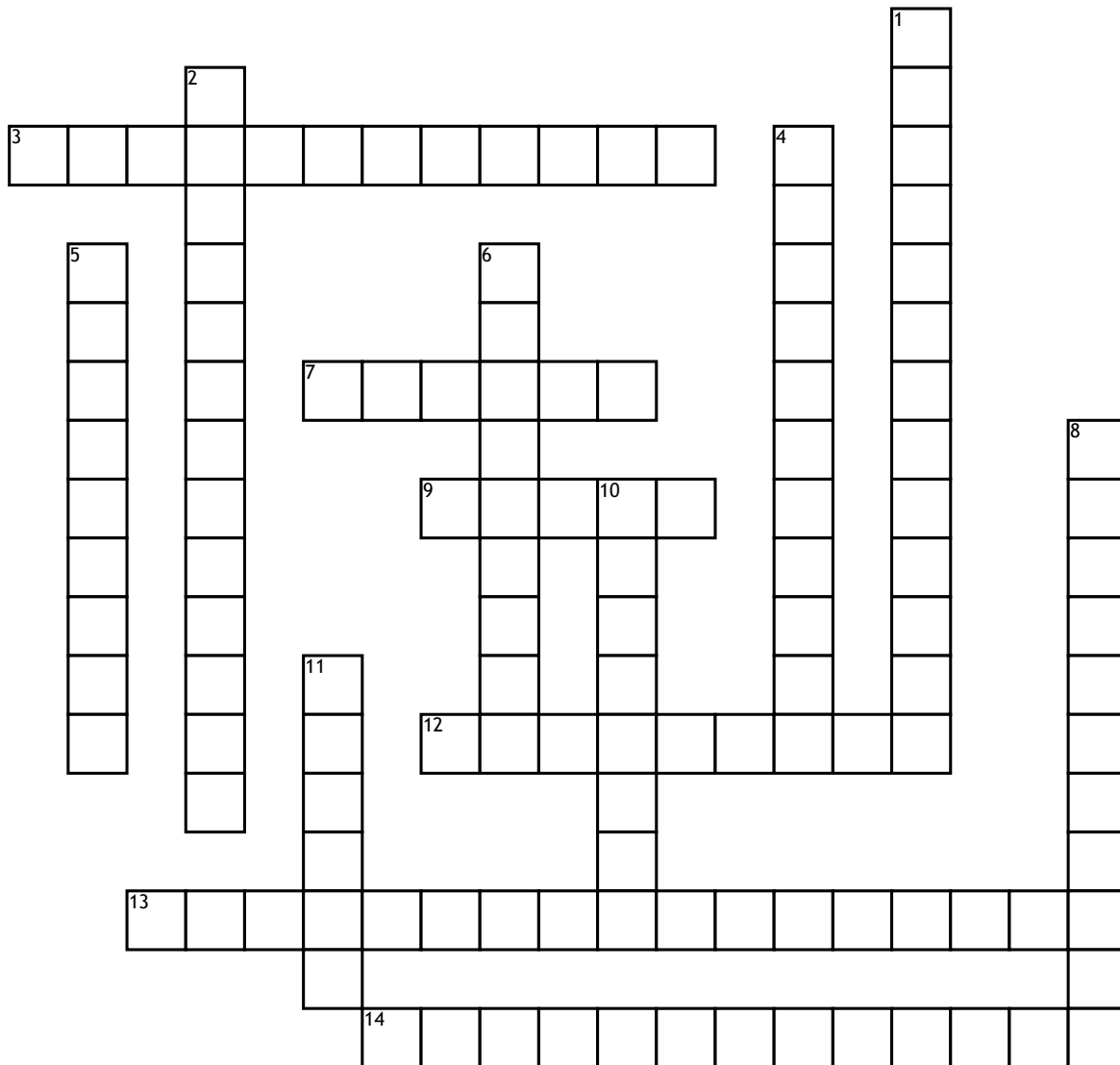


oceanography key terms



Across

3. this basin contains half the earth's water and has the greatest surface area

7. layer beneath the crust

9. thin, light weight solid

12. inactive volcanic peaks underwater

13. slabs of the earth's crust

14. the second largest basin that contains a submerged mountain

Down

1. flat seafloor areas created by sediments that settle on the ocean floor

2. areas in the basins where new ocean floor is formed

4. this basin covers 20% of the earth

5. earth's innermost layer

6. dense, viscous liquid that surrounds the core

8. the shallowest basin

10. any loose material which can be transported by a liquid and eventually settles at the bottom

11. flat-topped seamounts