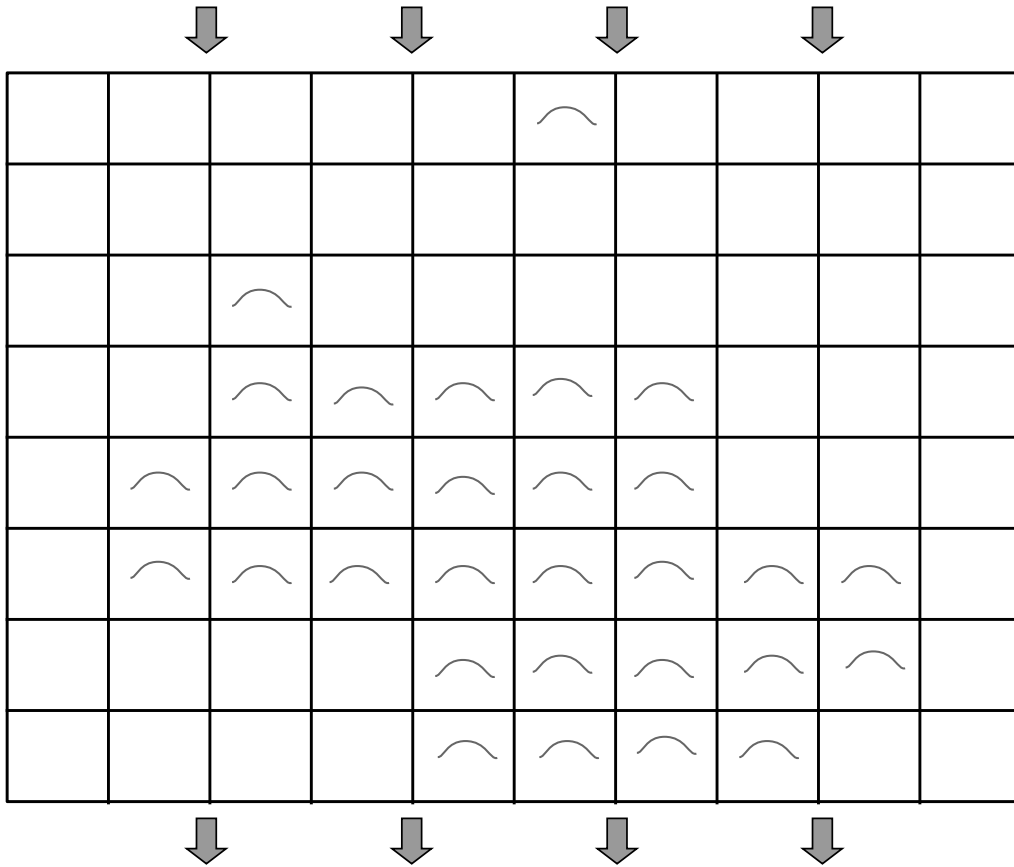


PUZZLEBOMB



PIPE DOWN

PIPE DOWN:
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Water flows into the top of this grid, which contains nine pipes running from top to bottom, always flowing horizontally or downwards. Whenever pipes cross (at right angles), there's a visible bulge in the cover you can see. Every other grid square has one pipe, either running straight, or making a 90 degree turn. Reconstruct the grid.

APIS CLUES

Here are five cryptic crossword clues. You must solve the clues, then find the connection between the answers.

APIS CLUES: devised by @apisclues.

1. Such a gang would force you to join the media (5)
2. Louis Armstrong swallowing nice little lift (6)
3. Pleasant way of doing things, with cheeky grin and brief nod in greeting (4,7)
4. A third of striped Macleans is not blue (5)
5. Bend - bend in coral, oddly (4)