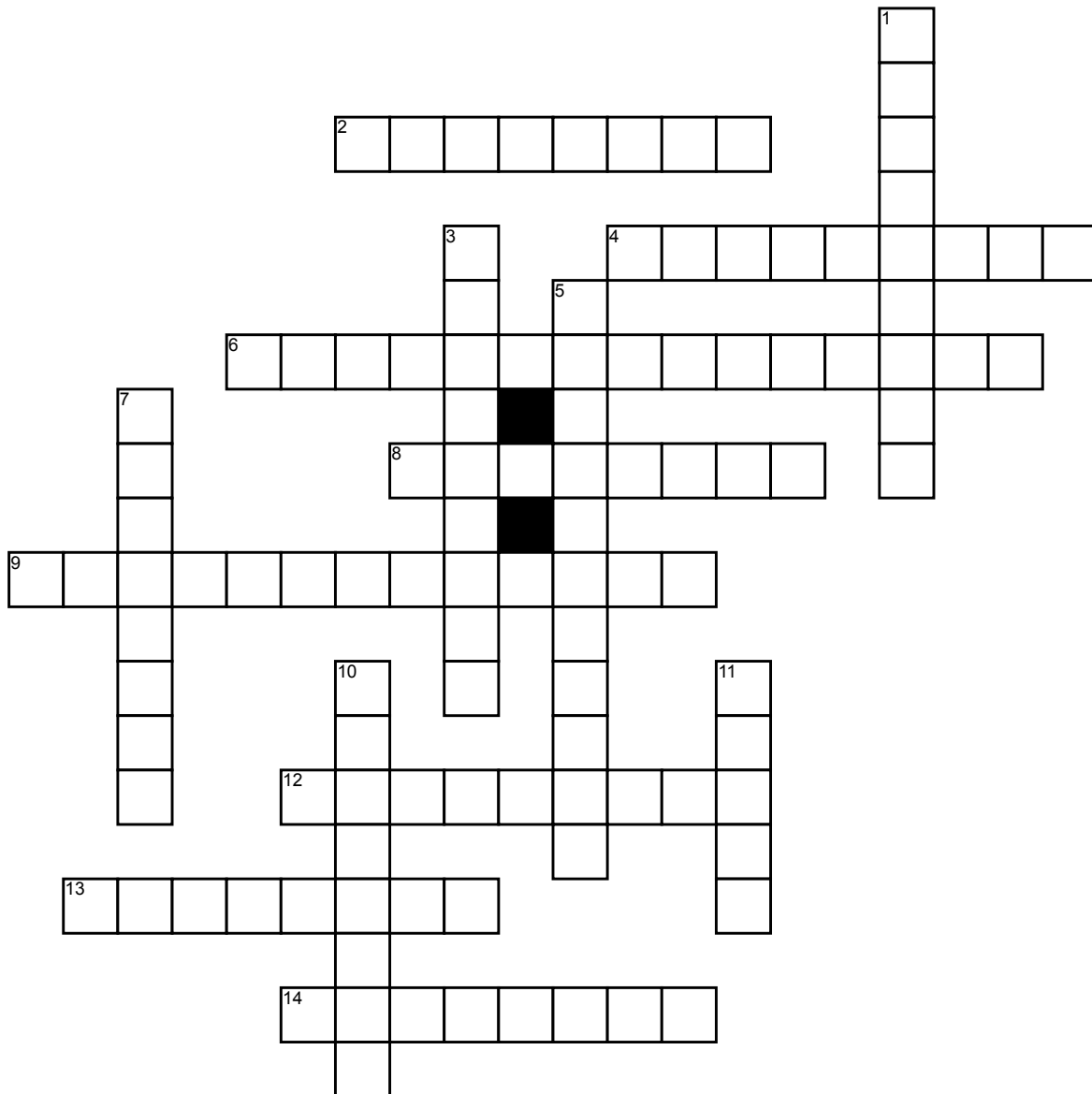


Pre-Columbian Civilizations



Across

- 2.** A valuable trade good renowned for its sharpness
4. Incan emperor captured and garroted by the Spanish
6. The process of enriching maize
8. A register of days used to predict seasons and the movement of stars
9. North American indigenous peoples renowned for their earthworks
12. Founding emperor of the Incan Empire

- 13.** The only known Mesoamerican disease to affect Europeans
14. Staple of the Incan diet, used both for food and for producing alcohol

Down

- 1.** A system allowing agricultural cultivation on steep inclines
3. Ordered the burning of Aztec historical texts to fabricate a new history

- 5.** The body of water on which Tenochtitlan was built
7. The aristocratic caste of Aztec society
10. A disease, mainly affecting children, which killed millions of indigenous Americans following Columbus' arrival
11. A knot system used to store census and tax information