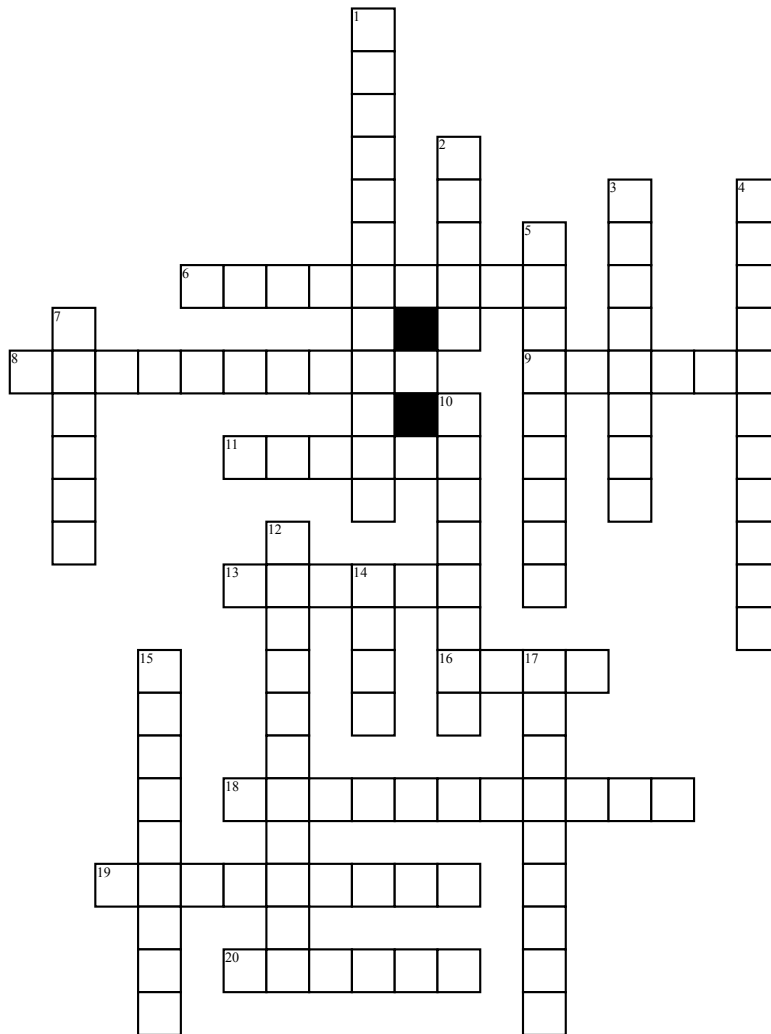


GRE 2



Across

6. the sight of people singing on the street is so ___ in New York that passersby rarely react to it. occurring daily
 8. willing to betray someone's trust. disloyal
 9. Not wanting to spend a lot of money up front, the ___ business owner would likely suffer the consequence later. short-sighted
 11. to become thinner or sparse. attenuate; thin
 13. a strongbox; a large chest for money
 16. beginner, novice. apprentice
 18. absolute, certain. clear. unambiguous

19. The lack of energy that characterizes patients with anemia makes ___ one of the primary symptoms of the disease. fatigue, tiredness

20. to speak of or treat with contempt; to mock. gibe

Down

1. investors must be prepared for ___ of the stock market. a change or variation
 2. lowest point. bottom; depth; pit
 3. overly idealistic; impractical. capricious; impulsive
 4. after the stock market crashed, many former millionaires found themselves ___. penniless

5. to count, list, or itemize. catalog; index

7. the point of culmination; peak. acme; pinnacle

10. a person devoted to pleasure and luxury. hedonist; sensualist

12. rigidly devoted to theories without regard for practicality; dogmatic, inflexible

14. the understudy ___ over the director in hopes of being cast in the part on a permanent basis. bootlick, grovel

15. to give up a position, right, or power. cede

17. The ___ kept all the passengers entertained with his stories during the six-hr flight. skillful storyteller

Word Bank

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| quotidian | rarefy | sybarite | impecunious | nadir | quixotic | unequivocal |
| myopic | fawn | enumerate | vicissitudes | zenith | deride | abdicated |
| lassitude | raconteur | doctrinaire | coffer | perfidious | tyro | |