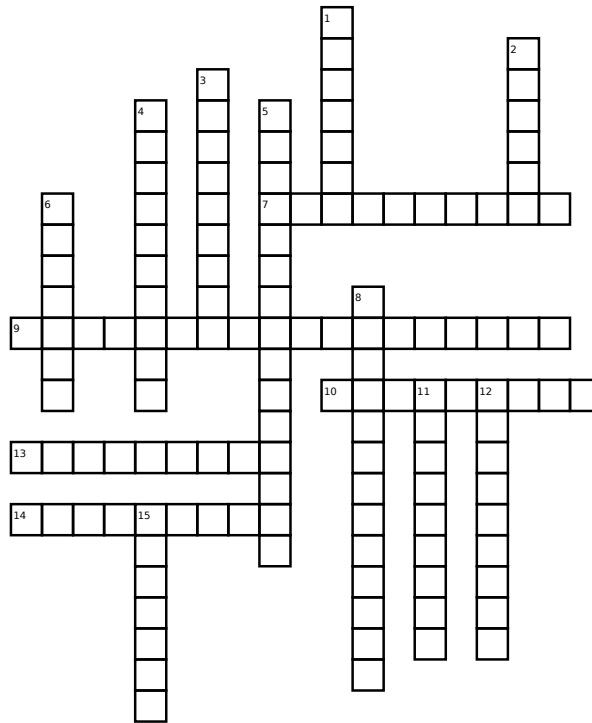


# Crossword Puzzle



## Down:

1. The bottom of a body of water
2. Waterproof boots or overalls extending from the foot to the thigh
3. The introduction of a substance that has harmful effects to the environment
4. The result of an excess of nutrients running off into a body of water
5. The amount of oxygen that is present in water
6. A chemical component found in fertilizers
8. A anaerobic, rod-shaped bacterium
11. A system made up of a community of animals, plants, and bacteria
12. The surface on which the river organisms live
15. The measure of how acidic or basic a substance is

## Across:

7. A tool used to measure the transparency of water by measuring depth
9. Bugs and insects that help indicate water quality
10. A area of land that all waterways in a certain area flow into
13. The measure of transparency in water due to suspended particles
14. A chemical component found in fertilizers that can cause algae growth when it runs off into streams and lakes