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Across

- 1 An off-break bowled with an action akin to that for the leg-break. (6)
- 4 Fast short ball which is made to rise briskly. (7)
- 10 Damp and grassy pitch that favours seam bowlers. (8)
- 12 Worn by wicket keeper and batsmen to protect fingers from hurting. (6)
- 14 Jointoin between the willow blade and cane handle of the bat. (6)
- 15 A fast intimidating full toss high upto the head of the batsman. (6)
- 16 A very high shot that descends almost vertically. (5)
- 17 That's what the last letter "I" stands for in acronym "ODI". (13)
- 19 When a batsman gets hurt and is not in a position to continue with batting and needs a rest before resuming. (7,4)
- 23 Unorthodox merciless batting shot. (4)
- 25 Leave the field when out without waiting umpire's signal. (4)
- 27 Basic unit of scoring. (3)
- 28 When a batsman is given out after the ball he hit has been caught by a fielder before it touched the ground. (6,3)
- 29 A delivery by the bowler. (4)
- 31 A proficient blocker. (5,6)
- 33 Risky shot played by pulling the ball that is chest high or more. (4)
- 34 A shot with a straight bat and being in line with the ball. (5)
- 35 A poor quality bat. (5)
- 36 Leader of a team. (7)

Down

- 2 Bowler with leg break deliveries. (3,7)
- 3 Run scored when a ball moves away without touching batsman's bat or his body. (3)
- 5 Any of the two officials on the field, who control the entire rpoceedings of the game. (6)
- 6 A leg break bowled by a left handed bowler. (8)
- 7 A substitute player provided for the batsman to run between the wickets in his place for scoring runs. (6)
- 8 Bowler who makes use of his wrist at the point of delivery to spin the ball. (5,7)
- 9 Leg side boundary. (3,6)
- 11 Match that ends with equal score by both sides. (3)
- 12 Fielding position behind square on the off side. (5)
- 13 A bowling position where the bowling arm is between the body of the bowler and the wickets. (4,3,6)
- 15 The basic instrument of hitting the ball for scoring. (3)
- 18 A fast low bouncing ball leaving the righthanded batsman sharply after pitching. (3,6)
- 20 The gamut of fielders positioned within 30 yards radius. (7)
- 21 Unintended contact of the ball with bat's edge, which might result into a catch at slips. (4)
- 22 To mark the point on popping crease as resting

position for the bat while batting. (4,5)

- 24 The horizontal distance travelled by the ball from bowler to the ground where it pitches. (6)
- 26 A back foot shot with cross bat towards square or behind the wicket on the off side. (3)
- 29 A defensive shot with no intention to score. (5)
- 30 Fieldin position close to the boundary. (4)
- 31 A fielding position behind the wicket on the off side. (4)
- 32 Series of consecutive 6 balls bowled by a single bowler. (4)

