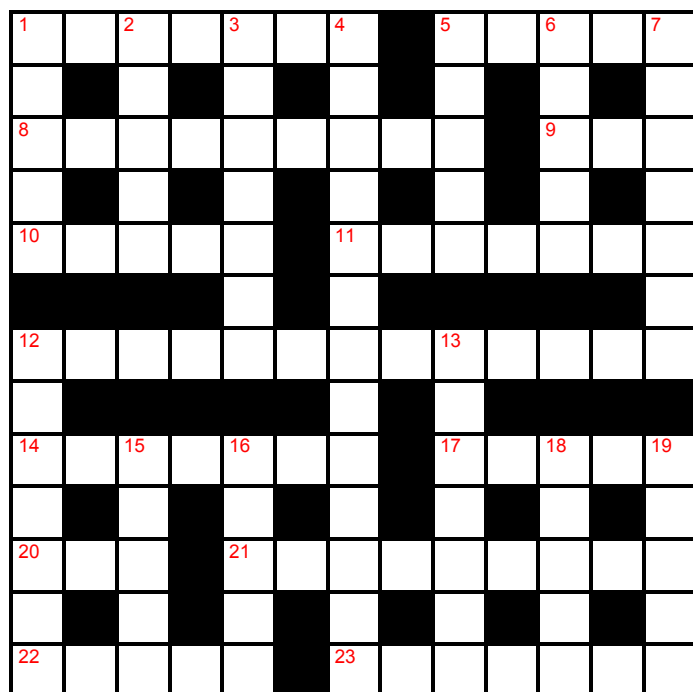


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## Across

- 1 A city in Jharkhand state of India (Anagram: *Bad hand*) (7)
- 5 A path as cut by one course of mowing (5)
- 8 A tariff determined as a percentage of the value of goods (2,7)
- 9 A light touch or stroke (3)
- 10 Enthusiastic approval (5)
- 11 Air-filled void in the glass body (7)

- 12 The rate at which radiant solar energy is received at the outer layer of the earth's atmosphere (5,8)
- 14 Technique of painting thickly (7)
- 17 Fertile tract in a desert (5)
- 20 An interface that uses windows, icons, pulldown menus, pictures, etc. (3)
- 21 Restore to the previous state or rank (9)
- 22 A domain in which something is dominant (5)

- 23 Social insect that feeds on wood (7)

## Down

- 1 A male duck (5)
- 2 Hammering block (5)
- 3 Support and strengthen (7)
- 4 Skin specialist (13)
- 5 An area in the southern region of Babylonia during the third millennium BC (5)
- 6 At a price equal to the face value of a security (2,3)

- 7 A place of political unrest and potential violence (3,4)
- 12 A disrespectful laugh (7)
- 13 Someone who supports or champions a promo event (7)
- 15 Indicating the most important performer or role (5)
- 16 Watery fluid of the blood (5)
- 18 A Hindu religious teacher; used as a title of respect (5)
- 19 Leather with a napped surface (5)