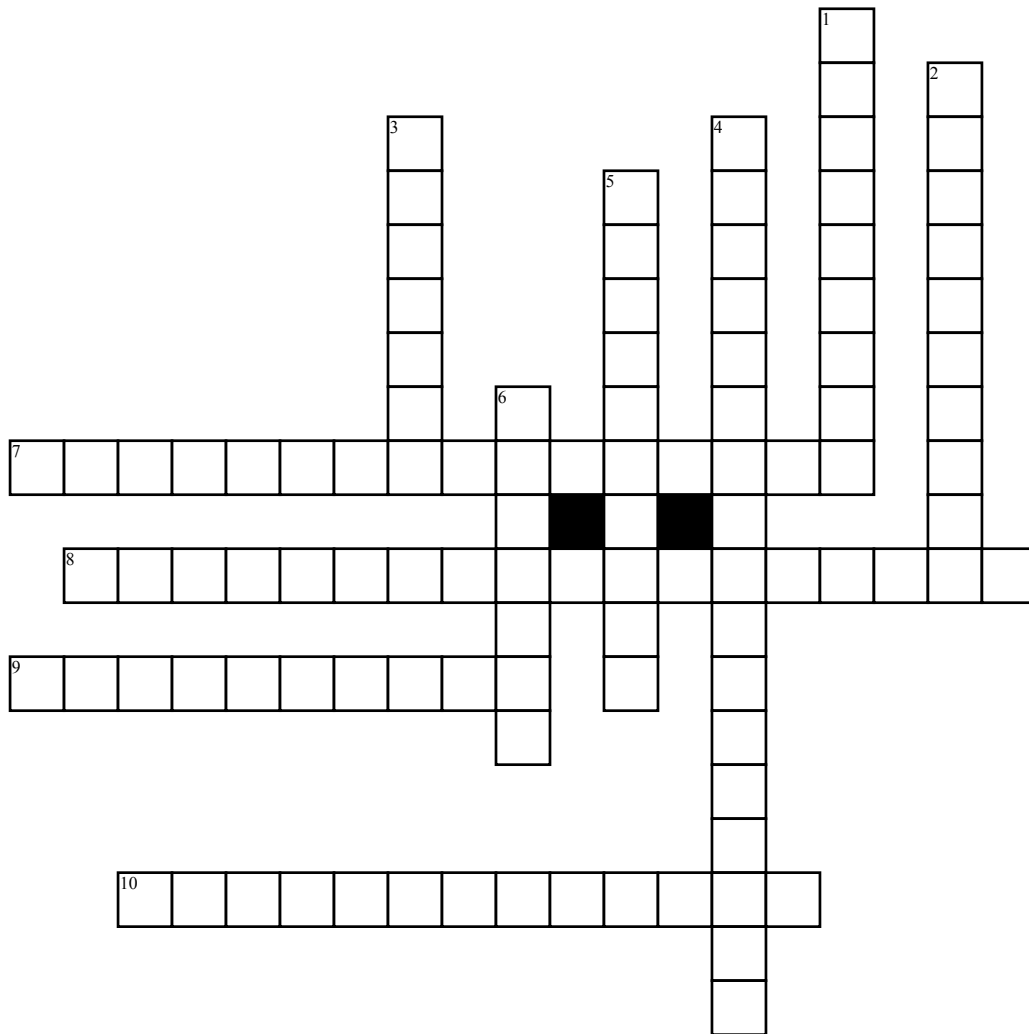


Natural Selection



Across

- 7. The process whereby organisms better adapted to their environment tend to survive and produce more offspring
- 8. Genes from one organism are transferred into the DNA of another organism in order to produce an organism with desired traits
- 9. A group of organisms of the same species populating a given area
- 10. A naturalist that found the theory of evolution

Down

- 1. Any difference between individuals of the same species
- 2. Any genetic variation that makes an organism better suited to its environment
- 3. Group of similar organisms that can breed and produce fertile offspring
- 4. The process of selecting a few organisms with desired traits to serve as parents of the next generation
- 5. Disappearance of a species from all parts of its geographical range
- 6. An organism that is genetically identical to the organism in which it was produced

Word Bank

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| Species | Natural Selection | Adaptation | Variation |
| Genetic Engineering | Cloning | Extinction | Population |
| Selective Breeding | Charles Darwin | | |