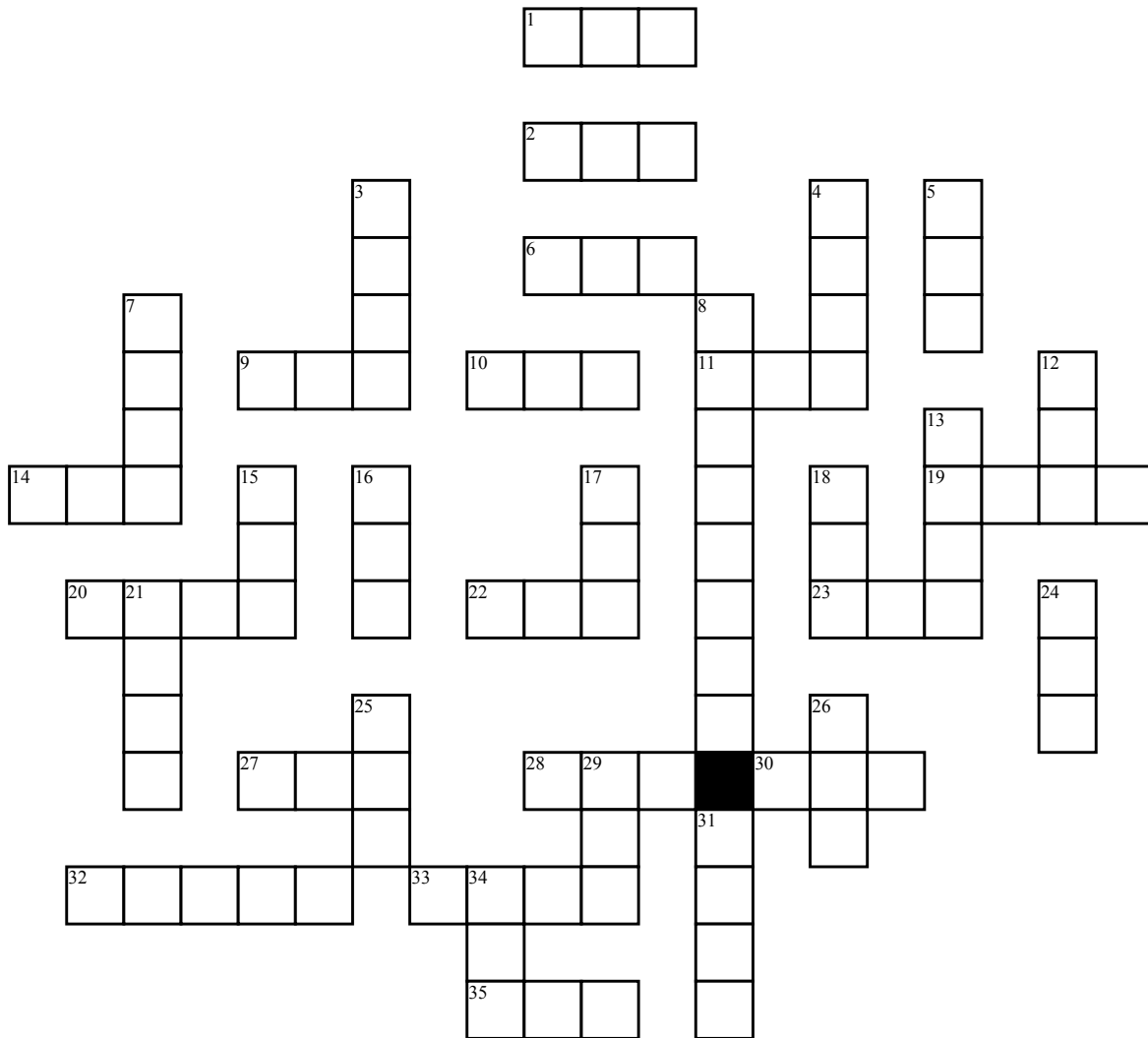


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- 1. the highest ranking members of the US military
- 2. makes sure that companies which sell stocks tell the truth about their business and about their profits and losses
- 6. the headquarters of this department is the Pentagon
- 9. coordinates and regulates the network of credit associations for farmers throughout the country
- 10. collects taxes within the United States
- 11. provides grants for artistic endeavors
- 14. establishes rules for air traffic
- 19. organization based in Alaska that oversees the oil reserves in the state
- 20. nicknamed Fannie Mae, this organization pools together FHA mortgage loans and sells these large packages to investors
- 22. insures some mortgages that private banks make to homeowners
- 23. a New Deal program begun to develop the resources of the area in and around the Tennessee River
- 27. ensures that the activities of federal offices and personnel stay within the law and within budget guidelines
- 28. regulates communication by radio, television, telephone, telegraph, satellite, cable, and the Internet
- 30. coordinates the government's efforts to keep the country safe from outside attacks

- 32. nicknamed Freddie Mac, this corporation partners with Ginnie Mae to make a profit by charging fees to the investors who buy the loan packages
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 - 35. department that helps inner-city Americans to find places to live
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- 3. leads the federal government's response to natural disasters such as hurricanes or floods
 - 4. inspects and grades foods that US farmers produce and that importers bring into the country
 - 5. oversees actions in six geographic areas of the world
 - 7. issues weather forecasts and disseminates weather data that it gathers from satellites
 - 8. works with the US National Central Bureau to track down criminals who operate on a world-wide scale
 - 12. former government department that has since been divided into two separate departments
 - 13. oversees our country's manned and unmanned space programs and carries on research in the aerospace field
 - 15. certifies the quality of foods and cosmetics sold in America
 - 16. investigates threats of terrorism and foreign intrigue against the country, as well as alleged violations of federal criminal law
 - 17. provides assistance, information, and loans to the nation's small businesses
 - 18. department that oversees roads, bridges, rail lines, airports, and sea ports
 - 21. enforces provisions made by the National Labor Relations Act
 - 24. oversees the practices of railroads
 - 25. the head of this department is the Attorney General
 - 26. department that oversees Medicare and Medicaid
 - 29. coordinates the intelligence-gathering work of the government
 - 31. insures the deposits that people have in banks
 - 34. awards competitive grants to researchers at universities, medical schools, and other research organizations