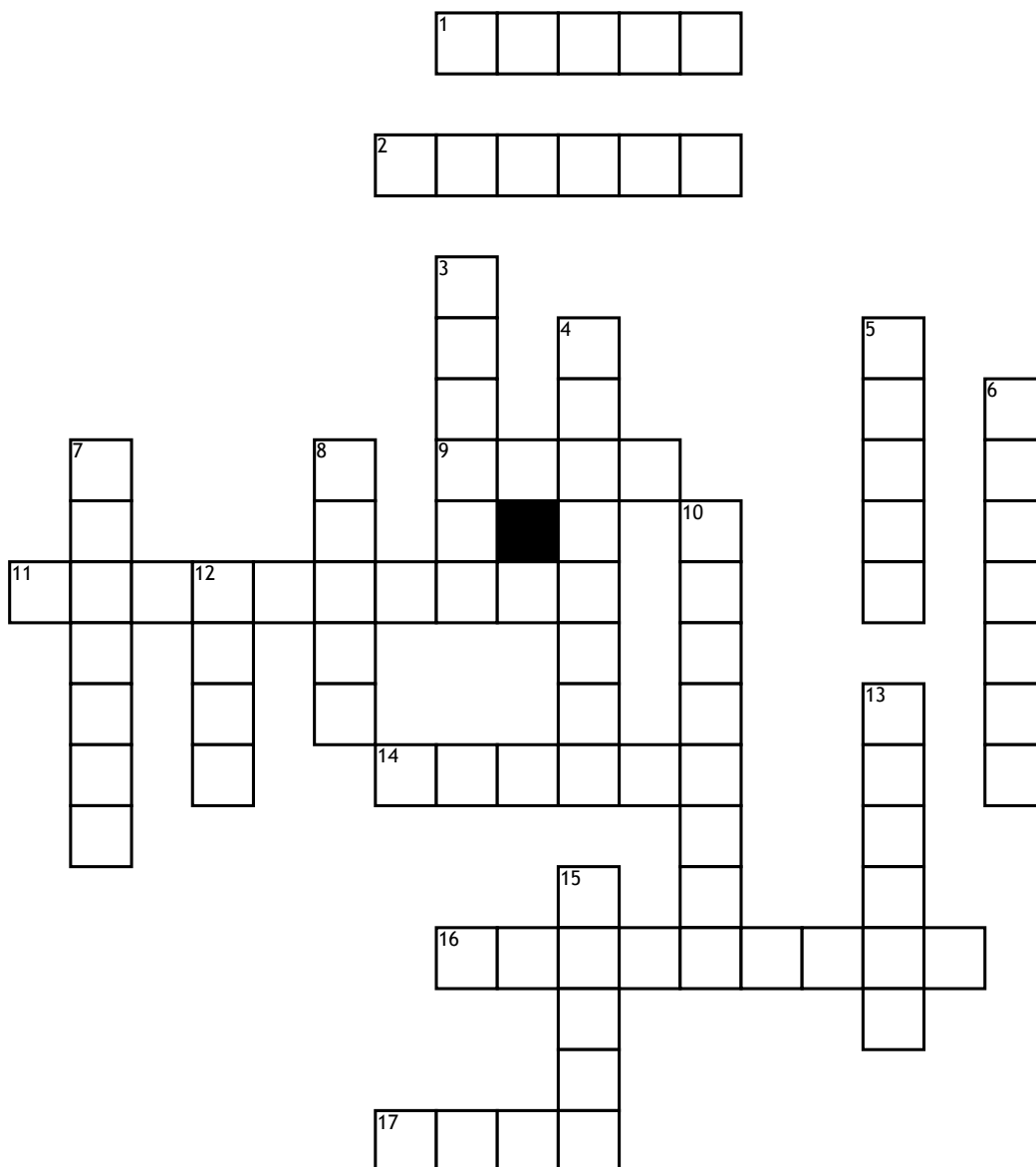


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# Fingerprinting Crossword Puzzle



## Across

1. a circle or 2 swirls in the center
2. invisible fingerprint caused by the transfer of oil
9. makes a left-leaning or right-leaning pattern
11. layer in-between dermis and epidermis
14. visible fingerprint on a surface
16. outer layer of skin

17. center of a loop or whorl

## Down

3. appears light in a fingerprint
4. glands associated with hair follicles
5. national fingerprint database
6. glands associated with ridges of the hands and feet

7. fingerprint indentation left in clay or a similar material

8. triangular region located near a loop
10. individual ridge characteristics
12. makes a hill
13. inner layer of skin
15. appears dark in a fingerprint