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- UNI-** one; single (L-R)
- uni/corn** (n) an animal written about in fables, pictured as having a single horn in the middle of its forehead
- uni/cycle** (n) a one-wheeled vehicle; compare bicycle, tricycle, and quadricycle
- uni/fy** (v) to make one, or cause to become one; as, the president hoped that his strong speech would unify his divided nation
- uni/lateral** (a) being one-sided; as, a unilateral conversation, agreement, etc.
- uni/lingu/al** (a) of or pertaining to one language; using one language; as, the United States is a unilingual country, English being our national language
- uni/pod** (n) a one-legged support; as, a portable stool upon which to rest

uni/cell (n), **uni/form** (a-n-v), **uni/verse** (n)

BI- two; twice (L-Pr)

- bi/annu/al** (a) taking place twice a year; as, a biannual concert, crop, meeting, reunion, etc.; semiannual
- bi/cent/ennial** (a) lasting for, consisting of, or taking place every two hundred years; as, a bicentennial celebration; (n) the two-hundredth anniversary of an event; as, in 1976 the United States celebrated its bicentennial (1776-1976)
- bi/ennial** (a) lasting for two years; as, a biennial war; taking place once in two years; as, a biennial election; (n) anything that occurs or appears once in two years; as, a biennial plant.
- bi/lingu/al** (a) of or pertaining to two languages; using two languages; as, Belgium is a bilingual country (French and Flemish), as is also Canada (English and French)
- bi/ped** (n) a two-footed animal, as is man; (a) being two-footed
- bi/plane** (n) a two-winged airplane; compare monoplane and triplane
- bi/sect** (v) to cut or to divide something into two parts; in geometry, into two equal parts; as, to bisect an angle
- billion** (n) the number named by a unit with nine zeros after it; 1000 millions; 1,000,000,000

bi/corn (a), **bi/cycle** (n-v), **bi/lateral** (a)

TRI- three; three times (Gr-L-R)

- tri/angle** (n) a plane geometric figure of three sides and three angles
- tri/lateral** (a) being three-sided; as, a trilateral conversation; agreement, etc.; (n) a geometric figure having three sides; a triangle
- tri/lingu/al** (a) of or pertaining to three languages; using three languages; as, Switzerland is a trilingual country (German, Italian, French)
- tri/pod** (n) a three-legged stand or support, as for a camera
- trillion** (n) the number named by a unit with twelve zeroes after it; 1000 billions; 1,000,000,000,000

tri/cent/ennial (a-n), **tri/cycle** (n-v), **tri/plane** (n), **tri/ple** (a-v-n),
tri/plet (n), **tri/sect** (v)

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EXERCISE 1: MATCHING: In the spaces provided, supply each word-cell in Column A with the number of its proper definition from Column B.

A	B
_____ -al	(1) lasting for years.
_____ angle	(2) corner
_____ cent	(3) side; sides
_____ bi-	(4) foot; feet
_____ pod	(5) of or relating to
_____ lat	(6) horn
_____ lingu	(7) language; tongue
_____ plane	(8) wing
_____ corn	(9) one hundred
_____ ennial	(10) two; twice

EXERCISE 2: DEFINITIONS: In the spaces provided, supply the words being defined. Use the correct form of the word, as necessary.

- (1) _____ having a single horn
- (2) _____ of or relating to two languages
- (3) _____ a three-legged support
- (4) _____ to make or cause to become one or as one
- (5) _____ a two-winged airplane

EXERCISE 3: GOOFY WORDS: Use word cell definitions to find definitions for *made-up* words.

- (1) _____ lingusect a. to make a foot
- (2) _____ lateralped b. a yearly cut
- (3) _____ corncycle c. a divided language
- (4) _____ podfy d. a wheel horn
- (5) _____ annusect e. side feet

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EXERCISE 4: WORD SUBSTITUTION: Use the words below and select the word which best describes the underlined word or words in the sentences. Then place it in its proper blank space below. The first one has been done for you. All words will be used once.

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| trillion | unicycle | tripod | biannually | unify |
| bipeded | bicorned | unicorn | tricycle | biplanes |
| unilateral | <u>tricentennial</u> | billion | trilateral | biennial |

- The United States will celebrate its 300th anniversary in the year 2076.
- A bull is a two-horned animal.
- The child foolishly rode his one-wheeled vehicle in traffic.
- The War of 1812 was a two-year war.
- A camera is steadied when placed on a three-legged stand.
- The single-horned creature was a fabulous animal.
- A 1,000,000,000 contains 1000 millions.
- Two-winged airplanes were popular during World War I.
- Florence, Raymond, and Charles were involved in a three-sided conversation.
- A chicken is a two-footed animal.
- The general attempted to bring together his quarreling forces.
- The bird watchers group met twice a year.
- One thousand billions equal a 1,000,000,000,000.
- It was a one-sided agreement.
- The little girl would often ride her three-wheeler through the park.

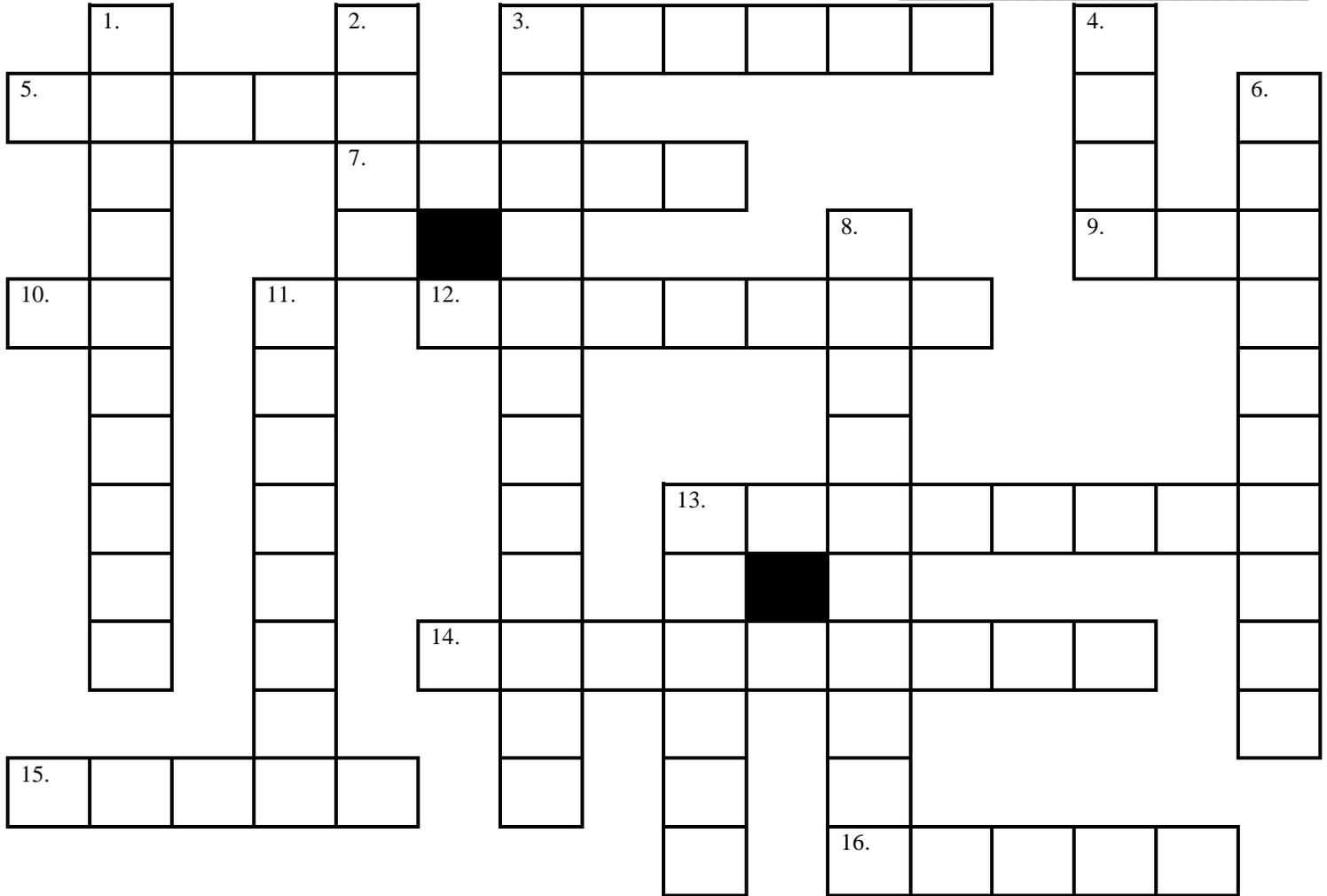
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| 1. <u>tricentennial</u> | 6. _____ | 11. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____ | 12. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____ | 13. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____ | 14. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ | 15. _____ |

EXERCISE 5: WORD-CELL SCRAMBLE: Unscramble the groups of letters so they correctly spell out the word-cells which match their definitions.

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| 1. NUAN _____ year or years | 6. ATERLAL _____ side or sides |
| 2. EDP _____ foot or feet | 7. CNET _____ 100; 100 th part |
| 3. RNOC _____ horn; horned | 8. GNLIU _____ language; tongue |
| 4. ALPNE _____ winged | 9. UIN _____ one; single |
| 5. TSCE _____ to cut; divided | 10. LCCYE _____ a circle; a wheel |

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ACROSS

- 3. To cut or to divide something into two parts
- 5. Geometric word meaning “a corner”
- 7. Root meaning “a circle; wheel”
- 9. Root meaning, “three; three times”
- 10. Prefix meaning “two; twice”
- 12. A single-horned fabulous animal
- 13. A single-wheeled vehicle
- 14. Of or pertaining to two languages
- 15. Being two-footed, as is man
- 16. Root meaning “language; tongue”

DOWN

- 1. Of or pertaining to one language
- 2. Root meaning “cut; divided”
- 3. The two-hundredth anniversary of an event
- 4. Root meaning “a hundred; a hundredth part
- 6. Being one-sided
- 8. Of or pertaining to three languages
- 11. A plane geometric figure of three sides and three angles
- 13. A one-legged support