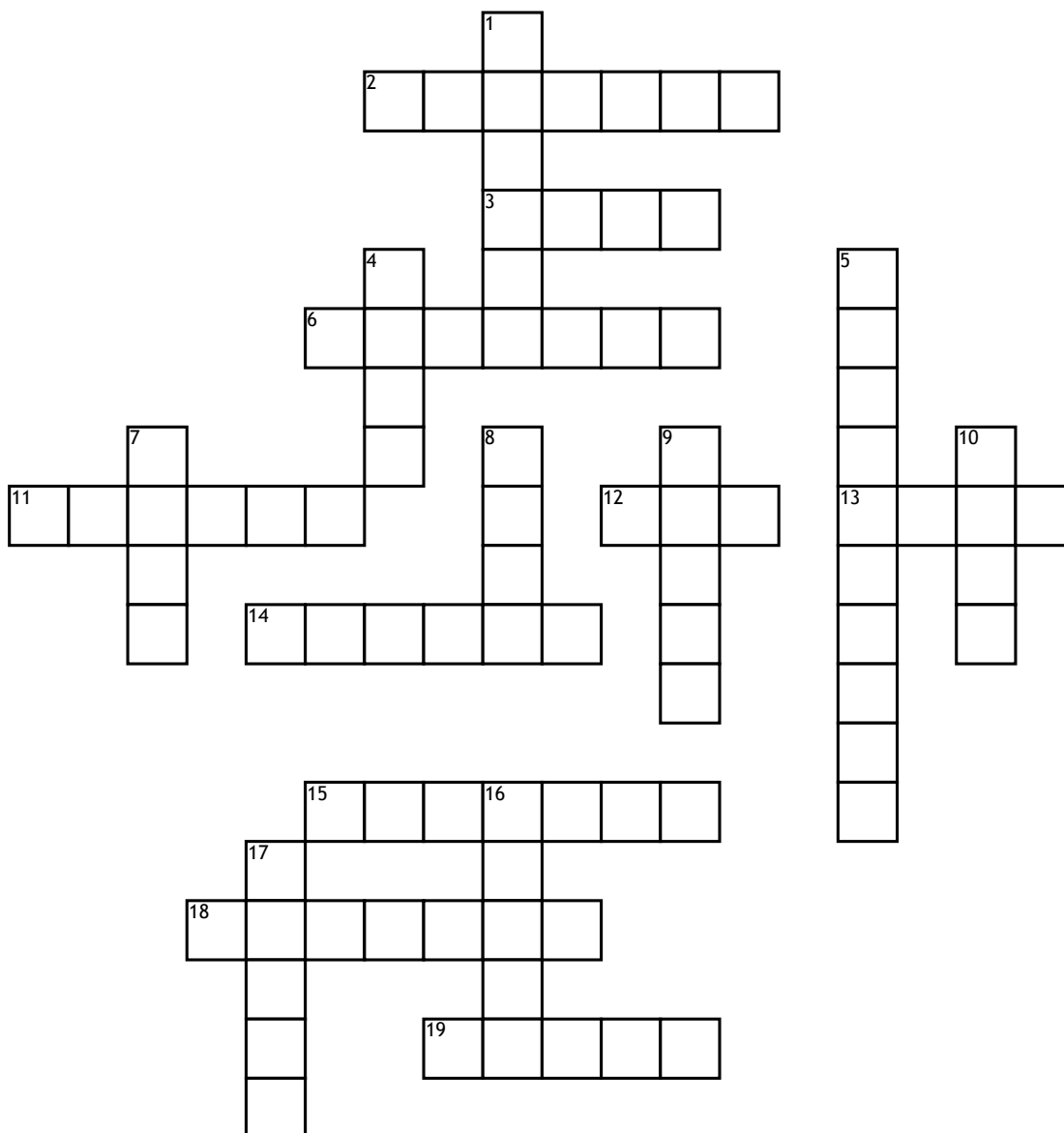


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Introduction to Horsemanship



Across

2. The raising up of a horse onto its hind legs

3. The gear used on a horse

6. A person who trims and shoes horses' feet

11. Easily startled

12. Metal mouthpiece of a bridle

13. The dense, shock absorbing, triangular growth on the underside of the hoof

14. Front, top part of a saddle

15. The joint just above the hoof

18. The outline of a horse from the top of his head to the top of his tail

19. Leather lines that attach to the bit and are held in the rider's hands

Down

1. The headgear with which a horse is led

4. The slowest gait, consisting of four beats

5. Bit with a jointed mouthpiece and rings at the ends

7. The bony bump between a horse's ears

8. Female horse of four years of age or older

9. The band that secures a Western saddle to the horse

10. An equine that measures under 14.2 hands

16. To work a horse on long line in a circle

17. Pain in a horse's abdomen, ranging from mild to life-threatening