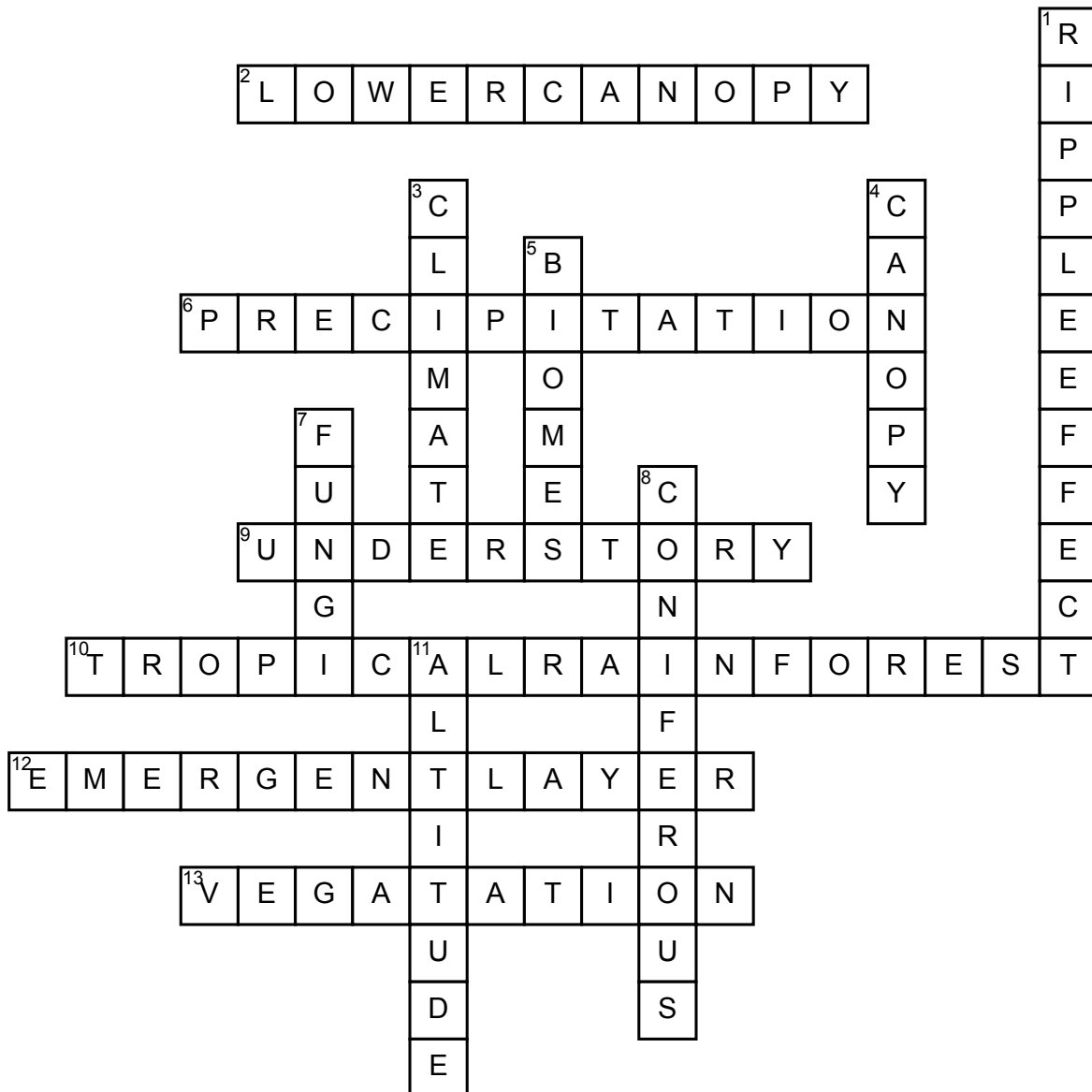


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Biomes



Across

2. The four main layers of the rain forest is: Emergent layer, Upper canopy, Understory and _____.

6. Temperature and what are the 2 most important factors that determine a region's climate.

9. The foliage layer that is beneath and shaded by the main canopy of a forest.

10. Are forest or jungles near the equator

12. the top foliage layer in a forest where the trees extend above surrounding trees.

13. Biomes are described by their _____ because plants that grow in a area determine the other organisms that can live there.

Down

1. Any change in one part of the environment, like an increase or decrease of species of a animal or plant, cause a _____ of change in other parts of the environment.

3. The _____ and geography of a region determines what type of biome can exist in that region.

4. The _____ is the layers of treetops that shade the forest floor, and is considered to be the primary layer of the rain forest.

5. Large regions characterized by a specific type of climate and certain types of plants and animal communities.

7. Some trees in the tropical rain forest support _____ that feeds on dead organic matter on the rainforest floor.

8. 3 main forest biomes of the world: tropical, temperate and _____.

11. The height of an object above reference point, such as sea level or the earth's surface