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1 Underground explorer
6 The majority
10 Perfume holder
14 Kind of acid
15 Lighten up
16 Picnic playwright
17 Advanced degrees
19 Blue-pencil
20 Palindromic preposition
21 and kin
22 Wyoming range
24 Relate under
7 Down
26 Satirist Freberg
27 Not active: Abbr.
28 Like wet concrete
32 Nostrils
35 YOUR DOG
36 Othello, for one
37 Nobelist
38 Menu
39 Colorado ski spot
40 Cleaning cloths
41 Astronomical bear
42 In itself
43 Statuette
45 Portable bed
46 Bouquet unit
47 Veteran seafarer
51 Composer Prokofiev
54 Down in the dumps
55 long way (last)
56 Pennsylvania port

DOWN
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2 Dean Martin song subject
3 Bad habits
4 Med. specialty
5 Newcomers
6 Beef-filled
7 Court procedure
8 NNW's
9 opposite
10 Born on the Fourth of July marchers
11 -European languages
12 Not "er"
13 Cole Porter's "Do It"
18 Falling-out
23 Pencil holder, at times
25 She may take a bough
26 More or less, informally
28 Pug's pay
29 Guy in a sty
30 Hi's wife, in the comics
31 Perry's creator
32 Indoor ball
33 Jai
34 Diana of The Avengers
35 Chili con
38 Thai and Cajun, e.g.
42 Italian magistrate
44 Future fish
45 Fingerprint, perhaps
47 Lois Lane colleague
48 Slack-jawed
49 Hestor's El Cid costar
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52 Author Ambler
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Science helps Olympians break records
(AP) — Sprinters faster than thoroughbred horse. Female swimmers with the shoulders and swag of linebackers. Weightlifters generating enough energy in a single clear and jerk to illuminate your house—and your neighbor's.
World records are falling in bunches at the Sydney 2000 Olympic Games.
The athletes' performances are the product of superb genes, hard work and, increasingly, science.
Years ago, scientists — physiologists, kinesiolegists, nutritionists, biomechanists, even physicists — began applying their knowledge to athletes. As a result, practicing a sport for hours is no longer enough to win.
In the lungs of cyclists, scientists measure the maximum oxygen intake in milliliters per kilogram of weight per minute.
In the fast-twitch muscle cells of a rower, they determine the use of energy-producing adenosine triphosphate and the buildup of fatigue-inducing lactic acid.
Using computers, videotape and sensors, they streamline the trajectory of a weightlifter's hoist or a gymnast's vault.
Combined with more than 1,000 hours of intensive training a year, how much might science improve an Olympian's peak performance? Maybe 1 percent.
"Future limits to athletic performance will be determined less by the innate physiology of the athlete, than by technological advances..."
— Guy C. Brown
British Biochemist

That's often the difference between a gold medal and a silver. For now. But are we reaching the upper limits of athletic performance? Are the world's top athletes, in the words of British biochemist Guy C. Brown, "doomed to battle ... over ever-diminishing fractions of seconds and centimeters?"
Or can more science help Olympic athletes improve significantly?
Both, Brown says. In a study published in the journal The Sciences, Brown reports about the steadily improving performances of athletes since 1900.
For example, the record time in the men's 1500-meter run has improved by about 10 seconds every quarter-century. Men historically have outperformed women, but the gap is narrowing. In a 1992 UCLA study, scientists predicted the women would outrun men, especially in endurance races such as the marathon, by 2035.
By 2020, the editors of The Sciences predict, women will run the 10,000-meter race a full minute faster than men.
But humans might soon reach the limits of physical fitness, Brown argues.
The overall limiting factor for athletes is the heart's ability to pump more freshly oxygenated blood through miles of blood vessels.
"If it could push more blood through the body, an athlete could run, swim, row or ride a bicycle faster than usual," Brown said.
Brown says athletic improvements will depend on scientific and technological gains.
Among them, better equipment, surgical enhancements such as more flexible tendons, even genetic engineering for faster-acting muscles, higher oxygen absorption and faster blood circulation.
"Future limits to athletic performance will be determined less by the innate physiology of the athlete," Brown said, "than by technological advances and the evolving judgment on where to draw the line between what is 'natural' and what is artificially enhanced."
For now, there are no clear answers to the performance questions Brown raises. Too many athletes. Too much history. Too many complicating factors.
To gain an edge, most elite athletes visualize a perfect race or routine before competing.
"Visualization actually gets the muscles firing," Zaichowsky said. "It gives the body a rehearsal."

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