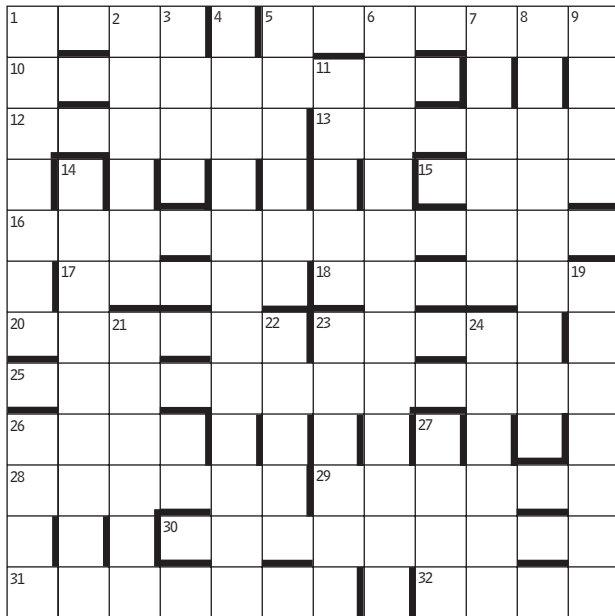


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## ACROSS

- 1 Technique following IVF? Spot female's inside (4)
- 5 Chewy sweets showing that special magic, almost tops (7)
- 10 Oil-yielding plants pounded in ritual, see (9)
- 12 Standard nonsense from one of the polls? (6)
- 13 Dashing Romeo, one taken in as fellow lodger (6)
- 15 Sheet of wadding required by combat troops (4)
- 16 Story about keel Kate steered, in pidgin? (12)
- 17 Entry for Cambridge housed in mixed yard – Fitzwilliam? (5)
- 18 Peers deciding cases involving their fellows rule in groups of three (6)
- 20 Poisonous plant I stayed away from, in case? More than one of them (6)
- 23 The old spurn successive characters in trendies' day nursery (5)
- 25 Caliph is excited about peeler with nothing on? Such'll turn one on (12)
- 26 US yacht is daunting, stem to bow (4)
- 28 Timid person boarding e.g. Berlin plane (6)
- 29 Place to tuck into excellent ice cream? (6)

## AZED 2,312 Solution & notes

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**Across** 2, ape spar in crow;  
 10, B avi(o)n; 20, cf. eels; 21, anag. less kin; 26, last letters; 27, axis (rev.) + in es (Fr.); 28, Halin one (rev.); 34, anag. + per. in bed.

**Down** 3, (0)pium; 6, a + salt (rev.); 7, (th)rill(ing); 13, anag. in assent; 19, calp (rev.) + Ate; 24, (t)ext 1r p; 29, 'aunt.

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- 30 Unlikely to miss wine in vat, i.e. blended (9)
- 31 Doctor taking in obese golfer? There are four of them (7)
- 32 Consult date for issue (4)

## DOWN

- 1 Sleuth going after vitality, old, of early Mexican (7)
- 2 Commander's staff following former walk behind battlements up (6)
- 3 Offspring once raised, I vacated territory (4)
- 4 Wretched rotter O. C. interrupting crown? That was it! (12)
- 5 Whizzing in jet has reduced yen for cheap bus (6)
- 6 Risking damage to Jag I rode, spin out of control (12)
- 7 Capital hoax, a stunner (6)
- 8 Timeless depravity? Bird one found trapped by that (9)
- 9 Gob (in local parlance) ready to swallow a piece of pizza... (4)
- 11 ... Herein? It's dry with upturned artificial topping (5)
- 14 Salad veg chic cooks featured in broadcast? (9)
- 19 Cricket club in tailored suede turn out well (7)
- 21 Unplaced twice? Syce troubled about that calls for attention (6)
- 22 A post-prandial tippie showing the way it should go (5)
- 23 Rations go quickly on board ship (6)
- 24 Radical squeal over confused state (6)
- 26 Junk clubs in bag (4)
- 27 Wales to Scotland, post redirected (4)

*The Chambers Dictionary (2014) is recommended.*