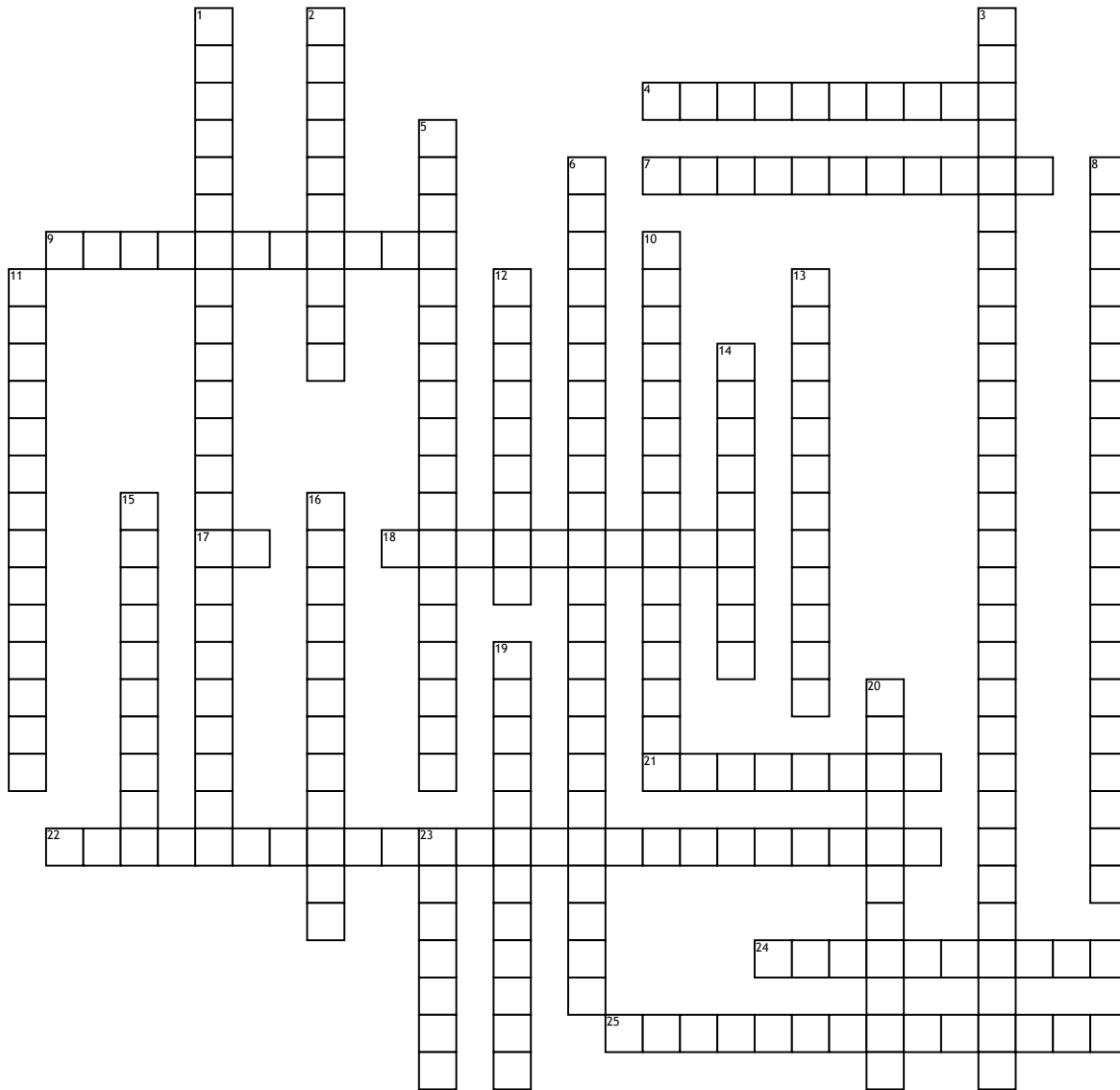


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Across

4. A chemical that kills plants
7. All the water on the earth
9. Water below the surface
17. A measure of how acidic/basic water is
18. Chemicals used on plants that do not harm the plants
21. Nitrogen compounds used for growth by plants and algae
22. Established the basic structure for regulating pollutant discharges into the waters of the United States
24. Compounds found in fertilizer; causes algae/plant growth
25. Leads to increased growth of organisms such as algae or Cyanobacteria

Down

1. Ex. Runoff
2. The land that water flows across or under on its way to a river
3. 97% saltwater, 3% freshwater (2% icecaps and glaciers)
5. Small aquatic organisms with no backbone that you can see with the naked eye
6. Is the principle federal law in the United States intended to ensure safe drinking water for the public
8. Pollutants discharged from a single identifiable location
10. The amount of oxygen dissolved in a body of water
11. Water treatment is any process that makes water more acceptable for a species endure
12. A measure of how clear water is
13. Water above the surface of the land
14. The area of land that water drains in to when the ground is saturated or impermeable
15. The level below which the ground is saturated with water
16. An organism whose status in an ecosystem is analyzed as an indication of the ecosystems health
19. The process by which water on the ground surface enters the soil
20. Responsibility for conserving and restoring the earths resources for future generations
23. A body of permeable rock that can contain or transmit groundwater