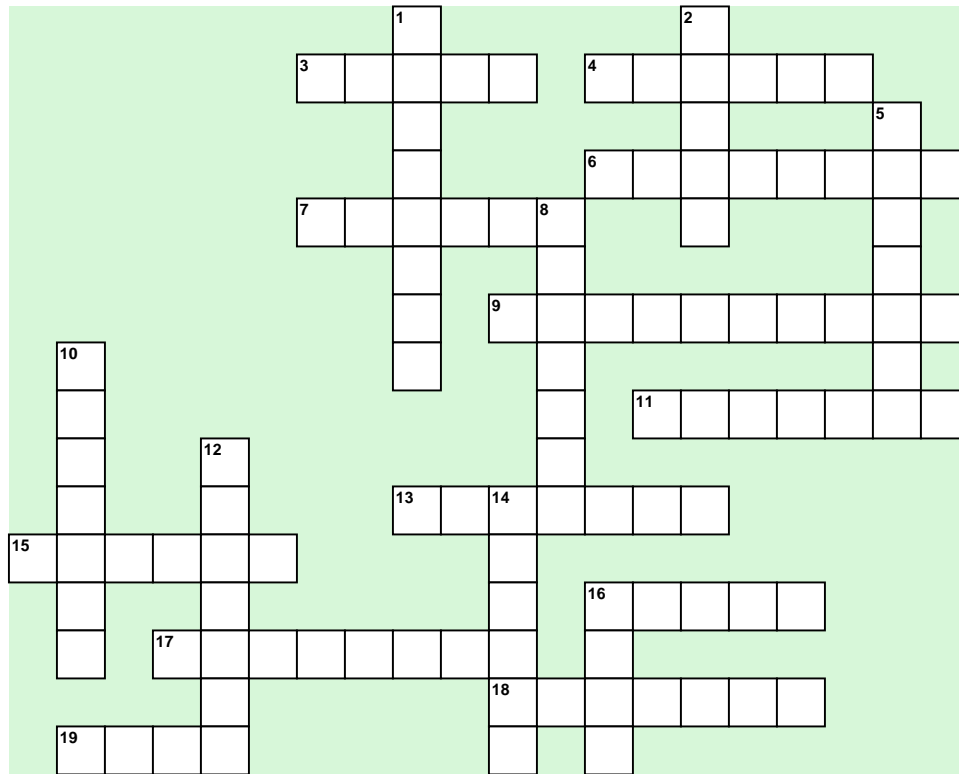


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ACROSS

- 3 These grow in pods and are great for trellis gardens
- 4 A fall-favorite vegetable used in pies
- 6 A long green vegetable that's great in pickles
- 7 A bright orange root that's great for your eyesight
- 9 This helps plants grow strong and healthy
- 11 The rewarding time when crops are collected
- 13 A pale root vegetable, often roasted or mashed
- 15 A juicy red fruit often mistaken for a vegetable
- 16 The starting point for every plant's journey
- 17 This green squash is popular in summer dishes
- 18 A leafy vegetable packed with iron
- 19 A dark leafy green often used in smoothies

DOWN

- 1 The most important element for keeping plants alive
- 2 A layer of material that retains moisture and suppresses weeds
- 5 Bell, jalapeño, and habanero are types of this
- 8 A structure used to support climbing plants
- 10 Decomposed organic matter used to enrich soil
- 12 This leafy green makes a crisp salad base
- 14 A small, spicy root often found in salads
- 16 The foundation of any thriving garden

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Solution:

