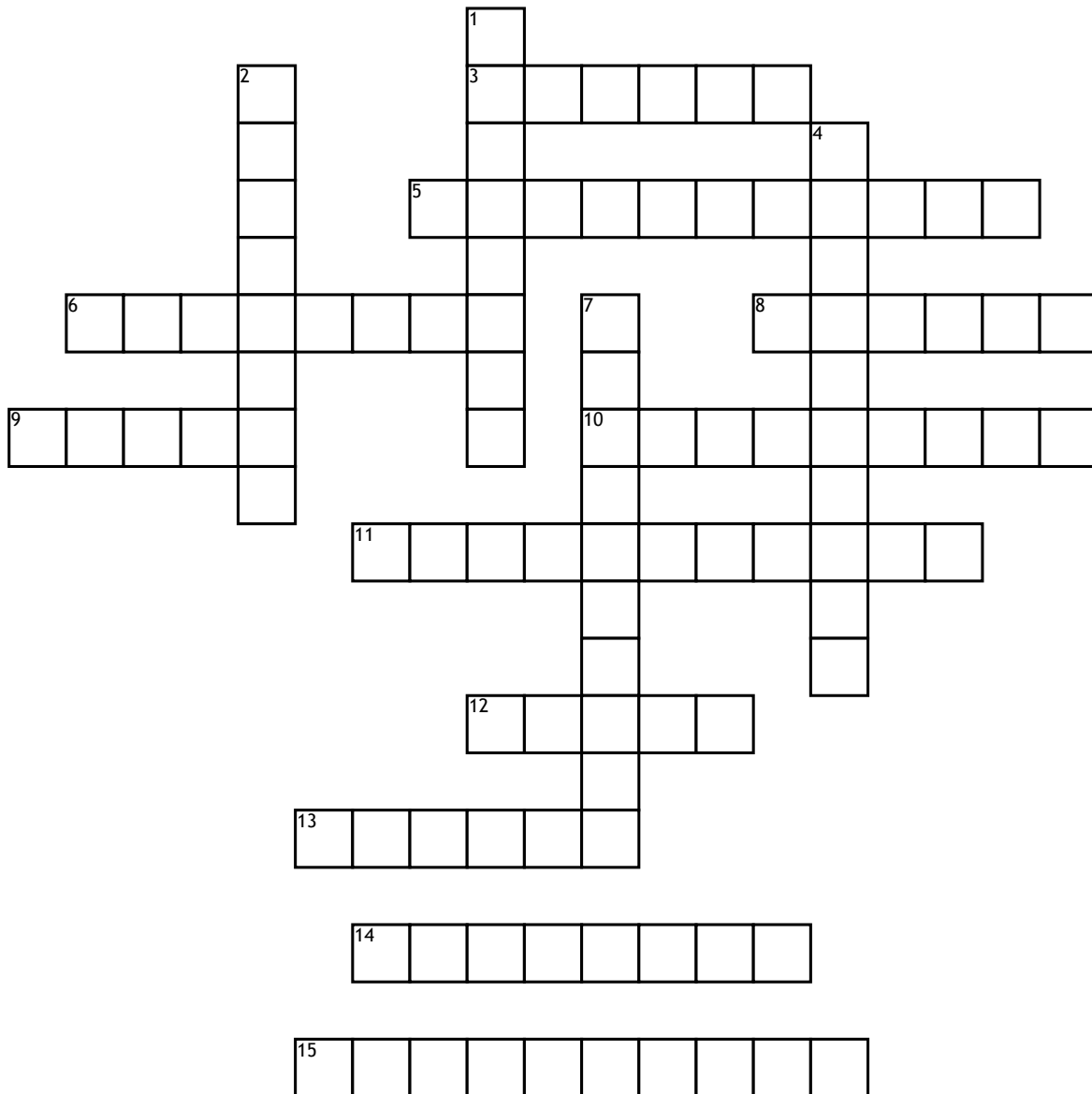


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Across

- 3. Free from an obligation or liability imposed on others
- 5. Sincere and intense conviction
- 6. Carry out (a task) badly or carelessly
- 8. Forbidding association with a particular person, place, or thing
- 9. Disturb or disconcert (someone)

- 10. Solidify or coagulate, especially by cooling
- 11. Home or family life
- 12. Influence or power, especially in politics or business
- 13. In a quiet, gentle, and submissive manner
- 14. An inclination to believe that people are motivated purely by self-interest

- 15. Not showing a serious or respectful attitude

Down

- 1. Mad; insane
- 2. The deliberate killing of a large group of people, especially those of a particular ethnic group or nation
- 4. Steady or resolute
- 7. Indicating or suggesting that one believes a person has done something wrong