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3.	O	N	C	C	U	G	V	Y	I	C	P	D	S		X	B	O	W	L	A	K	E	G	O	W	A	J
4.	S	O	N	S	K	C	D	I	S	C	H	A	R		E	S	K	F	Z	R	C	W	G	S	J	A	X
5.	B	A	Z	L	X	T	G	V	L	K	B	F	E		O	S	I	O	N	Y	W	G	L	U	X	T	T
6.	U	K	V	N	N	B	L	G	R	A	V	I	T		C	S	R	C	J	T	O	P	B	T	K	T	Z
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8.	K	F	E	D	C	L	X	P	T	R	I	B	U		A	R	Y	Z	V	E	A	M	V	H	T	U	C
9.	Y	S	S	K	F	W	J	H	Z	P	O	W	E		I	K	H	Z	E	N	T	Q	L	L	D	Z	A
10.	C	Q	X	J	F	I	R	R	I	G	A	T	I		N	X	S	B	N	E	V	J	P	O	P	Y	Z
11.	I	Y	P	A	L	M	X	W	C	D	S	O	U		C	E	Z	Z	I	X	B	U	T	Y	I	D	Z

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2. The geographical area draining into a river.
3. A crescent-shaped lake that is formed when a meander of a river is cut off from the main channel.
4. The volume of water that a river carries.
5. Process by which moving water wears away material from the bottom or banks of a river.
6. Force that causes water to flow in a certain direction.
7. Largest river in South America.
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