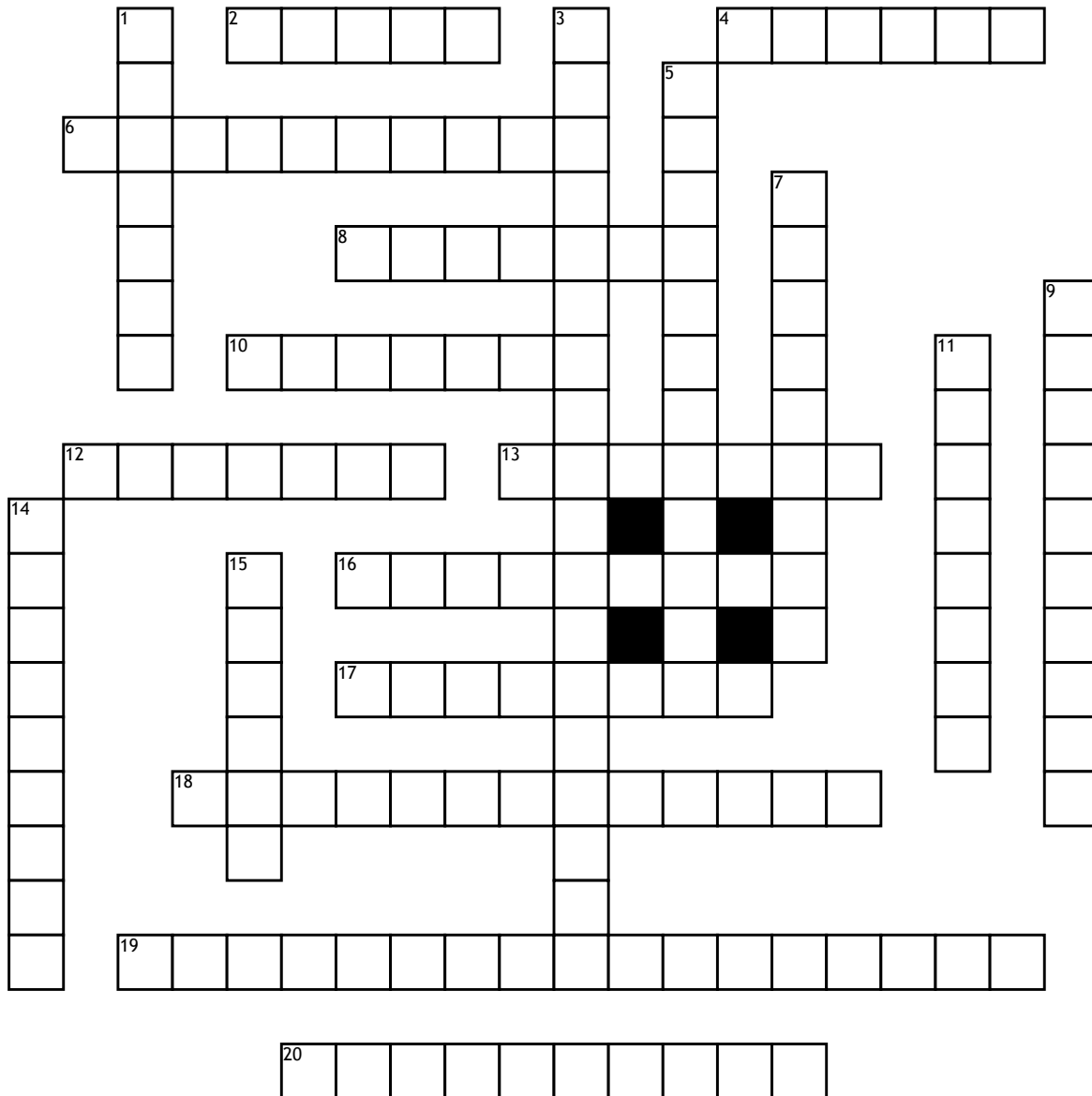


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Plate Tectonics



Across

2. Point underground where a earthquake originated.
 4. Pieces of Earth's lithosphere that shift.
 6. Action of old ocean crust falling back into the earth melting and repeating this process.
 8. Large area of flat land above sea level
 10. Volcano that has not erupted in over two-hundred years
 12. Type of stress that pulls on the crust to make it thinner.
 13. Large mountain like feature formed by magma release from the earths crust

16. A fold in rock that bends upward

17. Stress caused by two masses of rock slipping past each-other which causes it to break or change shape.
 18. Man who developed the theory of continental drift.
 19. The movement of the ocean floor caused by new layers pushing old layers farther apart
 20. Smaller earthquake that occurs after the larger earthquake occurs

Down

1. Large wave of water that travels out from the epicenter of a earthquake that occurs in the ocean.

3. Main driving force behind plate tectonics.

5. Occurs when a earthquakes shaking turns loose soil into mud
 7. Point above ground were a earthquake originated.
 9. Shaking and trembling caused by the passing of two tectonic plates.
 11. Place where two plates meet.
 14. Discovered sea-floor spreading
 15. Flat round volcano which produces little ash.