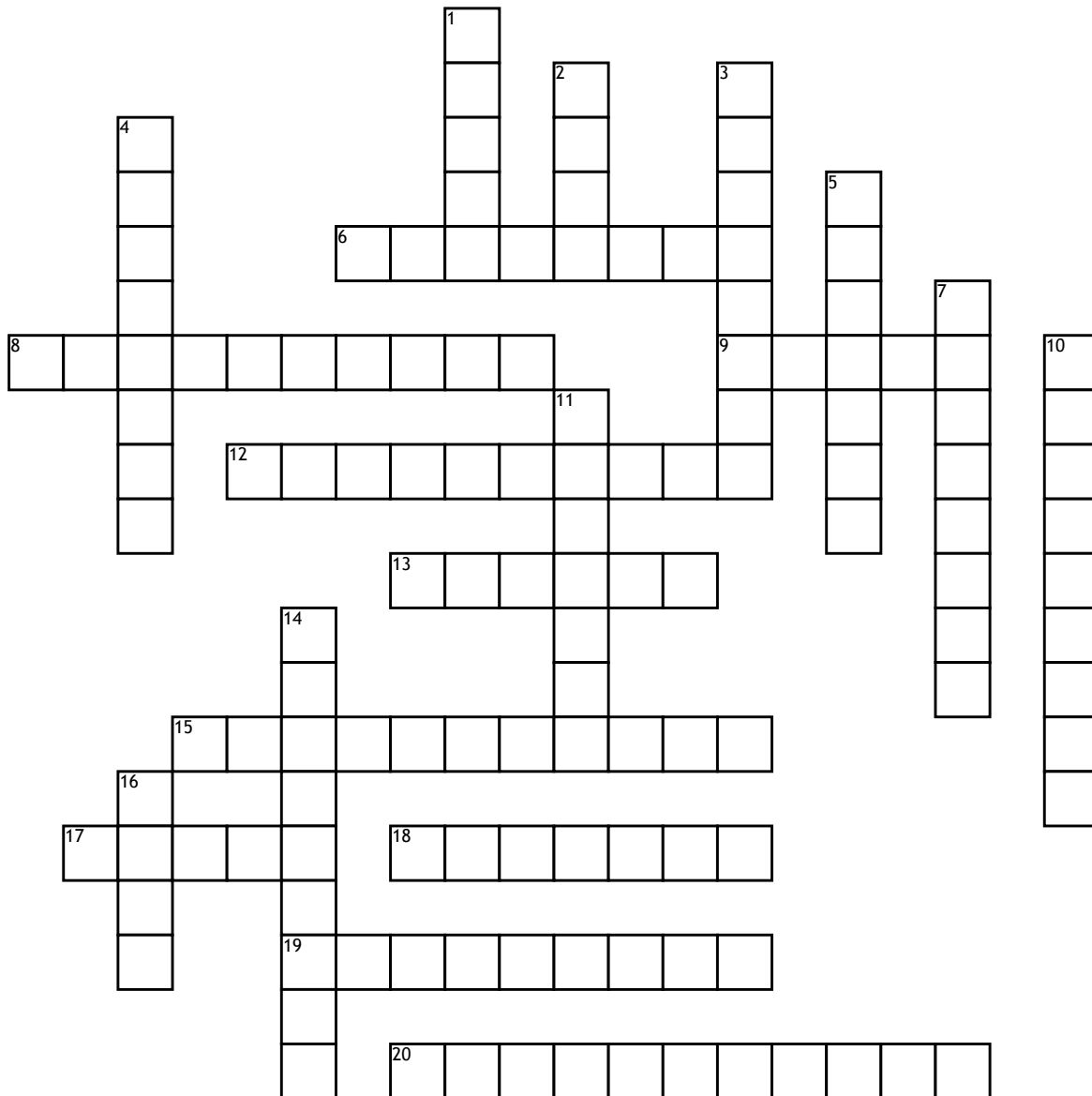


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Across

6. Hard to understand
 8. To make less severe; to relieve, to lessen
 9. Distant, reserved in manner; uninvolved
 12. To increase in size; enlarge, to cause; to appear greater in power, influence
 13. To entice with something desirable; to tempt
 15. The choice between two mutually exclusive possibilities, a situation presenting such a choice

17. To hate very much, to detest utterly
 18. To shorten; to condense; to diminish; to curtail
 19. A sworn written statement
 20. A heated quarrel

Down

1. Bottomless pit; a yawning gulf; a profound depth or void
 2. Partially open
 3. To make hostile; to cause to feel unwelcome or estranged
 4. An award, an honor; approval, praise

5. One who is defeated in a race, election, or other competition; loser
 7. A natural attraction; kinship; similarity
 10. To dislike strongly, to regard with intense aversion or loathing
 11. Something connected or added to another in a subordinate position; an assistant
 14. Events following some occurrence; a consequence of
 16. To border upon; to adjoin