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Introduction

Now there's a fun way to make crossword puzzles less puzzling. With your new *Crossword Puzzle Solver* you can . . .

- find possible crossword answers when you know only a few letters,
- find more possible answers by changing letters,
- find phrases by typing a key word,
- find possible answers by topics (such as *Animals* and *Theatre*), and
- play the Quiz game to practice your puzzle solving skills.

Crossword Puzzle Solver can't solve all your crossword puzzles, but by combining your knowledge with its 130,000 word crossword answer list from Chambers[®], you can find more answers than you find now.





This User's Guide shows you how. You can follow its numbered steps by using the examples shown or by using words that interest you.

Key Guide

Function Keys

BACK	Goes back a step or erases a letter.
CLEAR	Clears to the <i>Ready</i> screen.
ENTER	Enters a word or scrolls text to the left.
HELP	Shows help information.
MORE	Finds more word choices.
ON/OFF	Turns <i>Crossword Puzzle Solver</i> on or off.
PHRASE	Searches for phrases including key word.
QUIZ	Starts the Quiz game.
TOPICS	Shows the Topics Menu.
?	Types a ? to stand for a letter.
—	Types a dash.

Direction Keys

-  Erases a letter or moves left.
-  Types a space or moves right.
-  Scrolls up a list or darkens the screen contrast at the *Ready* screen.
-  Scrolls down a list or lightens the screen contrast at the *Ready* screen.

Getting Started

Here is how to start using this product.

1. **Press ON/OFF to turn on your *Crossword Puzzle Solver*.**

A brief demonstration appears,. To stop the demonstration, press CLEAR.

2. **To stop the demonstration press CLEAR.**
3. **To disable the demonstration, type --D and then press ENTER.**

Once the demo is disabled, the demonstration will not begin each time you turn on the product. To re-enable the demonstration, type --D.

4. **To make the screen lighter or darker, press ↓ or ↑ several times.**

✓ Resuming Where You Left Off

To extend the battery life, *Crossword Puzzle Solver* will automatically shut off within two minutes if you forget to turn it off. When you turn it on again, you return to the last screen that you viewed if the demonstration is disabled.

Finding Words

Crossword Puzzle Solver helps you find answers to crossword puzzles by finding missing letters. Type a ? in place of each letter that you do not know and let *Crossword Puzzle Solver* find all possible matches from its word list.

1. **Type a word with ?'s (e.g., ?ALL??Y).**

?ALL??Y_

To erase a letter, press **BACK** or ⬅.

To type a space, press ➡. You can type capitals only.

2. **Press ENTER to search.**

BALLBOY



A MatchMaker list appears.

3. **Press ⬇ to scroll down the list of matching words.**

CALL BY



A ? can stand for a space as well as a letter, as shown here.

4. **Press CLEAR when finished.**

Finding Words

✓ Viewing Help Information

You can view help information at most screens by pressing **HELP**. To scroll the help automatically, press **ENTER**. To exit help, press **BACK**.

✓ Follow the Arrows

The flashing arrows show which arrow keys you can press to view more.

✓ What is the Flashing **T**?

Some words belong to one or more topics. When you see the flashing **T** at the right of the screen, press **TOPICS** to view the topics with which that word is associated. To learn more about topics, read "Finding Words by Topic."

✓ Scanning the Word List

You can view all of the words that are listed alphabetically in your *Crossword Puzzle Solver*. Select a word, either by typing it at the *Ready* screen and pressing **ENTER**, or by pressing **ENTER** when it appears in a list on screen (e.g., a MatchMaker list). Once the word is selected, you can use the arrow keys to scroll up or down the entire list of words that is found in *Crossword Puzzle Solver*.

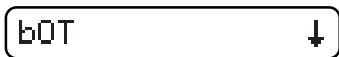
Finding More Words

If the word you are looking for is not on a MatchMaker list, press **MORE** to find more possibilities. When you press **MORE**, *Crossword Puzzle Solver* substitutes a letter for one that you have typed. Try this example.

1. Type a word (e.g., DOT) and press ENTER.

Correct word appears. This means the word was spelled correctly.

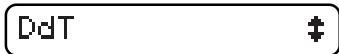
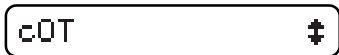
2. Press MORE.



Note: You can also press **MORE** from the *Ready* screen.

The lowercase letter is the new letter.

3. Press ↵ repeatedly to view more matches.



These are all variations, with one letter changed, of the original word *DOT*.

4. Press CLEAR when finished.

Finding Phrases

Crossword Puzzle Solver can also find phrases that include a key word.

1. Type a word in a phrase (e.g., **CAT**).
2. Press **ENTER**.
3. Press **PHRASE**.

BLACK-CAT ↓

Note: You can also press **PHRASE** from the *Ready* screen.

3. Press ↵ repeatedly to view the phrases.

CAT BURGLAR †

4. Press **CLEAR** when finished.

✓ Correcting Misspellings

Crossword Puzzle Solver can be used as a spell checker. However, it can correct only those words that are in this crossword list from Chambers®. It may not recognize some commonly used English words.

Finding Words by Topic

You can even narrow your search by topic. There are 196 topics from which to choose. They include anything from *Academics* to *Zoology*.

1. Press TOPICS.

A screenshot of a menu with a rounded rectangular border. The text 'Academics etc.' is displayed in a pixelated font, followed by a downward-pointing arrow symbol.

The Topics menu appears.

2. Type the first letter of the topic (e.g., *B*).

Note: There are no topics starting with the letters K, Q, X, or Y.

3. Press ↓ repeatedly until the topic you want appears (e.g., *Bible*).

4. Press ENTER.

5. At the Ready screen type your cross-word guess with ?'s (e.g., *M????S*).

6. Press ENTER.

A screenshot of a menu with a rounded rectangular border. The text 'MARKS' is displayed in a pixelated font, followed by a downward-pointing arrow symbol.

7. Press ↓ to scroll down the MatchMaker list.

8. Press CLEAR when finished.

Finding Words by Topic

✓ Another way to find Words by Topic

To find a list of the words associated with a specific topic, first select a topic (e.g., *Games & sports*). Next enter ?'s to determine how long the words in the list will be (e.g., *????*).

ACES



Now you can view every word that is four letters long and listed under *Games & sports*.

Playing the Quiz Game

Crossword Puzzle Solver has a fun, challenging Quiz game which you can play to practice your crossword puzzle solving skills.

To play, you must guess a mystery word. Its topic appears briefly before each round. Your score appears after each round and clears to zero when you exit the game.

1. Press QUIZ.

2. Press ↓ or ↑ to view the skill level you want.

3. Press ENTER to select it.

The topic of the mystery word briefly appears.

4. Type letters in place of the ?'s.

If you type a letter that is not in the word, you see *No, try again*. If you guessed a letter correctly, continue to type letters until *You win!* appears.

5. Press ? to reveal a letter.

6. Press ENTER to play another round.

7. Press CLEAR when finished.

Product Care

Model CWQ-106 Crossword Puzzle Solver

- Size: 6.9 x 10.1 x 0.8 cm • LCD 1 x 16 characters
- Battery: one CR2032 3 volt lithium • Weight: 192.78 grams

Replacing the Battery

This product uses one CR2032, 3-volt lithium battery. Should you need to replace the battery, unscrew the screws on the back with a very fine screwdriver and carefully remove the back cover. Then install a new battery, plus sign facing you, and replace the cover.

Product Care and Customer Service

To clean this product, spray a mild glass cleaner onto a cloth and wipe its surface. Don't spray liquids directly onto the unit. Don't use or store your unit in extreme or prolonged heat, cold, humidity, or other adverse conditions. If you have a problem with your unit, refer to the warranty. If you purchased your unit outside the United Kingdom, contact the place of purchase to obtain warranty or repair information.

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