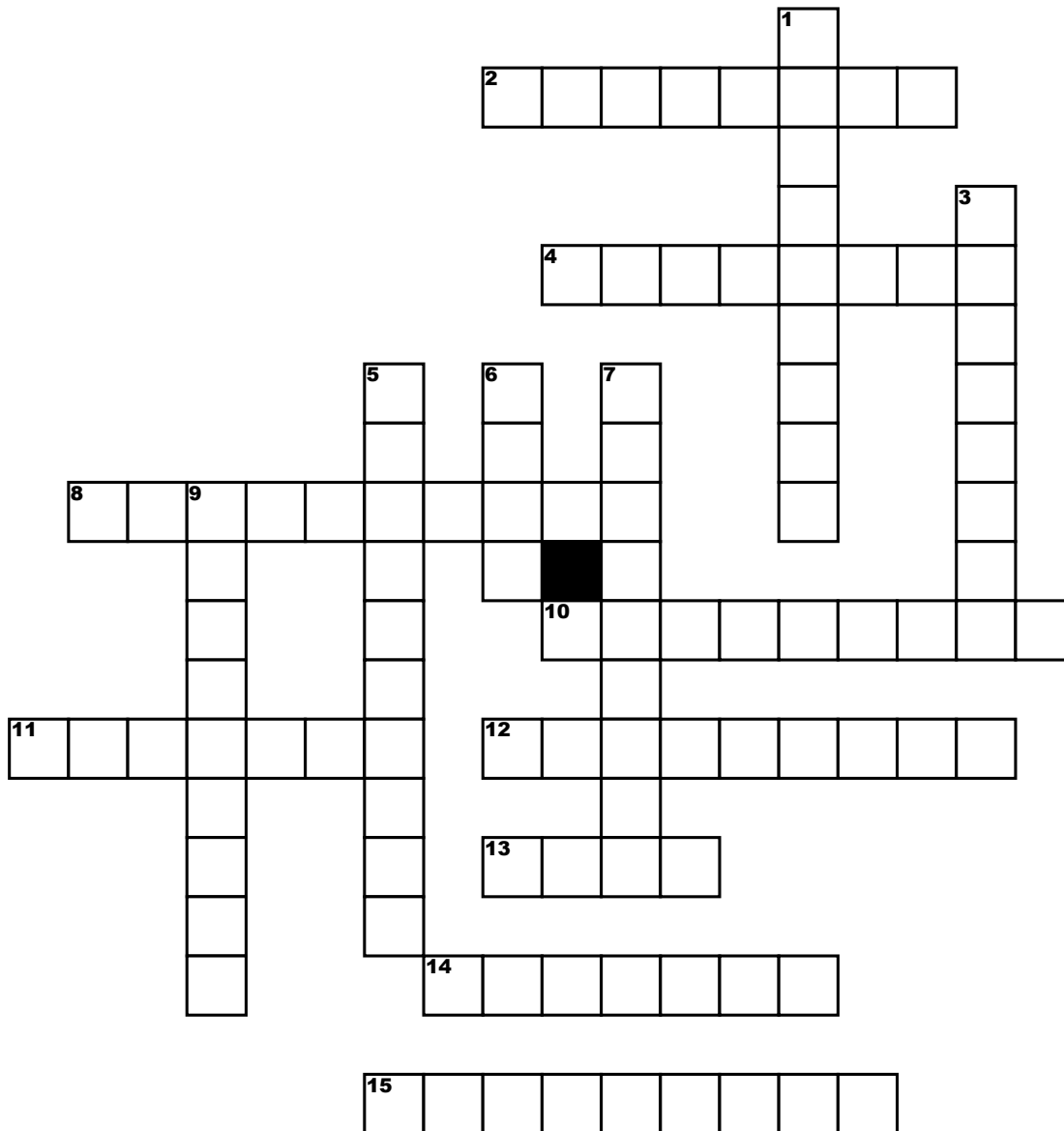


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# Ecology Crossword



## **Across**

**2.** An animal or person that eats food of both plant and animal origin

**4.** An organism that obtains energy by feeding on other organisms

**8.** I am a Zebra that breaks down chemicals from dead lizards and I return the important materials to the pond. What is this process called?

**10.** The part of the world in which life can exist

**11.** Where I live it is called a \_\_\_\_\_. Fill in the blank.

**12.** A series of events in which one organism eats another and obtains energy

**13.** An animal that is hunted and killed by another for food

**14.** The pattern of overlapping food chains in an ecosystem

**15.** A biological community of interacting organisms and their physical environment

## **Down**

**1.** A group of people who live in the same area

**3.** An organism that makes their own food

**5.** A community of animals, plants, or humans among whose members interbreeding occurs

**6.** I am a cat that harbors a leech. What term am I describing?

**7.** I am an animal that loves to eat leafy plants. What term am I describing?

**9.** An animal that eats meat