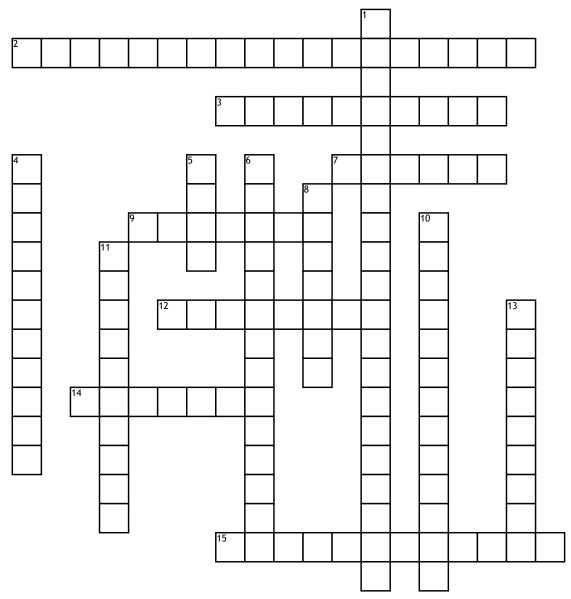
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## Chapter 11 Vocabulary



## Across

- **2.** force that pulls objects towards each other
- **3.** the mass of an atom expressed in atomic mass units
- 7. subatomic particle found in the nucleus with a positive charge
- 9. an atom that has the same number of protons as other atoms of the same element but a different number of neutrons 12. subatomic particle that
- has a negative charge

14. an atom's central region made of protons and neutrons15. the number of protons in the nucleus of an atom

## Down

- 1. force that causes objects of the same charge to repel and objects with different charges to attract
- 4. the interaction that binds nucleons together in a nucleus5. the smallest unit of an element that maintains the chemical properties of that element

- **6.** a unit that describes the mass of an atom
- 8. subatomic particle found in the nucleus with no charge 10. a region around the nucleus of an atom where electrons are likely to be found 11. the sum of the number of
- 11. the sum of the number of protons and neutrons in the nucleus of an atom
- **13.** force that plays a key role in the transformation of a neutron into a proton in an unstable atom