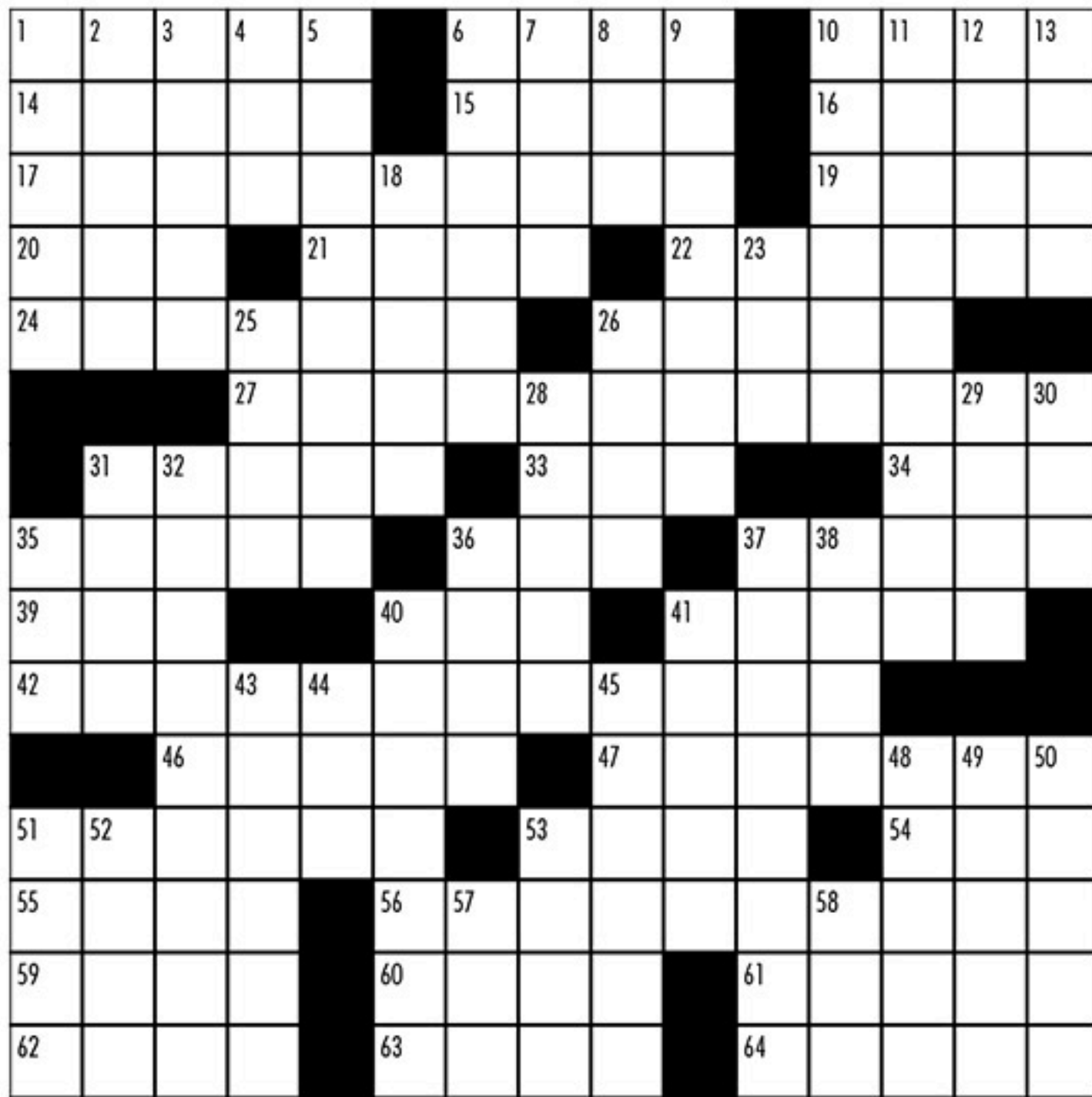


This puzzle's contest answer is a singer currently on tour.

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**Across**

- 1 Francisca's friend
- 6 "ER" and "House" actor
- 10 App downloader
- 14 Turner and Del Rey
- 15 Word with no I
- 16 "The Lion King" role
- 17 Frank Underwood in "House of Cards," for example

- 19 Easy pace
- 20 Coconut or sesame
- 21 Destroyed destroyers, say
- 22 Belt-wearer's activity
- 24 Oscar-winning role for Abraham
- 26 Blocks on movie screens
- 27 Environmental concern in California
- 31 Pitching phrase

- 33 Show stoppers?
- 34 Terrible age
- 35 Disick with 4 million Twitter followers
- 36 London's Ferris wheel
- 37 "Awesome!"
- 39 In bed, maybe
- 40 Use a +
- 41 Magnus Carlsen's game
- 42 "The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo" director
- 46 Navratilova rival
- 47 Gave a job to
- 51 Firefox alternative
- 53 Facebook front page
- 54 Govt. agency with a flower on its logo
- 55 PayPal co-founder — Musk
- 56 Will Ferrell's co-cheerleader on "SNL"
- 59 Peter of the Monkees
- 60 Help on a heist
- 61 Tree on Lebanon's flag
- 62 Prefix meaning "six"
- 63 Oscar —
- 64 Singer with no dollar sign in her name now

**Down**

- 1 Many voices
- 2 Ms. Menounos
- 3 Counting everything
- 4 — gift
- 5 "If you ask me ..."
- 6 Word before pride or festival
- 7 Quick look

- 8 Score for Michelle Wie
- 9 Most men on "Mad Men"
- 10 Song starts
- 11 You don't want to host them
- 12 So much
- 13 "Save the —" (pre-wedding postcard)
- 18 24—
- 23 In the past
- 25 "Yeah, right!"
- 26 Opening paragraph
- 28 Friend of Mozart
- 29 Didn't pay in full
- 30 "That's — cool"
- 31 James Franco's alma mater
- 32 Algebra-class instructions
- 35 Comedy great Caesar
- 36 Check for typos, e.g.
- 37 Its first episode is "A Study in Pink"
- 38 Used to be
- 40 Zambian or Zimbabwean
- 41 Part of RHCP
- 43 Donald Trump's daughter
- 44 The, to 28-Down
- 45 Billboard lists
- 48 "Mr. —" (Adam Sandler movie)
- 49 "The Queen of All Media"
- 50 Nigeria's currency (when reversed, running back Foster)
- 51 Meyers on late
- 52 Plant used on burns
- 53 Seattle stash stuff
- 57 "True Detective" network
- 58 Casual shirt

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