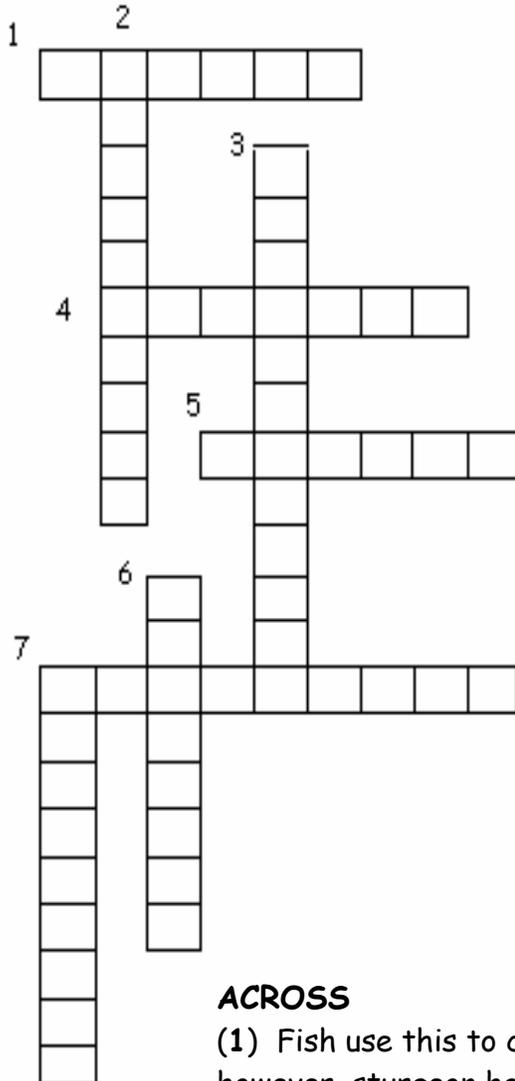


Threats to Atlantic Sturgeon



DOWN

(2) This occurs when something like run-off with fertilizer cause tiny aquatic plants to reproduce quickly, removing oxygen from the water, and can be deadly to fish.

(3) This is used as a form of alternative energy, but sturgeon can be killed if they swim into it and get caught in the blades.

(6) A net is called this when it is lost by a fisherman and floats around in the water. Sturgeon and marine animals can become entangled in these nets.

(7) This is what it is called when human actions are causing harm to the environment through chemicals in exhaust and runoff, as well as litter and trash in rivers, oceans and on land.

ACROSS

(1) Fish use this to climb over and pass a dam upstream; however, sturgeon have not used this.

(4) Although fishing for Atlantic sturgeon is no longer legal, they are still caught as _____.

(5) This is a form of pollution that flows from agricultural areas, construction sites and roadways.

(7) This is attached to the motor on a boat and pushes it through the water. Sturgeon can be killed if they are hit by the blades on this.

