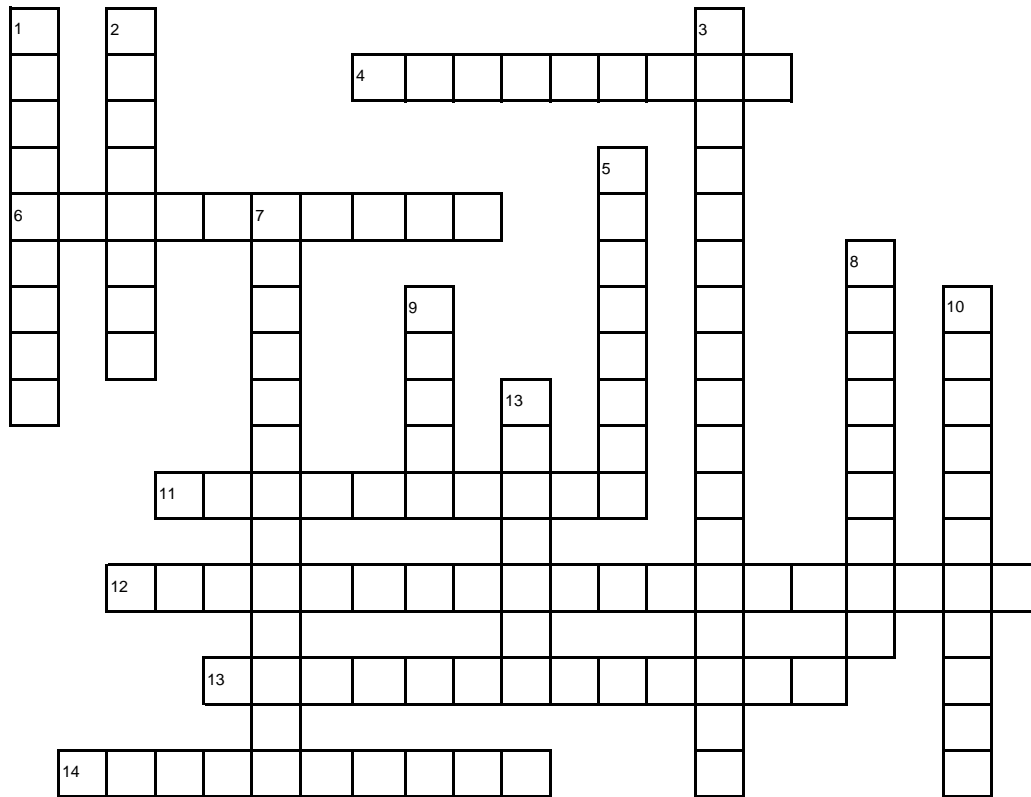


# Forest Fires

## The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly



### ACROSS

- 4 What physical characteristic does Douglas fir have that increases its survival during a fire?  
 6 Small animals often escape fire by moving into underground boroughs or \_\_\_\_\_  
 11 Utilizes helicopters to access fires in steep remote areas  
 12 Regeneration from buds found on roots  
 13 What has created many fire ecosystems to build up fuel loads beyond their capacity?  
 14 The BCFS specializes in wildfire suppression and \_\_\_\_\_

### DOWN

- 1 A substance used to buy time for the ground crews to get in and complete  
 2 A 20 person crew utilized for sustained action on larger fires  
 3 Intentionally starting a fire to reduce excess fuels on the forest  
 5 Utilizes aircraft for initial attack on fire  
 7 What tree species needs extreme heat to release its seeds?  
 8 Smoke colour tells what about a fire?  
 9 What colour smoke is a result of a cool fire?  
 10 Utilizes helicopters with a belly tank attached, for direct bombing on fires