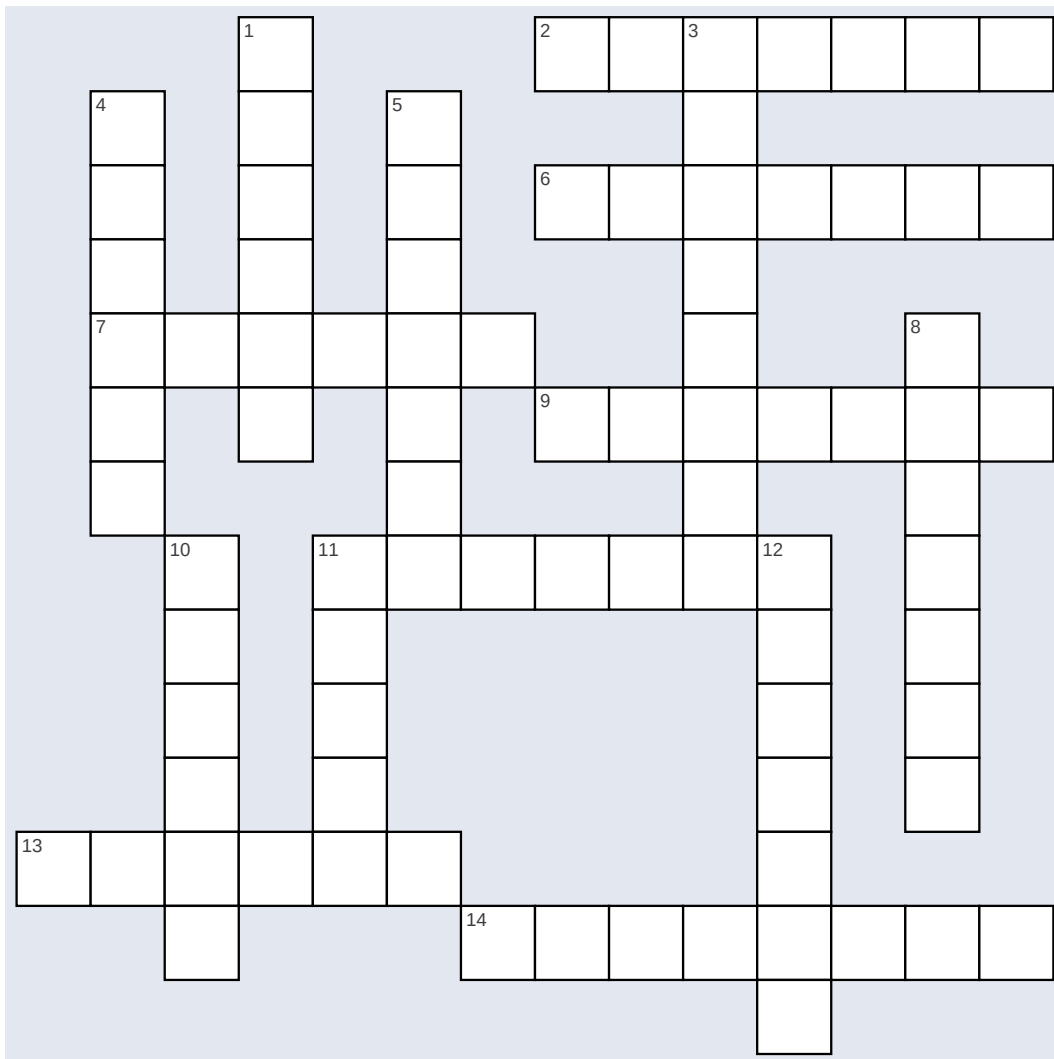


Medium Crossword 1: Food and Drink



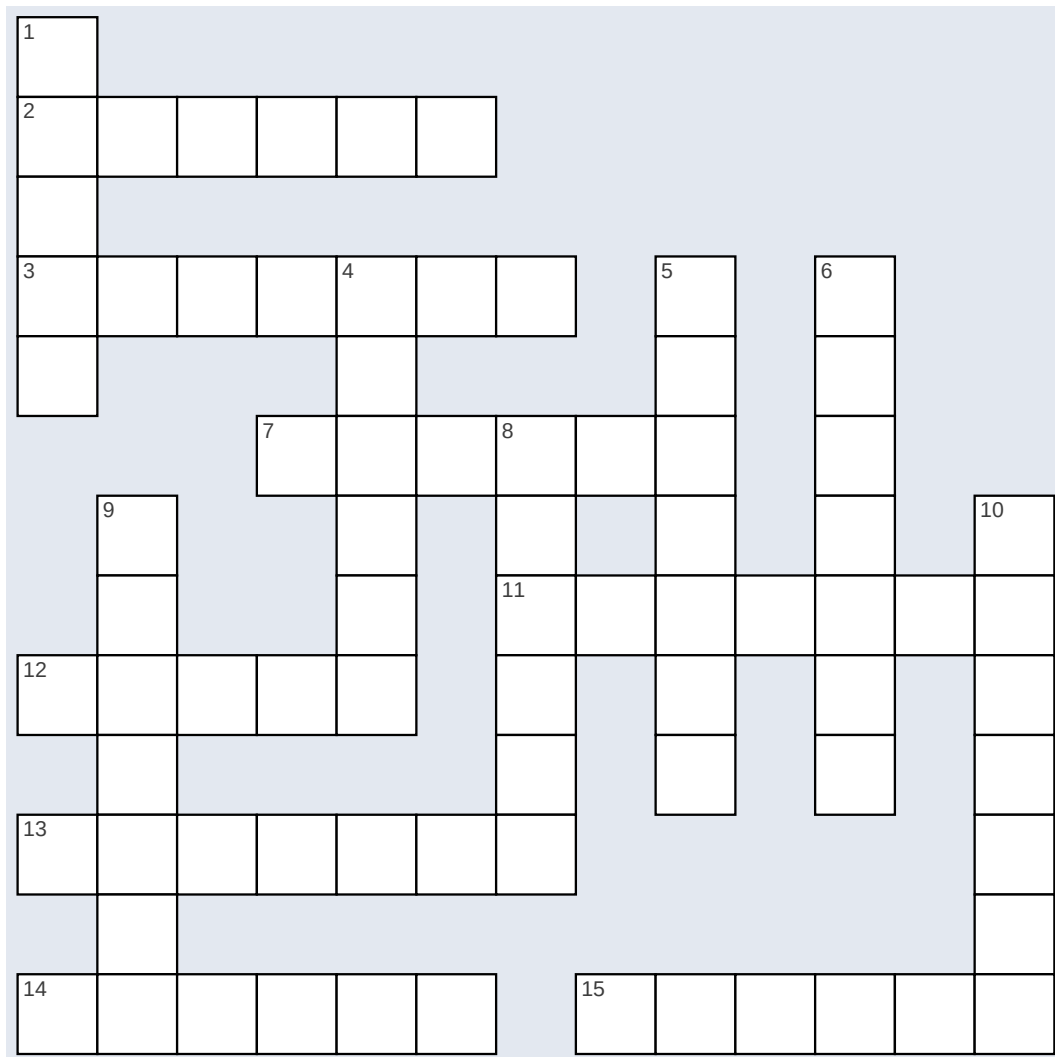
ACROSS

- 2. Hard cheese named after an English village (7)
- 6. Red powder made from dried peppers (7)
- 7. Small legume used in soups and in Indian dal (6)
- 9. Yellow condiment often put on hot dogs (7)
- 11. Costly yellow spice taken from crocus flowers (7)
- 13. Its bulb is divided into cloves (6)
- 14. Long, thin French loaf (8)

DOWN

- 1. Nut used to make marzipan (6)
- 3. Strong Italian coffee served in a small cup (8)
- 4. Beaten eggs cooked in a pan (6)
- 5. Ice cream flavor that comes from the pod of an orchid (7)
- 8. Twisted, salted baked snack (7)
- 10. Dairy food made by fermenting milk (6)
- 11. Japanese dish made with vinegared rice (5)
- 12. Long strips of pasta, common in Asian soups (7)

Medium Crossword 2: Nature and Science



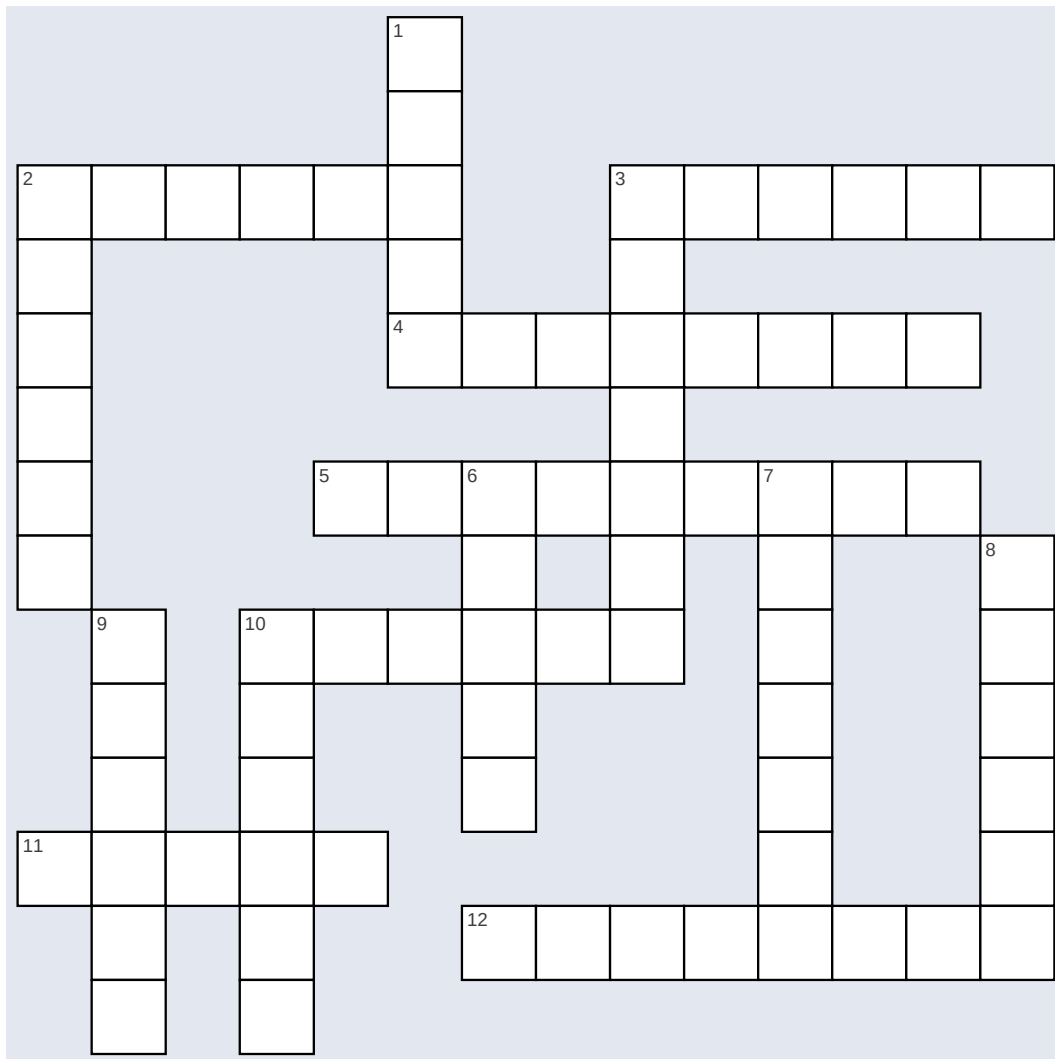
ACROSS

2. Gas that humans need to breathe (6)
3. It happens when the Moon hides the Sun (7)
7. Warm-blooded animal that feeds its young with milk (6)
11. Slow-moving river of ice (7)
12. Path of the Moon around the Earth (5)
13. Natural home of an animal or a plant (7)
14. Fine powder that bees carry from flower to flower (6)
15. Remains of an ancient plant or animal preserved in rock (6)

DOWN

1. Icy body with a bright tail that travels around the Sun (5)
4. Saturn or Neptune, for example (6)
5. Mountain that can erupt with lava (7)
6. Force that pulls objects toward the ground (7)
8. It attracts iron (6)
9. Violent funnel-shaped windstorm (7)
10. Solid with a regular shape, like quartz or a snowflake (7)

Medium Crossword 3: Arts and Leisure



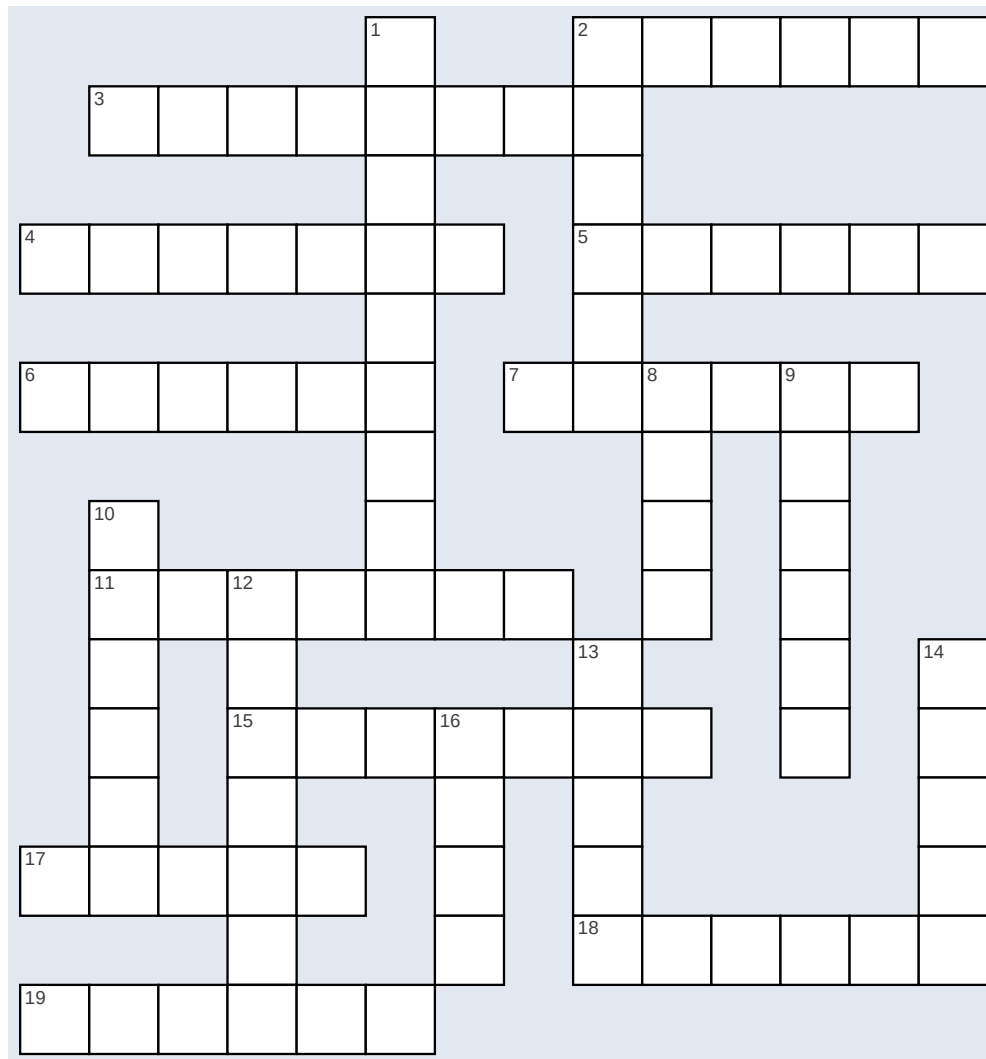
ACROSS

2. Jigsaw or crossword, for example (6)
3. Instrument that usually has six strings (6)
4. Artist who carves stone or shapes clay (8)
5. Large group of musicians led by a conductor (9)
10. The tune of a song (6)
11. Long work of fiction (5)
12. Painting or photo of a person (8)

DOWN

1. Board game that ends with checkmate (5)
2. Writing in verse (6)
3. Place where paintings are shown (7)
6. Group of singers (5)
7. Building where plays are performed (7)
8. Dance form performed on the tips of the toes (6)
9. Extra piece played when the audience asks for more (6)
10. Building that keeps and displays historic objects (6)

Hard Crossword 4: World Geography



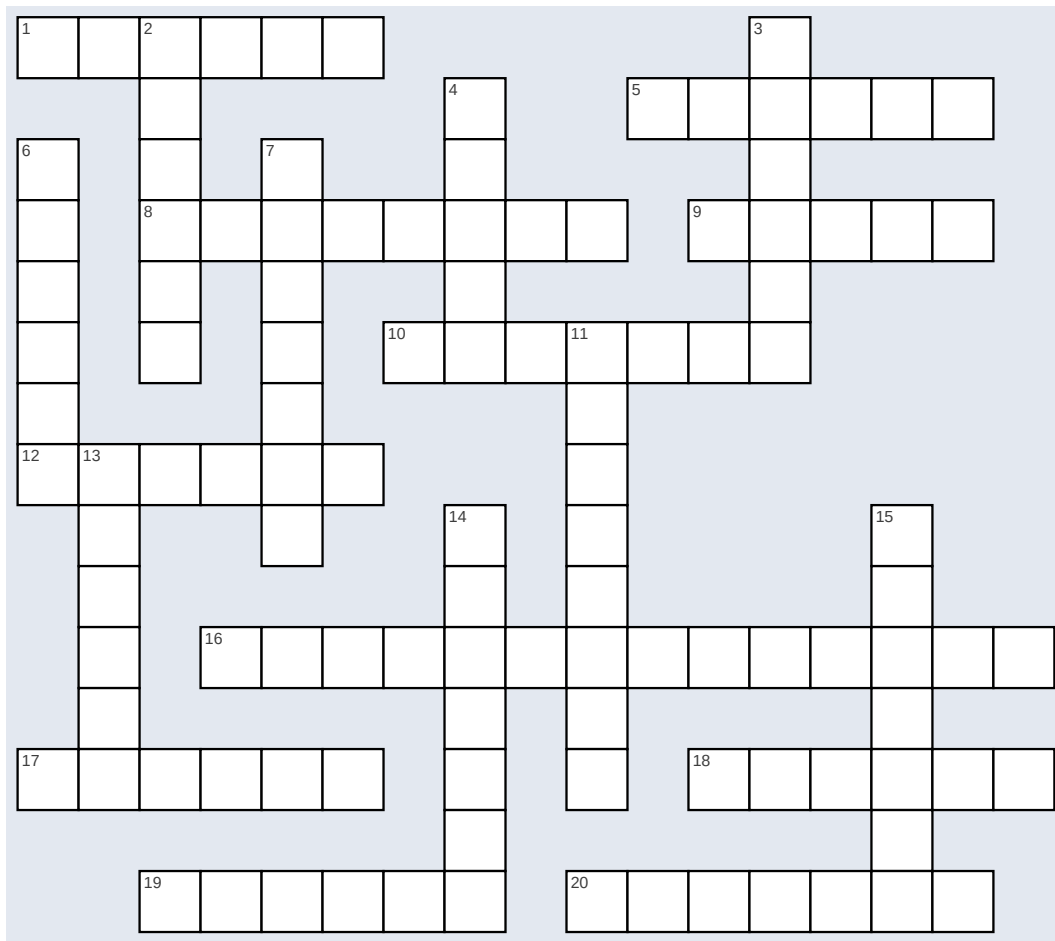
ACROSS

2. Largest island in the Mediterranean (6)
3. Capital of Australia (8)
4. The largest ocean (7)
5. South American river that carries more water than any other (6)
6. River sacred to Hindus (6)
7. River that passes through Vienna, Budapest and Belgrade (6)
11. Island nation whose capital is Reykjavik (7)
15. Imaginary line at zero degrees latitude (7)
17. Mountain range along the western side of South America (5)
18. Capital of Canada (6)
19. The smallest ocean (6)

DOWN

1. Land surrounded by water on three sides (9)
2. The largest hot desert on Earth (6)
8. River that flows north through Egypt to the Mediterranean (4)
9. Largest country in South America (6)
10. Capital of Portugal (6)
12. Highest mountain above sea level (7)
13. Capital of Japan (5)
14. East African country whose capital is Nairobi (5)
16. Range that includes Mont Blanc (4)

Hard Crossword 5: Science and Discovery



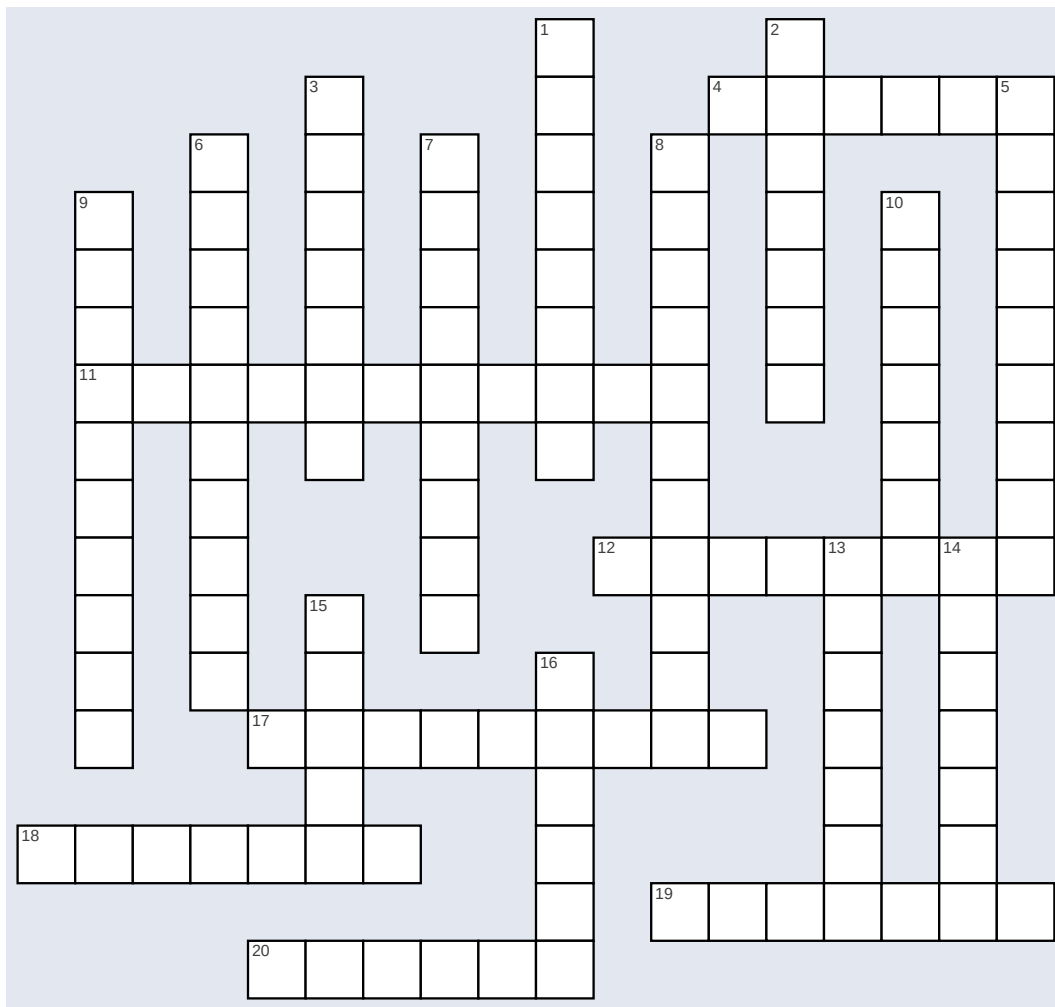
ACROSS

1. Unit of electric current (6)
5. Common mineral made of silicon and oxygen (6)
8. Band of colors produced when light passes through a prism (8)
9. Device that produces a narrow beam of coherent light (5)
10. Planet closest to the Sun (7)
12. Scientist who described the laws of motion (6)
16. Process by which plants make food from sunlight (14)
17. Temperature scale that starts at absolute zero (6)
18. Second lightest element, used to fill balloons (6)
19. Complete set of DNA of an organism (6)
20. It trains the immune system to fight a disease (7)

DOWN

2. Fourth state of matter, after solid, liquid and gas (6)
3. The Milky Way is one (6)
4. Marie, who won Nobel Prizes in physics and in chemistry (5)
6. Naturalist who wrote "On the Origin of Species" (6)
7. Particle with no electric charge, found in the nucleus of an atom (7)
11. Substance that speeds up a reaction without being used up (8)
13. Protein that speeds up a chemical reaction in a living cell (6)
14. Variant of an element with a different atomic mass (7)
15. Splitting of an atomic nucleus (7)

Hard Crossword 6: History and Culture



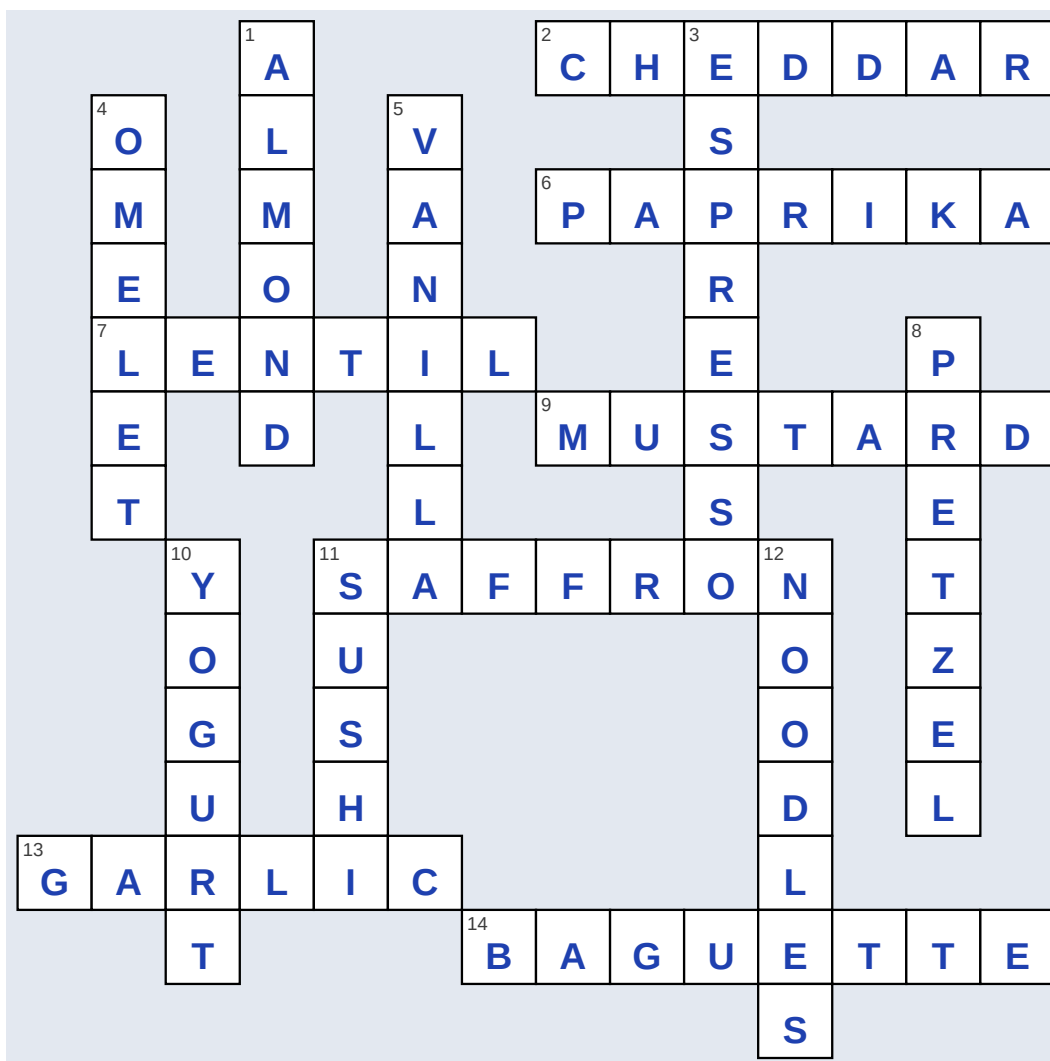
ACROSS

- 4. Scandinavian seafarer of the early Middle Ages (6)
- 11. Period of European art and learning that followed the Middle Ages (11)
- 12. Figure of speech that describes one thing as another (8)
- 17. Composer who wrote nine symphonies (9)
- 18. Warrior of feudal Japan (7)
- 19. Word with the same meaning as another (7)
- 20. Composer of "The Magic Flute" (6)

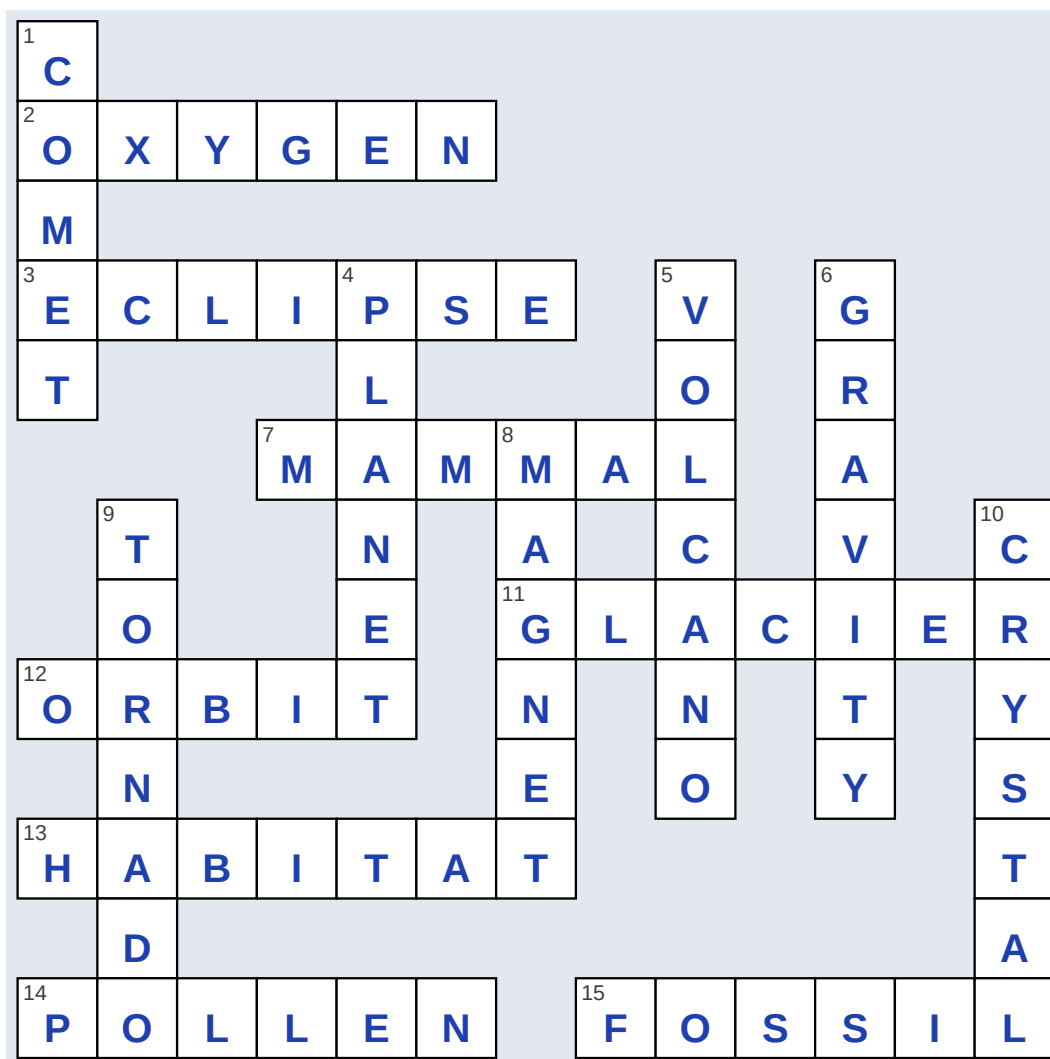
DOWN

- 1. Long work for orchestra, usually in four movements (8)
- 2. Author of "Oliver Twist" (7)
- 3. Royal tomb of ancient Egypt with triangular sides (7)
- 5. Fighter in a Roman arena (9)
- 6. Word that reads the same backwards, like "level" (10)
- 7. Large amphitheater in Rome (9)
- 8. Author of "Hamlet" and "Macbeth" (11)
- 9. Picture sign in ancient Egyptian writing (10)
- 10. Ruler of ancient Egypt (7)
- 13. Spanish painter of "Guernica" (7)
- 14. Epic poem by Homer about a long voyage home (7)
- 15. Drama that is sung, such as "Carmen" (5)
- 16. Poem of fourteen lines (6)

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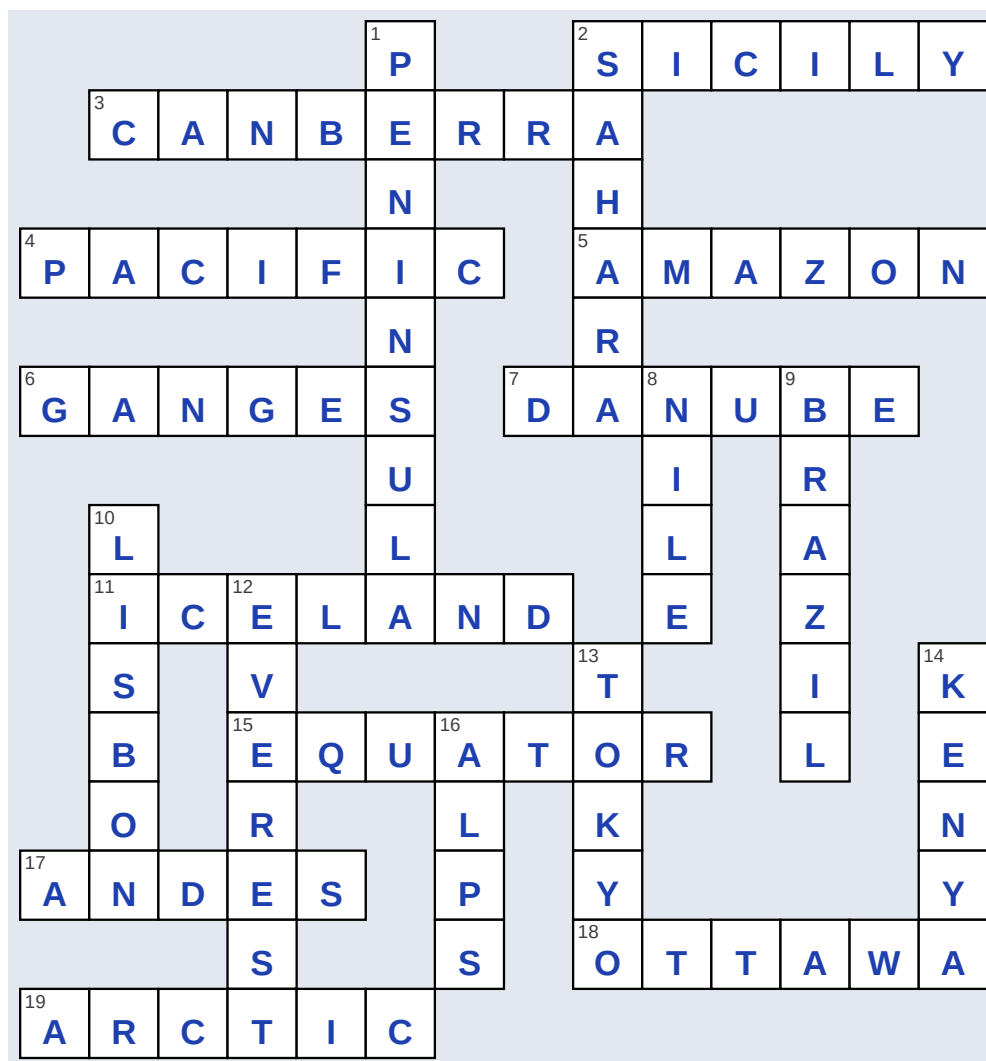
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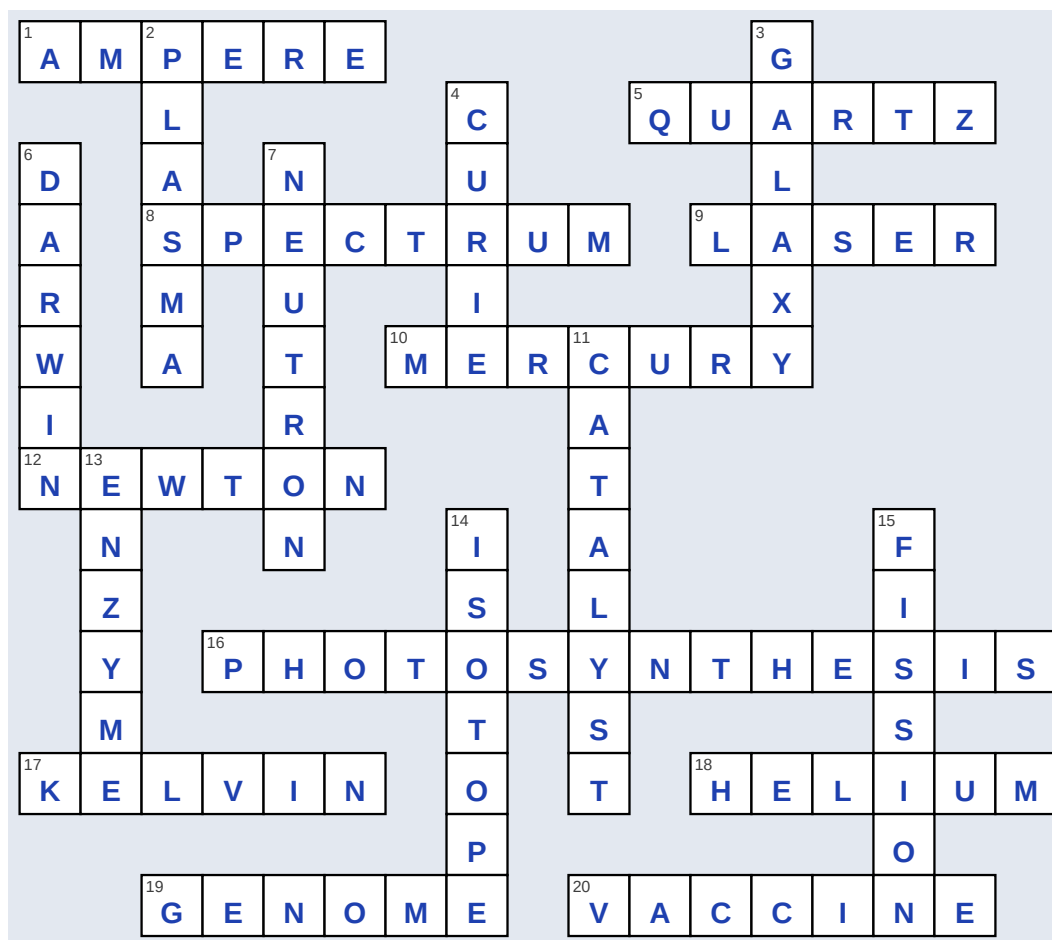
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