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Across:

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

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

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

12. Everything that exists in a particular environment

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

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

16. 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

17. A plant or animal species generally perceived as likely, in the near future, to become endangered within all or much of its range

19. Any practice that reduces, eliminates, or prevents pollution at its source

Down:

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

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

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

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

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

7. A species at risk of extinction because of human activity, changes in climate, changes in predator-prey ratios, etc.

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

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

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

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