

Easy Puzzles – Warm Up Your Brain

These puzzles are perfect for relaxing fun. All words are either hidden or partially visible in the grid. Clues are given in bold letters to guide you. Only revealed letters of Fill in the Word puzzles are bold. Enjoy building your confidence!

Word directions - Easy puzzles use only two paths:

- Horizontal (→)
- Vertical (↓)

Puzzle 1 - Insects

H	F	H	O	R	N	E	T	A	O
C	F	R	F	L	E	A	V	A	E
K	K	C	T	T	•	R	•	P	S
A	C	F	S	H	F	W	O	U	U
V	O	•	I	O	T	I	S	O	O
T	T	A	L	N	R	G	A	I	S
T	X	•	I	L	A	F	•	O	Q
O	P	F	Y	B	O	T	F	L	Y
R	E	•	O	U	•	•	•	N	G
G	O	•	G	O	V	F	•	N	M

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

LOUSE

MAYFLY

SAWFLY

THRIPS

Find these words:

BOTFLY

EARWIG

FLEA

HORNET

(Answer on page 7)

Puzzle 2 - Solitary Predators

N	S	P	N	O	H	A	W	K	G
C	E	•	N	S	E	U	E	G	U
O	A	•	B	I	W	A	I	E	U
S	N	•	O	M	A	R	L	I	N
P	O	O	B	R	N	E	A	S	I
R	V	R	C	E	U	S	E	C	D
E	E	J	•	G	U	•	R	I	D
Y	•	•	•	H	•	N	S	N	S
S	O	I	A	L	•	•	X	P	E
S	Y	G	U	M	A	B	I	T	A

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

JAGUAR

LYNX

PUMA

PYTHON

Find these words:

BOBCAT

HAWK

MARLIN

OSPREY

(Answer on page 8)

Puzzle 3 - Pets

H	N	I	T	O	E	M	P	H	N
I	Y	I	E	E	S	N	L	N	O
D	O	•	E	T	U	R	N	V	N
T	R	E	L	S	•	W	A	H	L
N	E	•	A	N	A	R	•	A	C
E	E	•	O	N	•	A	B	A	I
W	T	•	C	I	E	B	E	X	O
T	E	E	A	J	T	B	W	D	T
L	A	I	N	M	R	I	S	I	I
T	O	D	I	C	A	T	E	E	I

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

CANARY

DOG

GECKO

RAT

Find these words:

CAT

NEWT

RABBIT

TETRA

(Answer on page 9)

Puzzle 4 - Farm Animals

O	K	A	O	W	U	P	T	D	E
G	F	E	A	G	H	•	•	S	R
C	W	I	L	E	D	S	S	P	A
O	A	A	P	D	O	E	H	A	T
W	T	R	•	•	•	H	N	T	E
E	B	U	C	K	K	C	D	•	W
V	O	R	A	E	•	O	I	•	J
A	N	V	A	E	Y	T	A	R	N
L	M	D	I	M	E	T	F	•	T
H	E	I	F	E	R	M	E	E	K

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

DONKEY

HEN

HORSE

RAM

Find these words:

ALPACA

BUCK

COW

HEIFER

(Answer on page 10)

Puzzle 5 - Smartest Animals

R	E	D	C	O	T	A	I	Z	E
W	A	L	R	U	S	K	A	T	N
A	A	V	N	T	L	E	M	U	R
A	E	E	O	N	E	.	I	D	I
C	N	.	U	I	S	T	A	S	T
Y	G	.	B	.	.	.	E	A	C
U	Z	.	R	D	R	S	I	Z	U
B	H	G	E	.	Q	.	.	D	F
X	O	O	Y	B	O	N	O	B	O
A	N	D	N	S	A	N	U	C	X

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

DINGO

GIBBON

KEA

SQUID

Find these words:

BONOBO

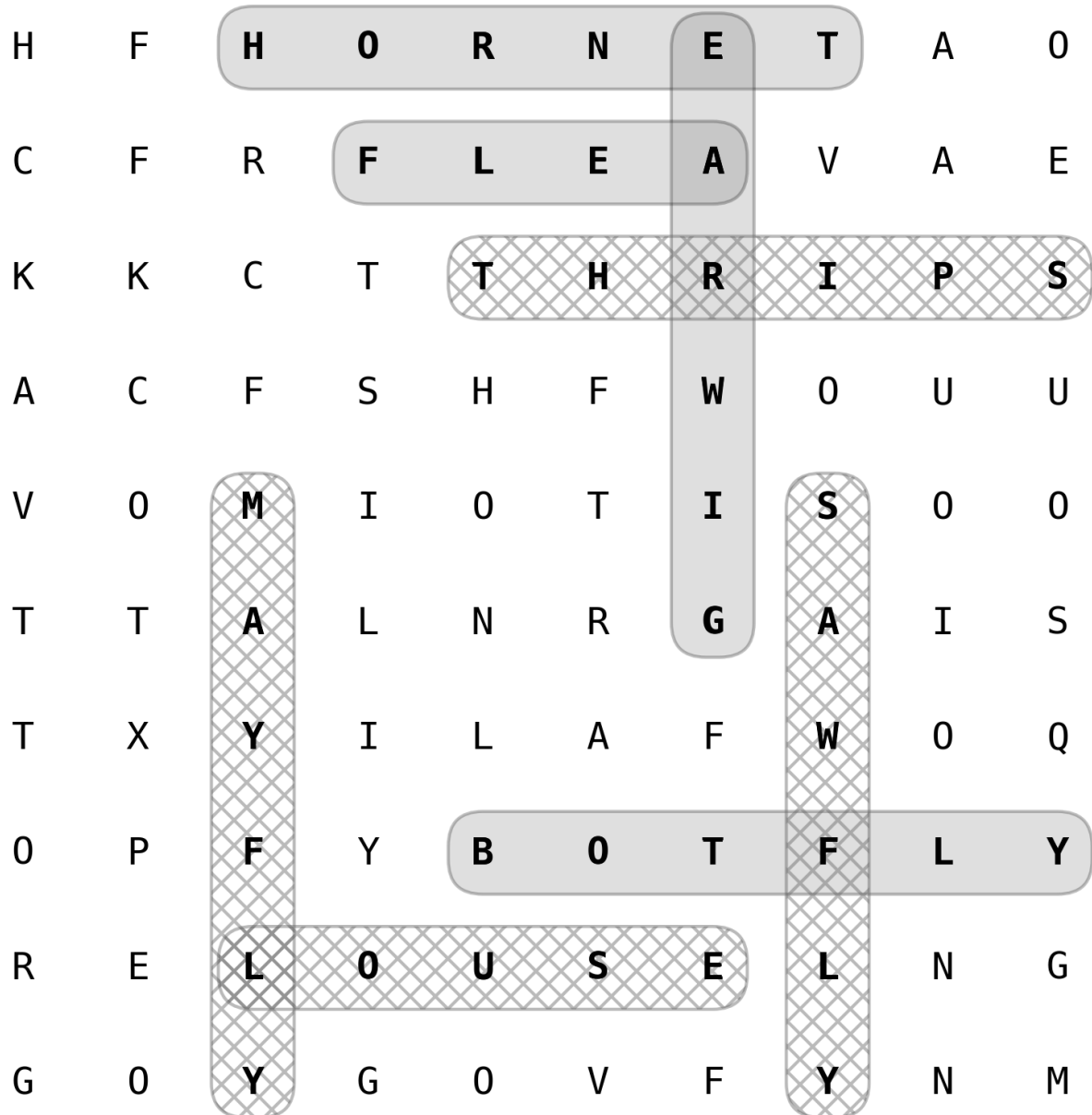
FOX

LEMUR

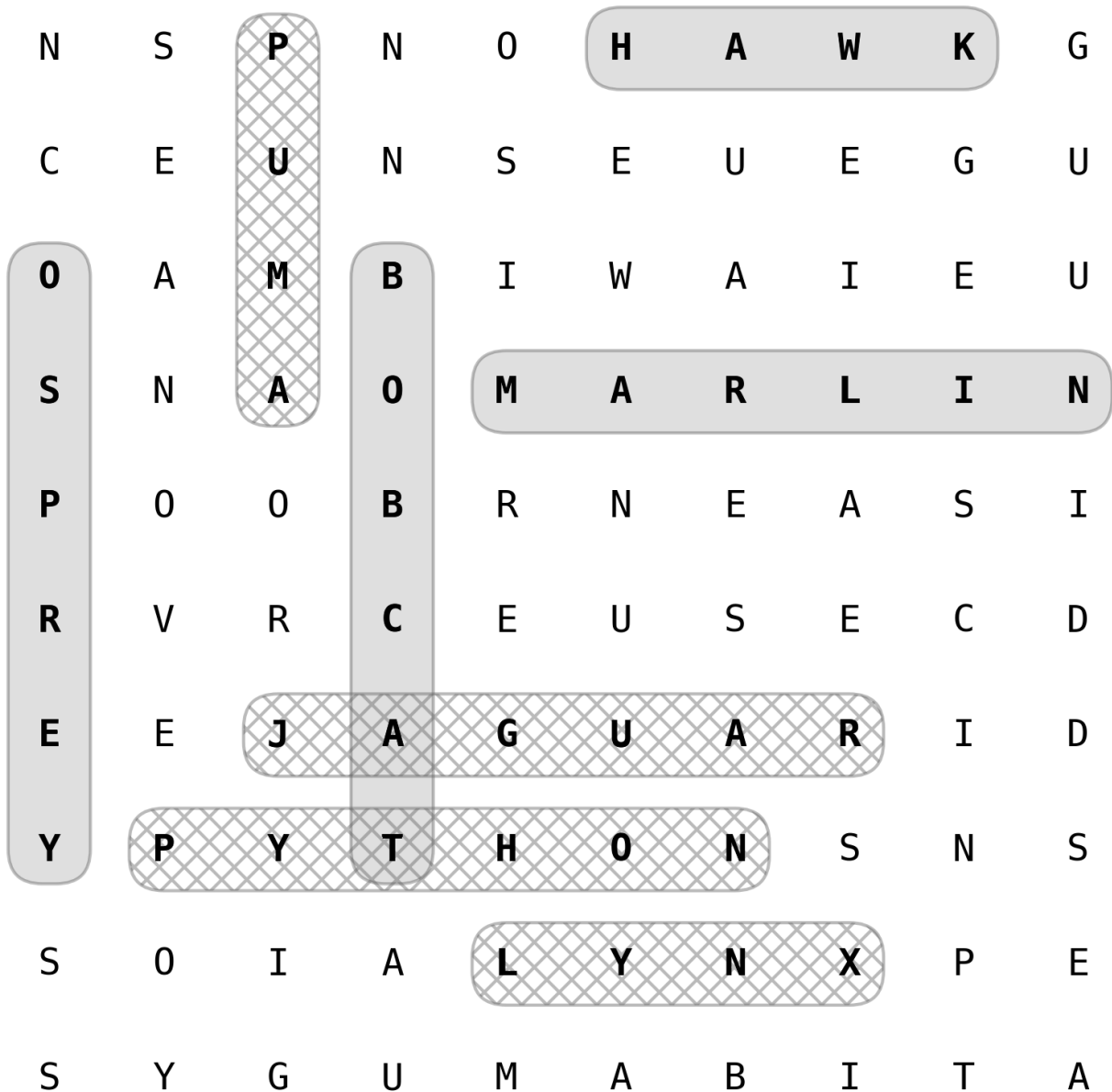
WALRUS

(Answer on page 11)

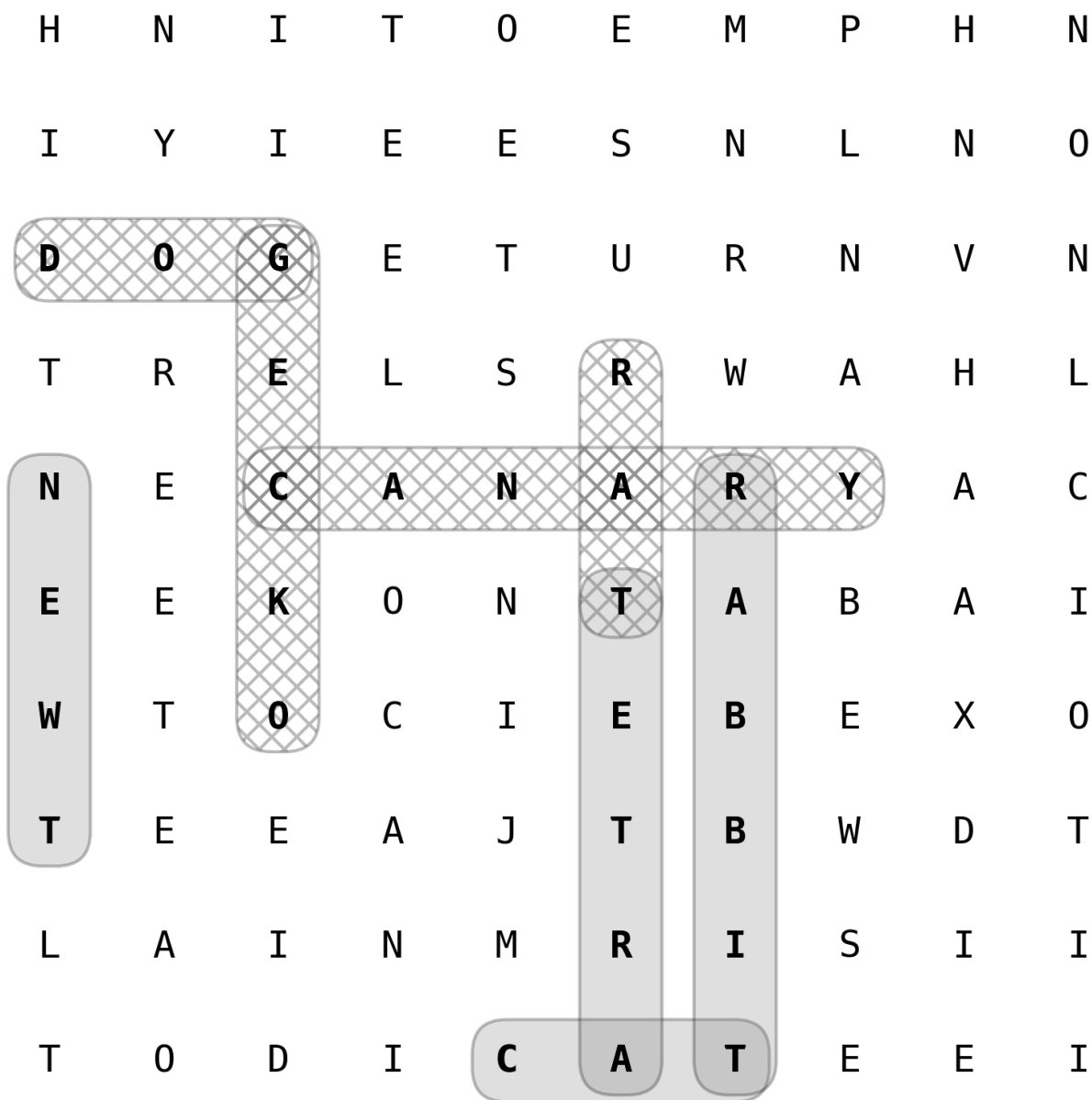
Puzzle 1 - Insects



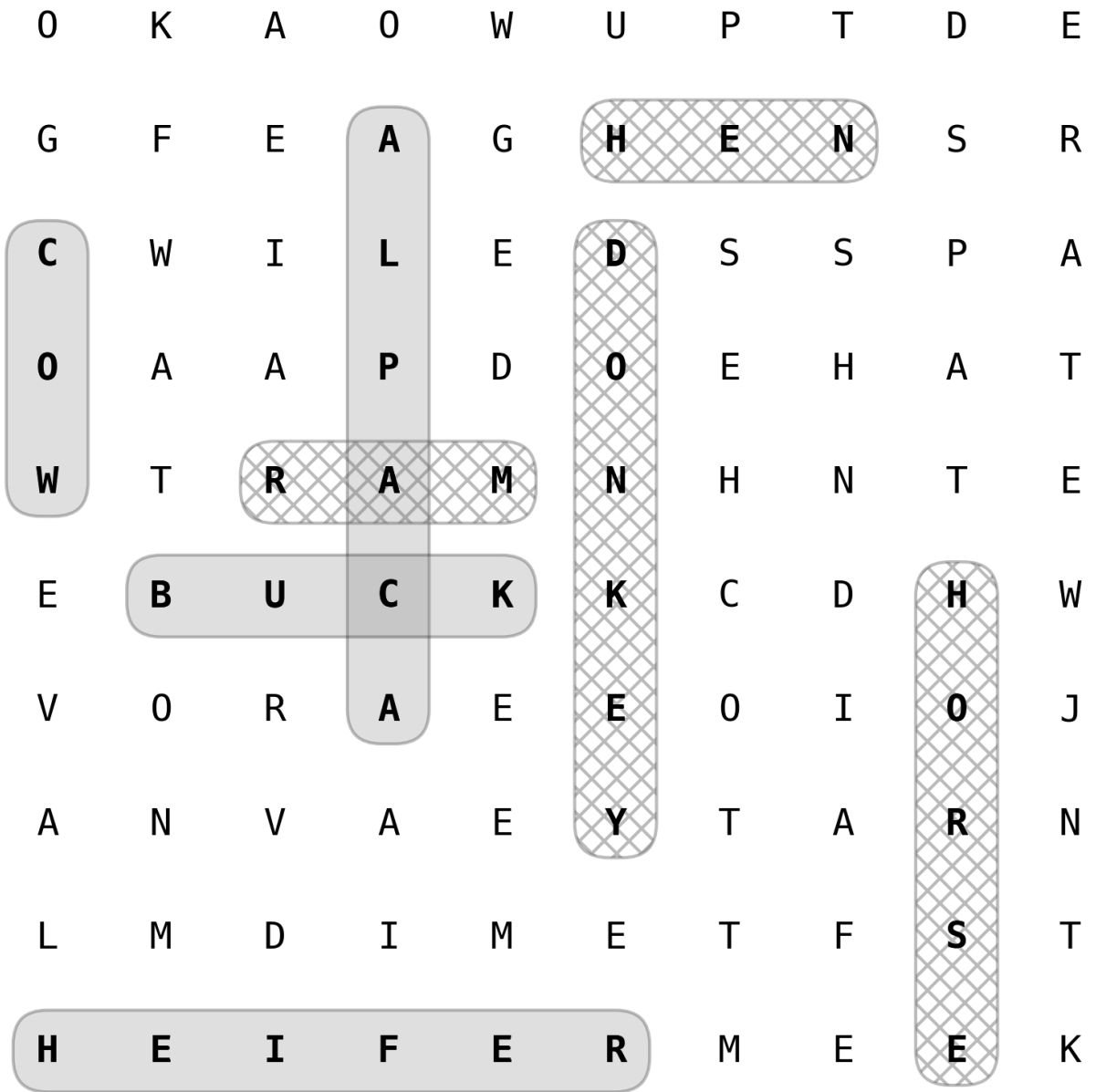
Puzzle 2 - Solitary Predators



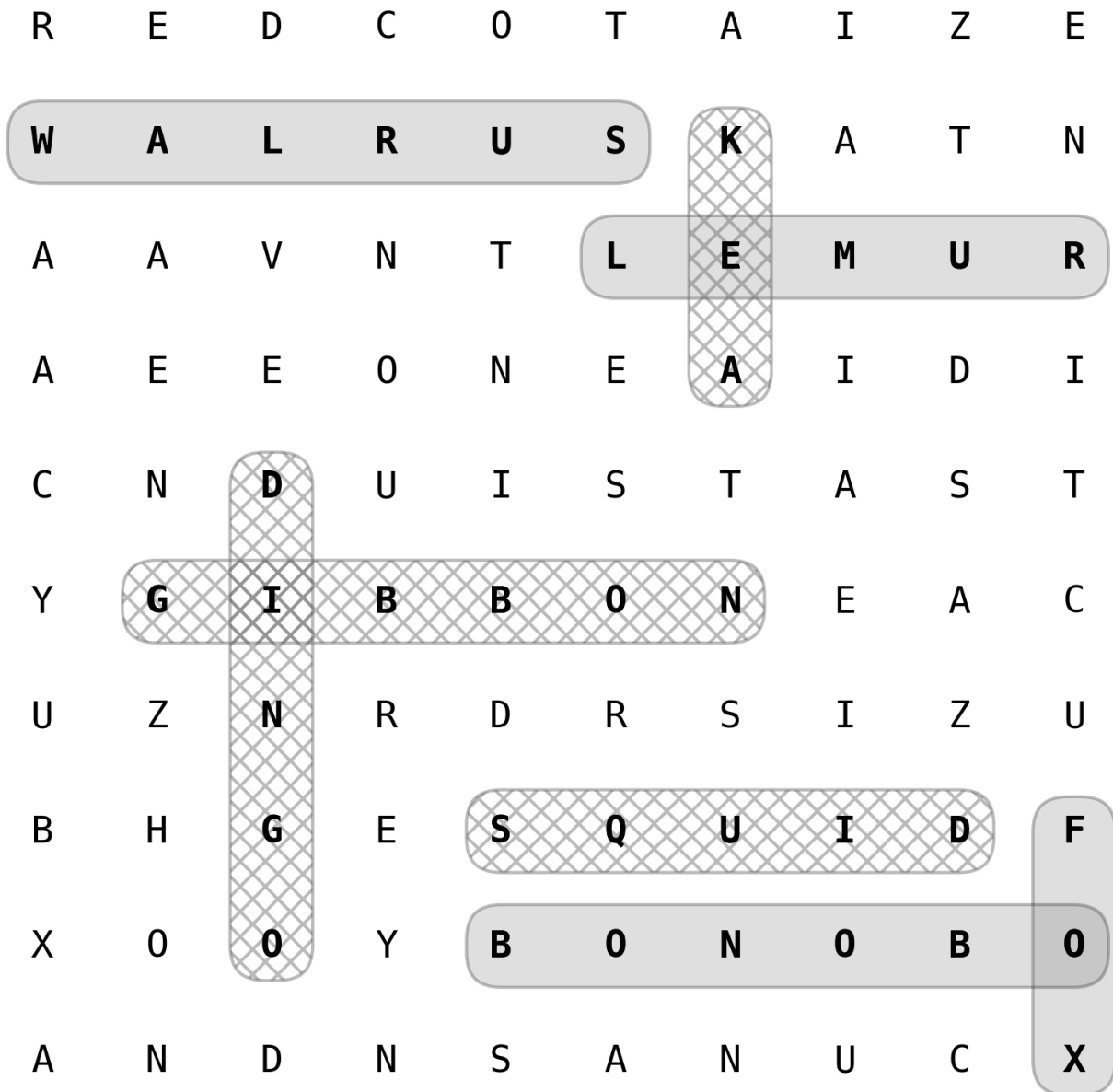
Puzzle 3 - Pets



Puzzle 4 - Farm Animals



Puzzle 5 - Smartest Animals



Medium Puzzles – Step Up the Challenge

It's a little trickier now. No Bold letters anymore, you'll need sharper eyes and better logic. Get ready to switch between spotting and solving!

Word directions - Medium puzzles add four more ways:

- Horizontal (→)
- Reverse Horizontal (←)
- Vertical (↓)
- Reverse Vertical (↑)
- Diagonal Down (↘)
- Diagonal Up (↗)

Puzzle 1 - Savanna Wildlife

S	O	R	O	•	T	G	I	A	R	G	R	G	R
•	•	•	S	•	•	B	O	A	R	S	O	Q	D
U	I	R	E	•	I	U	U	O	T	D	D	H	A
•	•	•	H	•	•	K	P	S	N	T	R	L	S
T	P	E	O	A	N	P	E	W	H	C	E	L	A
G	Y	I	A	•	I	M	A	R	E	P	E	Y	U
V	M	E	K	H	T	H	D	T	U	H	I	R	L
T	E	R	M	I	T	E	U	T	L	U	Q	G	D
S	M	O	F	•	U	T	L	Q	O	E	U	S	E
S	H	E	•	Y	E	D	D	A	•	E	O	O	R
X	R	•	H	Z	Q	W	L	T	•	A	E	R	D
M	G	H	C	H	E	T	O	I	•	D	T	N	N
E	H	P	T	T	I	A	A	O	B	W	S	O	G
E	•	•	I	•	•	R	N	E	D	N	E	O	I

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

BARBET
BLESBOK

BONGO
DUIKER

GENET
KORHAAN

Find these words:

BUSHPIG
ELAND

HIPPO
LECHWE

ORIBI
TERMITE

(Answer on page 28)

Puzzle 2 - Endangered Animals

T	E	M	S	R	I	I	•	E	K	E	L	A	L
C	W	E	T	O	A	X	O	L	O	T	L	E	H
C	E	S	L	L	O	A	K	R	U	I	U	M	I
T	S	Z	O	L	N	S	•	R	P	T	S	I	A
M	I	A	Z	L	E	I	•	R	R	I	C	S	B
N	S	L	O	Q	H	E	•	L	E	I	M	S	R
N	H	O	•	H	E	A	S	W	Y	N	V	T	S
S	O	H	A	R	I	•	•	A	•	Z	C	Q	L
N	E	E	•	E	L	•	I	•	N	•	•	•	G
L	B	W	R	S	•	•	G	•	U	D	A	C	C
E	•	•	•	•	A	•	E	O	A	O	H	L	R
E	L	M	•	O	O	O	A	T	A	K	H	I	Y
D	L	T	G	N	A	J	N	O	E	E	M	C	E
N	E	T	J	T	Y	R	U	T	R	R	E	N	R

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

BAIJI
GHARIAL

HORNBILL
KOKAKO

SAIGA
UAKARI

Find these words:

AXOLOTL
KROUPREY

SAOLA
SHOEBILL

TAKHI
TOTOABA

(Answer on page 29)

Puzzle 3 - Slowest Animals

N	R	A	T	L	L	E	O	E	T	Z	E	N	I
A	A	I	H	C	E	E	L	H	H	F	•	K	T
O	R	P	E	A	H	C	A	E	D	•	E	A	I
S	T	N	N	I	H	C	R	U	I	E	N	E	E
T	D	N	A	O	R	O	O	•	O	K	S	R	E
A	E	•	Y	S	T	T	•	O	M	W	F	L	R
Z	P	E	•	N	O	H	S	G	N	I	L	D	H
O	N	S	•	•	S	•	•	G	•	O	T	C	H
Q	Y	I	C	•	•	T	O	•	U	•	S	V	M
I	A	S	F	•	I	•	I	C	D	U	D	I	S
E	Y	N	T	O	K	•	N	A	E	•	A	U	S
N	U	S	T	E	G	I	A	E	N	S	A	D	A
S	Q	H	B	•	R	N	A	C	L	•	N	S	E
Y	Y	W	•	W	R	W	Y	H	A	•	T	T	G

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

ABALONE
CHITON

HAGFISH
MUSSEL

SEA SLUG
SNAIL

Find these words:

BARNACLE
CORAL

LEECH
OYSTER

SUNFISH
URCHIN

(Answer on page 30)

Puzzle 4 - Urban Wildlife

R	O	E	O	L	S	•	I	T	U	T	A	N	O
S	N	R	Q	E	R	O	S	H	O	E	C	•	N
G	T	L	•	•	•	•	I	•	•	E	•	O	I
N	N	A	S	O	E	I	E	H	T	•	E	E	•
I	N	•	T	W	E	•	S	N	R	E	S	E	L
W	P	•	A	P	•	G	•	•	•	O	A	I	•
X	D	•	R	E	D	F	O	X	D	R	D	D	C
A	T	•	L	I	H	•	T	R	U	E	D	T	•
W	E	N	I	E	W	N	A	L	G	N	A	T	•
S	Z	U	N	O	C	L	S	R	E	C	O	I	A
A	U	•	G	A	L	A	F	S	N	T	O	Y	•
N	A	Y	O	A	T	E	T	S	F	T	R	C	A
E	T	I	M	R	E	O	M	Z	N	I	Y	I	P
N	E	N	T	R	I	C	E	R	P	S	O	W	A

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

BLACKCAP
COWBIRD

DUNNOCK
MOORHEN

PIGEON
ROBIN

Find these words:

MALLARD
POLECAT

RED FOX
STARLING

SWIFTLET
WAXWING

(Answer on page 31)

Puzzle 5 - Fastest Animals

Y	•	E	W	O	W	A	X	H	D	C	W	E	T
I	•	M	L	A	U	S	H	•	B	Q	I	S	O
E	Z	T	E	H	E	C	•	Y	O	T	E	I	R
I	•	L	B	H	I	C	O	T	N	O	C	O	A
T	L	S	T	R	•	N	H	I	T	L	S	P	H
M	L	C	T	•	T	T	A	E	E	E	G	R	O
•	•	S	F	R	H	N	W	K	B	H	E	O	Z
•	O	L	O	P	E	•	A	T	O	R	R	P	H
A	T	Y	T	A	H	M	•	H	K	A	F	F	E
•	N	I	R	E	T	N	N	•	G	O	S	T	E
•	I	J	L	E	R	S	W	N	A	H	D	T	E
I	•	S	•	•	L	•	•	S	R	J	I	S	W
H	H	P	H	H	E	K	L	E	L	S	S	E	H
E	R	G	Q	S	E	•	•	T	•	E	•	C	T

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

CHEETAH
FALCON

GAZELLE
HYENA

IMPALA
SAILFISH

Find these words:

BONTEBOK
COYOTE

KANGAROO
OSTRICH

PORPOISE
WAHOO

(Answer on page 32)

Puzzle 6 - Arctic Wildlife

U	U	O	L	F	U	L	M	A	R	N	G	N	D
C	A	P	E	L	I	N	R	H	B	E	D	O	I
A	N	H	M	N	L	A	O	E	B	A	J	O	O
E	N	I	M	R	.	S	.	.	M	N	A	E	R
U	S	S	I	.	J	.	S	A	I	N	T	W	U
S	M	H	N	E	S	F	.	F	Z	A	E	I	H
R	M	.	G	T	U	.	F	R	O	U	S	U	A
U	E	.	E	C	N	.	.	T	.	R	O	I	H
B	C	.	B	.	P	O	S	.	H	.	R	L	R
D	R	.	M	I	T	.	H	I	Q	S	A	N	O
X	H	.	A	.	T	.	G	O	W	U	E	.	M
A	S	I	M	E	T	.	H	P	N	J	O	N	T
E	A	.	W	.	T	A	G	R	E	A	V	G	L
E	O	H	H	A	C	.	H	S	L	A	Y	L	T

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

CARIBOU
EIDER

MOOSE
MUSK OX

NARWHAL
WOLFFISH

Find these words:

CAPELIN
ERMINE

FULMAR
LEMMING

PUFFIN
STOAT

(Answer on page 33)

Puzzle 7 - Mountain Fauna

G	S	I	•	N	T	S	O	H	C	Z	A	I	E
E	P	L	I	A	S	E	O	T	A	•	•	•	R
I	S	N	C	T	•	D	N	J	A	C	E	T	O
U	I	B	W	O	E	M	S	I	N	O	A	E	F
I	O	E	A	N	F	K	•	O	E	C	I	R	E
B	M	A	C	D	I	S	N	•	•	W	O	H	C
B	A	W	E	H	B	H	D	L	H	O	J	S	N
N	H	F	Z	J	I	N	H	C	•	N	S	•	E
J	C	A	A	P	S	S	L	U	•	S	A	U	G
I	A	L	R	R	B	W	A	K	•	•	F	•	I
H	S	P	O	A	I	I	Z	I	E	R	•	N	H
I	G	O	R	A	L	T	A	•	•	•	•	•	•
R	E	T	D	E	L	U	B	S	P	O	M	•	•
I	T	Q	E	A	T	Z	E	H	U	F	A	O	H

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

CHUKAR
GUANACO

MARMOT
SHAHEEN

TAKIN
TARBAGAN

Find these words:

BHARAL
BOBCAT

CHAMOIS
GORAL

IBISBILL
SNOWCOCK

(Answer on page 34)

Puzzle 8 - Desert Dwellers

I	L	A	C	Z	M	P	A	H	E	H	E	L	E
D	W	S	E	A	M	D	E	O	•	Q	S	E	O
T	•	•	•	•	C	•	T	S	•	E	N	O	C
T	D	S	N	X	O	H	E	O	R	S	O	O	O
A	G	A	M	A	S	O	B	H	D	I	A	A	R
D	P	T	P	E	O	R	S	E	•	O	X	E	L
D	P	D	K	G	E	I	P	A	•	T	•	U	E
A	•	A	R	J	F	•	N	A	•	R	F	O	I
X	I	R	I	P	I	I	•	H	•	O	•	A	A
I	•	N	U	G	A	H	T	•	O	T	•	D	R
T	•	P	H	E	V	C	N	H	•	M	•	B	C
E	I	S	O	H	T	A	S	J	P	L	N	S	O
L	•	•	•	•	•	•	I	•	N	E	E	X	D
R	R	R	S	E	N	A	O	N	N	A	O	H	N

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

AARDVARK
DIKDIK

ELF OWL
KIT FOX

SAND CAT
SCORPION

Find these words:

ADDAX
AGAMA

GUNDI
JERBOA

PUPFISH
TORTOISE

(Answer on page 35)

Puzzle 9 - Rainforest Life

D	A	T	E	X	I	E	Q	L	T	I	R	L	H
S	R	G	M	H	O	A	E	.	O	O	A	N	T
P	L	E	I	S	O	L	R	.	.	P	I	.	N
Q	M	N	H	I	P	A	K	O	T	I	A	O	I
U	O	S	H	O	U	U	T	A	N	T	.	M	.
O	X	N	R	G	T	B	S	Z	G	N	Q	.	.
I	E	E	A	A	L	U	A	R	.	H	A	.	.
I	U	J	U	U	S	P	I	R	A	N	H	.	.
O	K	N	E	.	.	.	.	K	N	.	K	W	E
A	P	I	H	R	L	.	P	M	R	E	A	A	.
T	R	C	T	I	.	N	O	I	T	R	R	T	.
L	I	R	W	.	T	S	T	H	O	Y	H	A	U
M	L	H	Q	N	C	I	T	U	O	G	A	T	M
T	B	S	Q	S	L	O	O	L	E	E	A	E	W

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

CAIMAN
KINKAJOU

MACAW
SUN BEAR

TAMARIN
TAPIR

Find these words:

AGOUTI
HOATZIN

JAGUAR
OKAPI

PIRANHA
POTTO

(Answer on page 36)

Puzzle 10 - Marsupials

K	E	.	T	C	A	C	E	E	O	H	S	N	H
S	S	.	.	N	E	U	Q	T	E	L	E	H	K
S	I	.	I	.	.	.	.	.	.	U	S	A	O
I	E	.	B	O	S	A	R	A	G	L	U	M	P
T	I	.	B	R	N	.	D	M	D	U	I	P	A
L	R	R	L	N	I	L	.	T	H	T	S	U	Y
X	R	O	E	G	U	E	I	R	S	T	R	.	N
S	R	O	R	Y	D	U	G	A	.	D	E	T	O
M	O	I	W	W	E	N	A	L	E	.	M	.	C
E	R	Y	C	W	T	H	N	H	.	A	R	B	L
C	J	R	R	O	R	E	I	L	O	R	E	.	R
O	R	C	H	L	J	L	.	D	D	F	E	.	A
C	S	H	R	R	H	R	T	E	N	D	O	.	L
K	E	A	D	.	.	N	A	.	.	I	E	I	I

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

DASYURE
DUNNART

GLIDER
NAILTAIL

WALLAROO
WOMBAT

Find these words:

AMPURTA
DIBBLER

MULGARA
QUENDA

WYULDA
YAPOK

(Answer on page 37)

Puzzle 11 - Coral Reef Fish

C	E	L	E	R	I	O	A	D	R	H	E	•	R
F	W	G	•	•	N	•	B	Y	E	W	T	I	H
E	H	R	O	H	S	I	O	L	P	E	S	•	E
H	L	I	T	S	M	•	U	•	•	L	•	•	•
D	B	R	P	I	I	D	E	H	E	A	E	•	I
A	A	C	U	F	F	T	P	L	O	N	E	•	T
I	S	M	O	K	J	•	N	•	•	I	•	•	T
R	S	A	N	W	N	Z	S	H	V	D	V	•	T
T	L	C	A	A	F	X	S	T	D	R	E	•	A
W	E	B	L	H	S	I	F	K	C	A	J	I	G
D	T	L	R	N	F	E	S	R	U	C	P	F	M
A	T	O	L	X	H	Y	A	H	E	H	T	•	A
T	O	A	O	A	Y	•	N	•	•	L	•	•	T
O	T	B	A	Z	V	K	H	A	L	R	X	D	I

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

ANTHIAS
BLENNY

DOGFISH
FUSILIER

GRUNT
TILEFISH

Find these words:

BASSLET
BOXFISH

CARDINAL
COWFISH

HAWKFISH
JACKFISH

(Answer on page 38)

Puzzle 12 - Freshwater Fish

O	T	C	I	U	I	I	R	U	•	A	I	A	G
C	R	A	P	P	I	E	H	•	•	•	L	A	N
H	D	•	•	C	•	•	E	U	•	C	N	I	L
S	E	P	U	S	N	B	O	E	•	N	G	G	•
W	Z	A	I	M	O	A	F	•	E	H	E	W	•
N	H	L	R	D	U	E	•	T	•	N	O	A	E
H	S	I	C	S	C	•	T	N	•	N	H	R	G
U	B	T	Y	G	N	A	F	E	N	L	B	T	•
M	H	Z	E	A	N	E	T	I	R	V	R	O	U
W	E	E	•	Q	O	R	M	F	S	E	U	I	•
T	N	N	T	I	A	F	I	A	I	H	L	I	•
S	Y	T	T	D	•	•	•	I	•	S	F	T	E
T	R	T	A	U	A	N	N	E	N	D	H	O	U
I	T	T	A	H	S	A	E	U	O	R	E	F	G

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

DISCUS
LOACH

MAHSEER
SHINER

STURGEON
ZANDER

Find these words:

CATFISH
CRAPPIE

DARTER
MINNOW

MUDFISH
TILAPIA

(Answer on page 39)

Puzzle 13 - Reptiles

N	T	U	E	E	T	T	U	A	T	A	R	A	S
T	O	D	O	E	E	G	E	L	N	E	R	E	D
F	S	A	S	O	L	R	E	I	D	B	O	T	Q
O	S	U	T	N	F	O	A	I	O	E	N	C	D
K	N	I	.	I	H	E	L	C	K	N	N	I	I
T	E	K	.	.	K	.	E	T	E	O	N	R	I
T	I	E	O	T	.	A	D	.	.	.	M	E	A
E	S	U	I	A	U	.	T	D	L	T	.	E	T
V	A	Y	H	L	N	O	R	R	B	U	O	L	E
H	G	H	O	N	G	H	O	T	A	O	T	I	O
E	T	N	T	M	L	O	S	E	C	P	.	E	N
S	H	U	I	.	.	.	N	.	K	N	.	O	K
E	O	W	A	J	E	W	R	S	S	E	.	Q	H
O	H	G	N	M	E	D	P	M	A	B	.	.	.

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

ADDER
IGUANA

MAMBA
MONITOR

SKINK
VIPER

Find these words:

COBRA
DRACO

KEELBACK
RACER

SLIDER
TUATARA

(Answer on page 40)

Puzzle 14 - Mythical Creatures

O	O	S	A	S	R	G	U	E	I	K	L	E	S
O	Y	K	.	I	.	.	S	.	.	H	T	H	N
L	A	O	N	M	E	O	S	E	A	L	E	C	T
N	C	O	S	.	.	.	B	.	.	U	S	L	E
E	G	B	O	B	T	R	Y	.	.	.	O	A	D
O	E	.	C	H	L	A	M	A	S	S	U	A	A
P	M	.	A	.	U	H	R	A	M	T	T	A	Q
O	O	.	O	E	I	R	P	H	I	W	S	O	L
N	N	.	N	H	T	.	A	T	N	.	T	A	T
O	G	O	K	O	I	R	.	L	O	.	X	O	O
E	N	T	O	A	N	C	O	.	T	A	N	P	T
A	T	H	E	I	F	M	S	E	A	.	E	M	A
D	D	H	M	S	P	A	T	J	U	O	T	R	D
S	N	H	B	R	G	T	U	I	R	.	T	N	O

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

BASILISK
BIGFOOT

CERBERUS
CHIMERA

DRAGON
SATYR

Find these words:

GNOME
LAMASSU

MERMAID
MINOTAUR

POOKA
SELKIE

(Answer on page 41)

Puzzle 15 - Migratory Birds

A	S	T	L	.	.	.	.	.	H	W	J	X	T
P	H	T	A	S	M	P	L	A	N	A	O	S	H
O	S	.	.	L	.	.	W	P	U	R	W	I	I
O	E	O	F	E	G	S	T	I	P	Z	E	S	G
O	S	N	E	L	C	R	.	P	W	H	K	Y	.
G	N	I	W	P	A	.	.	I	R	L	G	O	.
R	E	T	M	T	.	M	.	T	E	N	C	I	R
S	D	T	S	A	E	P	I	N	S	R	G	N	L
Q	O	D	.	C	N	W	R	N	N	E	T	C	.
H	E	.	E	H	D	H	.	L	G	E	H	C	.
R	A	U	A	O	L	I	G	L	G	O	E	S	L
.	O	H	.	.	O	.	B	.	A	.	E	T	N
X	U	N	E	O	L	T	Y	A	E	A	E	D	R
A	T	D	O	T	A	R	Z	R	Q	E	L	N	Q

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

CURLEW
GROSBEAK

ORIOLE
SWALLOW

WAGTAIL
WHIMBREL

Find these words:

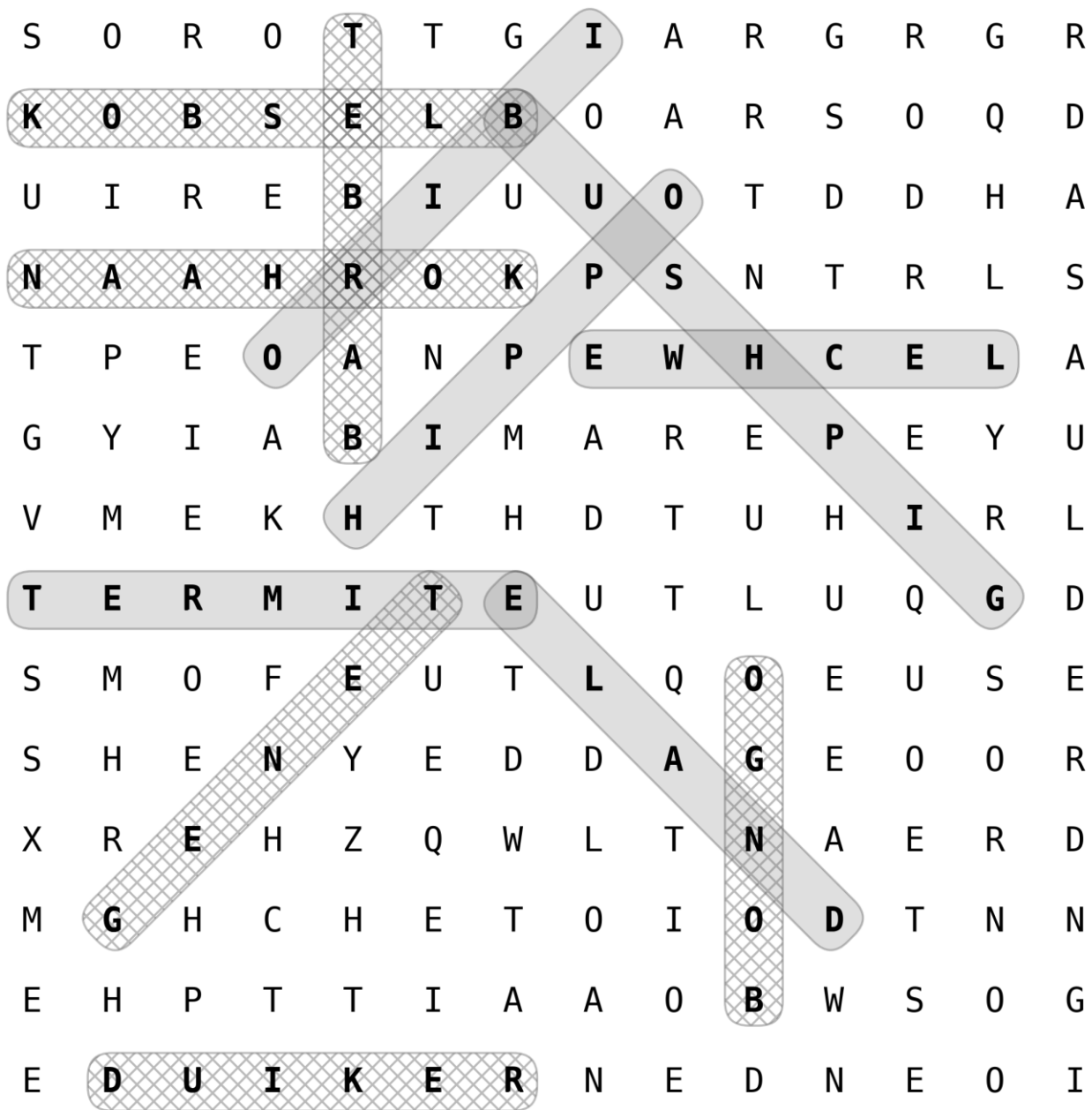
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GODWIT

LAPWING
PIPIT

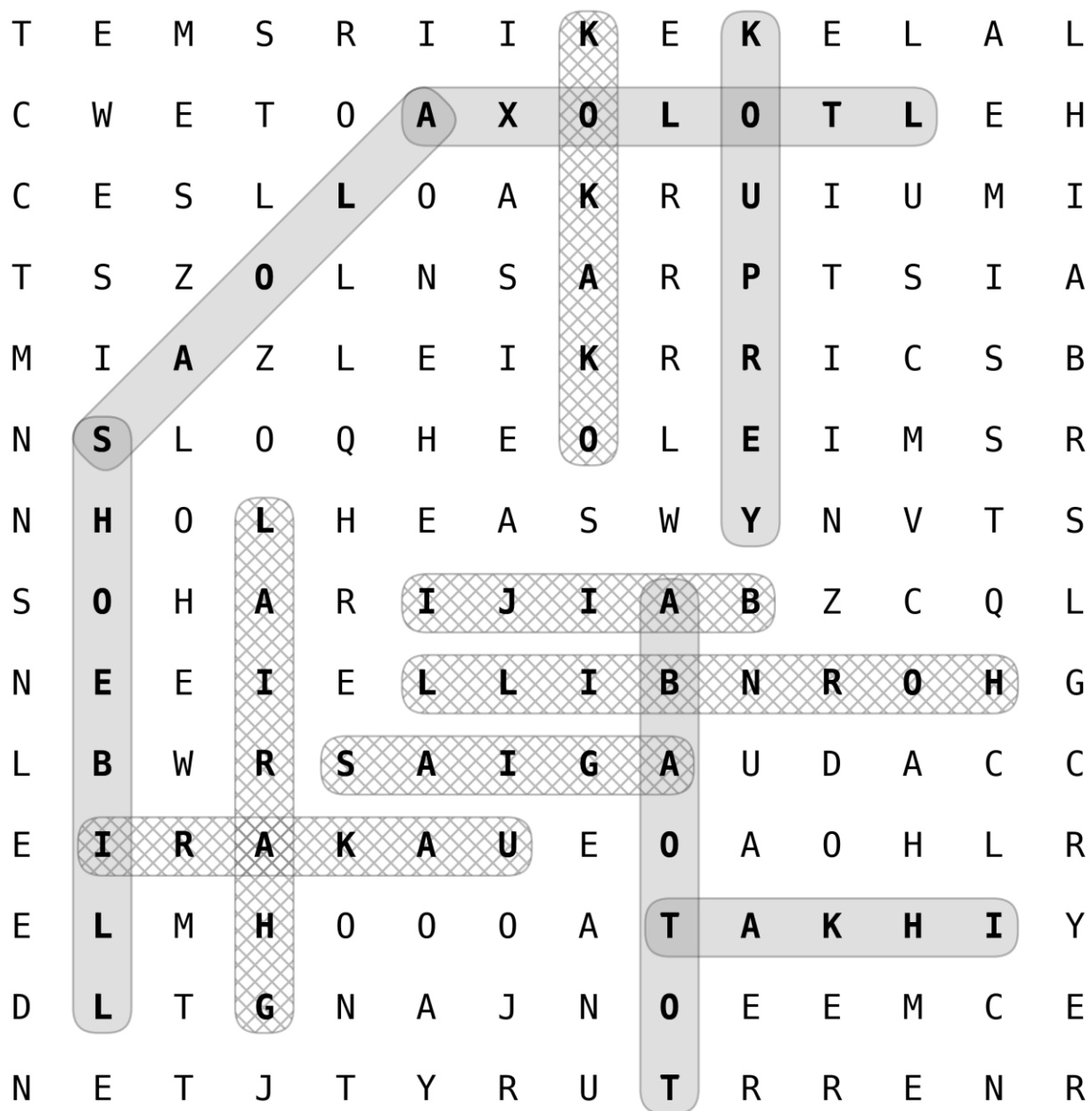
REDSTART
SNIPE

(Answer on page 42)

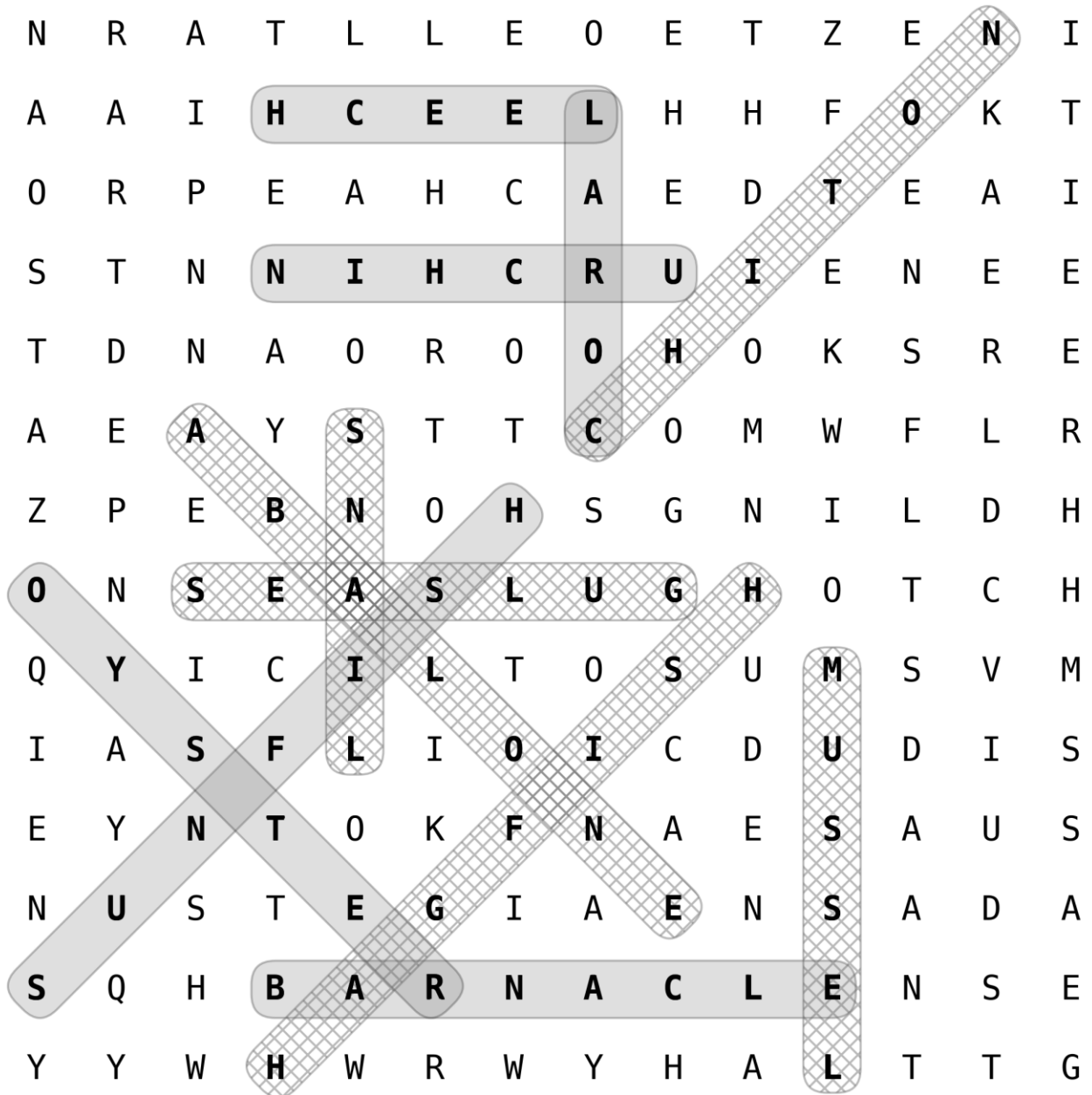
Puzzle 1 - Savanna Wildlife



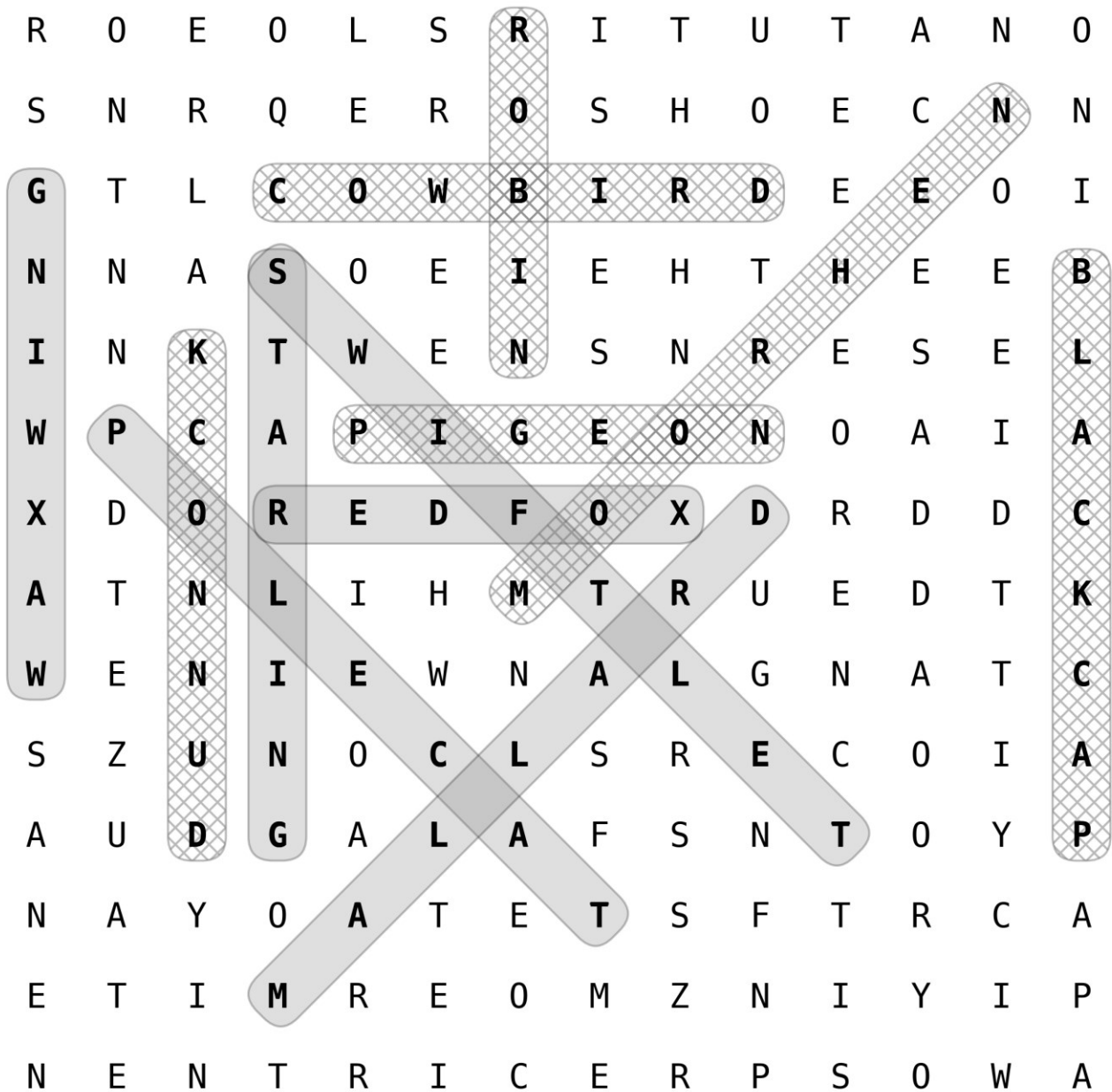
Puzzle 2 - Endangered Animals



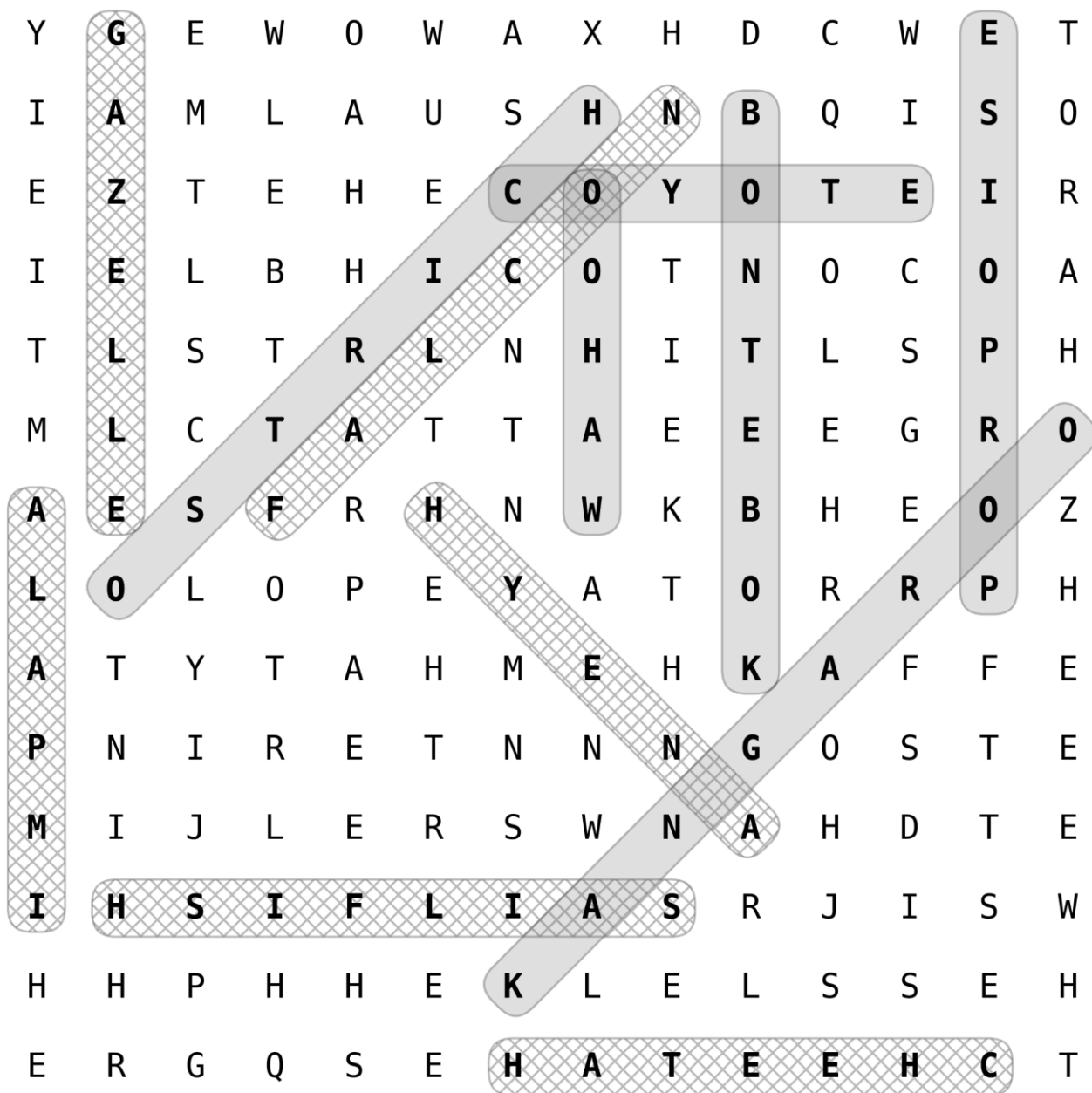
Puzzle 3 - Slowest Animals



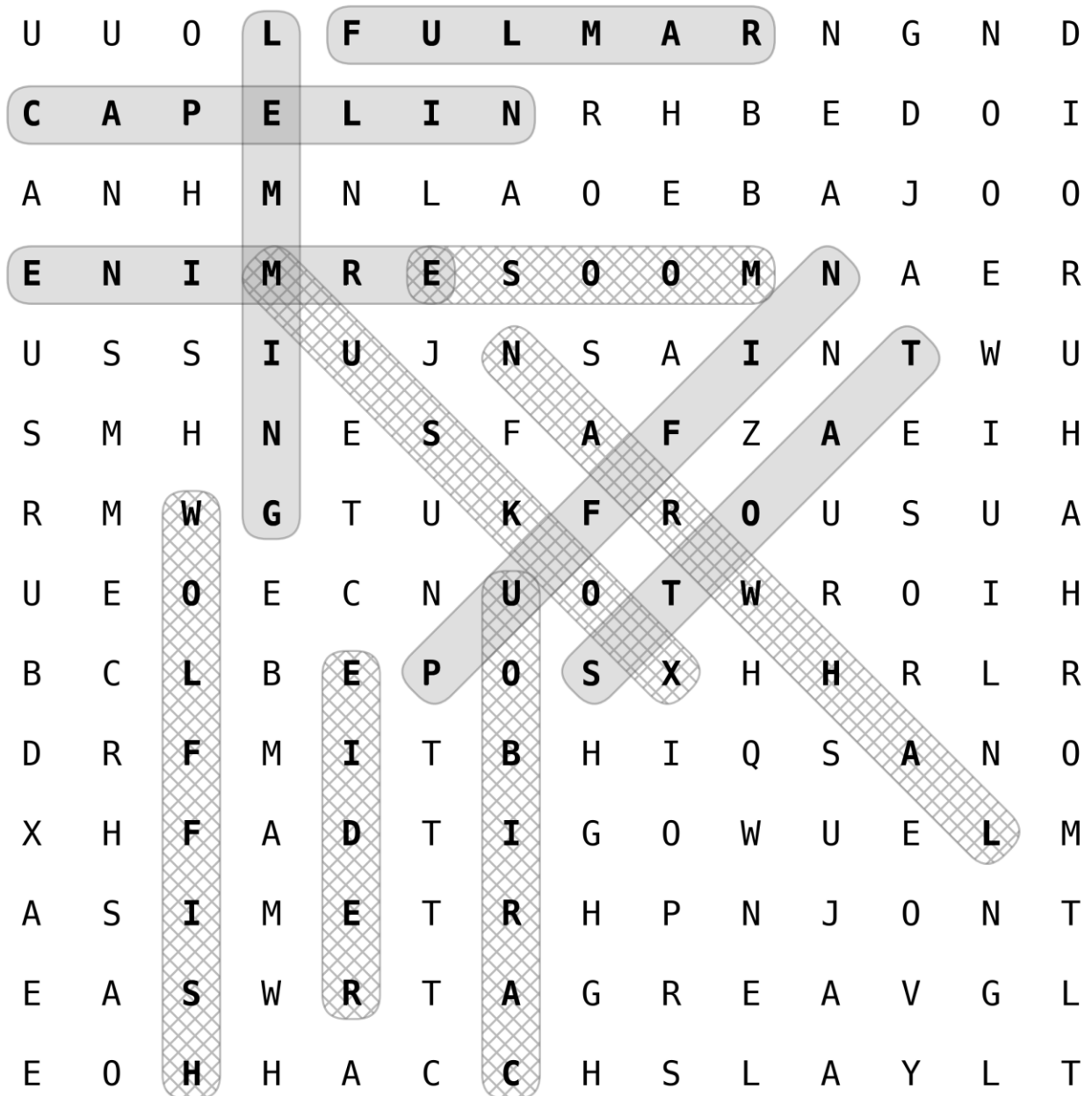
Puzzle 4 - Urban Wildlife



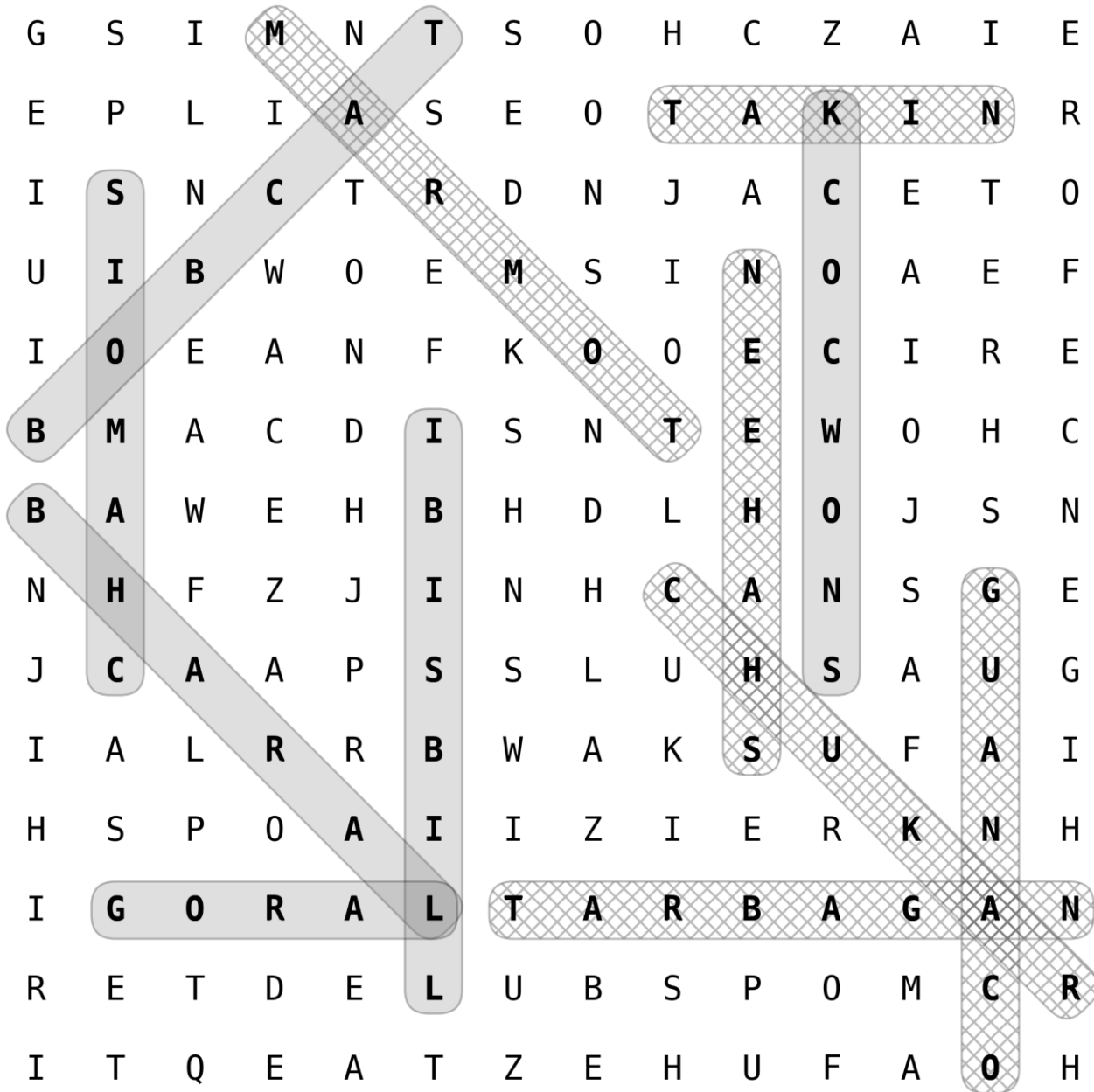
Puzzle 5 - Fastest Animals



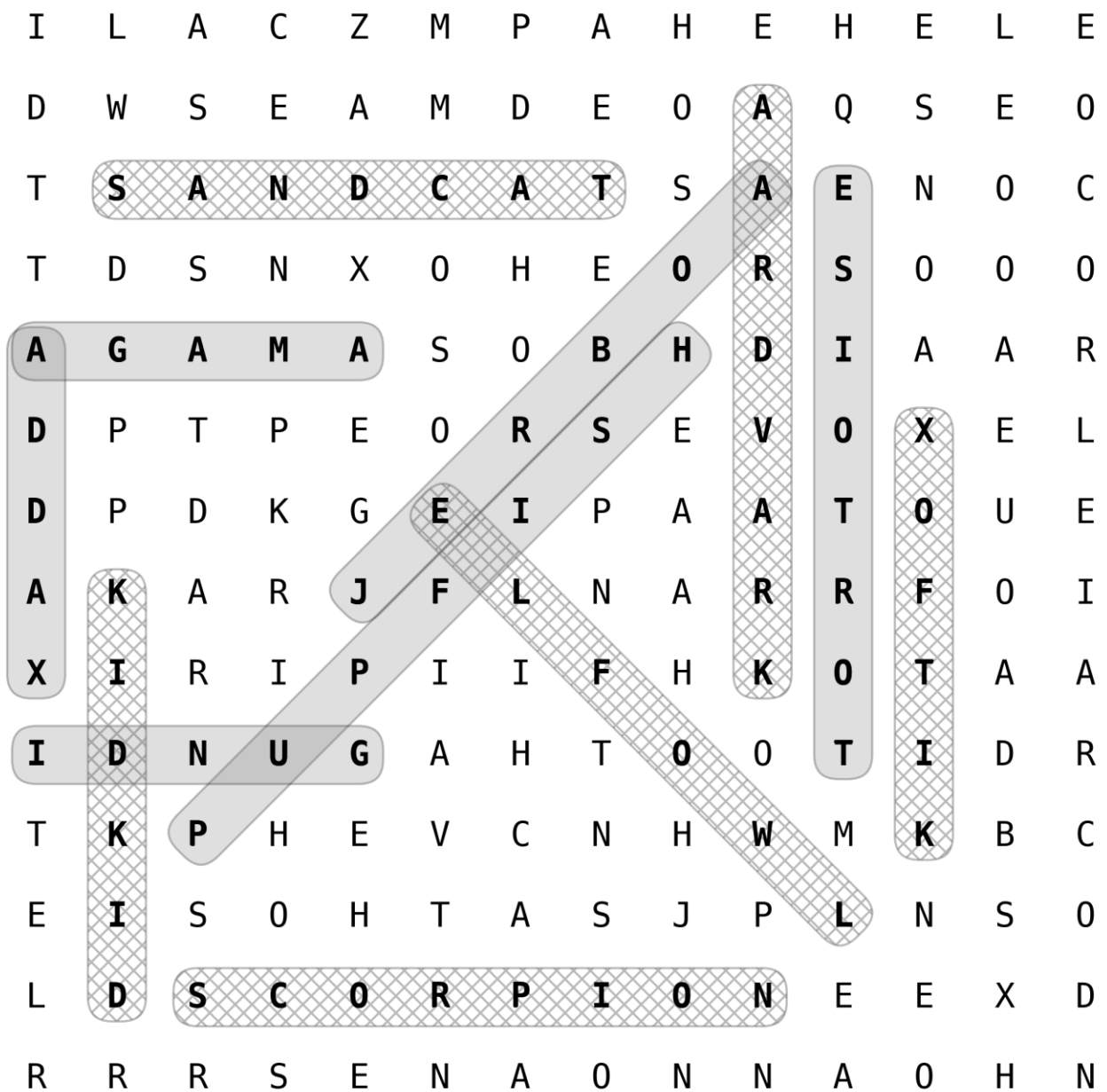
Puzzle 6 - Arctic Wildlife



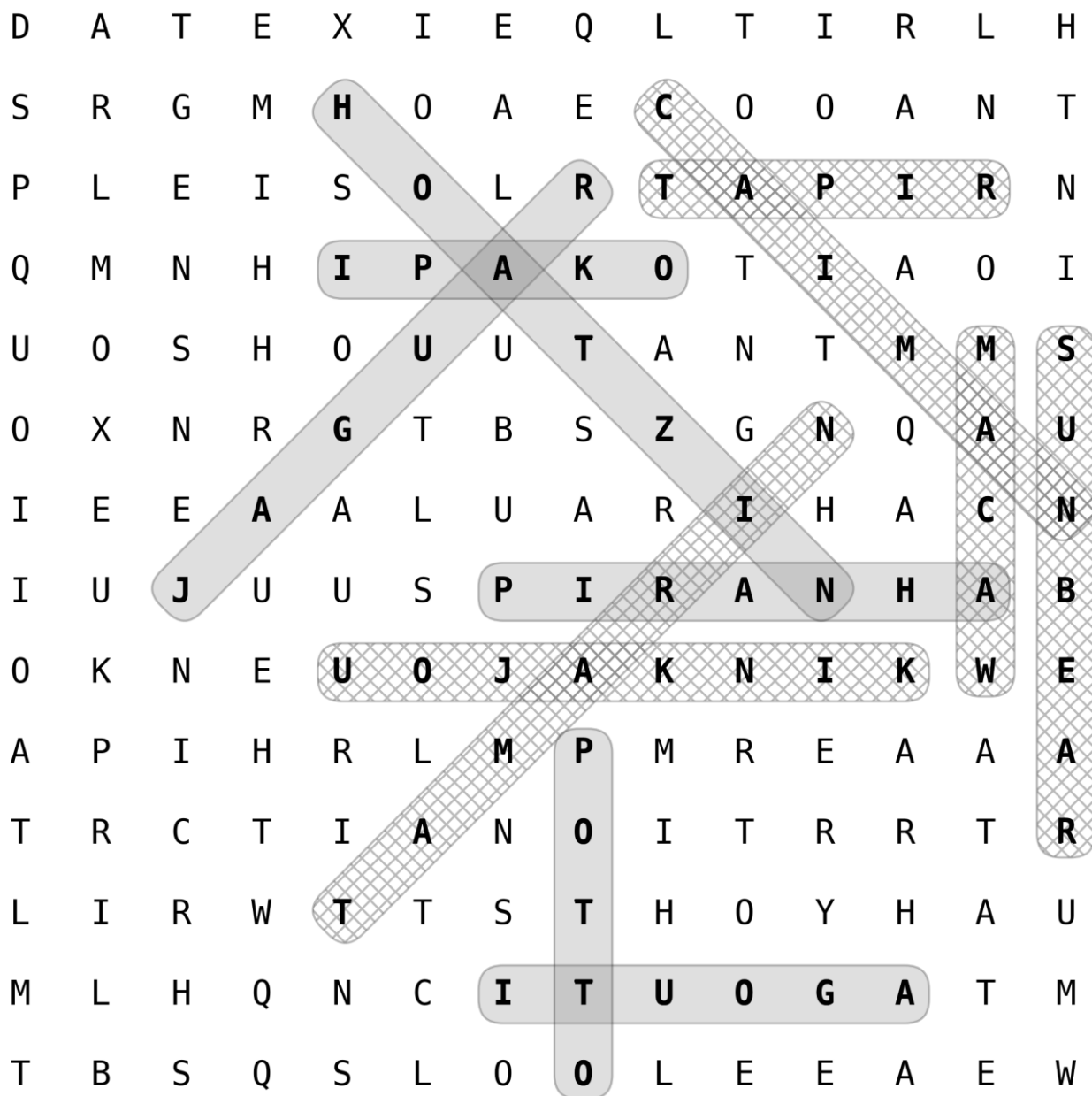
Puzzle 7 - Mountain Fauna



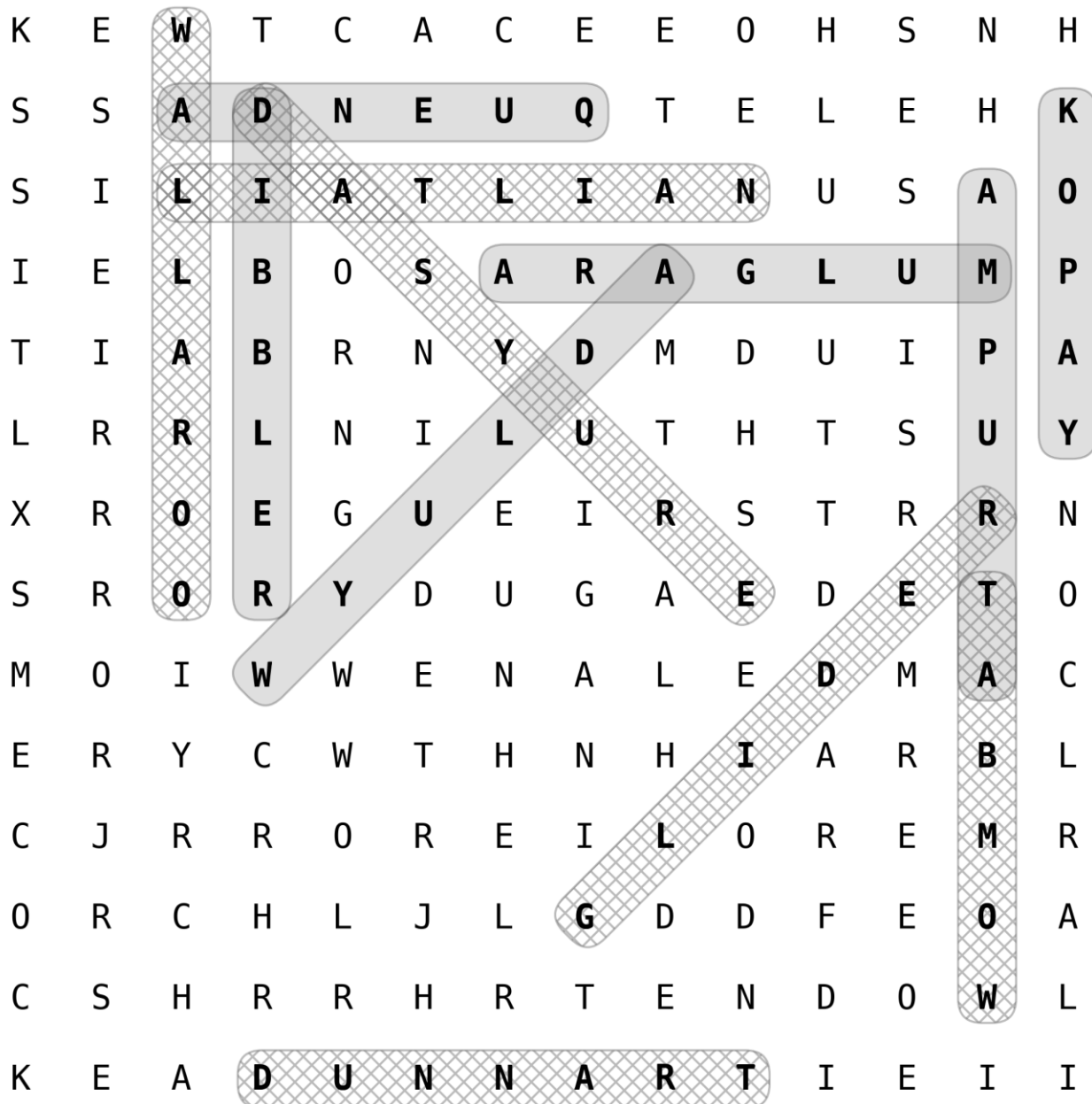
Puzzle 8 - Desert Dwellers



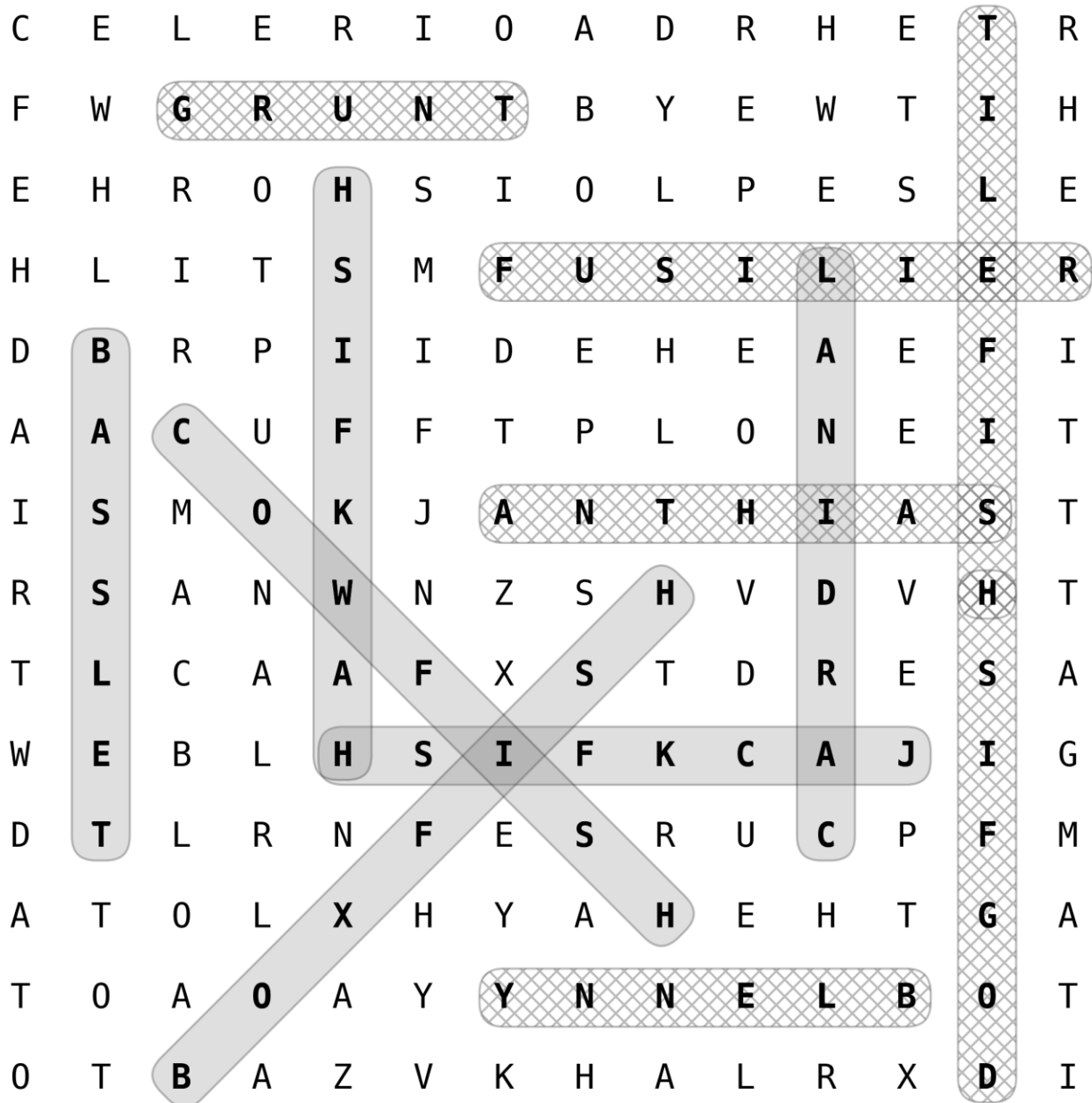
Puzzle 9 - Rainforest Life



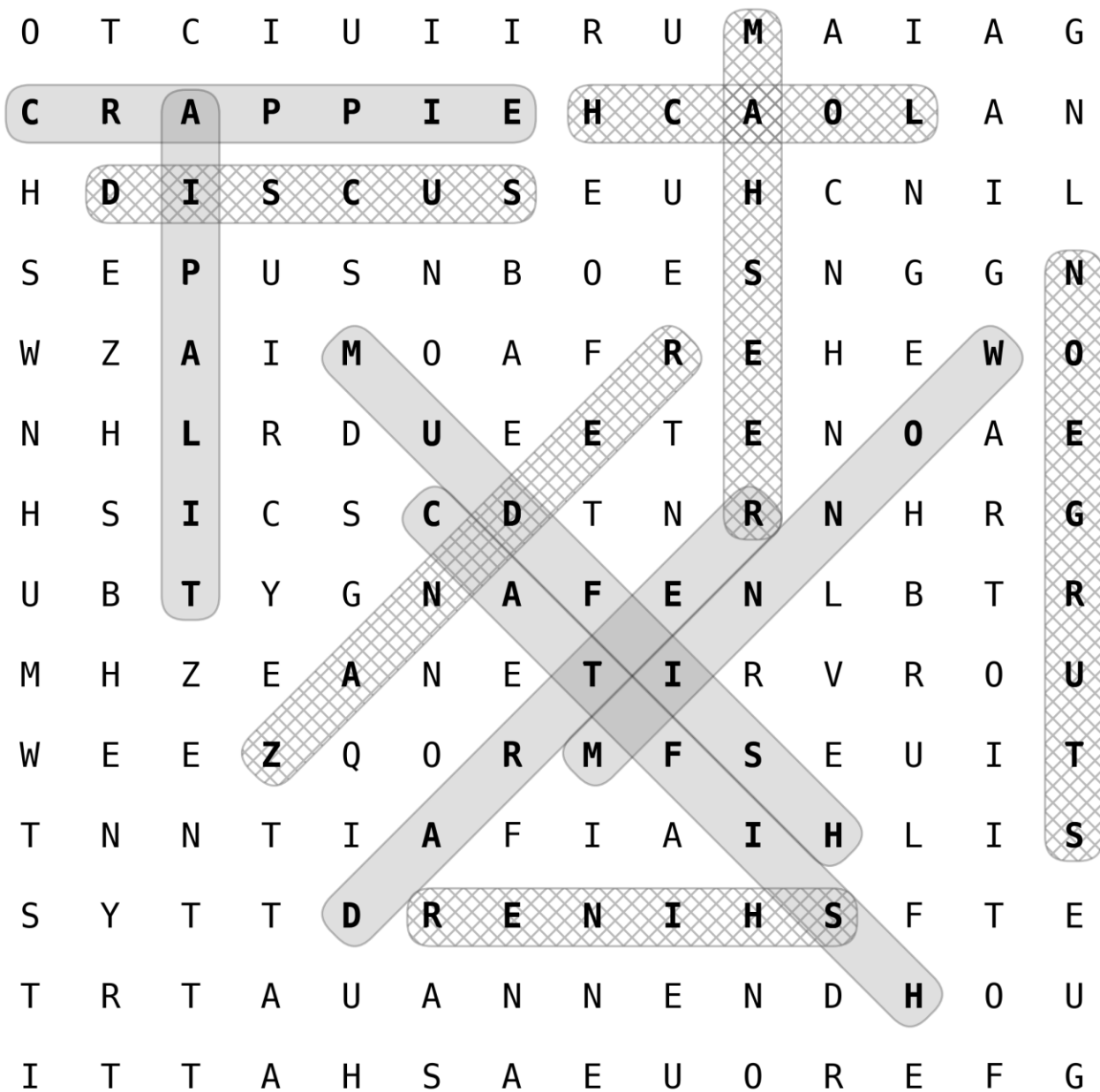
Puzzle 10 - Marsupials



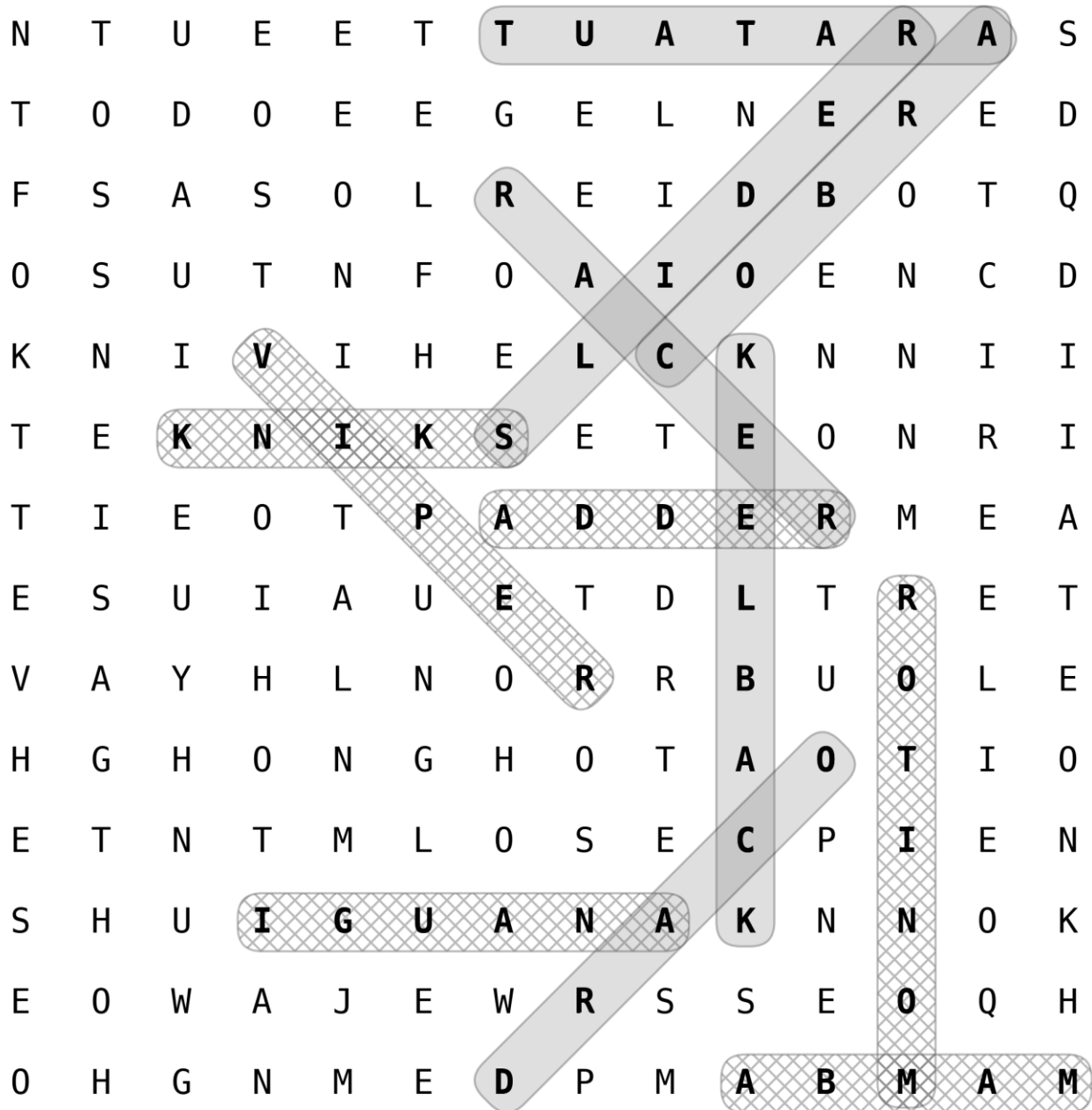
Puzzle 11 - Coral Reef Fish



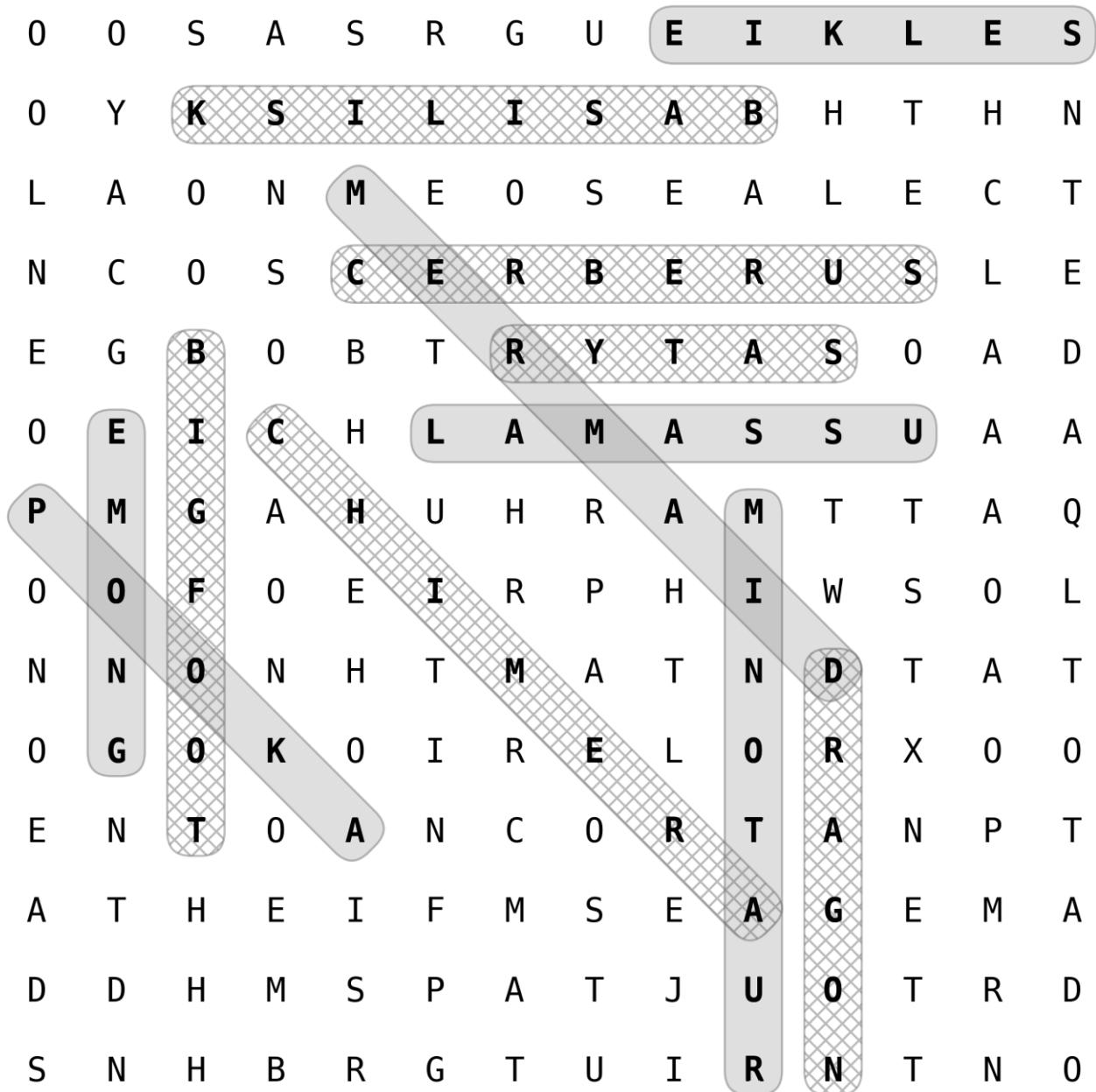
Puzzle 12 - Freshwater Fish



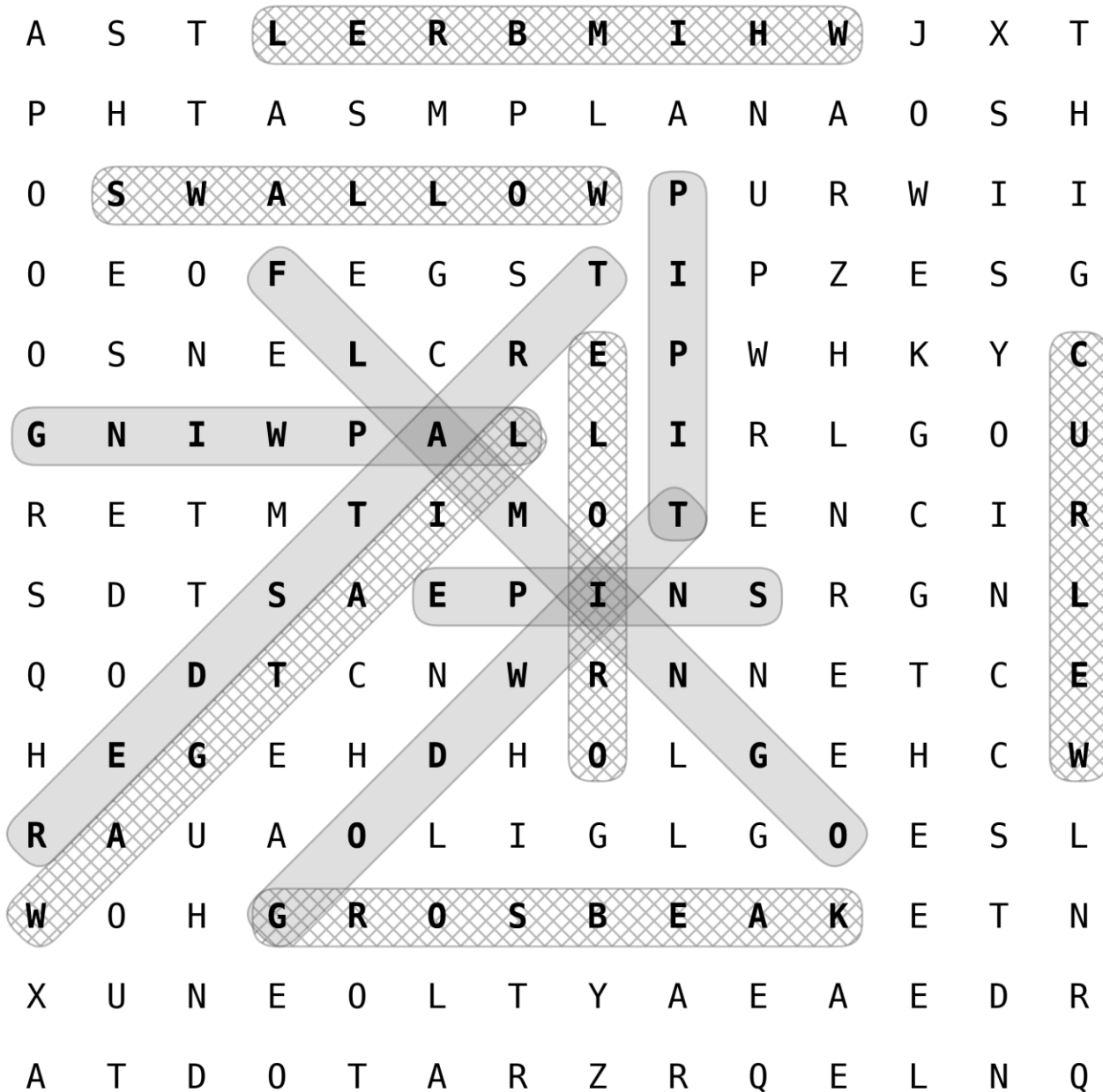
Puzzle 13 - Reptiles



Puzzle 14 - Mythical Creatures



Puzzle 15 - Migratory Birds



Hard Puzzles – For the Puzzle Masters

No bold letters. No easy clues. Just pure pattern recognition and mental agility. These puzzles are for the bravest solvers. Can you complete them all?

Word directions - Hard puzzles use all eight directions:

- Horizontal (→)
- Reverse Horizontal (←)
- Vertical (↓)
- Reverse Vertical (↑)
- Diagonal Down (↘)
- Diagonal Up (↗)
- Reverse Diagonal Down (↙)
- Reverse Diagonal Up (↖)

Puzzle 1 - Desert Dwellers

M	.	.	.	.	N	.	.	.	L	.	.	R	N	R	M	N	T
H	C	O	H	Y	A	N	T	N	E	H	S	R	.	P	U	H	E
L	G	V	P	A	E	L	B	Y	W	.	E	.	I	R	L	E	I
L	.	.	.	.	.	O	.	S	.	C	.	E	N	E	G	A	D
O	W	H	N	O	A	P	U	.	F	.	S	H	E	O	A	N	.
F	R	O	N	H	O	T	.	D	.	A	Q	X	A	S	S	A	.
A	E	E	E	O	N	.	D	.	N	A	S	D	C	O	N	K	.
S	C	S	P	L	M	P	.	D	S	R	O	R	O	D	A	I	.
D	E	T	I	.	G	I	C	S	Y	H	E	F	B	E	K	N	Y
C	F	R	.	O	.	A	N	O	R	R	J	O	R	S	E	T	L
R	M	.	L	H	T	E	E	U	F	I	A	P	I	E	G	N	.
N	E	A	.	.	.	R	.	.	.	B	V	N	D	R	T	N	.
C	N	A	E	R	H	A	O	T	M	E	E	L	G	T	O	T	.
.	.	.	N	.	.	.	.	.	A	.	L	L	E	L	A	T	.
R	H	Y	N	E	E	E	P	C	S	O	I	E	H	A	S	L	.
T	E	Z	N	E	E	C	E	N	Q	O	N	O	O	R	T	E	I
R	T	L	G	D	.	.	.	.	.	D	.	R	.	K	O	S	D
O	T	N	R	T	A	O	T	E	H	V	I	L	D	O	R	Y	G

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

BACTRIAN
DROMEDARY

GILA MONSTER
PSAMMOPHIS

RATTLESNAKE
SCORPION

SIDEWINDER
SPINY LIZARD

Find these words:

DESERT LARK
EAGLE OWL

JAVELINA
MULGA SNAKE

PUPFISH
SAND BOA

SAND CAT
TORTOISE

(Answer on page 54)

Puzzle 2 - Masters of Camouflage

A	T	A	O	A	H	.	.	.	I	P	.	.	.	.	.	.	P
O	F	P	A	T	G	I	A	C	A	.	O	M	A	.	E	S	W
N	U	A	I	S	T	M	D	L	.	A	H	M	.	O	A	Y	E
H	C	Z	F	S	I	S	N	B	C	P	I	.	A	T	I	A	L
E	E	E	I	O	U	T	.	J	.	L	.	Y	N	L	D	O	R
Q	I	T	R	T	T	.	N	.	.	O	C	T	S	Z	E	A	U
P	A	V	T	D	.	Y	.	A	.	E	F	E	E	T	L	Y	C
O	Y	E	R	O	F	A	K	.	M	C	.	O	M	E	B	D	E
A	P	G	.	R	.	P	.	I	B	T	A	.	U	T	.	C	N
.	T	.	M	.	A	R	O	M	O	S	S	Y	.	E	.	K	O
.	Y	A	.	Y	S	V	T	M	N	T	D	O	K	.	.	K	T
.	.	.	.	I	.	.	I	.	.	H	R	A	H	E	.	O	S
.	.	T	E	R	I	I	O	N	D	F	N	O	E	G	.	.	E
.	D	F	N	A	I	O	Z	T	F	S	T	S	B	A	O	A	.
N	H	H	L	O	D	A	M	A	G	A	K	C	O	R	.	N	S
L	S	E	O	E	H	C	E	I	R	I	M	L	C	N	W	I	H
I	N	E	E	V	U	L	W	S	E	D	A	D	I	H	H	H	H
P	J	A	A	S	Z	T	W	E	E	E	Q	E	T	U	T	A	N

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

DEVILFISH
LEAF GECKO

OAKLEAF
SEA DRAGON

STICK SPIDER
TREEHOPPER

WOBEGONG
WOODCOCK

Find these words:

GHOST MANTIS
KALLIMA

LEAF FROG
MOSSY GECKO

PYGMY LIZARD
ROCK AGAMA

STONE CURLEW
TWIG SNAKE

(Answer on page 55)

Puzzle 3 - Pack Hunters

O	L	S	B	S	L	I	H	T	G	R	I	Q	M	H	D	V	E
H	C	.	U	O	H	I	.	.	.	.	.	.	N	.	A	.	A
U	H	N	.	R	F	T	O	B	.	.	.	.	.	.	E	.	.
O	K	B	E	T	E	I	T	N	M	.	C	S	P	S	M	Q	T
K	G	R	U	H	.	D	G	A	E	N	.	H	O	H	A	T	C
O	Y	N	X	S	R	.	W	R	B	S	H	P	C	R	E	O	S
D	S	H	N	I	H	P	.	O	D	H	S	R	.	C	T	P	.
L	O	S	A	R	D	D	M	.	L	I	C	H	I	.	N	.	T
T	H	S	N	Y	R	T	O	A	.	F	L	O	W	Y	.	R	G
A	O	N	T	S	A	N	H	G	W	.	S	.	W	.	C	F	M
A	.	O	E	K	A	I	O	H	E	N	.	E	.	W	I	E	L
S	Y	.	R	A	L	U	B	O	M	.	R	.	T	W	L	Q	M
N	H	E	.	Y	N	H	E	E	Y	C	.	R	A	D	E	I	R
N	E	T	C	A	X	I	V	.	Q	.	T	T	H	K	P	D	N
M	N	N	E	R	.	U	.	T	O	U	T	R	O	O	Y	L	B
D	I	N	T	A	E	.	A	C	C	I	K	P	C	W	O	T	E
W	L	I	H	I	L	E	.	T	J	K	L	O	H	W	I	T	D
O	S	A	V	H	.	.	.	.	.	.	A	.	.	O	E	F	O

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

ARMY ANT
BROWN HYENA

CARACARA
COOPER HAWK

HARRIS HAWK
ORCA POD

PAINTED DOG
YELLOWTAIL

Find these words:

BUSH DOG
DOLPHIN

GRAY WOLF
LIONESS

MEERKAT MOB
MOBULA RAYS

PELICAN TEAM
RED WOLF

(Answer on page 56)

Puzzle 4 - Endangered Animals

O	Z	I	A	C	I	I	N	G	C	E	I	L	E	M	C	O	A
T	D	A	E	H	R	E	G	G	O	L	Y	T	S	L	I	R	L
•	U	O	E	S	F	S	C	N	R	R	X	B	T	R	T	I	Q
U	•	E	•	•	E	•	•	•	E	•	•	•	•	O	G	T	H
S	D	•	D	O	N	•	H	R	K	C	A	L	B	S	T	F	D
E	T	S	•	Y	O	L	•	K	E	E	M	L	H	O	B	O	P
M	O	W	E	•	L	R	E	•	T	T	L	C	R	Y	E	G	E
H	Y	T	•	J	•	R	•	M	•	I	T	A	U	N	H	A	A
W	O	S	•	A	•	E	O	•	B	•	•	O	H	A	I	J	A
I	B	E	•	V	•	A	•	S	•	•	•	I	T	W	M	H	E
U	A	O	•	A	•	N	K	•	•	•	S	N	T	N	N	S	P
T	R	A	•	N	•	W	A	•	E	F	•	E	•	T	A	I	W
W	A	S	•	R	•	O	•	D	O	•	E	•	E	•	N	I	F
E	S	N	B	H	•	A	E	L	T	T	D	S	C	A	N	N	G
M	V	E	•	I	•	E	S	E	B	T	Y	I	M	•	H	•	H
A	R	I	S	•	N	T	T	Y	O	F	T	H	E	B	•	U	A
O	T	R	•	O	A	I	•	•	•	•	•	•	L	P	•	•	•
O	E	•	H	E	U	L	T	O	L	O	X	A	C	B	M	W	E

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

ANDEAN CAT
GIANT IBIS

IBERIAN LYNX
KAISERS NEWT

MAUI DOLPHIN
ROCKHOPPER

STORM PETREL
SUNDA TIGER

Find these words:

AXOLOTL
BLACK RHINO

FIN WHALE
GIANT OTTER

HAWKSBILL
JAVAN RHINO

KEMPS RIDLEY
LOGGERHEAD

(Answer on page 57)

Puzzle 5 - Solitary Predators

B	S	.	T	O	H	T	I	T	E	T	E	L	B	O	T	.	M
N	S	.	E	S	F	I	S	H	I	N	G	C	A	T	.	N	O
.	D	.	.	.	A	.	.	E	O	L	T	I	R	.	A	O	O
S	I	U	O	K	I	N	G	F	I	S	H	E	.	R	A	Y	E
A	E	.	O	W	E	H	G	Y	S	I	T	G	A	G	O	E	.
O	C	.	.	L	L	H	G	T	Z	E	.	B	C	W	O	A	H
T	C	.	.	T	M	E	F	.	S	R	A	D	U	E	.	D	R
G	H	.	.	I	A	.	O	Y	.	R	T	E	D	.	M	D	E
I	D	A	.	C	.	I	R	.	N	.	L	E	.	A	L	O	N
O	S	.	.	R	F	C	L	O	A	G	.	.	E	G	I	Q	R
N	E	E	.	M	H	C	W	Y	C	R	G	.	H	L	L	Y	E
E	T	.	H	T	D	L	A	F	R	O	D	R	.	E	T	E	U
.	.	.	.	.	H	.	R	.	A	T	D	T	U	.	R	D	H
.	D	S	E	T	L	C	P	Z	E	L	E	I	U	D	.	O	S
E	C	H	E	E	T	A	H	O	H	E	I	P	L	R	E	.	S
I	T	A	Y	N	I	P	H	A	R	N	Q	Q	E	E	C	U	Y
H	U	V	T	O	T	Z	A	N	R	T	H	O	P	C	R	A	Q
A	M	L	A	T	H	N	D	C	Z	F	N	D	N	Q	H	O	E

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

ANACONDA
CARACAL

GHARIAL
GREAT WHITE

HARRIER
JAGUARUNDI

MAKO SHARK
PEREGRINE

Find these words:

BARN OWL
BARRACUDA

CHEETAH
CROCODILE

FISHING CAT
KINGFISHER

SEA EAGLE
SNOW LEOPARD

(Answer on page 58)

Puzzle 6 - Slowest Animals

E	M	U	A	A	S	A	•	R	Z	W	T	L	L	T	Q	E	C
T	T	U	E	B	B	T	•	A	O	P	I	I	U	N	R	H	D
E	O	H	N	S	T	O	•	N	E	H	O	R	Q	A	I	A	M
H	E	A	N	I	R	A	•	H	E	A	R	T	H	W	O	R	M
O	T	O	•	E	L	Y	•	E	T	R	A	A	H	E	I	•	I
H	O	G	U	•	I	I	I	O	A	A	E	H	E	L	H	•	N
E	S	N	Y	•	R	S	S	C	N	S	G	D	X	C	C	•	S
O	R	F	H	•	N	•	•	D	A	W	S	I	N	E	U	•	S
I	E	D	V	•	•	X	I	N	M	T	D	A	U	U	U	•	D
N	P	N	H	•	•	S	N	•	A	•	R	X	E	P	O	A	B
L	U	T	I	•	•	N	R	R	•	•	S	E	•	E	U	•	H
T	O	E	C	F	F	T	F	H	I	•	L	D	•	R	O	F	F
I	R	T	I	•	•	I	P	D	N	L	•	H	I	B	D	V	A
A	G	T	E	•	•	S	U	R	A	•	P	•	•	T	L	O	D
O	I	I	O	H	H	N	P	S	F	•	R	I	•	T	D	N	Q
E	D	N	R	•	S	•	•	•	•	•	S	P	A	W	D	E	E
I	U	A	J	Y	C	S	R	N	Q	H	A	D	•	O	V	I	I
S	R	S	A	A	S	N	Y	U	E	C	A	E	Y	G	I	K	E

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

ABALONE
FLATFISH

HAGFISH
JELLYFISH

PIPEFISH
SEA HORSE

SUNFISH
TARDIGRADE

Find these words:

BLOBFISH
EARTHWORM

FLOUNDER
GROUPER

MANATEE
NUDIBRANCH

SEA HARE
STARFISH

(Answer on page 59)

Puzzle 7 - Rainforest Life

N	O	L	R	D	H	V	O	T	M	G	T	R	S	E	A	I	L
E	O	L	M	.	C	O	T	J	O	O	P	C	D	D	R	R	V
T	O	N	L	O	I	H	C	R	T	.	.	.	.	D	.	.	R
E	N	N	H	.	C	H	F	O	C	U	U	P	L	F	N	I	S
A	O	I	T	.	N	D	O	Z	X	H	T	Y	R	A	H	T	I
L	M	Z	T	.	E	T	R	A	L	G	O	B	L	B	D	E	S
A	R	T	T	.	I	D	N	U	M	I	T	A	O	C	Q	N	D
A	C	A	R	.	I	R	L	T	E	N	Z	R	.	L	Z	T	F
S	P	O	W	K	Z	Y	E	C	R	T	L	A	E	E	O	S	I
I	H	H	A	S	N	D	E	T	E	S	.	.	.	E	.	.	N
T	T	N	E	E	B	D	I	U	T	E	I	S	E	C	I	.	E
H	.	T	U	G	N	H	Q	S	S	U	D	N	C	I	T	E	.
Y	.	O	Q	E	F	.	.	C	.	.	.	.	.	.	H	A	E
R	.	O	.	.	.	.	.	I	.	A	E	F	H	T	S	D	N
R	.	T	T	L	V	Y	O	T	H	S	N	O	A	C	C	T	W
E	.	D	M	A	I	H	S	U	S	I	T	W	E	E	O	W	O
.	.	.	W	.	S	.	.	.	U	G	Y	T	H	L	L	P	H
E	N	E	T	O	J	D	R	T	B	T	P	I	C	E	L	I	P

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

ARAPAIMA
AYE AYE

FLYCATCHER
GLASSWING

KINKAJOU
SUN BEAR

TAMANDUA
TAMARIN

Find these words:

BUSHMASTER
CAPYBARA

COATIMUNDI
ELECTRIC EEL

HOATZIN
HORNED FROG

LEAFCUTTER
QUETZAL

(Answer on page 60)

Puzzle 8 - Hibernate in Winter

I	R	H	T	H	L	B	S	T	G	.	O	O	.	.	.	.	.
R	I	S	Q	O	N	E	T	R	A	M	E	N	O	T	S	.	T
M	U	N	O	U	Y	E	E	N	K	A	M	A	T	T	.	T	C
I	G	I	E	H	E	R	K	N	A	T	N	A	W	.	C	N	I
C	.	R	A	R	E	E	A	S	M	I	B	O	.	.	T	N	V
Z	.	B	S	D	K	G	N	O	H	R	G	L	O	.	S	O	I
L	.	I	X	H	A	R	S	B	E	I	Y	E	N	.	R	B	N
L	.	F	K	O	N	R	R	R	E	.	E	E	E	P	V	.	O
.	.	T	I	N	S	I	E	E	.	E	T	L	O	.	.	O	D
E	.	E	I	N	H	T	T	.	U	B	.	O	L	.	L	C	O
.	R	H	A	H	T	Q	.	J	T	E	.	N	.	N	X	T	S
.	.	H	I	A	O	K	A	R	A	H	.	.	E	.	R	T	S
.	L	T	N	H	O	M	G	C	W	D	.	I	B	Y	D	A	L
R	.	S	C	O	M	M	O	N	T	.	A	D	A	P	T	I	S
.	.	I	Y	R	S	D	O	A	D	I	.	T	L	N	T	A	D
.	U	A	J	T	P	E	N	.	A	I	.	F	S	N	W	H	Q
.	I	I	E	E	E	A	.	M	Y	N	S	R	C	F	T	V	S
.	L	O	A	W	H	.	T	.	.	.	.	C	.	.	.	W	R

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

CHIPMUNK
FAT DORMOUSE

GRIZZLY BEAR
HOARY BAT

MOOR FROG
PIPISTRELLE

RIVER OTTER
WOODCHUCK

Find these words:

COMMON TOAD
DORMOUSE

GARTER SNAKE
LADYBIRD

NATTERER BAT
QUEEN BEE

SMOOTH SNAKE
STONE MARTEN

(Answer on page 61)

Puzzle 9 - Deep Sea Creatures

•	•	I	•	•	•	•	•	I	•	A	R	G	H	E	R	N	C
E	H	S	C	R	M	T	I	C	L	E	D	E	T	O	R	•	I
A	T	E	•	I	G	I	•	R	P	R	H	N	A	N	O	•	T
S	M	C	•	•	U	N	A	Y	A	I	L	T	I	A	A	•	E
H	S	I	•	•	E	R	T	G	•	T	O	L	Y	N	H	S	N
L	E	C	•	S	W	A	O	E	C	•	S	D	L	B	Y	•	Y
A	N	Q	•	•	T	N	H	Z	L	H	•	P	I	V	T	•	T
N	T	T	•	•	F	W	I	A	S	F	E	•	E	T	L	•	G
J	D	A	I	•	K	I	J	E	N	A	I	I	•	E	E	M	W
H	E	T	•	S	T	E	A	H	L	A	H	R	B	•	D	•	A
O	N	H	•	•	L	S	•	•	•	M	•	•	A	N	B	•	X
G	E	G	U	L	P	E	R	E	E	L	O	H	T	I	G	•	R
O	L	E	Y	I	D	R	A	A	I	R	U	O	H	T	A	•	N
S	F	F	D	A	E	O	T	T	R	F	N	Y	Y	U	L	T	E
I	A	E	I	W	E	F	G	I	A	N	T	I	S	O	P	O	D
E	R	R	J	E	G	T	M	N	E	E	R	T	A	F	A	O	E
U	S	G	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	N	S	X	U	W	E	L	I
I	N	N	C	H	L	•	•	I	•	•	•	E	•	•	M	A	T

Fill in these words (replace "•" with missing letters):

BARRELEYE
BRISTLEMOUTH

CHIMERA
COFFINFISH

GRENADIER
LIZARDFISH

SNAILFISH
TUSKFISH

Find these words:

ATOLLA JELLY
BATHYSAUR

DEEPSTARIA
DRAGONFISH

GIANT ISOPOD
GULPER EEL

MIRROR BELLY
SEA SPIDER

(Answer on page 62)

Puzzle 10 - Prehistoric Animals

I	H	I	S	F	X	D	F	B	Y	O	S	B	T	I	G	J	A
H	.	A	.	.	.	P	.	.	.	.	.	I	.	L	T	E	D
.	U	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	S	Z	L	N	W	X	O	H
W	E	O	.	J	A	I	U	N	.	Q	N	E	S	S	O	E	H
E	A	L	L	.	A	V	U	.	C	S	R	L	D	F	H	N	R
D	H	N	E	A	.	N	.	Z	A	G	H	S	I	O	A	N	N
T	E	A	O	T	N	.	P	A	K	O	R	N	.	L	R	O	F
I	N	I	A	V	.	D	.	T	H	H	U	O	.	E	T	D	W
H	.	L	N	A	F	O	R	U	E	I	A	I	.	X	T	O	T
U	S	.	.	O	N	H	R	D	.	R	S	A	.	I	E	N	R
B	P	X	.	O	D	F	S	U	R	.	A	S	.	L	L	A	O
H	R	Y	H	.	R	O	T	S	A	Y	.	N	.	X	O	U	A
I	I	H	S	L	.	G	L	Y	P	T	O	D	.	N	S	G	A
L	R	L	N	N	A	.	S	I	V	L	M	S	.	D	F	I	N
L	H	N	O	D	O	T	S	A	M	D	A	T	A	R	O	C	C
I	A	H	T	R	F	E	A	.	H	S	G	A	U	U	P	N	T
S	A	.	K	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	T	N	O	I	R	D	S
.	.	O	.	.	G	.	.	.	E	.	N	I	F	V	I	R	V

Fill in these words (replace "." with missing letters):

ANKYLOSAUR
CARNOTAURUS

DIMETRODON
GORGONOPS

HESPERORNIS
ICHTHYOSAUR

QUETZAL
STYRACOSAUR

Find these words:

ALLOSAURUS
DRYOSAUR

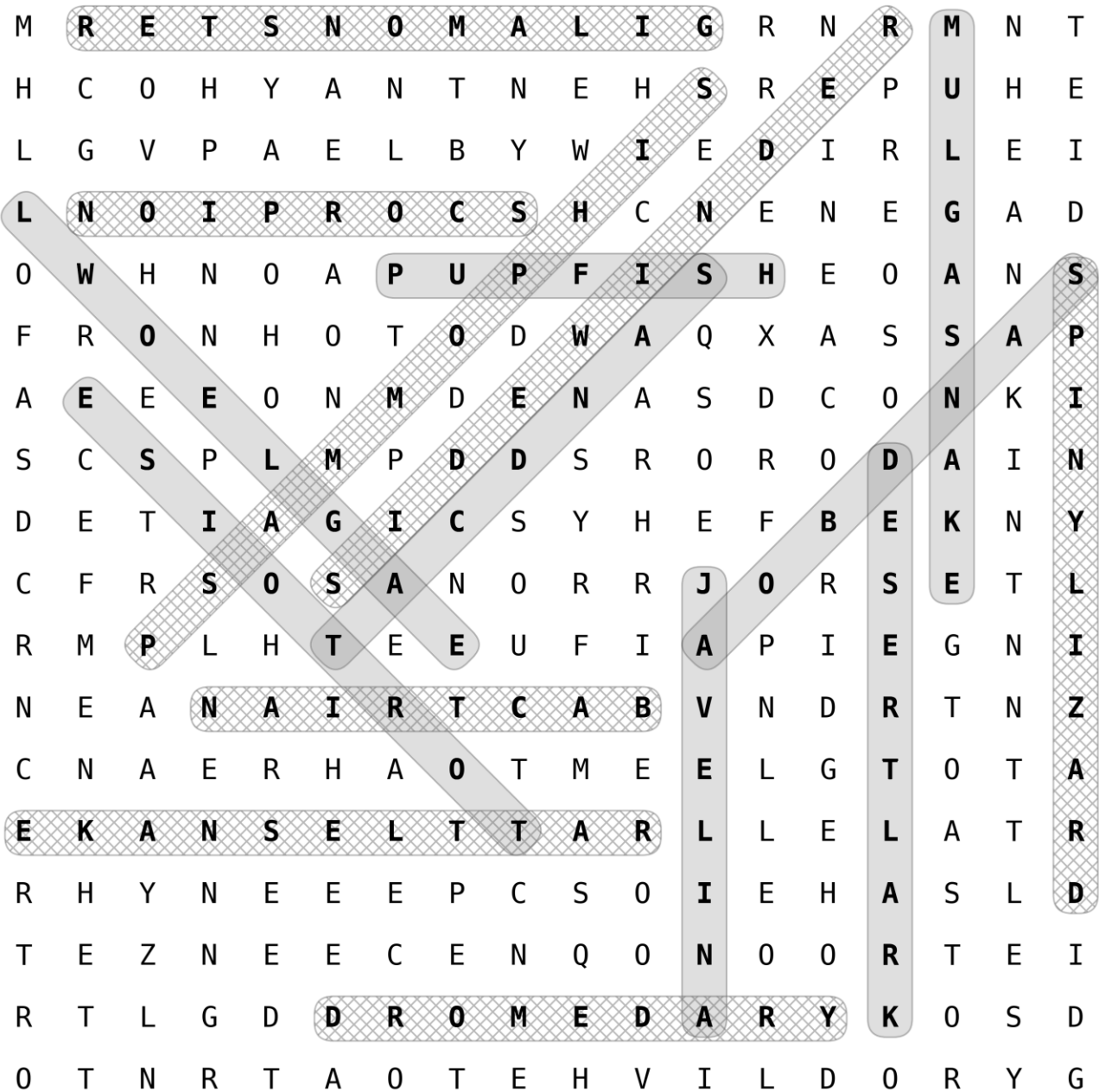
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IGUANODON

MASTODON
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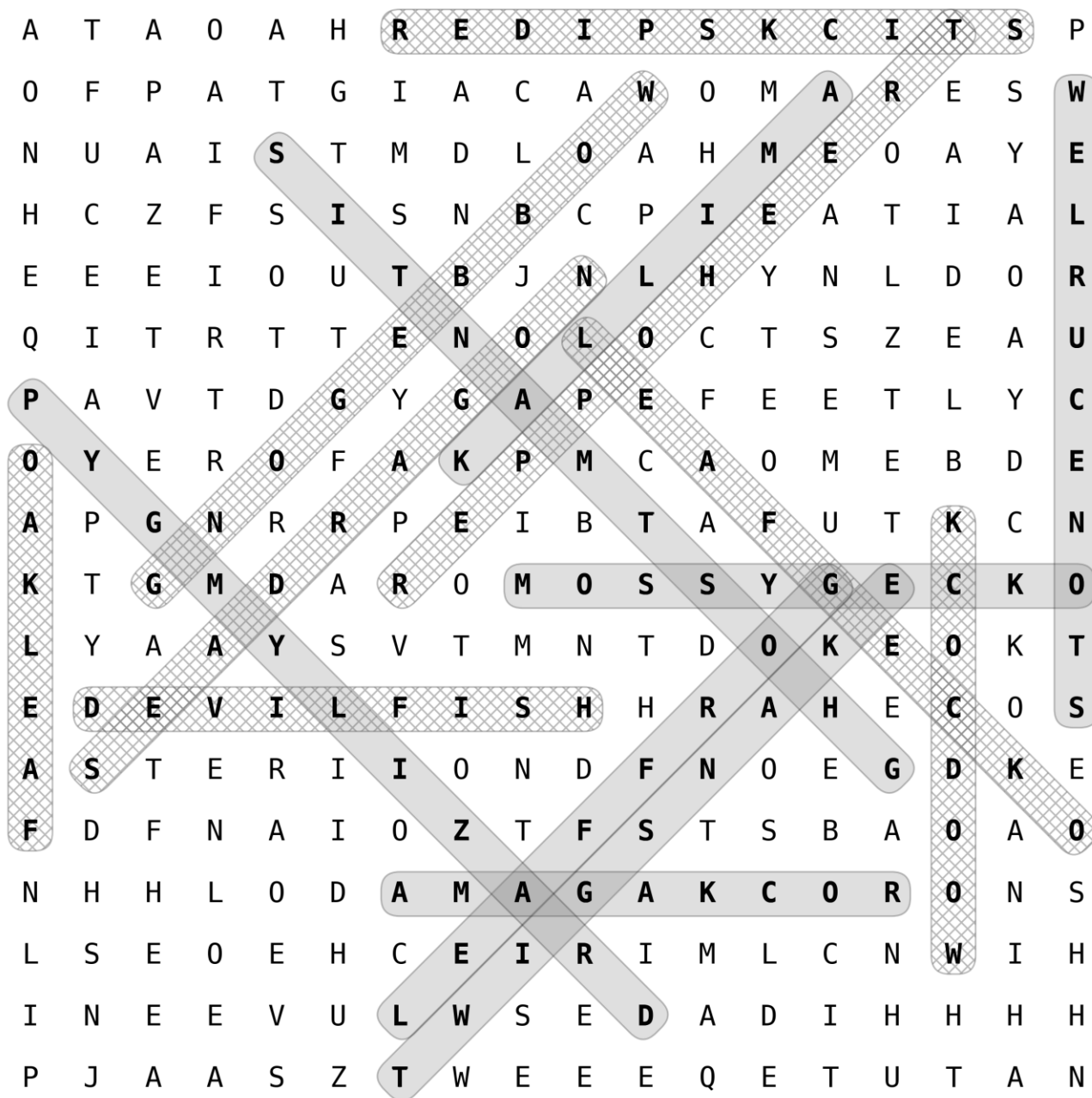
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SMILODON

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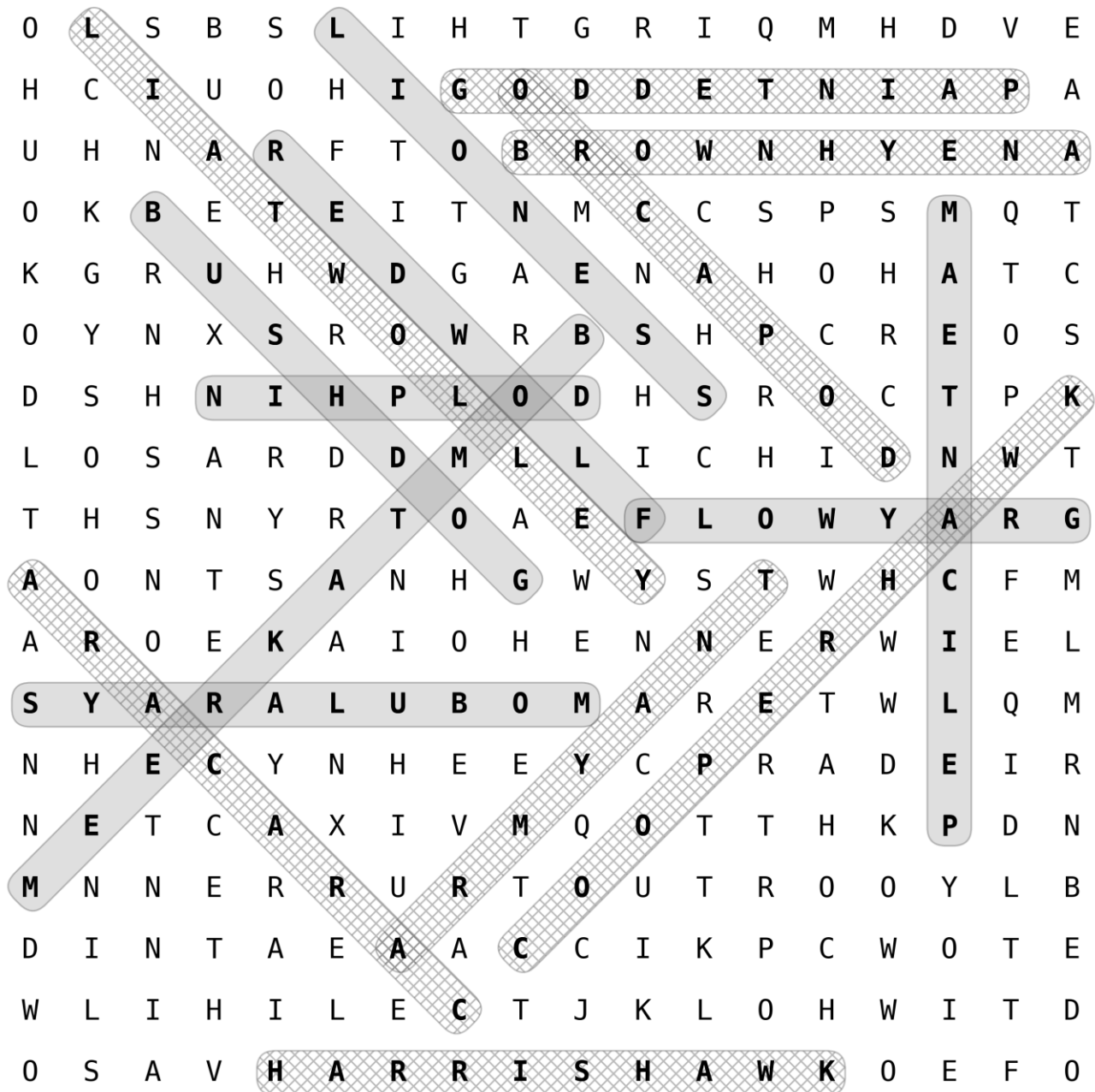
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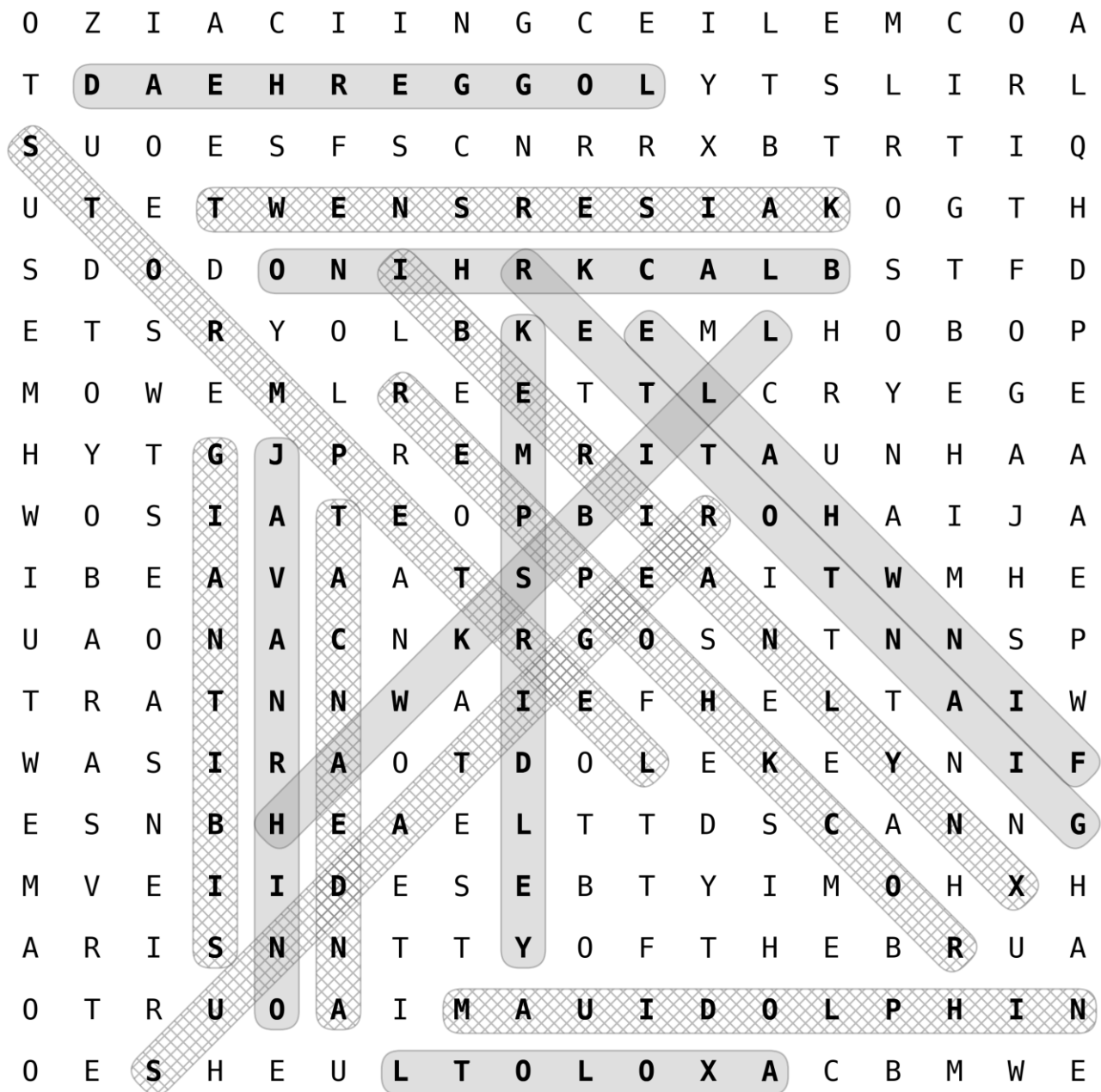
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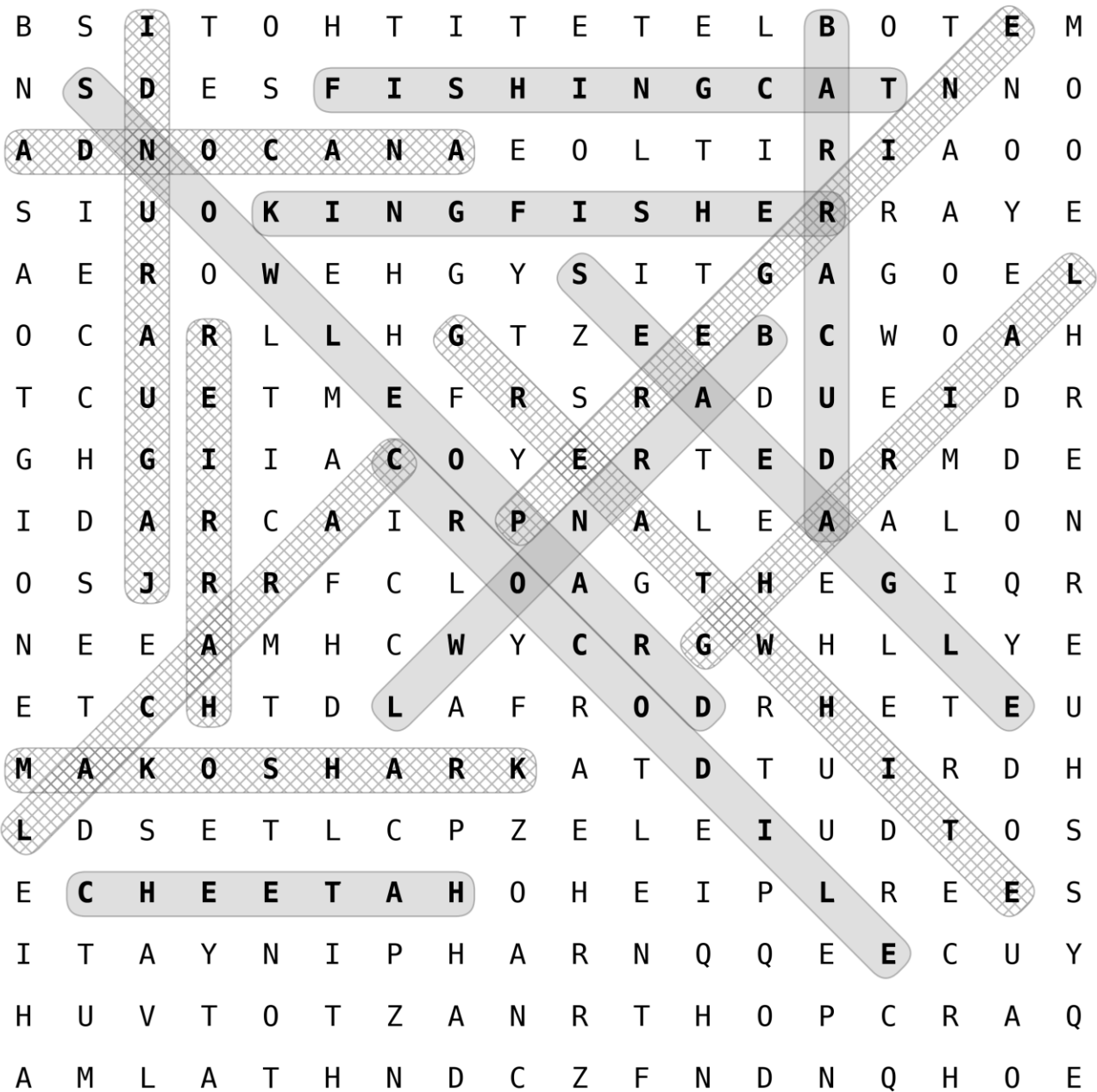
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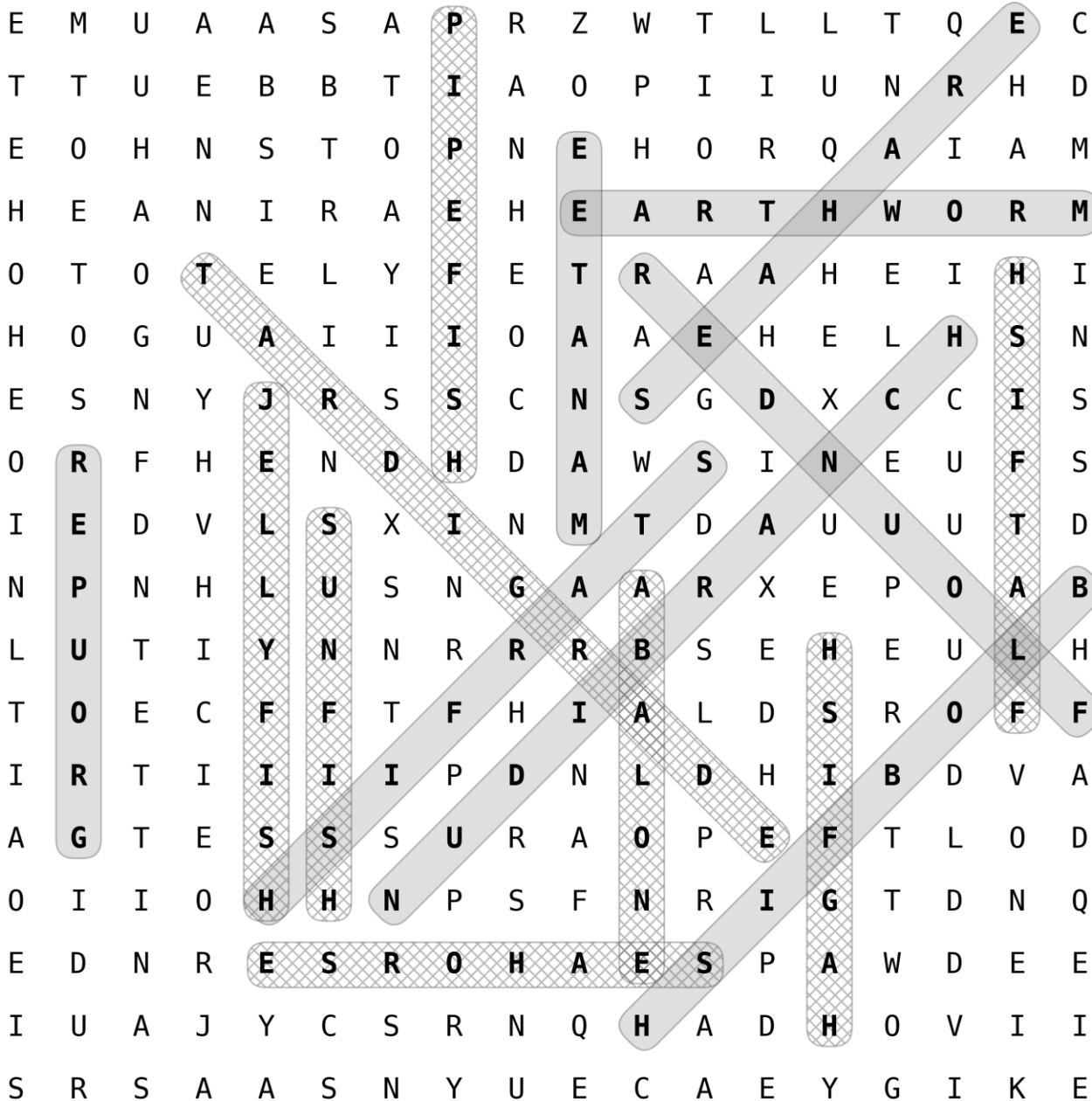
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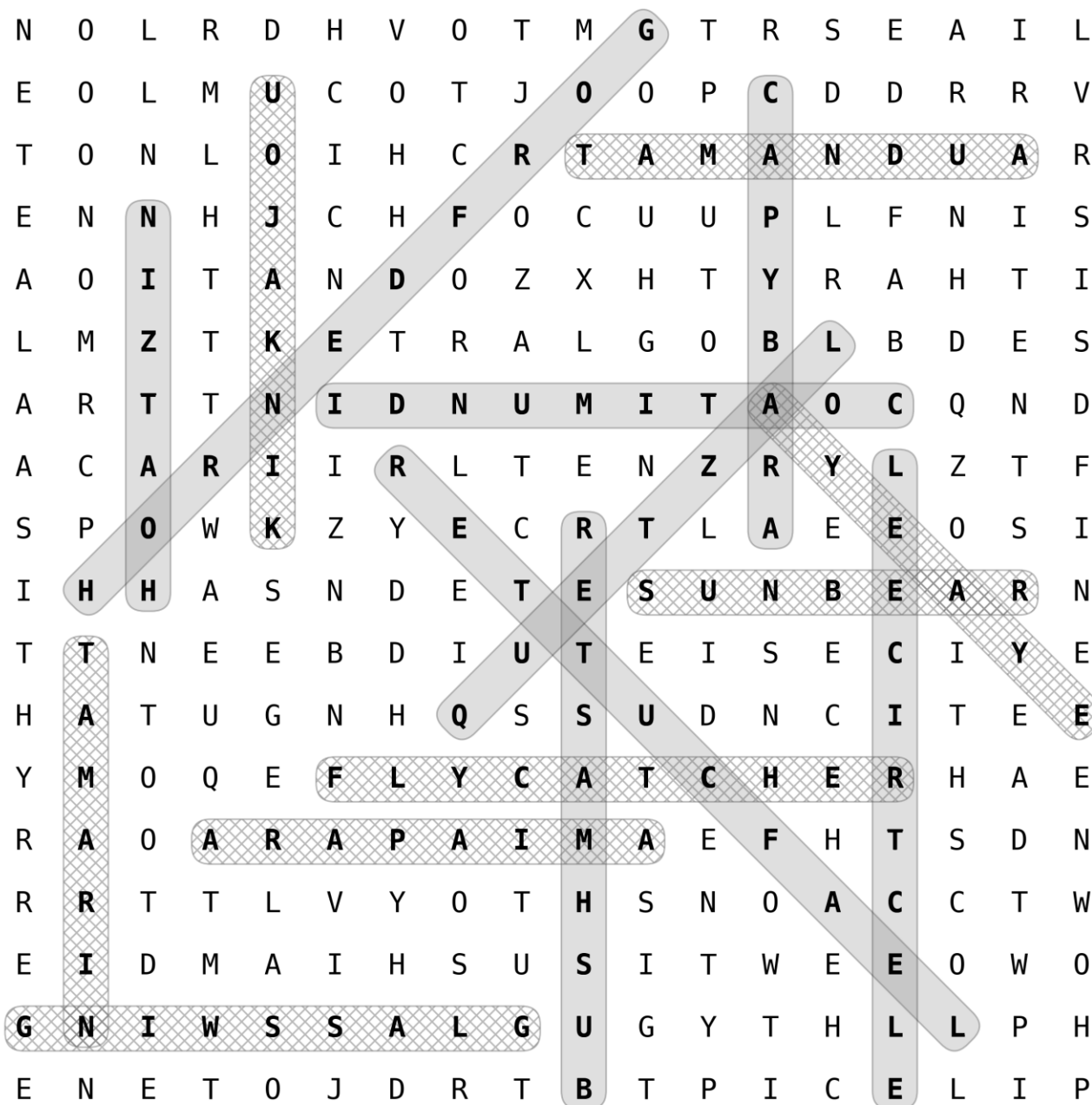
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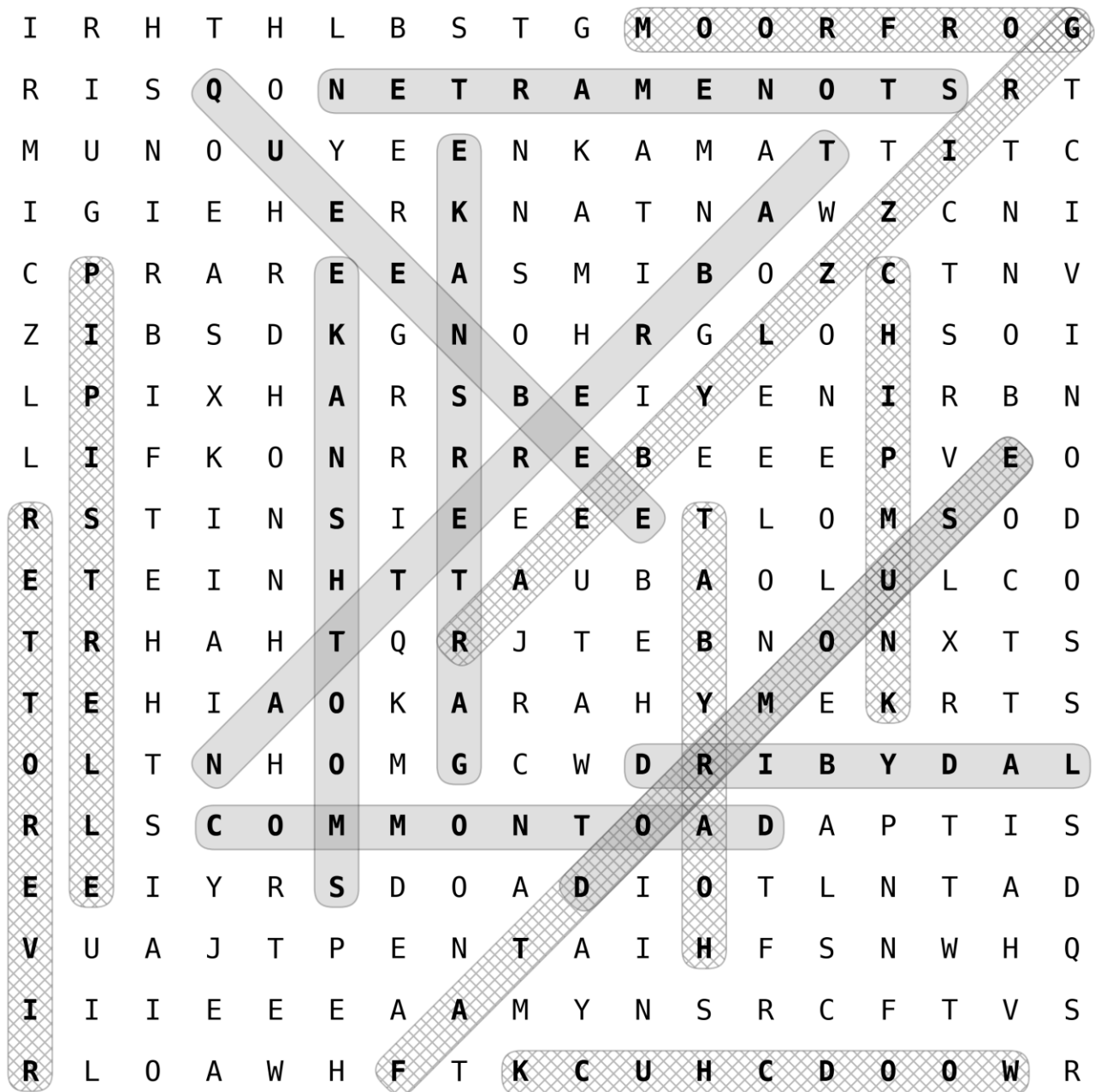
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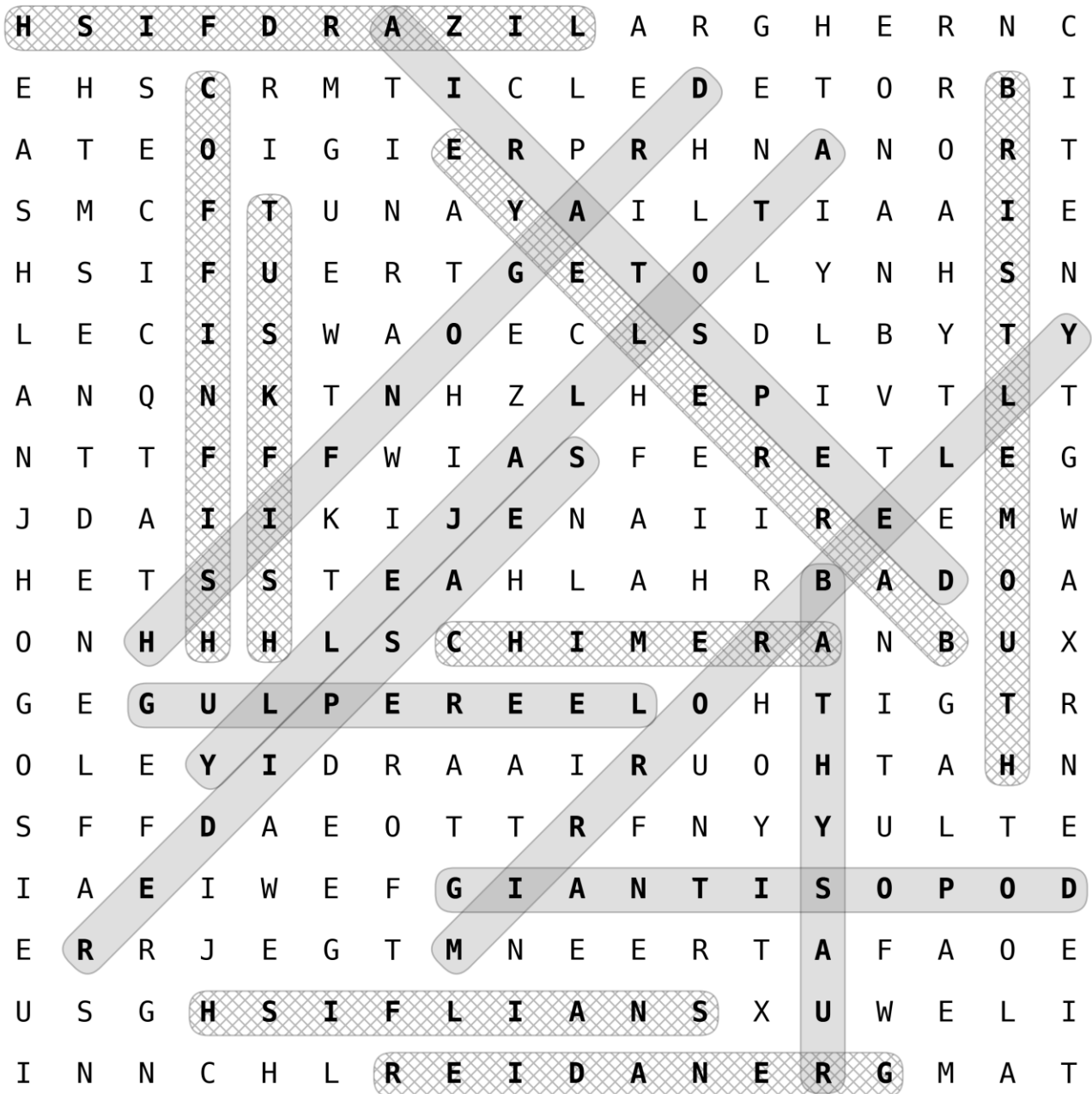
Puzzle 7 - Rainforest Life



Puzzle 8 - Hibernate in Winter



Puzzle 9 - Deep Sea Creatures



Puzzle 10 - Prehistoric Animals

