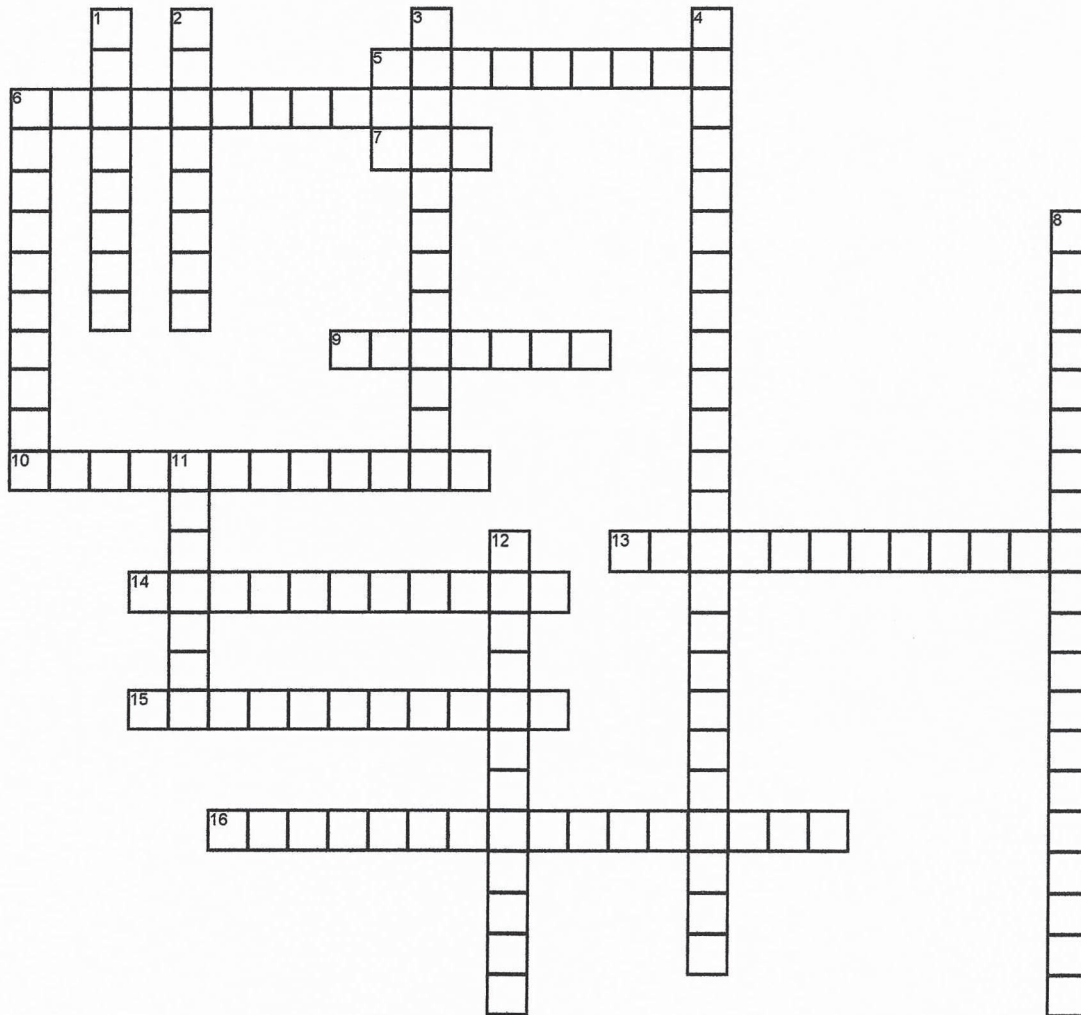


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Instructions: Complete the puzzle. Use the clues to help you fill the boxes with the correct words.



ACROSS

5. an artificial body of water that usually forms behind a dam
6. the area of land that is drained by a water system
7. a structure that is built across a river to control a river's flow
9. suitable for drinking
10. an area in which water travels downward to become part of an aquifer
13. all the bodies of fresh water, salt water, ice, and snow that are found above the ground
14. a flowing network of rivers and streams draining a river basin
15. the water that is beneath the Earth's surface
16. the accumulation of pollutants at successive levels of the food chain

DOWN

1. a virus, microorganism, or other substance that causes disease; an infectious agent
2. the percentage of the total volume of a rock or sediment that consists of open spaces
3. a process of removing salt from ocean water
4. a process that increases the amount of nutrients in a body of water through human activities, such as waste disposal and land drainage
6. water that contains wastes from homes or industry
8. pollution that comes from a specific site
11. a body of rock or sediment that stores groundwater and allows the flow of groundwater
12. the ability of a rock or sediment to let fluids pass through its open spaces or pores