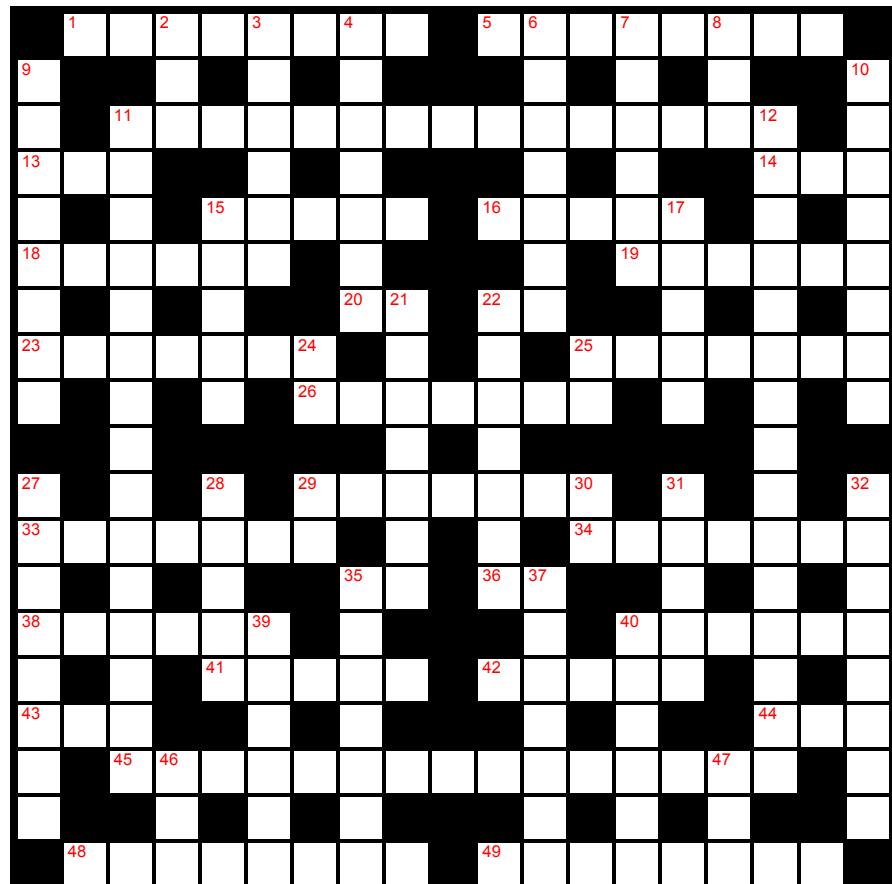


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Across

- 1 Characterized by undue haste and lack of thought or deliberation. (8)
- 5 A board game in which words are formed from letters in patterns similar to a crossword puzzle. (8)
- 11 Behaving in a way that destroys any chance of your success. (4-11)
- 13 Mentally quick and resourceful. (3)
- 14 Someone who works (or provides workers) during a strike. (3)
- 15 Deliberate trickery intended to gain an advantage. (5)
- 16 Dried meat of the coconut from which oil is extracted. (5)
- 18 Smelling of fermentation or staleness. (6)
- 19 A mistake in printed matter noted in a list of corrections. (6)



- 20 In a manner that facilitates. (2)
- 22 Have the quality of being. (2)
- 23 An impressive country house (or castle) in France. (7)
- 25 To think about something intensely and anxiously, usually in great detail and for a long time, before making a decision. (7)
- 26 _____ segment: A high end segment of the market. (7)
- 29 Expecting prices to fall. (7)
- 33 Visual representation. (7)
- 34 Attract; cause to be enamoured. (7)
- 35 Have an existence. (2)
- 36 Informal term for a mother. (2)
- 38 A place of business for retailing goods. (6)
- 40 _____ Hospitals is the largest healthcare franchisor in India. (6)
- 41 Reflecting light. (5)

42 Relative magnitude. (5)

43 Gone by; or in the past. (3)

44 An argument opposed to a proposal. (3)

45 Compulsory service in the military during peacetime in U.K. (8,7)

48 A person who breeds and cares for horses. (8)

49 Bright deep pink colour. (8)

Down

2 Dazzlingly skilled in any field. (3)

3 Afford access to. (6)

4 Lines of approach. (7)

6 Negotiable certificates that can be detached and redeemed as needed. (7)

7 Special occasion dress. (6)

8 A container; usually has a lid. (3)

9 Eurasian plant with heart-shaped trifoliate leaves and white purple-veined flowers. (8)

10 No longer in fashion. (8)

11 Imposition of standards. (15)

12 Name of the biggest ever mall being developed by Unitech. (July 2004) (5,5,5)

15 Incapable of being changed. (5)

17 Brand of shirts, which is the product of a company called Cluett Peabody. (5)

21 That's what 'O' in 'BOT' stands for. (7)

22 The company whose ad line was "Geography is history". (7)

24 From a lower to a higher position. (2)

25 Modulation of the amplitude of the (radio) carrier wave. (2)

27 One who propounds an idea. (8)

28 A state of depression. (5)

29 Used in specifying adjacent dimensions. (2)

30 Objective male pronoun. (2)

31 Room to act. (5)

32 A legal professional authorised to act on one's behalf. (8)

35 A sudden opportunity to make money. (7)

37 The way two individuals relate to each other. (7)

39 Grow stronger. (6)

40 The advanced level of a subject taken in school (usually two years after GCSEs, or historically O levels). (1-5)

46 Methods like mediation and arbitration used for resolution of disputes as an alternative to court. (3)

47 An integrated information system that is used to plan, schedule and control the presales and postsales activities in an organisation. (3)