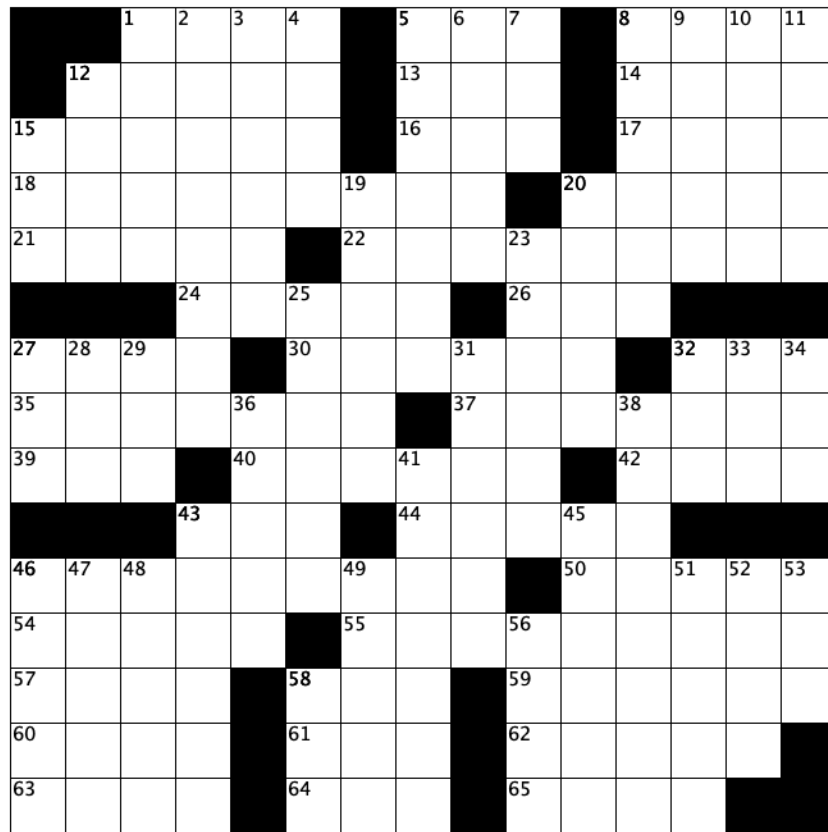


A Sizzler

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ACROSS

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5. Hot ___ (car modified for speed)
8. Chinese food item: Hot & ___ Soup
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27. Hot ___ (location where WiFi is available)
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32. Military conflict
35. Retirement income
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40. "Have a sample" (2 wds.)
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59. Confident body language: hands ___ (2 wds.)
60. The difference between a Tibetan Buddhist monk, and an Andean ruminant mammal? (2 wds.)
61. Swindle, defraud
62. Heavenly places
63. Ceremonial fire (hot of course)
64. Andean ruminant mammal's beginning
65. Spreadsheet data function

DOWN

1. Online troublemaker
2. Expense account attachments
3. Code of silence
4. Prefix meaning trillion
5. Saviour, liberator
6. Group of eight
7. Hot ___ (Frankfurter)
8. Enter discretely (2 wds.)
9. Lubricator
10. Not yet hardened, as cement

11. Enjoys a book
12. Photo editing software function
15. Some sporty car models
19. Nary a one (2 wds)
20. Went downhill, in a way
23. Sesame, for one
25. Hit and miss each have one, not ideal (2 wds.)
27. Hot tub
28. /, as in km/h
29. The O in HOMES, for short
31. James ___, who starred as Matt Dillon in TV's "Gunsmoke"
32. Dr. of Sci-Fi TV
33. Early US-based ISP and web portal
34. ___ Hot Chili Peppers
36. Country where hot soup is "zuppa calda"
38. Very hot day
41. Available choices

43. Belgian actress ___ de France ("The French Dispatch", "Hereafter", "High Tension")
45. When in Mexico...
46. Bit of military propaganda, for short
47. "Yankee Doodle went to town, a-riding on ___..." (2 wds.)
48. Largest river of West Africa, that's name is part of two country names
49. Reel for film, or sewing thread
51. "Okay okay, I can take ___" (2 wds.)
52. Loretta Swit's "M*A*S*H" character "Hot ___ Houlihan"
53. ... --- ...
56. Low digits
58. Fun science class experiment making sodium acetate, or hot ___