

108 Towels

110 Weapons

111 Tie up boat

112 Graven image

115 Looks over

116 Relating to aircraft

117 Drains

119 Abated

122 In one lot

125 Unrelenting

128 Cord

130 Full of beer

131 Evaluate

132 Flooded

133 Of the sea

134 Spirit

136 Fractions

137 Soft material

138 Plant grower

141 Different

149 Lack of mature age

150 Chestnut colour

151 Threatening

152 Many

153 Saw

154 Team

155 Portion

156 Burst inward

159 Quickly

160 Full of acid

163 Traps

164 Take further down

172 Annulled

173 Personal manner

175 Not ever again

178 Puritanical types

180 List of times

181 Complicated procedures

184 Hidden away

185 Numerals

186 Imposing building

187 Boot protectors

188 Those in team

189 Reach

190 Get away

191 Pacify

192 Lovable little ones

193 Stone wall

194 Type of dance

195 Short stumps

202 Tears

203 Not working