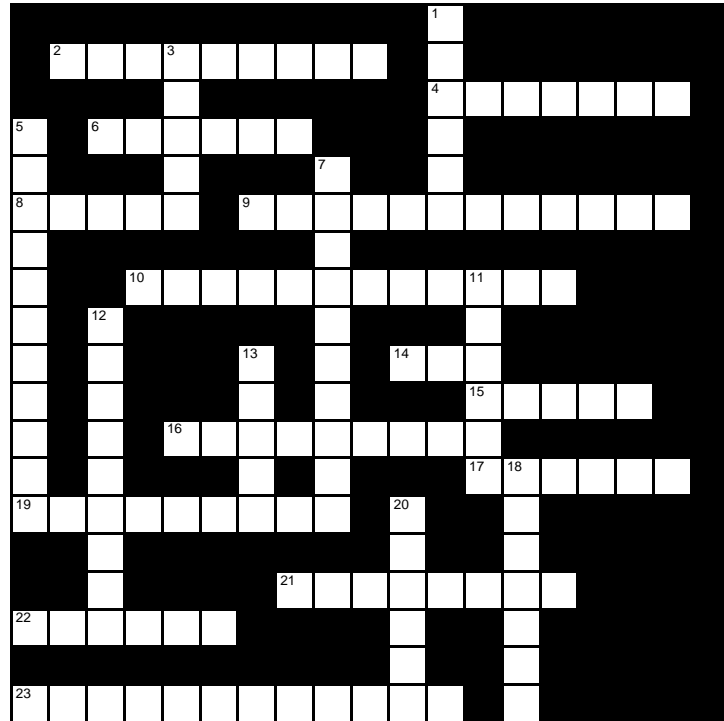


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ACROSS

- 2 Stereotyping a group or "type" of person to assess potential dangers, suspects (9)
- 4 A female operative who uses sex as a tool (7)
- 6 An intelligence officer or agent operating in the field (6)
- 8 A person under the control of an intelligence agency or security service (5)
- 9 U.S. security classification for national security information (12)
- 10 Close observation, esp. of a suspected spy or criminal (12)
- 14 A concealed listening device used in audio surveillance (3)
- 15 Agent who searches obituaries and graveyards for names of the deceased for use by agents (5)
- 16 A private detective or secret agent (9)
- 17 The victim of surveillance, the subject (6)
- 19 The practice of spying or of using spies, typically by governments to obtain political and military information (9)
- 21 A gatekeeper commonly used in the Asian Subcontinent for guarding the entrances to walled compounds (8)
- 22 A gun, esp. a pistol or revolver (6)
- 23 A plan devised by President Harry S Truman and Secretary of State George C. Marshall that committed over \$10 billion to rebuilding Western Europe after World War II (8,4)



- 5 Kept secret or done secretly, esp. because illicit (11)
- 7 The secret movement of an operative into a target area with the intent that his or her presence will go undetected (10)
- 11 British term for the bait (money, political asylum, sex, or career opportunity) used to offer a potential defector (6)
- 12 President John F. Kennedy's failed plan to invade Cuba and topple revolutionary leader Fidel Castro with an army of CIA-trained Cuban exiles in 1961 (3,2,4)
- 13 Russian secret police founded in 1917 to serve the Bolshevik Party; one of the many forerunners of the KGB (5)
- 18 Officers assigned to foreign capitals to provide liaison to foreign military forces, overtly to collect information and to gather intelligence (7)
- 20 A criminal organization from Japan (6)

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- 1 Israel's foreign intelligence service (6)
- 3 A legitimate-appearing business created by an intelligence agency or security service to provide cover for spies and their operations (5)

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