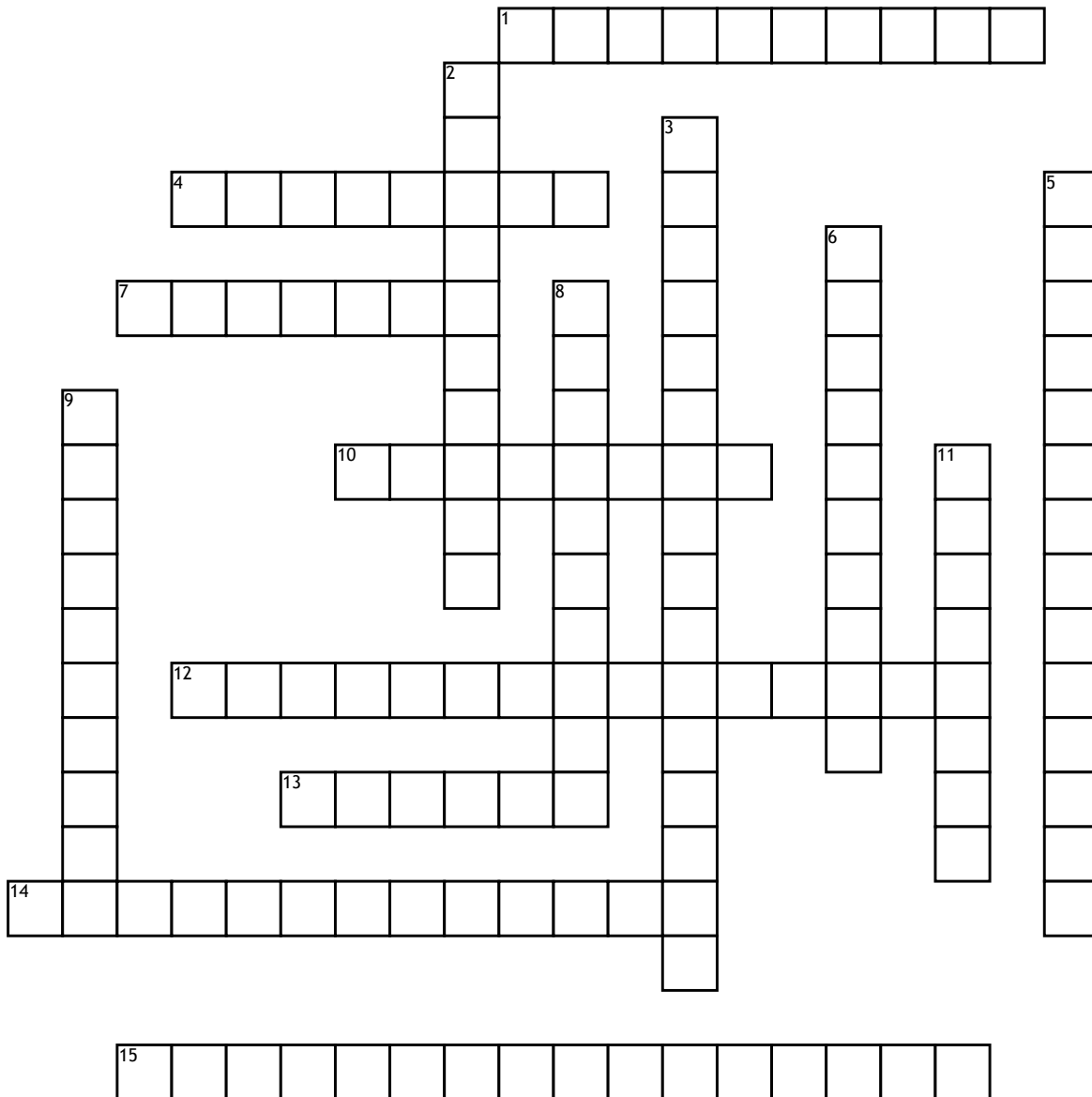


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Earth's Dynamic Climate Term Words



Across

1. A temporary roadway over frozen ground or a frozen body of water that facilitates transportation
 4. prolonged period of excessively hot weather
 7. when precipitation has been significantly below normal recorded levels
 10. Something that is emitted or released into the atmosphere
 12. Gases in the atmosphere that absorb and emit heat
 13. the coniferous forests or region in the more northern part of the Northern Hemisphere

Down

14. Human-caused
 15. A passage from the Atlantic to the Pacific
 2. to reduce or limit the impacts of climate change
 3. a process in which certain gases in Earth's atmosphere absorb heat from the Sun and heat radiated from Earth's surface
 5. The basic equipment, utilities, productive enterprises, installations and services essential for the development, operation and growth of an organization, city or nation

6. Ground that remains at or below 0°C for at least two consecutive years.

8. A hydrocarbon deposit, such as petroleum, coal or natural gas, derived from the accumulated remains of ancient plants and animals and used as fuel

9. an intervention intended to reduce adverse human influence on the climate system

11. something that can absorb heat and store heat