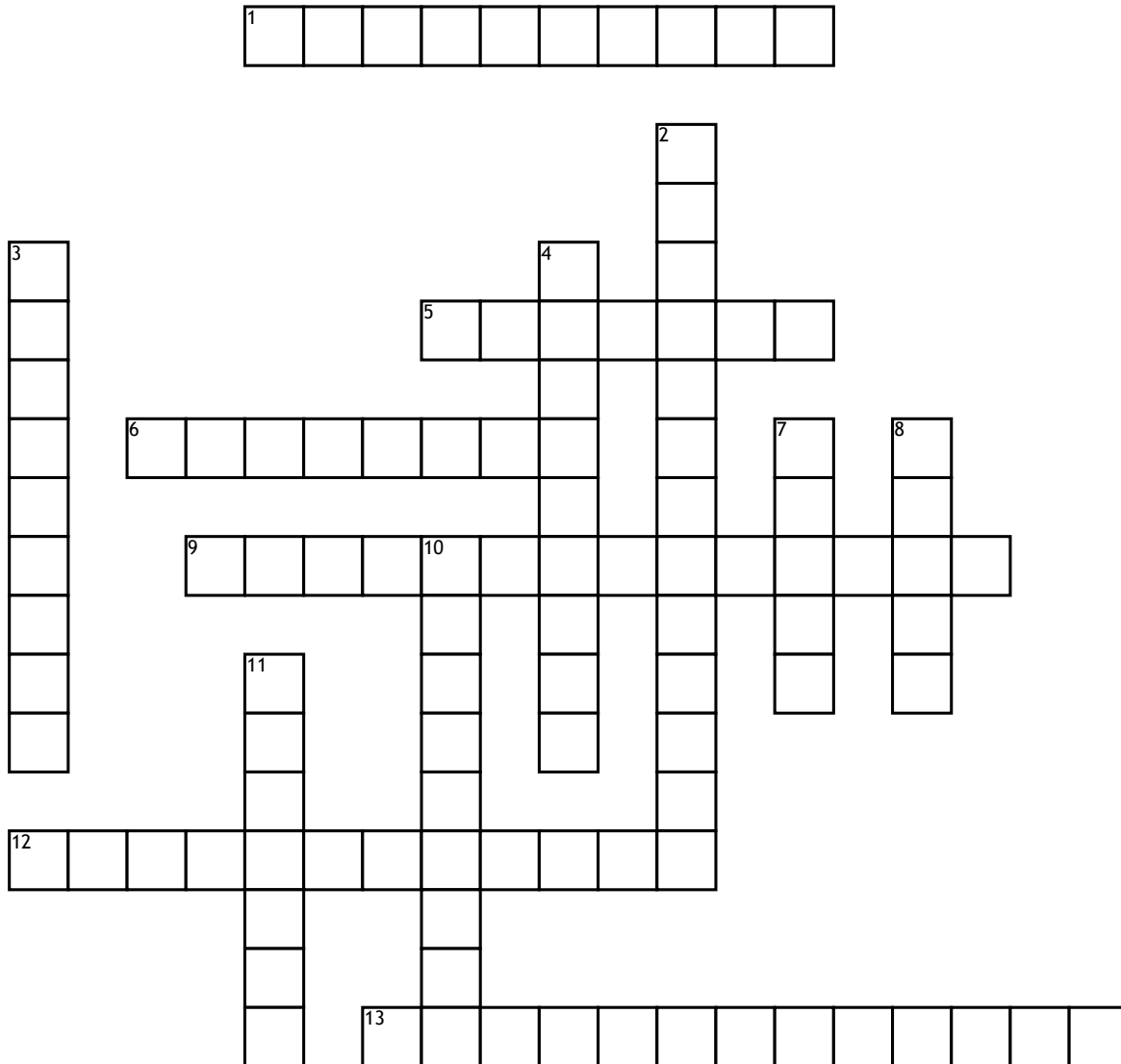


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# Ecology: Levels of Organization Crossword



## Across

1. A group of organisms of one species
5. The scientific study of interactions between organisms and their environments
6. Lowest level of organization
9. Any abiotic or biotic factor that restricts the existence of organisms in a specific environment

12. All living organisms inhabiting Earth

13. Ecology is a science of \_\_\_\_\_.

## Down

2. All nonliving parts of the environment (temperature, soil, light, moisture)
3. Populations in a community including all abiotic factors in which they interact

4. Several interacting populations that inhabit a common environment and interdependent

7. The role a species plays in a community

8. Life supporting portions of the Earth comprised of air, land and water

10. A niche is determined by the \_\_\_\_\_ limitation of an organism

11. The place an organism lives