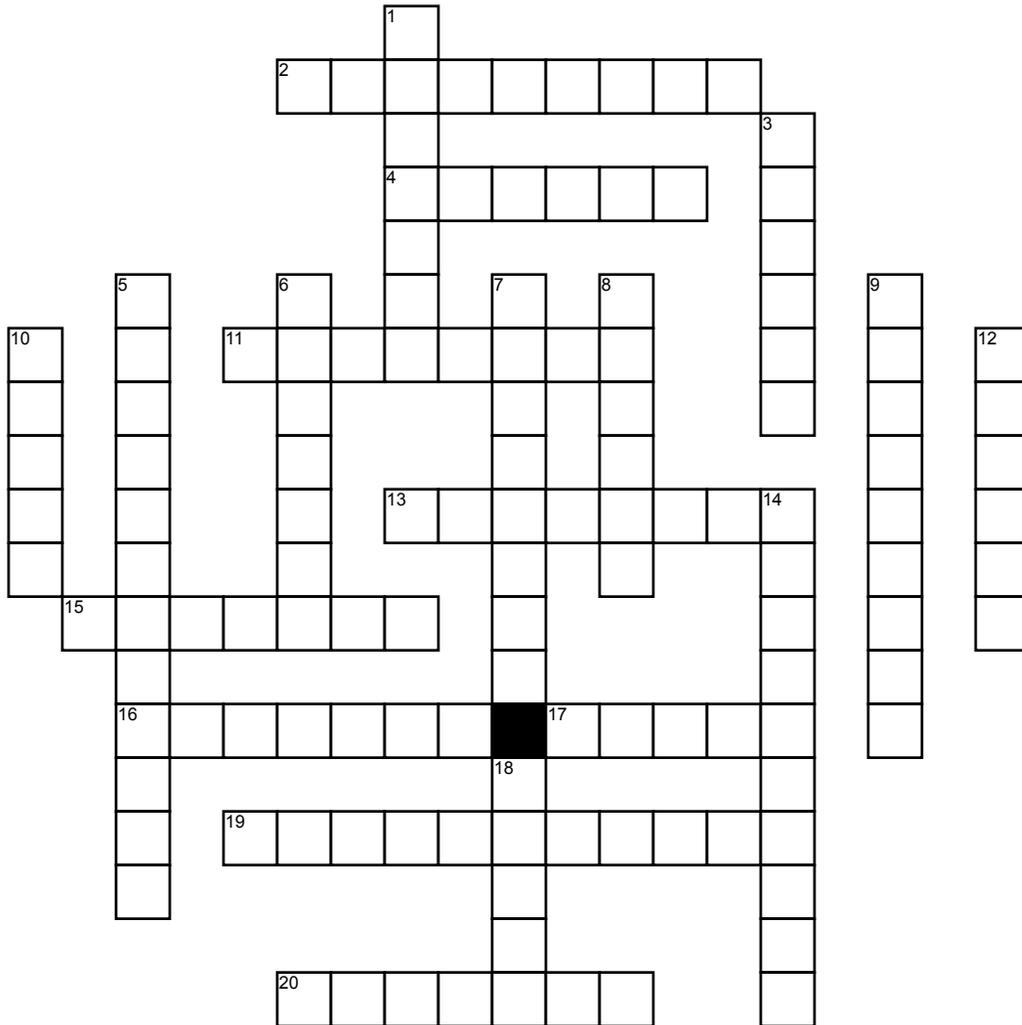


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# ADKJ INDIA CROSSWORD



**Across**

- 2. \_\_\_\_\_ is the Jaipuri skill of inlaying delicate fillets of copper in wood. (9)
- 4. The name of a festival in south India, as well as the name of a 'sweet delicacy' and a 'non-sweet delicacy'. (6)
- 11. Munsri Premchand's pen-name for his Urdu writings. (8)
- 13. This king established the Saka era, on which is based a calendar which is still in use. (8)
- 15. The important radioactive chemical element that is obtained from monoxite, a yield of the sands of Malabar. (7)
- 16. The first Indian filmstar whose wax statue was erected in Madam Tussaud's museum, London in 2000. (7)

- 17. This Parsi gentleman from Mumbai, went on to become an international music star. We know him better as \_\_\_\_\_. (5)
  - 19. \_\_\_\_\_ is the Kashmiri art of papier mache. (4, 7)
  - 20. This ancient city was the home of the scholar sages Kapila, Gargi and Maitreyi.
- Down**
- 1. Neel Mahal lake palace is located in this former princely state. (7)
  - 3. A Goan curry, contains white poppy seeds, coconut, spices, dried red chillies. (6)
  - 5. The first woman (she's an Indian) to climb Mt Everest twice. (7, 5)
  - 6. Buddha preached in this language. (7)
  - 7. This Guru compiled the Adi Granth, the holy book of the Sikhs. (5, 3)

- 8. Indian numerals were taken to the west by the Arabs and called 'Arabic numerals'. What did the Arabs themselves call these numerals? (6)
- 9. One of south India's biggest stars, he struggled in his early years and even worked as a bus conductor. (9)
- 10. The Kumbha Mela is celebrated once in 12 years at one of the four holy cities. Prayag, Hardwar and Ujjaini are three. Name the fourth City. (5)
- 12. 'Operation Vijay' was code-name for two major Army operations. One was for Goa and the other one was \_\_\_\_\_. (6)
- 14. The first Air Chief to receive the honour of "Marshal". (5, 5)
- 18. The final incarnation of Lord Vishnu in his Dashavatara. (5)

**Word Bank**

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| NAWABRAI    | KANISHKA     | KALKI   | THORIUM    | TARAKASHI |
| PONGAL      | ARJANDEV     | HINDSA  | ARJUNSINGH | KARGIL    |
| KARIKAMDARI | TRIPURA      | MAGADHI | XACUTI     | RAJNIKANT |
| QUEEN       | SANTOSHYADAV | AMITABH | MITHILA    | NASIK     |