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## CROSSWORD

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2. A geographical area within which the air frequently is confined or channeled, with all parts of the area thus being subject to similar conditions of air pollution.

4. The part of the Earth in which life can exist, whether on land, in the air, or in water.

6. The place or type of place where a plant or animal naturally or normally lives or grows.

7. An industrial or commercial site that is idle or underused because of real or perceived environmental pollution.

8. The relationship between two different kinds of living things that live together and depend on each other.

10. A device that produces a continuous electric current directly from the oxidation of a fuel, as that of hydrogen by oxygen.

12. The protection of animals, plants, and natural resources.

14. A form of oxygen that is found in a layer high in the earth's atmosphere.

**15. Everything that exists in a particular environment.** 

**16.** The organisms that interact with one another in a similar location.



**1.** An environment that has all the things that a particular plant or animal needs in order to live

3. The area of land that includes a particular river or lake and all the rivers, streams, etc., that flow into it

5. A vehicle which uses two or more distinct types of power

9. The state or situation that results when something (such as a plant or animal species) has died out completely

**11.** The number of organisms of the same species that live in a particular geographic area at the same time, with the capability of interbreeding.

**13.** A source of pollution that issues from widely distributed or pervasive environmental elements

