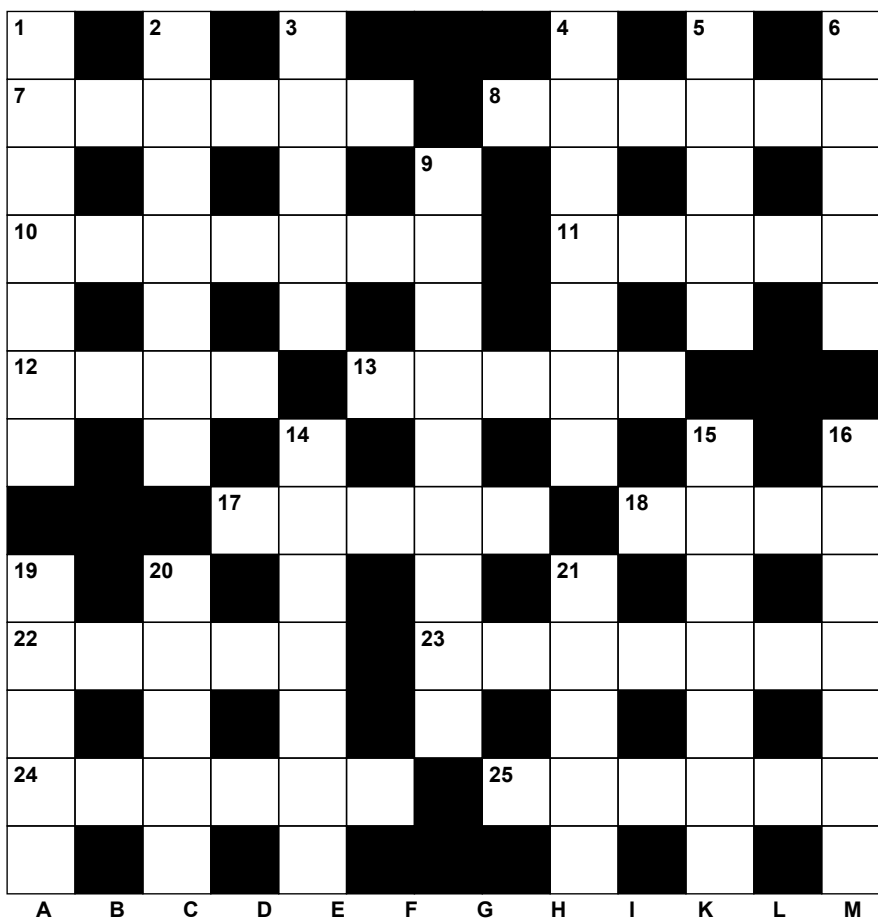


## 8 Half-Alpha Crossword



### Across

- 7 - Frozen water spear (6)
- 8 - Packed (6)
- 10 - Brazilian dance (7)
- 11 - \_\_\_ lizzard: stand-up comedian (5)
- 12 - Every (4)
- 13 - Third Greek letter (5)
- 17 - In front (5)
- 18 - Bivalve marine mollusc (4)
- 22 - Sweet-scented shrub (5)
- 23 - Forbidden by law (7)
- 24 - Moved at an easy pace (6)
- 25 - Stout-bodied insect (6)

### Down

- 1 - Dealt with a tough question (7)
- 2 - Novelty (7)
- 3 - Epic poem ascribed to Homer (5)
- 4 - Difficult choice (7)
- 5 - Edge of a knife (5)
- 6 - Summed together (5)
- 9 - Tree known for the nut it produces (9)
- 14 - Verified (7)
- 15 - Mournful (7)
- 16 - Mercury alloy (7)
- 19 - Simple aquatic plants (5)
- 20 - Church farmland (5)
- 21 - Threshing tool (5)

*9 Every Letter Counts*

1			2
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A C E G I K  
P R S T U Y

**Across**

- 1 - \_\_\_ in: eat heartily (4)
- 3 - Hogs (4)

**Down**

- 1 - Confine; snare (4)
- 2 - Items that unlock doors (4)

*10 Ladder Crossword*

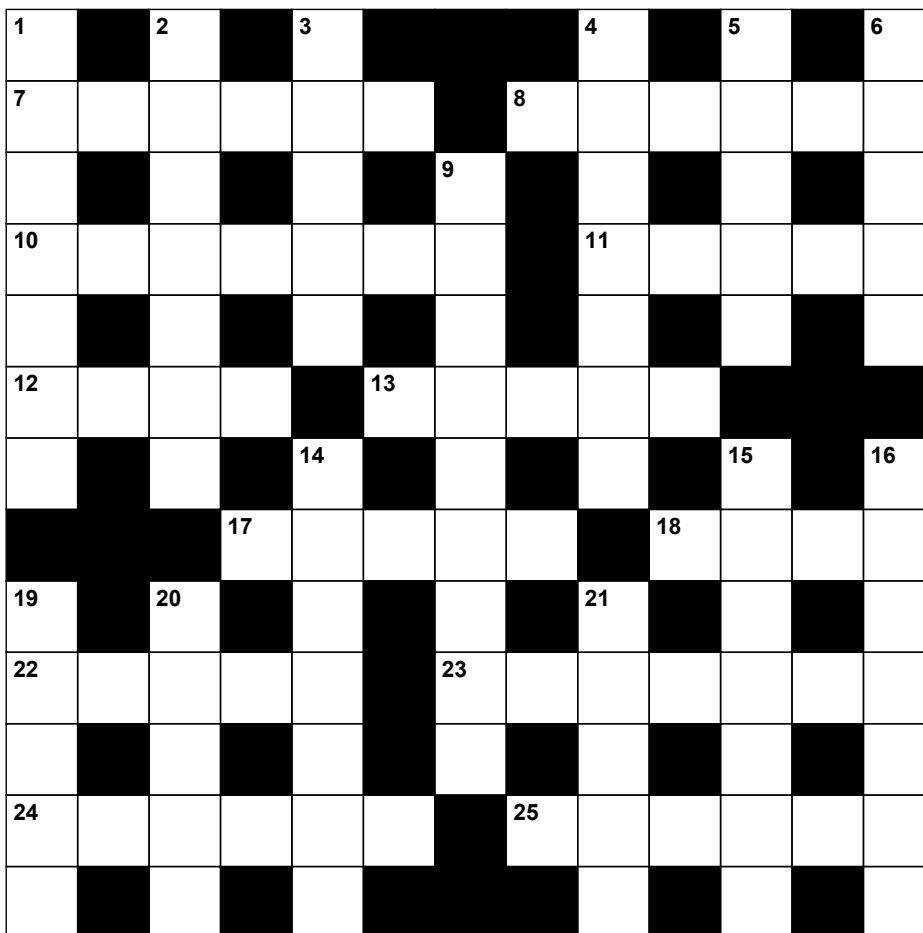
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**Across**

- 3 - Impel; spur on (4)
- 4 - Mongrel dog (4)
- 5 - Robert De \_\_\_ : actor (4)
- 6 - Adolescent (abbrev) (4)
- 7 - \_\_\_ Sharif: Egyptian actor (4)

**Down**

- 1 - Highest point (11)
- 2 - Region including Cornwall and Devon (4,7)



**Across**

- 7 - On a ship or train (6)
- 8 - Subsidiary action (6)
- 10 - Light beard (7)
- 11 - \_\_\_ gas: eg neon or argon (5)
- 12 - Comply (4)
- 13 - Pierces (5)
- 17 - Facial hair (5)
- 18 - Robe (anag) (4)
- 22 - Seventh sign of the zodiac (5)
- 23 - Slanting (7)
- 24 - Insect of the order Coleoptera (6)
- 25 - Physical item (6)

**Down**

- 1 - Double-reed instrument (7)
- 2 - Payments in addition to wages (7)
- 3 - Babies' beds (5)
- 4 - Eventually (2,3,2)
- 5 - Church farmland (5)
- 6 - Computer memory units (5)
- 9 - Mail slot (6,3)
- 14 - Plausible; defensible (7)
- 15 - Bunch of flowers (7)
- 16 - Below (7)
- 19 - Bludgeons (5)
- 20 - Henrik \_\_\_ : Norwegian author (5)
- 21 - Excuse of any kind (5)