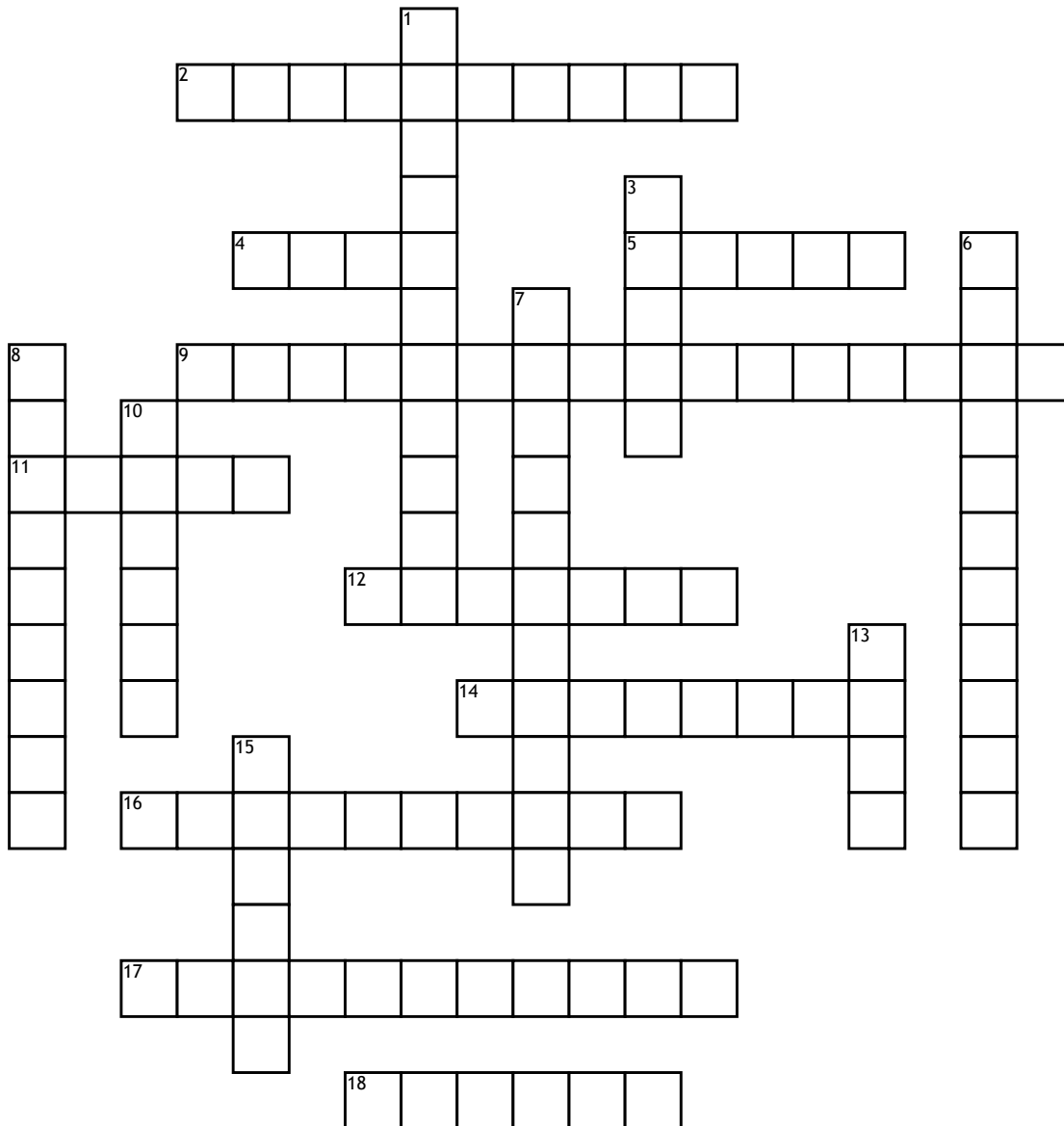


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Latin America



Across

2. The world's highest waterfall.
4. Mexico's climate in the north.
5. The _____ mountains run along the western side of South America.
9. The largest vegetation zone in South America.
11. The Romance languages get their name because of their _____ roots.
12. This desert in South America has very little vegetation.
14. Latitude and _____ have a drastic effect on the climate of Latin America.

16. What is the first language of Brazil?

17. Latin America is home to _____ countries.

18. The Isthmus of _____ connects South America to Central America.

Down

1. The mountains of Costa Rica are home to this rare ecosystem.
3. All languages of Latin America are based on _____.
6. What type of vegetation covers the northern part of Mexico?

7. The climate of South America near the equator.

8. The _____ islands form an arc from the tip of Florida to the north coast South America.

10. The Amazon river is the _____ longest river in the world.

13. The Sierra Madre Occidental is on the _____ coast of Mexico.

15. What is the largest country in Latin America (population and size)?