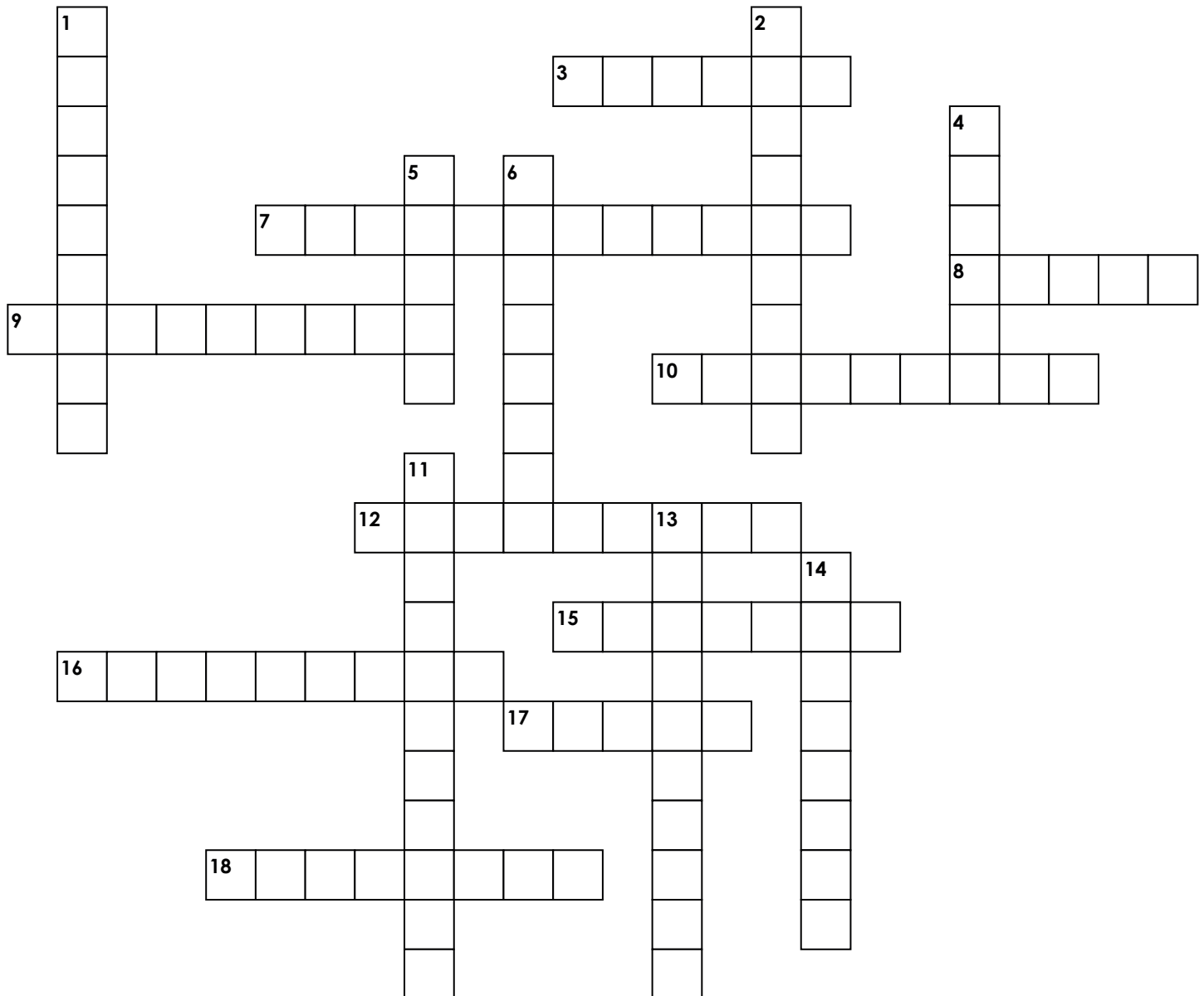


Soviet Crossword



Across

- 3.** 1st, 2nd and 4th Soviet Championships only
- 7.** Name of hall in Yerevan hosting the 30th Soviet Championship
- 8.** Beats Botvinnik in his only appearance at the Soviet Championship
- 9.** Annotator for the 9th Soviet Championship tournament book
- 10.** Brothers who played in Baku
- 12.** Wrote the book Achieving the Aim
- 15.** Moved his King 13 times in 20 moves in 1956 in response to a Tall sacrifice.
- 16.** Stole the national title in his home town in 59.
- 17.** The unlikely winner of the 39th Soviet Championships

Down

- 1.** Wrote The Sorcerer's Apprentice
- 2.** Awarded title of IM the same year he died
- 4.** Replaced by Smyslov in the Biel Interzonal in 76
- 5.** Withdrew on Round 3 of the 14th Soviet Championship due to illness.
- 6.** Wrote a book on Alekhine's Defence
- 11.** Tolush's replacement for a budding world champion.
- 13.** Latvian absent from Soviet Championships
- 14.** The last player to win the Soviet Championships.

18. GM born in Shadrinsk