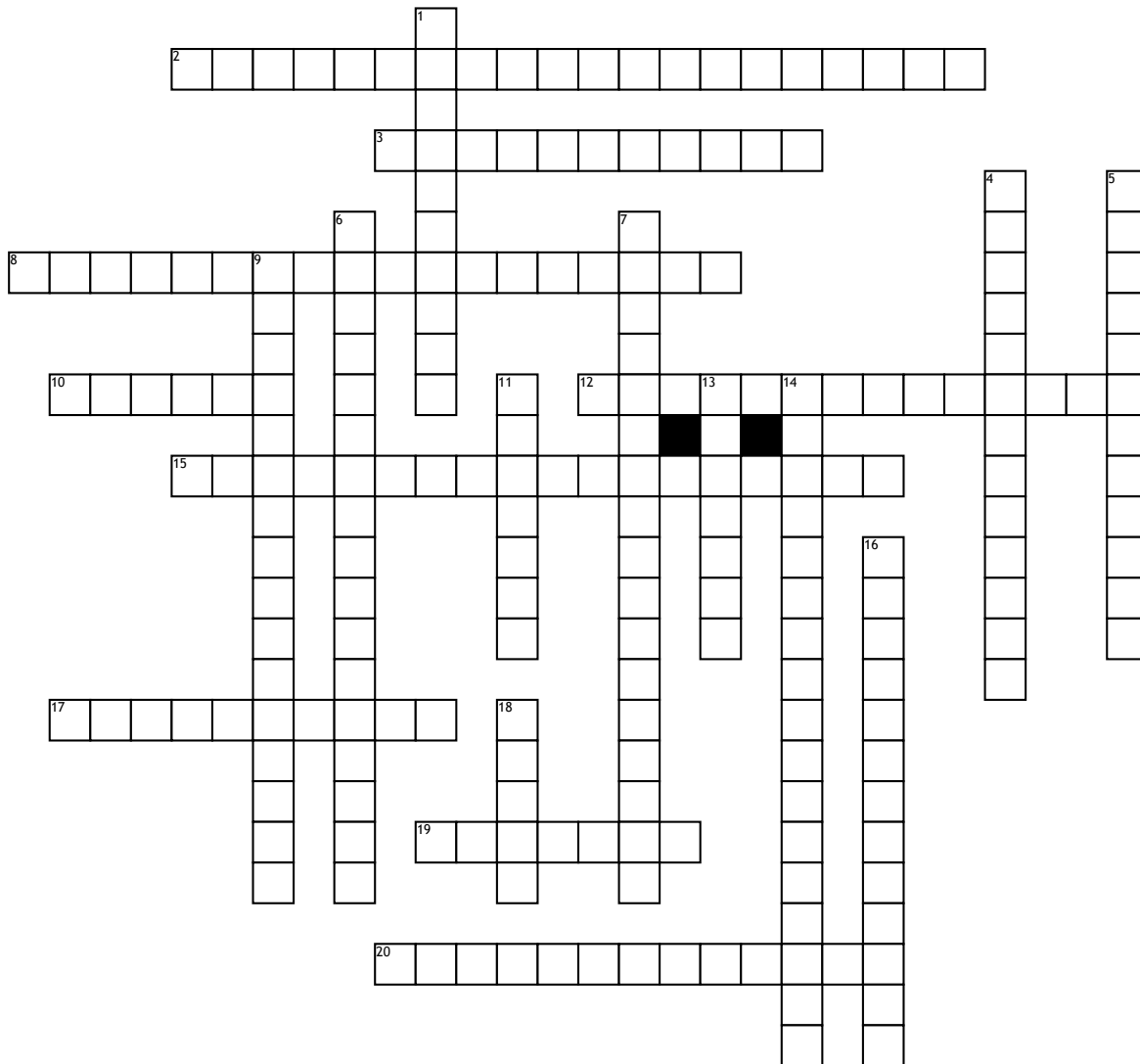


Tectonic plates crossword



Across

2. when two continental crust plates collide it is a
3. Stress that occurs when forces squeeze an object
8. what is the lithosphere in the ocean called
10. The rising of regions of the earth's crust to higher elevations
12. The theory that tectonic plates move and change shape
15. The boundary formed by the collision of two lithospheric plates
17. The sinking of regions of the earth's crust to lower elevations
19. The bending of rock layers due to stress

20. A block of lithosphere that consists of the crust and the rigid outermost part of the mantle

Down

1. What is the layer under the asthenosphere
4. What is the layer under the lithosphere
5. Crustal plates are _____ plates
6. The boundary between two tectonic plates that are moving away from each other
7. The process by which new oceanic lithosphere forms as magma rises toward the surface and solidifies

9. What is the theory that continents move
11. when all the continents were one
13. Stress that occurs when forces act to squeeze an object
14. The boundary between tectonic plates that are sliding past each other
16. the soft layer of the mantle on which the tectonic plates move
18. A break in a body of rock along which one block slides relative to another