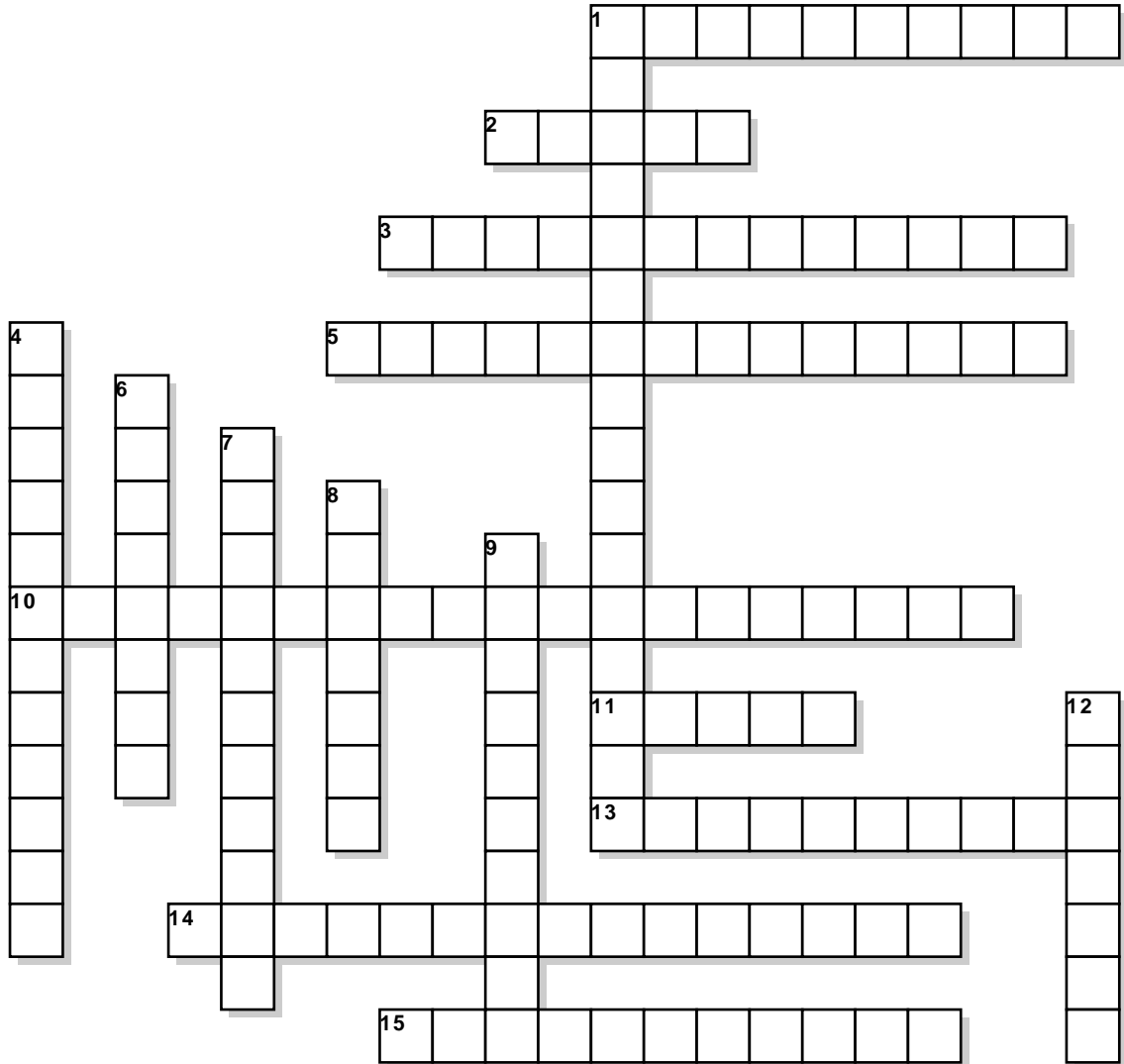


Coastal Trading Cities of East Africa Crosswords



Across

- 1 A city and its surrounding lands functioning as an independent state.
- 2 An important city-state on the coast of East Africa founded by Arabian and Persian settlers.
- 3 A group of African peoples who speak one of the more than 450 Bantu languages.
- 5 They brought Asian manufactured goods to East Africa.
- 10 They cover much of central Africa.
- 11 Arabs introduced this religion.
- 13 They cover much of southern Africa.
- 14 The movement south of Bantu speaking people starting around 1000 BC.
- 15 They settled in numerous East African port towns.

Down

- 1 The exchange of ideas and intermarriage led to this.
- 4 These were brought back from Africa to Asia.
- 6 Strong seasonal winds.
- 7 Merchants sailed across this to trade with Kilwa.
- 8 A new language that resulted from the interaction between Arabs and Africans.
- 9 By 1100, large numbers of Bantu speaking people migrated here.
- 12 People that practice the Islamic religion.

Possible Answers:

Arab traders, Bantu migrations, Bantu speakers, city-state, cultural blending, East Africa, grasslands, Indian Ocean, Islam, Kilwa, monsoons, Muslims, Persian traders, raw materials, Swahili, tropical rain forests