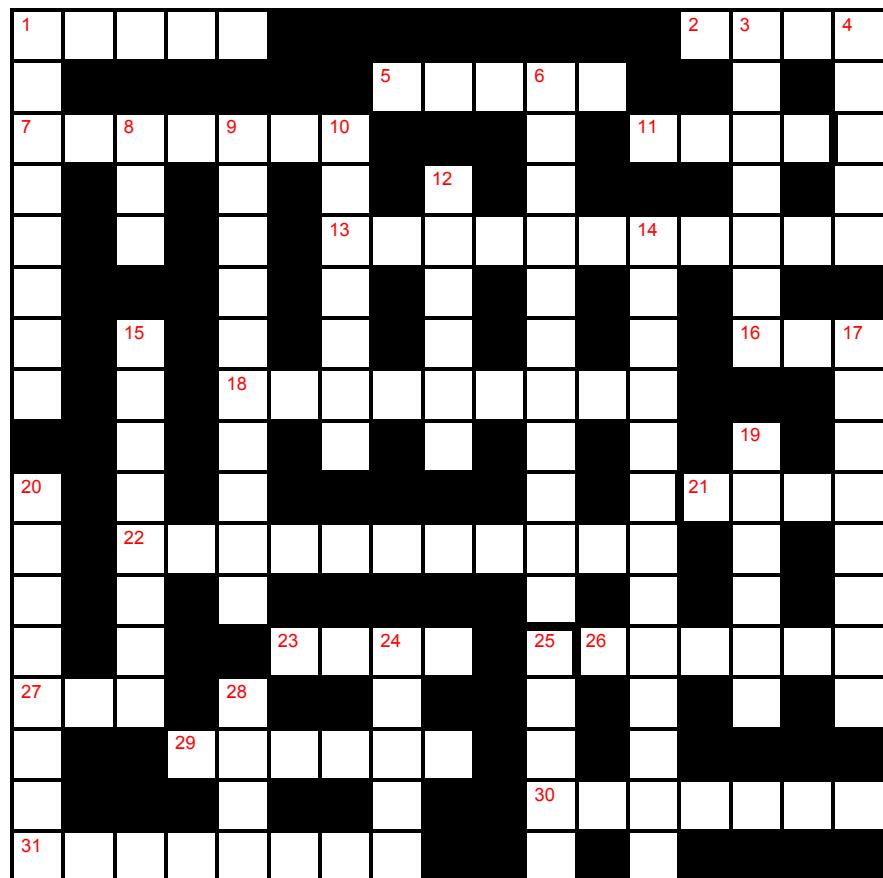


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Across

- 1 Measure of weight of a diamond (5)
- 2 A light bluish green to light greenish blue colour (4)
- 5 Attractiveness that interests, pleases or stimulates (5)
- 7 Attract; cause to be enamoured (7)
- 11 A translucent mineral consisting of hydrated silica of variable colour; some varieties are used as gemstones (4)
- 13 Quality and ability to inspire trust (11)
- 16 A yearning for something (3)
- 18 A gem (usually a diamond) in a setting by itself (9)
- 21 A beloved person (4)
- 22 An Indian symbol of Hindu marriage, consisting of a gold ornament strung from a yellow thread; now diamond also has made its place here (11)
- 23 Possession of diamond ornament by one is the ____ of others (woman esp.) (4)
- 26 Any admirable quality or attribute (6)
- 27 Artistic creation (3)
- 29 Brightness enough to blind partially and temporarily (6)
- 30 Very hard native crystalline carbon, in fact the hardest known material, valued as a gem (7)
- 31 A refined quality of gracefulness and good taste (8)



Down

- 1 A property of many minerals which may be easily split along crystallographic planes (8)
- 3 The total sum of all features and characteristics of a product that fully satisfy the end user's expectations (7)
- 4 A test of the content of a precious metal or gemstone (5)
- 6 The trait of being dependable or reliable (11)
- 8 Apart from its
- 10 Producing a sensation of touch (7)
- 12 The qualities that give pleasure to the senses (6)
- 14 That's what first I in IGI stands for (13)
- 15 Something used to beautify (8)
- 17 Presence of ____ in diamond changes the

material quality, the most important thing is how a diamond had been ____ (3)

- 9 Process of classification of something with respect to its worth (10)

10 Producing a sensation of touch (7)

12 The qualities that give pleasure to the senses (6)

14 That's what first I in IGI stands for (13)

15 Something used to beautify (8)

17 Presence of ____ in diamond changes the

colour of a diamond to yellow (8)

- 19 State of being held in high esteem and honour (6)

20 The whiter the diamond, the more ____ it will be (8)

- 24 Monetary worth (5)

25 Originally a domain of the ____ diamond has now become affordable by common man (5)

- 28 A gay festivity (4)