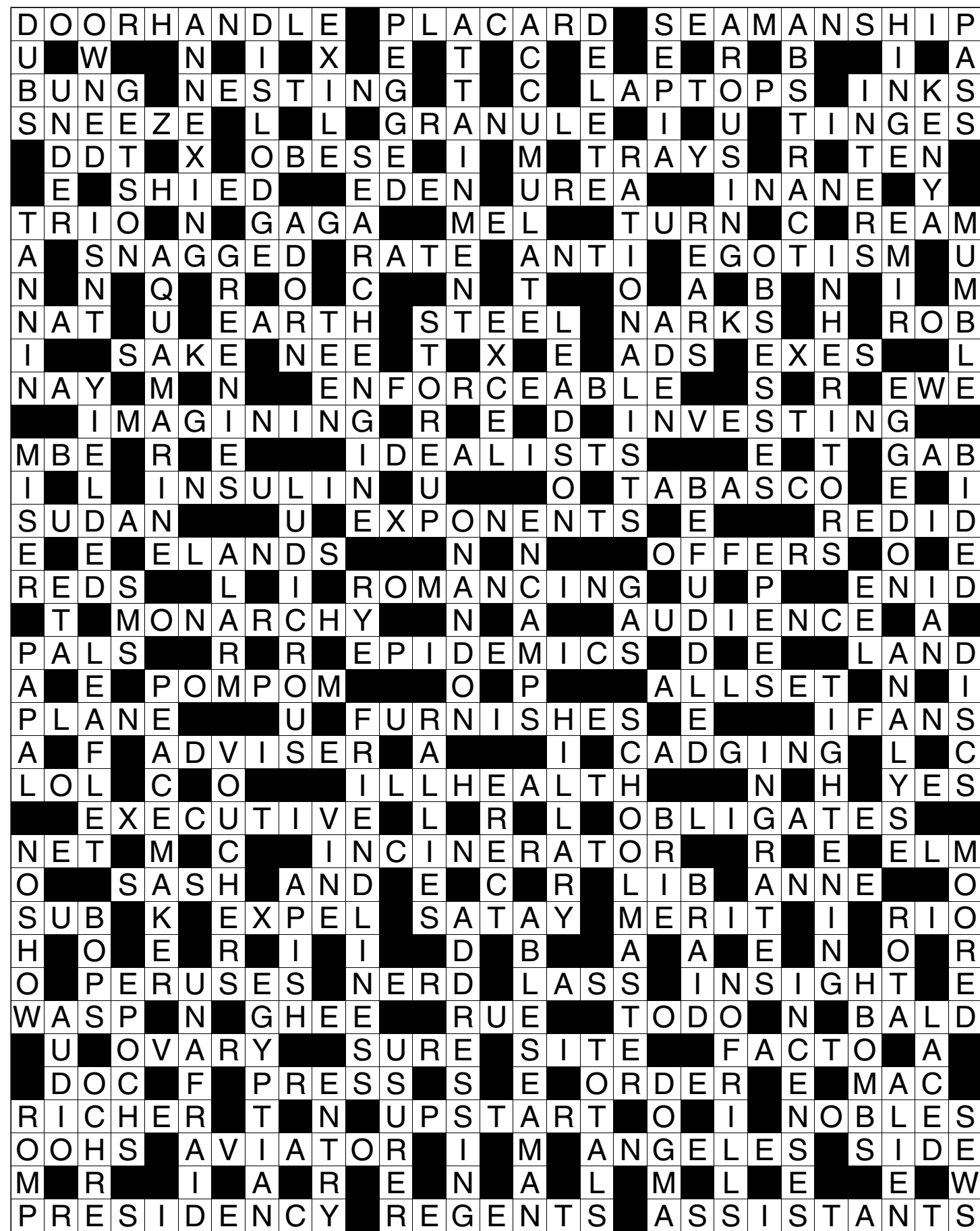


# PUZZLES



## MEGA CROSSWORD

### ACROSS

1. Entranceway knob (4,6)
6. Protest banner carried during a demonstration
10. Sailor's skill
15. Cask stopper
18. Roosting
19. Portable computers
20. Tattooing fluids
22. Hay fever reaction
23. Fine particle, tiny grain
24. Tints
25. Insecticide (1,1,1)
26. Too fat
28. Serving plates, salvers
30. Roman X
31. Drew back, recoiled
32. Biblical garden of Adam and Eve
33. Fertiliser ingredient
34. Vacuous (comment)
35. Threesome
37. Singer, Lady ...
39. Actor, ... Gibson
40. ... over a new leaf
42. Paper quantity
45. Tore (stocking)
48. Assess, appraise
49. Against
50. Vanity, self-conceit
53. Singer, ... King Cole
54. Our planet
56. Metal alloy
59. Informers for the police
61. Burgle
62. Japanese alcoholic drink
63. Formerly known as
64. Media promotions
65. Previous lovers
66. Negative vote
68. Legally binding
69. Female sheep
70. Envisaging, conceptualising
71. Spending
72. British award (1,1,1)
73. Visionaries, dreamers
74. Gossip, chatter
76. Diabetic's preparation
78. Spicy sauce used as a condiment
80. Khartoum is there
81. Supporters, backers
84. Completed again
85. African antelopes
87. Presents, puts forward
89. Clarets & burgundies
92. Courting, wooing

94. Writer, ... Blyton
96. State ruled by a king or queen
97. Group observing an entertainment event
98. Chums, mates
100. Plagues
101. New Zealand, ... of the Long White Cloud
104. Beanie ball
105. Ready (3,3)
107. Tool for smoothing wood
108. Supplies fittings
112. UK actor, Rhys ...
113. Teacher, mentor
115. Begging
117. Funny (1,1,1)
118. Sickness (3,6)
120. Affirmative reply
121. Management employee
123. Morally compels
125. Fishing mesh
126. Furnace
127. Shady tree
129. Dress ribbon
130. Austen novel, *Pride ... Prejudice*
131. Off the cuff, ad ...
133. Prince Edward's sister
134. U-boat
136. Kick out of school
137. Peanut sauce
140. Deserve
141. City, ... de Janeiro
142. Studies a book
146. Dweeb, dork
147. Young woman
148. Intuitiveness, understanding
152. Hornet relative
154. Clarified butter
155. Lament, regret
156. Commotion (2-2)
157. Hairless
159. Egg-producing organ
160. Confident, certain
162. Location, setting
164. In fact
- in reality, de ...**
165. GP
167. Cupboard, linen ...
169. Succession, sequence
171. Hamburger, Big ...
173. Wealthier, more affluent
174. Johnny-come-lately
175. Aristocrats, blue-bloods
177. Excited squeals

178. Jet pilot
  179. LA, Los ...
  180. Sports team
  181. Leadership
  182. London Zoo area, ... Park (6'1)
  183. Helpers, aides
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1. Adds soundtrack to
  2. Possessed
  3. Joining, attaching
  4. Displace, remove
  5. Banish
  6. Hung out (washing)
  7. Achievement
  8. Rack up, gather
  9. Erase, eliminate
  10. Old photo colour
  11. Stimulating desire
  12. Modern art style
  13. Pivot
  14. Mountain route
  16. Beneath, below
  17. Climbs aboard (4,2)
  20. Entombs, buries
  21. Nairobi's republic
  27. Internet information finder (6,6)
  29. Logical thinkers
  35. Tea acid
  36. Is not (3'1)
  38. Beautify, embellish
  41. Raises young
  43. Arabian prince
  44. Speak unintelligibly
  46. Sea-blue
  47. Environmentalists
  51. Fixates, consumes
  52. Heirs
  55. Adolescent
  56. Stockpile (5,2)
  57. Do well
  58. Dupes (5,2)
  60. Yemen port
  67. Gave way
  69. Goaded (5,2)
  72. Skinflint
  75. Waited, ... one's time
  77. Ridiculous, absurd
  79. Confused, bewildered
  82. Incessantly (2,3,2)
  83. Bivouacs
  86. Warning sound
  88. Fencing blades
  90. Hour expected (1,1,1)
  91. Phone text (1,1,1)

*"The mind is everything. What you think, you become."*

BUDDHA

92. Bread grain
93. Cooking fuel
94. Snake-like marine creature
95. Cricketer, ... Botham
98. Of the pope
99. Brochure, pamphlet
102. Clinically examine
103. Gramophone records
104. Conciliator, mediator
106. Making less loose
108. Amiability
109. Draws people together
110. Chelsea Clinton's mum
111. Teacher
114. Coupons
116. Thankless people
119. Rigid, upright
122. Grape plant
124. Soft French cheese
125. Absent invitee (2-4)
128. Anchored
130. Foolish
132. Plait, weave
135. Jives, dances
138. Speaking to
139. Navy rank (4,6)
141. Informal roster
143. Ages, eras
144. Fearless
145. Cairo inhabitant
149. Pared-down (2-6)
150. Infuriates, enrages
151. Nuclear weapons (1-5)
153. Related to hearing
158. Spiked (drink)
161. Greedy moneylender
163. Sums
166. Earthen pigment
168. Way in
170. System of principles
172. Extraterrestrial being
173. Cavort, frolic
176. Embroiders