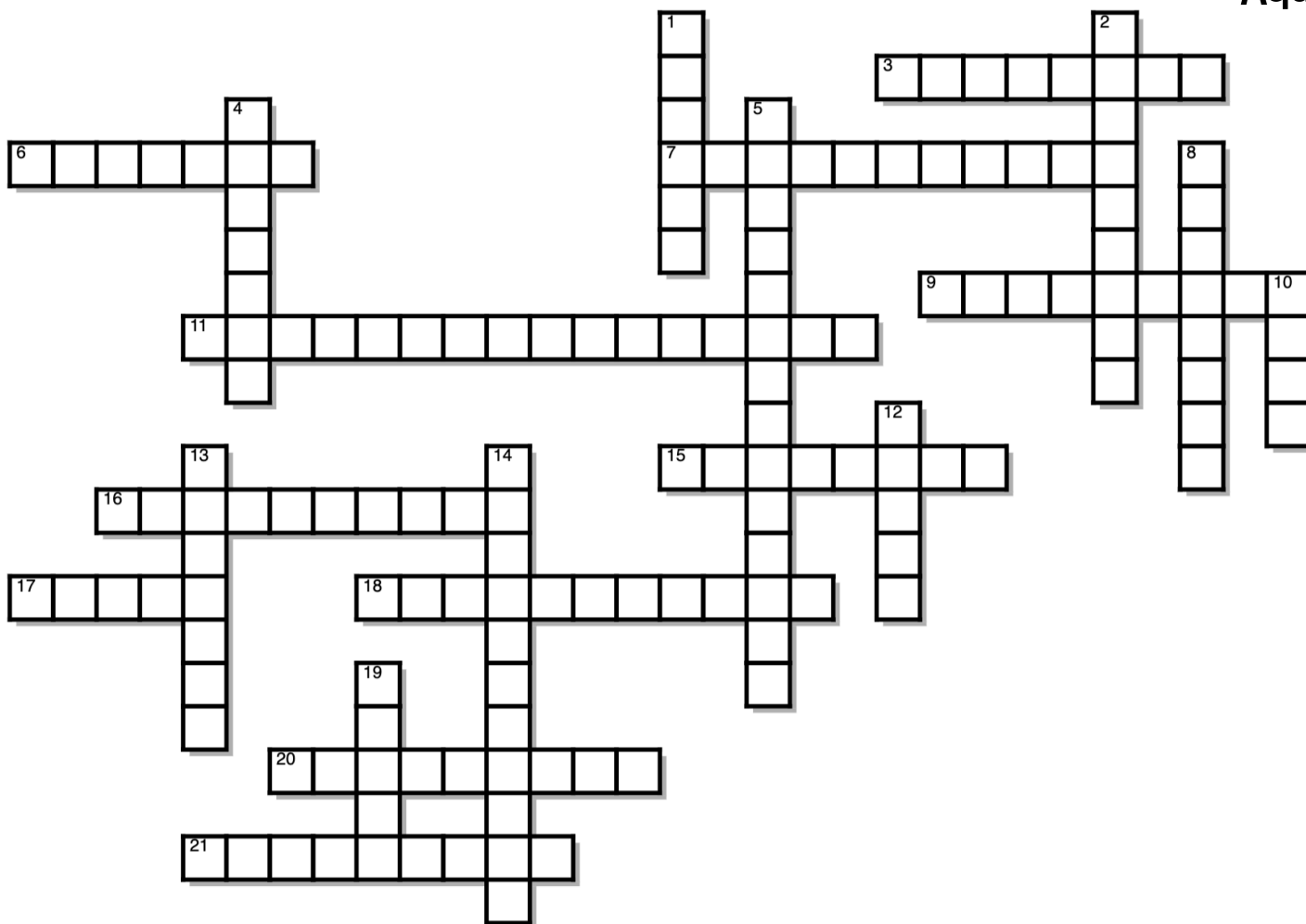




Crossword: California Grunion



**ACROSS**

- 3 reproduction time!
- 6 under surface of a fish
- 7 detects movement in water
- 9 gill cover
- 11 CaCO<sub>3</sub> (found in fish bones)
- 15 not domesticated
- 16 possessing a backbone
- 17 grunion-style of reproduction
- 18 the study of fish
- 20 stabilizing fin
- 21 propelling fin

**DOWN**

- 1 amour-like plates on fish body
- 2 stages of development
- 4 animal's home
- 5 fish length measurement
- 8 fish ear bones
- 10 driver of tides
- 12 oxygen "filters"
- 13 beach spawning fish
- 14 "lifting" fin
- 19 planktonic fish stage



## ANSWER KEY

### ACROSS

- 3 High tide
- 6 Ventral
- 7 Lateral line
- 9 Operculum
- 11 Calcium carbonate
- 15 Wildlife
- 16 Vertebrate
- 17 Spawn
- 18 Ichthyology
- 20 Dorsal fin
- 21 Caudal fin

### DOWN

- 1 Scales
- 2 Life cycle
- 4 Habitat
- 5 Standard length
- 8 Otoliths
- 10 Moon
- 12 Gills
- 13 Grunion
- 14 Pectoral fin
- 19 Larva

