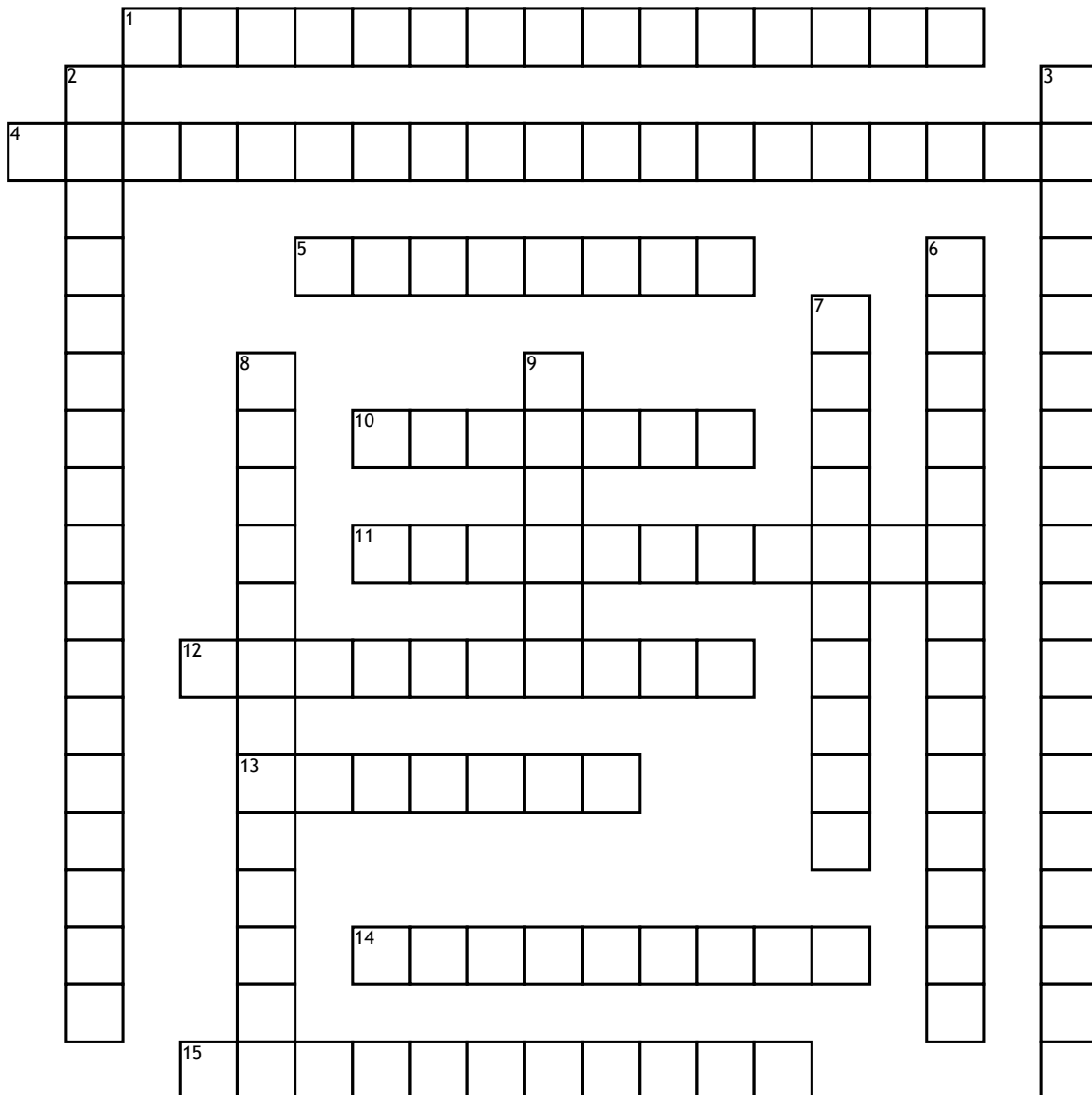


The Legislative Branch Content Vocabulary



Across

1. punishes a person without a trial
 4. duties and powers Congress has in addition to making laws
 5. interest group member who tries to influence lawmakers
 10. to accuse officials of misconduct
 11. person from a legislator's district

12. a tactic for defeating a bill
 13. procedure to limit debate
 14. years of service
 15. oddly shaped election district

Down

2. government spending that benefits a home district or state

3. requires police to tell why they are holding a person
 6. punishes for action that was not illegal when committed
 7. president's power to kill a bill by ignoring it
 8. "necessary and proper" clause
 9. a population count