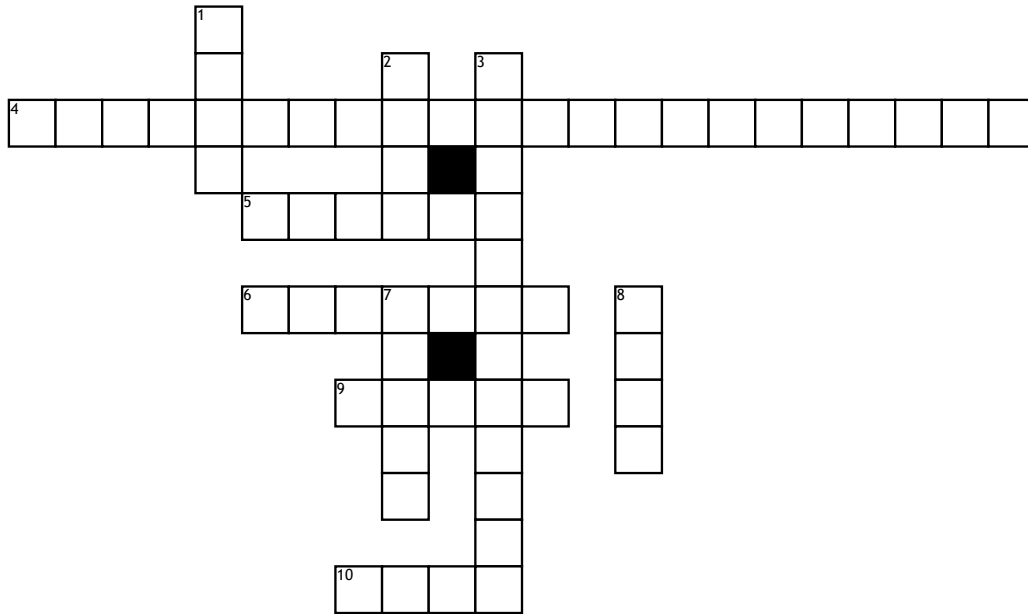


# African Kingdoms Crossword



## Across

4. An ancient trade route that was ruled by the Ghana.
5. A continent with ancient empires such as the Ghana or Mali.
6. An ancient African empire that rose to power after the decline of the Malian empire.
9. An animal that is nick-named "ships of the desert".
10. A mineral that was highly valued in ancient Africa.

## Down

1. An ancient African kingdom that was located in modern day Nigeria.
2. An ancient African empire that prospered on the decline of the Ghana empire.
3. An African desert that was filled with ancient trade routes.
7. An ancient African kingdom that has a modern day country of the same name.
8. A precious metal that is very heavy.

## Word Bank

Trans-Saharan Trade Route  
Kush  
Camel  
Sahara Desert

Salt  
Africa  
Gold

Ghana  
Songhai  
Mali