

March 29, 2016. I've just added the words and clues of the final four ਸ਼ਬਦ ਪਹੇਲੀs into this [glossary](#) : the last puzzle number 60 appeared exactly two years ago, and its answers on April 19, 2014. While entering these words it occurred to me that there must be a

(1) *software which puts a given set of Punjabi words into lexicographic order?* So very lazily I have still not put this glossary in exact dictionary order but will do so if someone is kind enough to send me such a software.

(2) Also, ***it should be fairly easy for a bright computer person to write a program which fills any small blank grid with Punjabi words from a given digitalized set?*** Many such programs are available for English, so making crossword puzzles in this language is easy : one is at once reduced to the act of writing nice clues only. I've gently nudged many young people before to write such a Punjabi program but so far to no avail.

As an added incentive let me also mention that the ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਟ੍ਰਿਬਿਊਨ of April 19, 2014 gives names of as many as *32 solvers of the last and quite challenging puzzle* : so there is out there a fairly *big market* waiting for this product. Indeed, what could be more pleasant for a bright young person – or for that matter an adult – than doing crosswords to improve his or her command of a language? Finally, there is the undying fame and glory : writing such a program would obviously strike a telling blow for *Punjab, Punjabi and Punjabiat!*

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