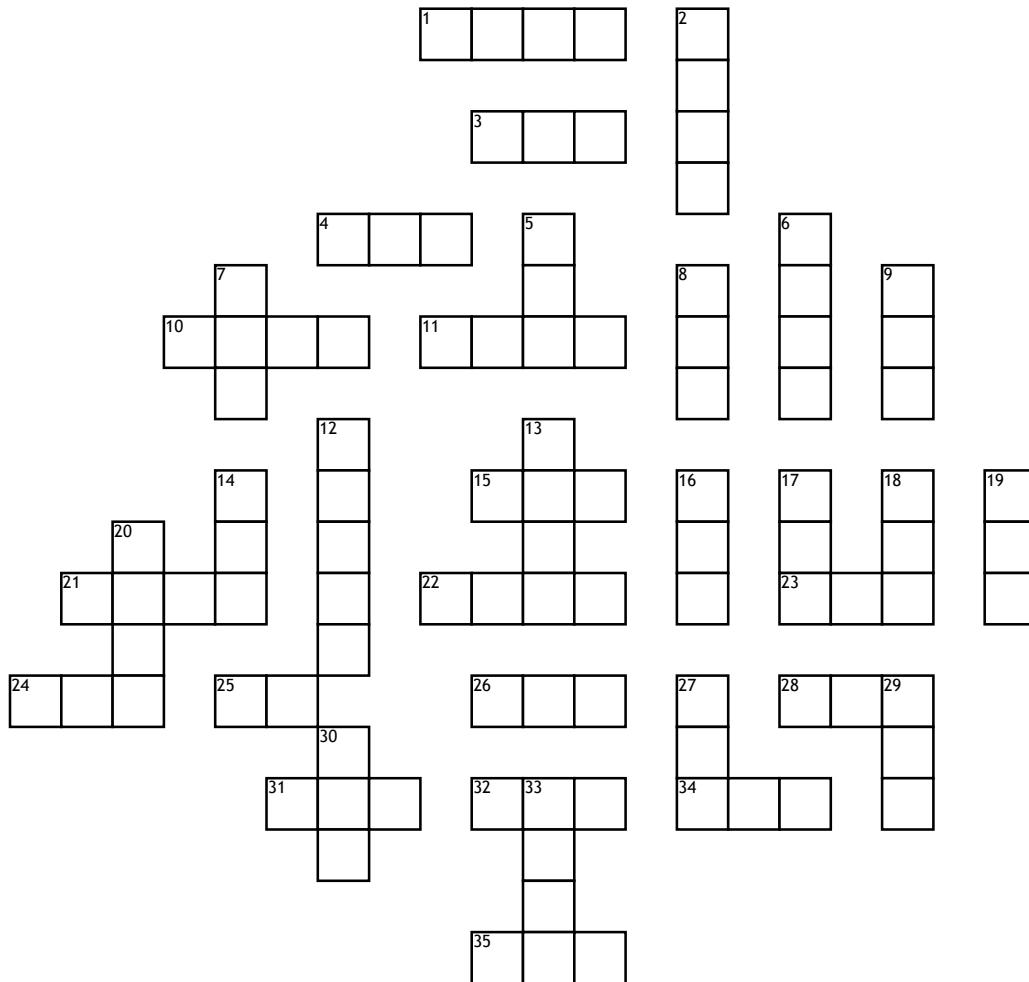


Unit 7 Government Acronyms



Across

1. A public corporation that replaced the Post Office in 1971
3. This department is headed by the U.S. Attorney General
4. This program was begun in the New Deal and is now overseen by HUD
10. This program insures the deposits that people have in banks
11. This administration was created in 1958 to organize and encourage the country's exploration in the cosmos
15. Provides grants for artistic endeavors.
21. Nicknamed Ginie Mae
22. This administration is best known for weather forecasting and disseminating weather data
23. This department analyzes intelligence regarding potential terrorist attacks and issues a threat advisory that indicates the likelihood of such an attack
24. A transportation agency many people are familiar with
25. Probably the best-known _____ program is the system of health care facilities across the country. These services are provided for little or no cost.
26. All U.S. military forces are organized into nine _____
28. One agency within this department oversees the development of mass transit systems

31. This system provides loans to farmers who want to expand their operations or who need short term loans until they sell their crops
32. This is a watchdog agency created in 1921 to insure that the activities of Federal government offices and personnel stay within the law and within budget guidelines
34. This program was created in 1934 following the Stock Market crash of 1929
35. Deals with the revenue of the U.S. government

Down

2. This department was formed to oversee the operation of our country's first industry
5. A private company the U.S. Postal Service has to compete with
6. Was created in 1935 by the National Labor Relations Act, and the board's mission is to enforce provisions of that law
7. Agency within the Department of Health and Human Services
8. A major part of this program is to encourage homeownership
9. Investigates threats of terrorism, foreign intrigue against the U.S., and alleged violations of Federal criminal law
12. Nicknamed Freddie Mac
13. This agency used to be an independent agency until it was organized under the DHS

14. This administration provides assistance, information, and loans to the nation's small businesses
16. This agency coordinates the intelligence-gathering work for the government
17. This department was originally called the Department of War
18. The highest ranking members of the US military
19. This department was divided in 1979 to become the Departments of Health and Human Services and the Department of Education
20. This program pools together FHA mortgage loans and sells them to investors
27. The 300 or so programs under this program have been one of the main reasons why the Federal budget has grown as it has over the last 25 years
29. A New Deal program designed to develop the resources of the area in and around the Tennessee River
30. The first independent agency that Congress created and came into existence in 1887
33. Wildlife refuge in Alaska

Word Bank

FHA	FBI	DHS	SEC	FCA	NEA	UCC
DOD	USDA	SBA	NOAA	FNMA	HHS	ANWR
FAA	UPS	VA	ICC	GAO	TVA	USPS
GNMA	FDIC	FEMA	NLRB	IRS	FDA	NASA
HEW	FHLMC	DOT	CIA	JCS	HUD	DOJ