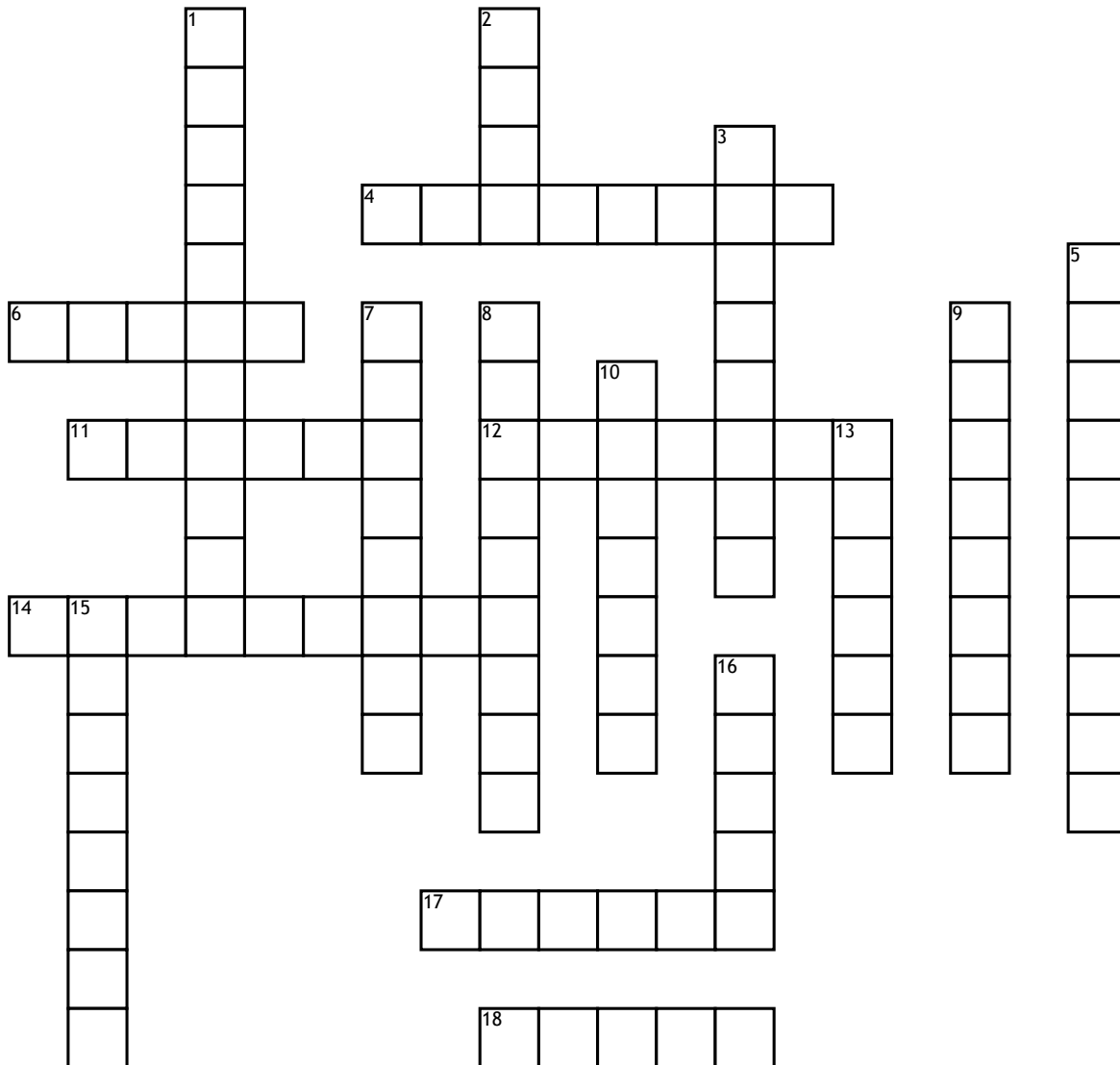


mathematical puzzle



Across

4. The line segment connecting two nonadjacent vertices in a polygon
 6. the horizontal axis in a cartesian coordinate plane
 11. The point (0 , 0) on a coordinate plane, where the X-axis and the Y-axis intersect
 12. a parallelogram with four equal sides
 14. a quadrilateral with four 90 degree angles
 17. a measurement of space, or capacity

18. the vertical axis in a cartesian coordinate system

Down

1. a constant that multiplies a variable
 2. the number of square units that covers a shape or figure
 3. a letter used to represent a number
 5. the side opposite the right angle in a right triangle
 7. a five sided polygon
 8. the sum of the lengths of the sides of a polygon
 9. a three sided polygon

10. a closed plane figure made up of several line segments that are joined together

13. a quadrilateral with four equal sides and four 90 degree angles
 15. a number or symbol, as 3 in $(x+y)^3$, placed to the right of and above another number, symbol, or expression, denoting the power to which that number, symbol, or expression is to be raised
 16. the union of two rays with a common endpoint, called the vertex