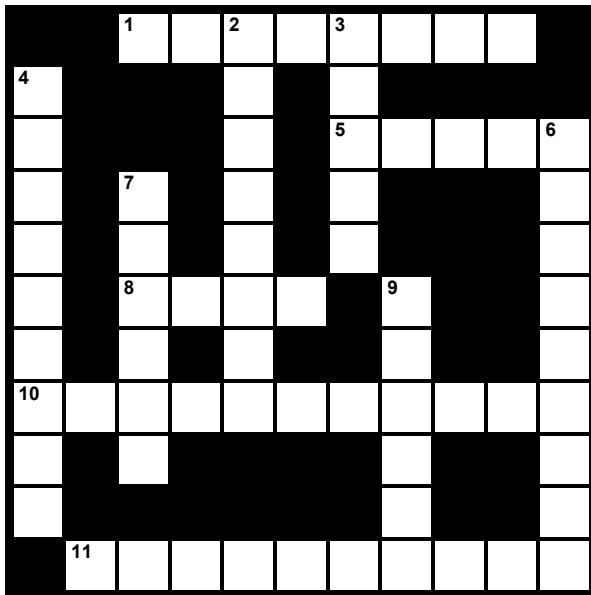


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Across

- 1 Blast-furnace slag resembling asbestos and used as insulator. (4-4)
- 5 Of or relating to or caused by a toxin or poison. (5)
- 8 A traditional story accepted as history; serves to explain the world view of a people. (4)
- 10 Name of one of the major NGOs based in U.K. responsible for negative propaganda for asbestos. (3,8)
- 11 A material that

reduces or prevents the transmission of heat or sound or electricity. (10)

4 Asbestos fibre known as crocidolite, and is banned in India. (4,5)

6 Erosion by chemical action. (9)

7 Forms about 40% component in asbestos cement making. (6)

9 A flat sheet or ring of asbestos, inserted between two adjoining metal surfaces in order to seal the joint against the pressure of gas or liquid. (6)

Down

- 2 A fibrous amphibole; used for making fireproof articles; inhaling fibers can cause asbestosis or lung cancer. (8)
- 3 Forms about 20% component in asbestos cement making. (5)