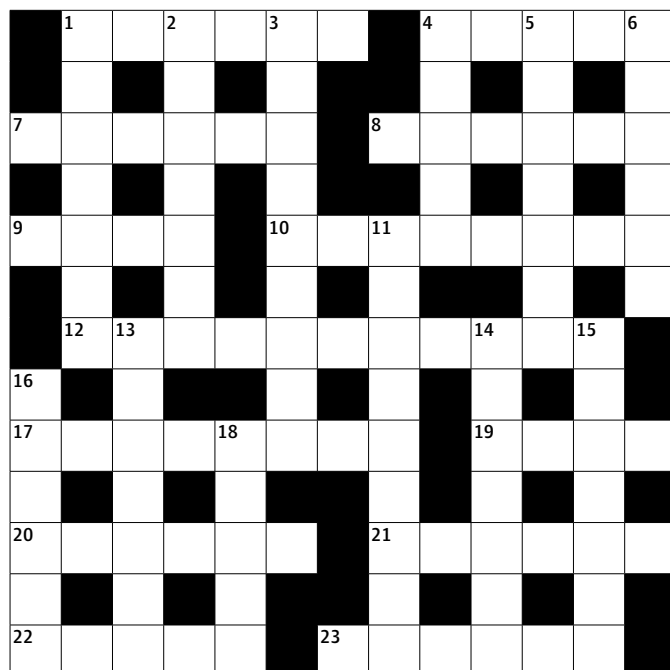


Quick crossword no 17,541



Across

- 1 Plant with oil-rich seeds (6)
- 4 Havana smoke (5)
- 7 Shopping (6)
- 8 Into the gusts (6)
- 9 Unearth (4)
- 10 Waste (8)
- 12 Energetic, after dish of cannellini or haricot vegetables? (4,2,5)
- 17 Answer to life, the universe and everything, according to Douglas Adams (5-3)
- 19 Study (4)
- 20 Brandy (6)
- 21 Uniform (6)
- 22 Person/thing of enormous size (5)
- 23 Opposition (6)

Down

- 1 County officer of the Crown (7)
- 2 Tabloid seller! (7)
- 3 Clumsy (9)
- 4 Pacer (anag) (5)
- 5 Sparkle (7)
- 6 Hot root (6)

- 11 Levantine salad with finely chopped ingredients and parsley (9)
- 13 Honest (7)
- 14 Now at the destination (7)
- 15 Passerine bird (7)
- 16 Waste piece of lumber etc? (6)
- 18 Long (5)

Solution no 17,540

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