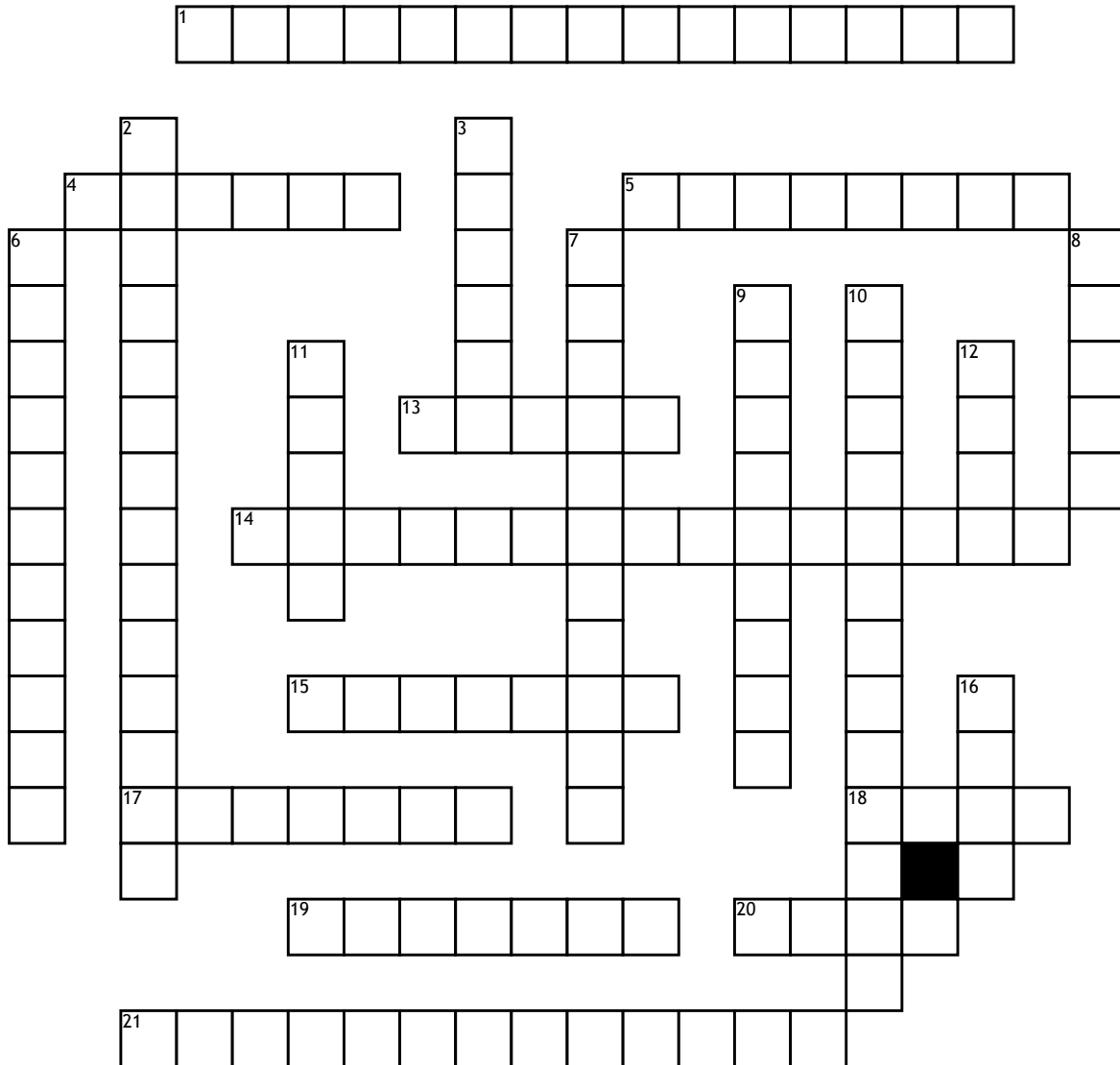


Russia Vocabulary



Across

- 1. Culture other than than the majority culture in a region
- 4. Partly dry, treeless grassland often found on the edges of a desert.
- 5. Russian policy of "political openness" which permitted the Russian people to criticize the government without punishment
- 13. Green area in a desert fed by underground water
- 14. Dominant or main culture of a region
- 15. The region that lies on both the continents of Europe and Asia
- 17. Conflict between the United States and the Soviet Union when the two superpowers competed for world influence without declared military action at each other
- 18. Person from the ethnic group originating in northeast Europe whose native tongue is Slavic language

- 19. Russia's mythic refuge, a self contained city with a multitude of palaces, armories, and churches a medieval fortress; a fortified complex of churches and palaces.

Down

- 2. Dispute between two or more ethnic groups
- 3. Vast, rolling, treeless plain in high altitude climates where only a few inches of ground thaw in the summer
- 6. Soviet policy that loosened government controls and permitted its economy to move towards capitalism; economic restructuring

- 7. The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics abbreviated to USSR and SU or shortened to the Soviet Union, was a Marxist- Leninist state on the Eurasian continent that existed between 1922 and 1991 when the last of the Republics that formed it declared their independence from the Union (USSR)
- 8. Huge forest of evergreen trees that grow in sub arctic regions
- 9. Economic, social, and political system based on the teachings of Karl Max which advocated the elimination of private property
- 10. Industry that produces goods such as clothing, shoes, furniture, and household products
- 11. Person who moves from place to place with herds of animals
- 12. The title of a Russian emperor
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