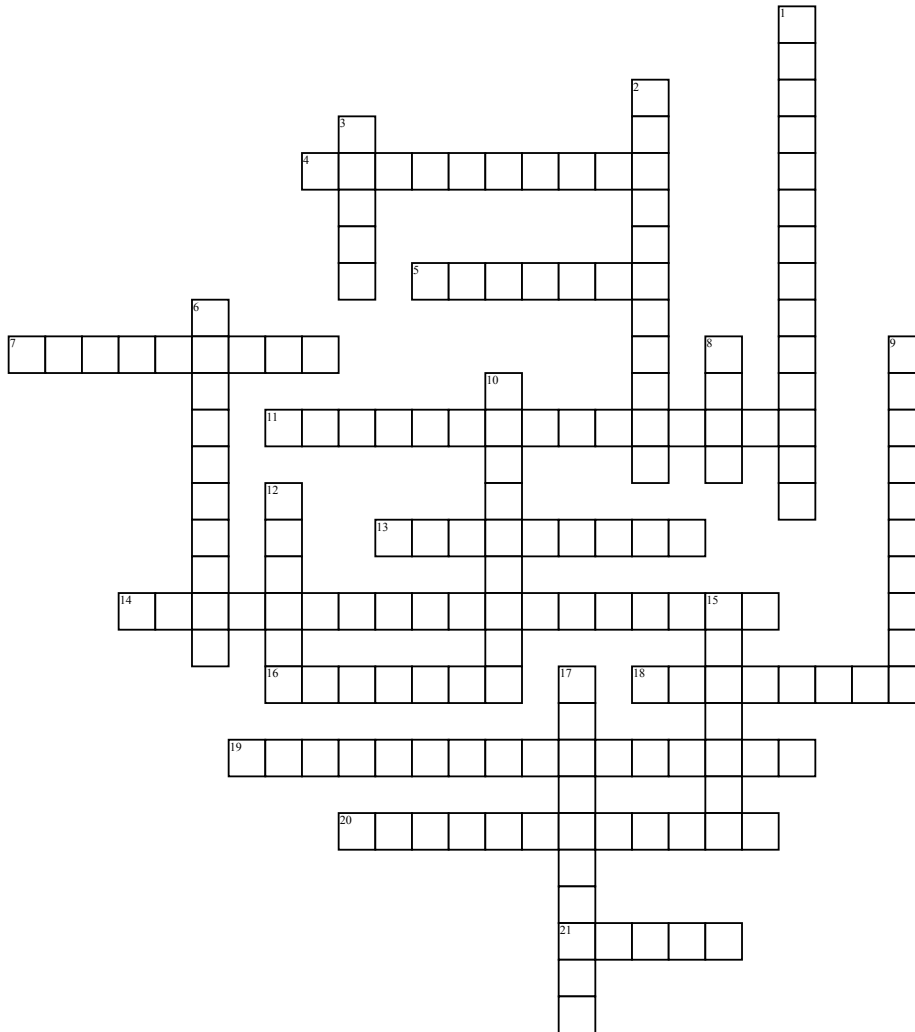


Ecology Crossword Puzzle



Across

- 4. A type of relationship where one organism benefits and the other doesn't
- 5. The natural environment of an organism
- 7. The biological interaction between two different organisms
- 11. A type of forest characterized by trees that seasonally shed their leaves
- 13. A type of relationship where two organisms benefit each other
- 14. A land biome known for its large biodiversity
- 16. The mouth of a river where the tide meets the stream

- 18. An organism that eats another organism
- 19. The maximum number of organisms of a particular species in a given environment
- 20. A type of relationship where two organisms interact with each other without any damage
- 21. The position or function of an organism in a community

- 3. The coniferous evergreen forests of subarctic lands
- 6. All the individuals of one species in a given area
- 8. An animal hunted or seized for food
- 9. The second largest aquatic biome
- 10. An group of interacting populations occupying a given area
- 12. The largest aquatic biome that makes up 71% of the world
- 15. The major subdivision of a genus
- 17. A large open area of grass, especially one used for grazing

Down

- 1. An environmental factor that tends to limit population size
- 2. The struggle among organisms for food, space, and other vital requirements

Word Bank

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|-------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Prey | Symbiosis | TropicalRainForest | DeciduousForest | Commensalism |
| Habitat | Community | Taiga | Grasslands | Parasitism |
| Population | Predator | Niche | Mutualism | Freshwater |
| Estuary | LimitingFactor | CarryingCapacity | Marine | Species |
| Competition | | | | |