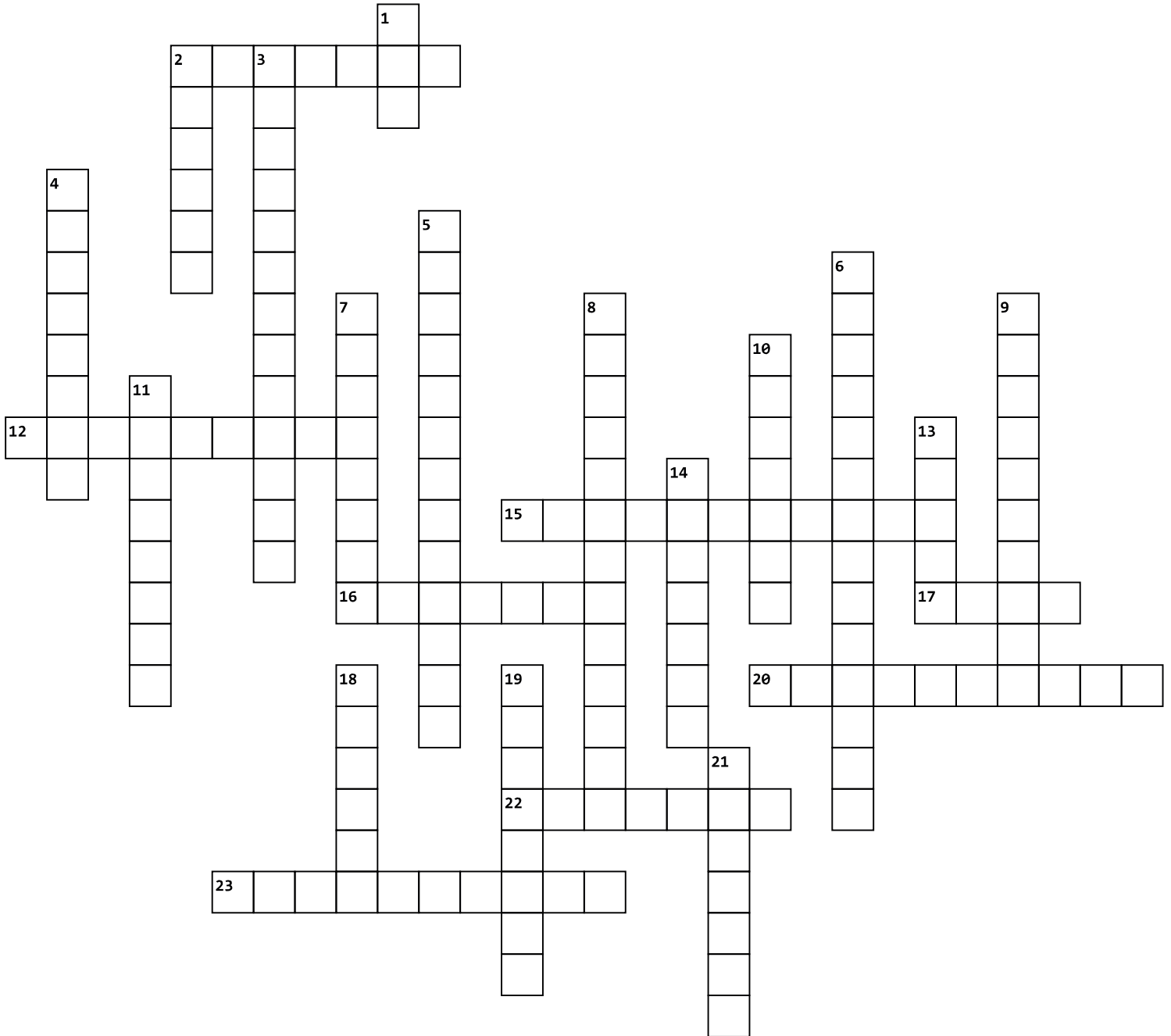


Cybersecurity Crossword



Across

- 2.** Extra copies of computer files that can be used to restore files that are lost or damaged.
- 12.** Computer programs that can block, detect, and remove viruses and other malware.
- 15.** An individual, group, organization, or government that conducts or has the intent to conduct detrimental activities.
- 16.** Part of the internet that isn't indexed by search engines.

Down

- 1.** A mechanism for creating a secure connection between a computing device and a computer network
- 2.** A collection of computers compromised by malicious code and controlled across a network.
- 3.** The protection of digital information, as well as the integrity of the infrastructure housing and transmitting digital information.
- 4.** Faking the sending address of a transmission to gain illegal entry into a secure system.

- 17.** Unsolicited emails sent to many addresses.
- 20.** The unauthorized movement or disclosure of sensitive information to a party, usually outside the organization.
- 22.** Software that is secretly or surreptitiously installed into an information system without the knowledge of the system user or owner.
- 23.** Converting data into a form that cannot be easily understood by unauthorized people.
- 5.** A cybersecurity risk that originates from within an organization.
- 6.** A process or measure used to verify a user's identity.
- 7.** A string of characters used to authenticate an identity.
- 8.** A flaw or weakness in an information system that could be exploited.
- 9.** A type of malware that denies a user's access to a system or data until a sum of money is paid.
- 10.** Software that compromises the operation of a system by performing an unauthorized function or process.
- 11.** Software designed to block malware from entering protected networks.
- 13.** A computer program that can copy itself and cause harm in various ways, such as stealing private information or destroying data.
- 14.** A replacement for passwords that provide more secure sign-ins to websites and apps across a user's devices.
- 18.** An unauthorized user who attempts to or gains access to an information system.
- 19.** Attempting to trick people into revealing sensitive information, often by using emails or fake websites that look like they are from trusted sources.
- 21.** The ability of individuals to understand and exercise control over how information about themselves may be used by others.

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Answer Key

