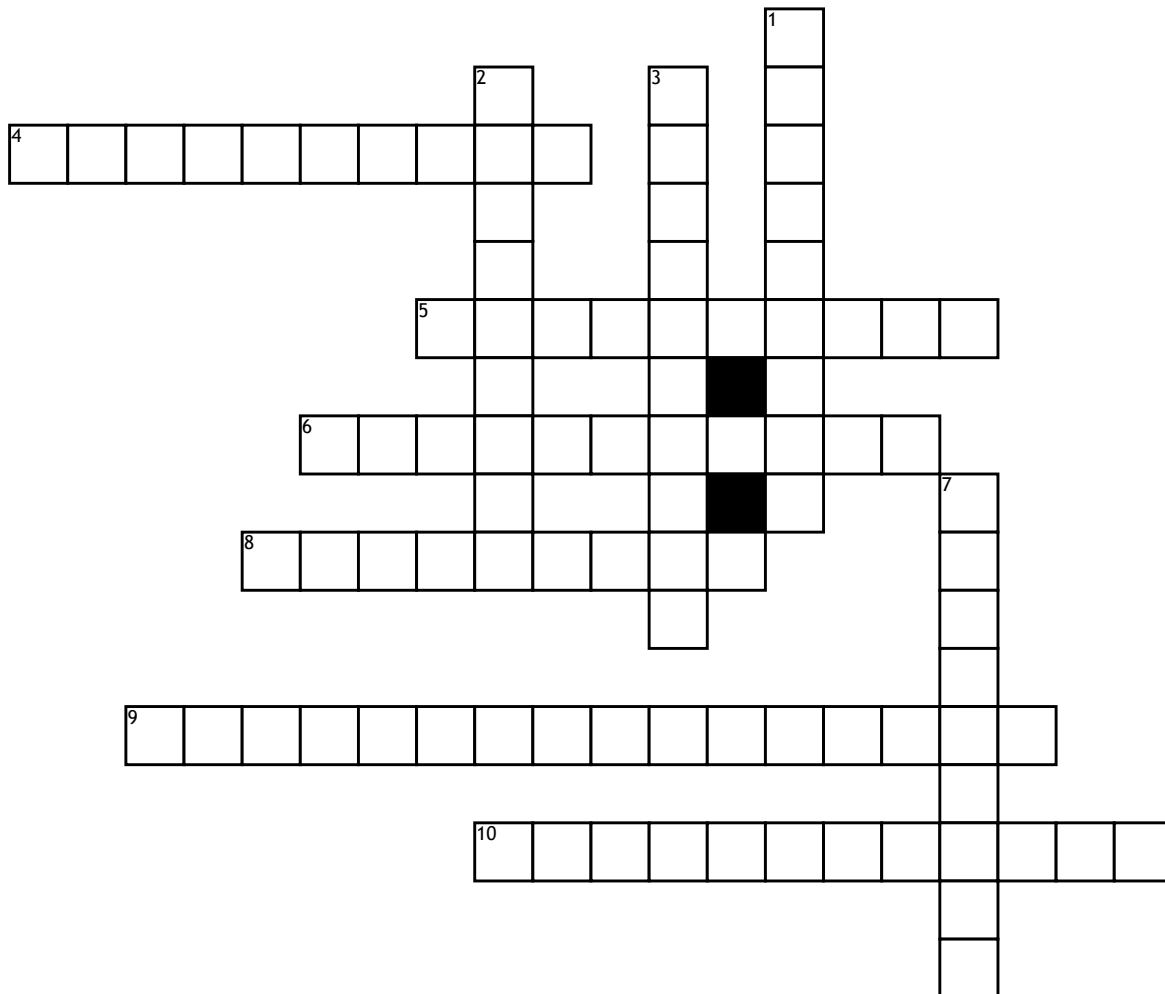


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Ecology II



Across

- 4. eat dead organisms that they did not kill themselves (example: vultures)
- 5. can only eat animals
- 6. break organisms down and return nutrients to the soil. RECYCLERS in the ecosystem
- 8. live off of another organism (host) and do not kill them
- 9. the maximum population that an ecosystem can support (two words)

- 10. must eat something for food (consumers)

Down

- 1. can eat plants and animals (example: humans)
- 2. kill and eat other organisms called prey
- 3. can only eat plants
- 7. (producers) make their own food by photosynthesis