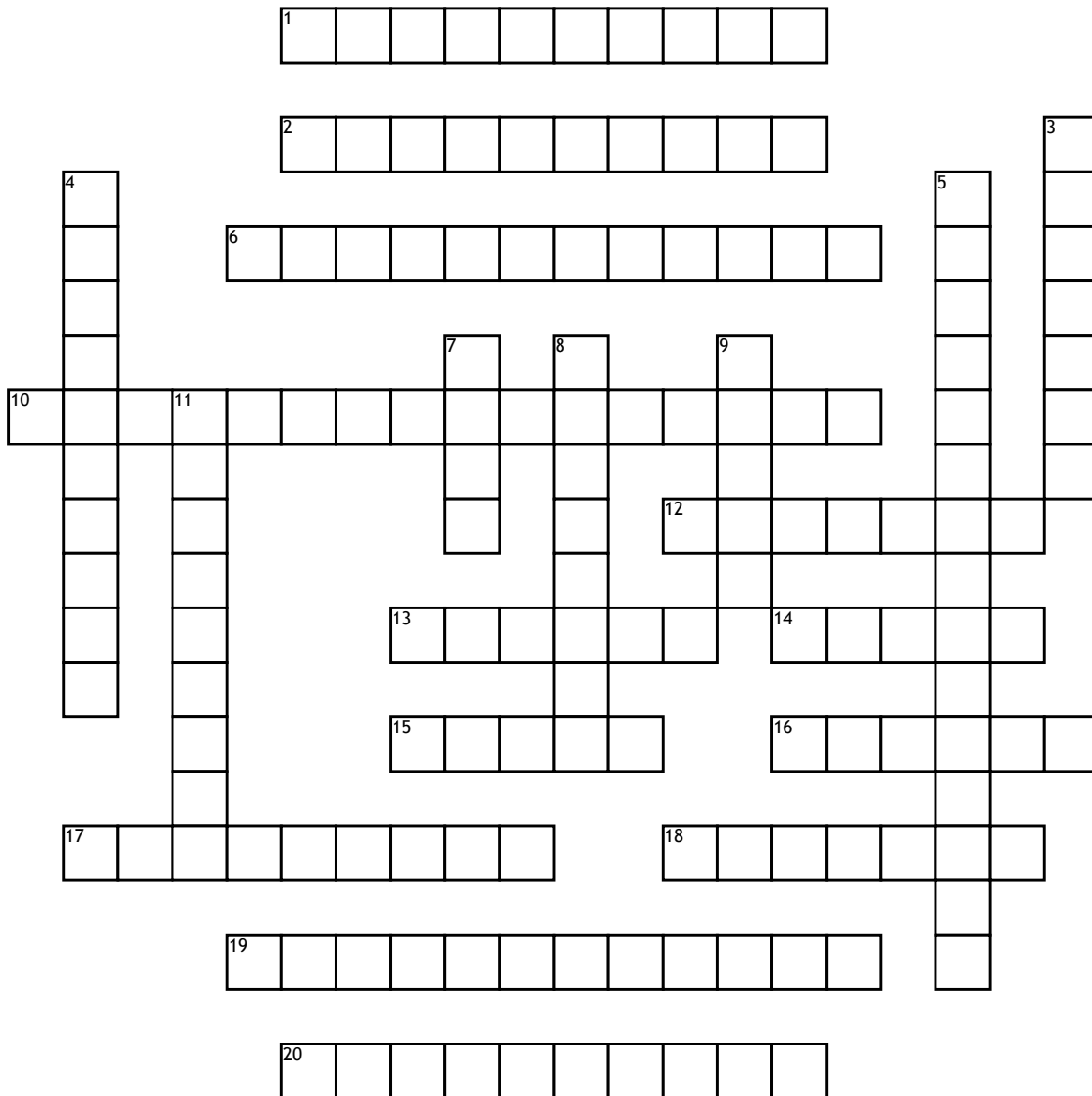


Ch.18 crossword puzzle



Across

1. A long, thin valley created by the moving apart of the continental plates
2. Delta of the Niger River and an area of Nigeria with rich oil deposits
6. A dam on the Nile River in Egypt, completed in 1970, increased Egypt's farmland by 50%
10. A volcano in Tanzania in Africa, also highest peak in Africa
12. Eighth leading oil exporter in the world
13. The area encompassing the top of the trees in the a rain forest about 150 feet
14. A place where water from an aquifer has reached the surface

15. A narrow band of dry grassland, running east to west on the southern edge of the Sahara
16. The largest desert in the world, stretching 3000 miles across the African continent
17. An area east of Africa, containing some of the best grassland in the world
18. Disease caused by the increase number of mosquitoes
19. A dam on the Nile River in Egypt, completed in 1970, which increased Egypt's farmable land by 50%
20. A steep slope with a nearly flat plateau on top

Down

3. An underground layer of rock that stores water
4. Where major rain forest of Africa sits on
5. An expansion of dry conditions to moist areas that are next to deserts
7. Loose sedimentary material containing very small rock particles
8. Trees in west Africa that help build up dry land in swamps
9. An area drained by a major river and its tributaries
11. The world's longest river flowing over 4000 miles through the Sudan Basin into Uganda, Sudan and Egypt