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# Vocabulary Challenge

Which is the longest word in the dictionary? Smiles. Because there is a mile between each s!

Define each word.



1. ECOSYSTEM APPROACH \_\_\_\_\_
2. SPIN-UP \_\_\_\_\_
3. TROPHIC PYRAMID \_\_\_\_\_
4. SEASONAL ICE ZONE \_\_\_\_\_
5. PYRAMID OF NUMBERS \_\_\_\_\_
6. SLOPPY FEEDING \_\_\_\_\_
7. TROPHIC CASCADES \_\_\_\_\_
8. BOTTOM-UP CONTROL \_\_\_\_\_
9. FRACTIONAL TROPHIC LEVELS \_\_\_\_\_
10. RECRUITMENT \_\_\_\_\_
11. OCEAN ECOLOGY \_\_\_\_\_
12. PYRAMID OF BIOMASS \_\_\_\_\_
13. STEADY-STATE FOOD WEBS \_\_\_\_\_
14. FECAL PELLETS \_\_\_\_\_
15. FOOD CHAINS \_\_\_\_\_
16. MICROBIAL FOOD WEB \_\_\_\_\_
17. HABITAT DESTRUCTION \_\_\_\_\_
18. REGIME SHIFTS \_\_\_\_\_

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19. FOOD WEB \_\_\_\_\_
  20. DECOMPOSERS \_\_\_\_\_
  21. ICE-EDGE BLOOMS \_\_\_\_\_
  22. TRANSITIONAL FOOD WEBS \_\_\_\_\_
  23. TROPHIC LEVEL \_\_\_\_\_
  24. ECOSYSTEM RESILIENCY \_\_\_\_\_
  25. TOP PREDATORS \_\_\_\_\_
  26. SEA ICE MICROBES \_\_\_\_\_
  27. PYRAMID OF ENERGY \_\_\_\_\_
  28. TROPHIC EFFICIENCY \_\_\_\_\_
  29. FISHERIES OCEANOGRAPHY \_\_\_\_\_
  30. CLASSICAL FOOD WEB \_\_\_\_\_
  31. FISHING DOWN THE FOOD WEB \_\_\_\_\_
  32. COPROPHAGY \_\_\_\_\_
  33. MARINE SNOW \_\_\_\_\_
  34. PICOPELLETS \_\_\_\_\_
  35. AUTOTROPHS \_\_\_\_\_
  36. FISHERIES MANAGEMENT \_\_\_\_\_
  37. TOP-DOWN CONTROL \_\_\_\_\_
  38. MAXIMUM SUSTAINABLE YIELD \_\_\_\_\_
  39. SULFOPHILIC COMMUNITY \_\_\_\_\_
  40. GHOST FISHING \_\_\_\_\_

- 41. ECOSYSTEM \_\_\_\_\_
- 42. BYCATCH REDUCTION \_\_\_\_\_
- 43. BIODIVERSITY \_\_\_\_\_
- 44. WASP-WAIST CONTROL \_\_\_\_\_
- 45. FOOD FALLS \_\_\_\_\_
- 46. FISHING-INDUCED EVOLUTION \_\_\_\_\_
- 47. PRIMARY CONSUMERS \_\_\_\_\_