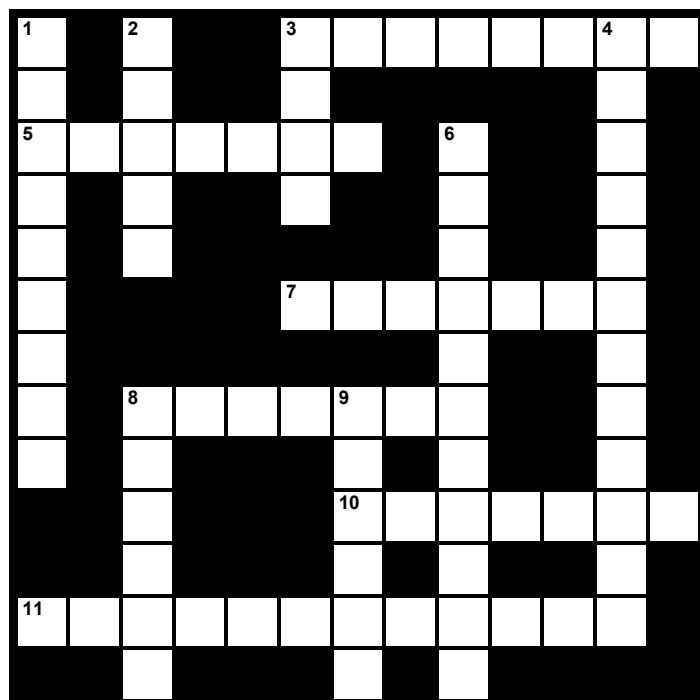


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Across

- 3** Any of several low-growing palms with fan-shaped leaves. (8)
- 5** Pinnate-leaved palms of the genus *Elaeis* having dense clusters of crowded flowers and bright red fruit and yielding high quality palm oils. (3,4)
- 7** Tall fan palm of Africa and India and Malaysia yielding a hard wood and sweet sap that is a source of palm wine and sugar; leaves used for thatching and

weaving. (7)

- 8** Seed of any oil palm. (4,3)
- 10** Spotted or striped arboreal civet of southeast Asia and East Indies. (4,3)
- 11** Ornamental shrub or small tree of Japan and Korea with deeply incised leaves; cultivated in many varieties. (4,8)

Down

- 1** Small palm of southern Florida and West Indies closely resembling the silvertop palmetto. (5,4)

- 2** Very lively and profitable. (5)
- 3** The inner surface of the hand from the wrist to the base of the fingers. (4)
- 4** Malaysian palm whose pithy trunk yields sago--a starch used as a food thickener and fabric stiffener; Malaya to Fiji. (4,4,4)
- 6** A leaf resembling an open hand; having lobes radiating from a common point. (7,4)
- 8** American famous golfer. (6)

- 9** Gasoline jelled with aluminum soaps; highly incendiary liquid used in fire bombs and flame throwers. (6)