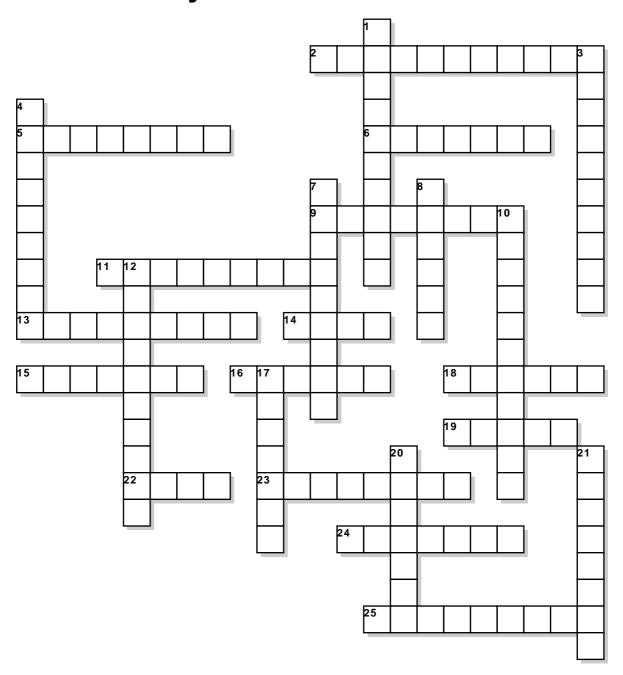
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## **GRE Vocabulary Crossword Puzzle 5**



## **Across**

- 2 To increase in number quickly.
- 5 Hardened in feeling; resistant to persuasion.
- 6 To make something unpleasant less severe.
- 9 Known or understood by only a few.
- 11 Lacking self-confidence.
- 13 Harsh, jarring noise.
- 14 Passion, excitement.
- 15 To satisfy fully or overindulge.
- 16 To give unsparingly; or extremely generous or extravagant.
- 18 Unemotional; lacking sensitivity.
- 19 Great disorder or confusion.
- 22 To give praise; to glorify.
- 23 To speak in favor.
- 24 To soothe or pacify.
- 25 Similar or alike in some way; equivalent to.

## Down

- 1 Talkative.
- 3 To use expressions of double meaning in order to mislead.
- 4 Causing sleep or lethargy.
- 7 Concerning the appreciation of beauty.
- 8 Intensely emotional; feverish.
- 10 To provide supporting evidence.
- 12 Unable to be calmed down or made peaceful.
- 17 Derivation from what is normal.
- 20 A model of excellence or perfection.
- 21 Something that brings about a change in something else.

## **Possible Answers:**

advocate, aesthetic, analogous, anomaly, assuage, cacophony, catalyst, chaos, corroborate, diffident, equivocate, esoteric, fervid, implacable, laud, lavish, loquacious, obdurate, paragon, placate, proliferate, satiate, soporific, stolid, zeal