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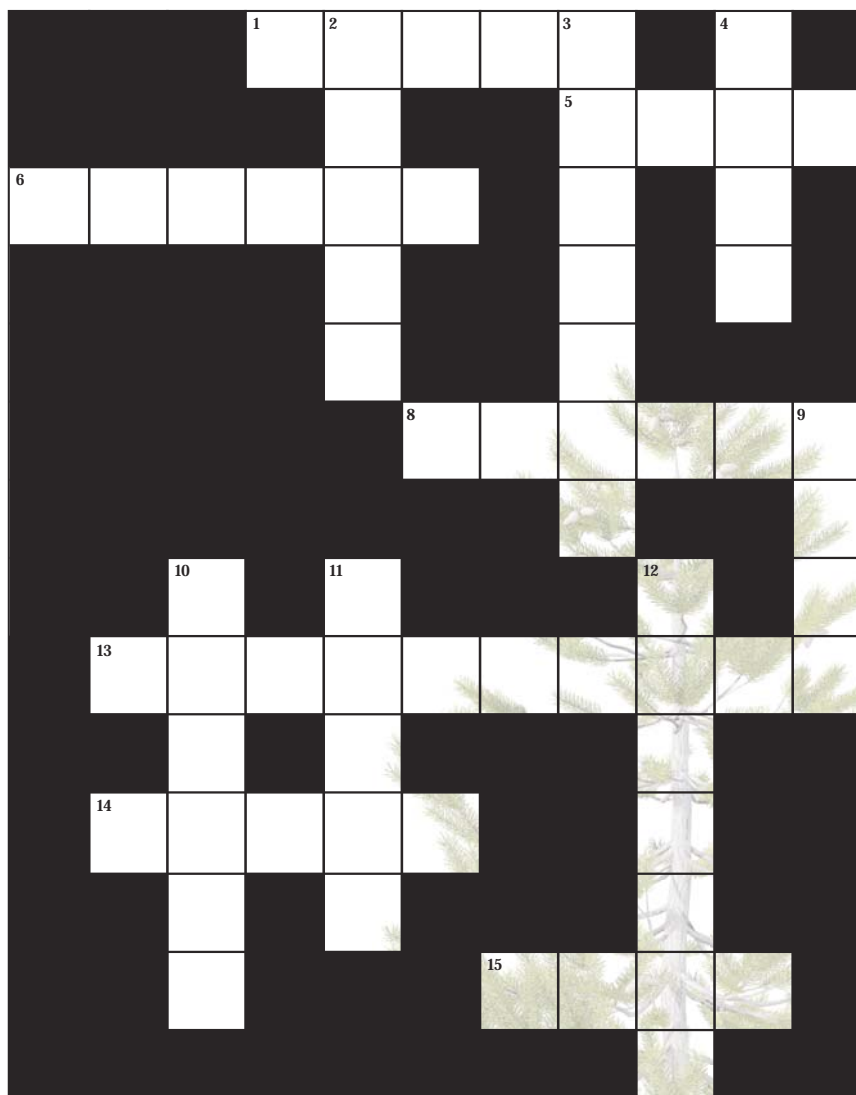


Across

1. When a beetle egg hatches, it becomes a _____.
5. What the beetles bore through to get into the tree.
6. The beetle takes a _____ into the tree that stains the wood blue.
8. The common name for the dendroctonus ponderosae is the mountain pine _____.
13. The female beetle sends out a perfume called _____ to attract other beetles.
14. This beetle attacks old _____.
15. The kind of tree the beetles attack.

Down

2. The _____ beetle lays eggs in tunnels called egg galleries.
3. This is a large part of the beetle's anatomy.
4. This is the color of the trees when the needles fall to the ground.
9. The female beetle can lay 40 to 50 of these in one tunnel or gallery.
10. Another part of the beetle's anatomy.
11. Trees still look this color during the 1st year of a beetle attack.
12. Beetles have two of these but you might have one on the family car.



Answers: 1. Larva 2. Adult 3. Abdomen 4. Grey 5. Bark
6. Fungus 8. Beetle 9. Eggs 10. Thorax 11. Green
12. Antenna 13. Pheromones 14. Trees 15. Pine