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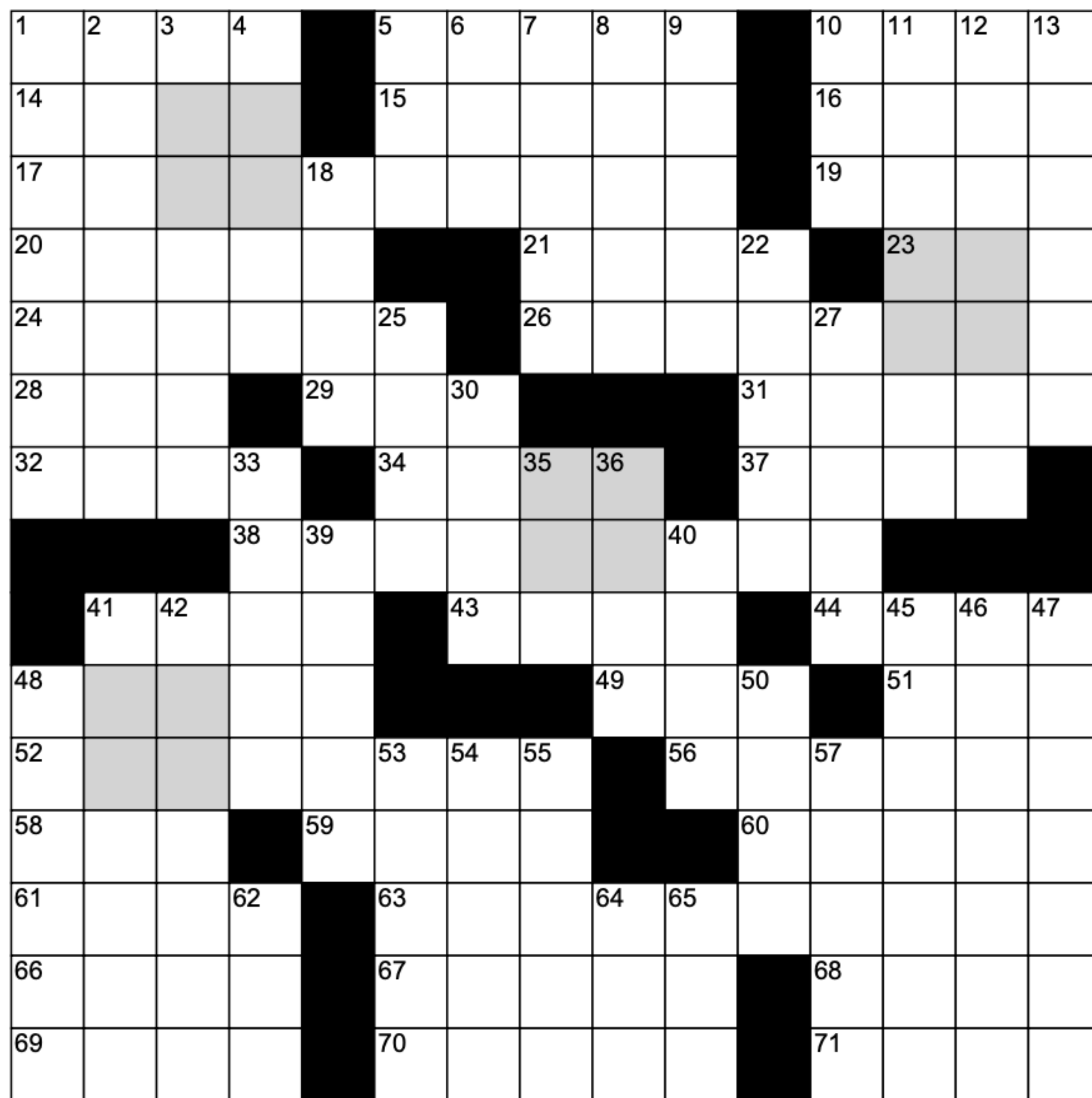
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## ACROSS

- 1 What Do You \_\_\_\_? (popular modern party game)  
5 Kind of ray  
10 Who says "Play it, Sam" in "Casablanca"  
14 Pink-slipped  
15 Deafening  
16 Beef that's aged?  
17 Form of racing that requires one foot on the ground at all times  
19 Satirist Mort  
20 Take hold  
21 Sort unlikely to stoop, say  
23 Motorist's offense, for short  
24 [Shrug]  
26 Complicated situation  
28 Notable  
29 Spot for a stud ... or a "bud"  
31 Buenos \_\_\_\_  
32 Heading in the right direction?  
34 Hockey legend Gordie  
37 This might be
- 58 Pop singer's nickname that omits 51-Across  
59 Ingenuity org.  
60 Italian for "milk"  
61 Golfer's involuntary wrist spasms while putting, with "the"  
63 Plant seen rolling through this puzzle?  
66 Hexagon bordering two rectangles  
67 Great Lakes people  
68 John Irving protagonist T. S. \_\_\_\_  
69 Hawaiian goddess of volcanoes and fire  
70 Hit the mall, say  
71 Possible cause of a cough

## DOWN

- 1 Gargantuan  
2 Kayak alternative  
3 Get-togethers  
4 Singer McCain with the 1998 hit "I'll Be"



- 25 Home of the U.S.S. Arizona Memorial  
27 Make-up artists?  
30 Candy in a gold foil wrapper  
33 Go a few rounds, say?  
35 Essay count: Abbr.

- 55 First lady between Bess and Jackie  
57 University of Georgia athletes, to fans  
62 "\_\_\_\_ Said" (critically acclaimed 2022 biographical drama)