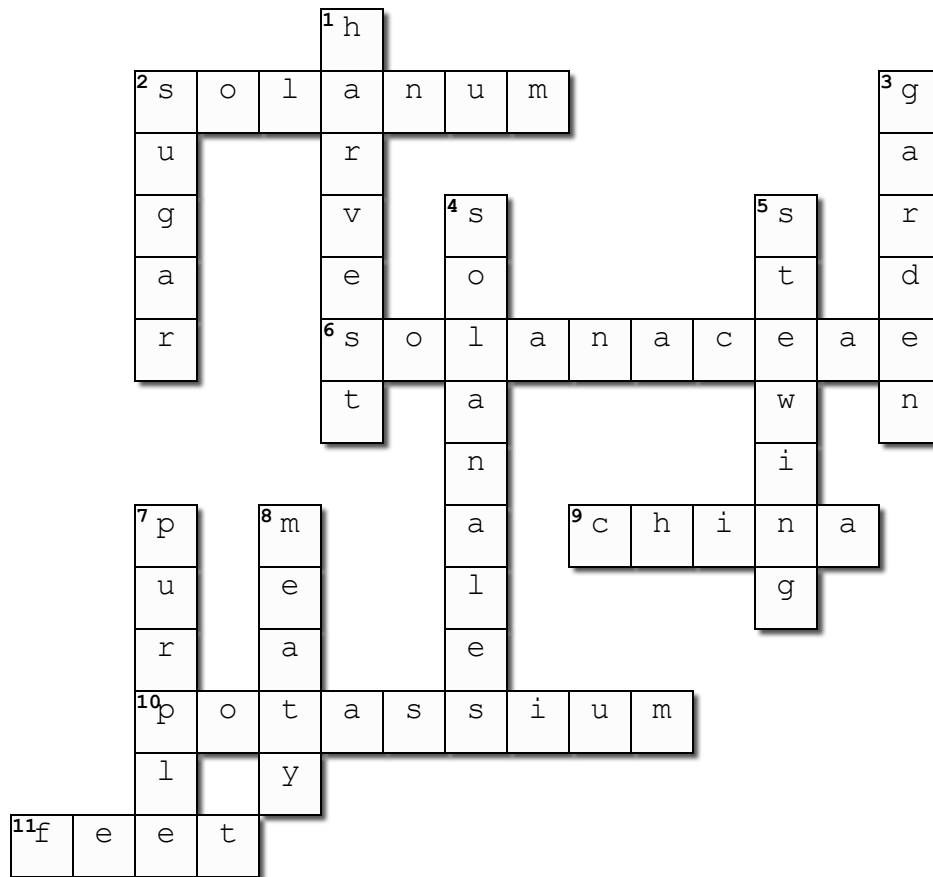


Name: _____

Eggplant

Complete the crossword puzzle below



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Across

2. Eggplants are a part of the _____ genus (**solanum**)
6. Eggplants are a part of the _____ family (**solanaceae**)
9. Eggplants originated in India and _____. (**china**)
10. There are 118 mg of _____ in one cup of eggplant (**potassium**)
11. Eggplants grow and hang from the branches of a plant that can grow several _____ high (**feet**)

Down

1. Eggplants take about 100-120 days to grow from seed to _____. (**harvest**)
2. There are 2.9 g of _____ in one cup of eggplant (**sugar**)
3. New Jersey, "The _____ State," produces 66% of the world's eggplants. (**garden**)
4. Eggplants are a part of the _____ order (**solanales**)
5. Eggplants can be cooked in a variety of ways including _____, frying, roasting and grilling. (**stewing**)
7. Eggplants can be used as natural dye due to their rich _____ pigment. (**purple**)
8. Eggplants are often used as a meat substitution in vegetarian dishes due to their _____ texture. (**meaty**)