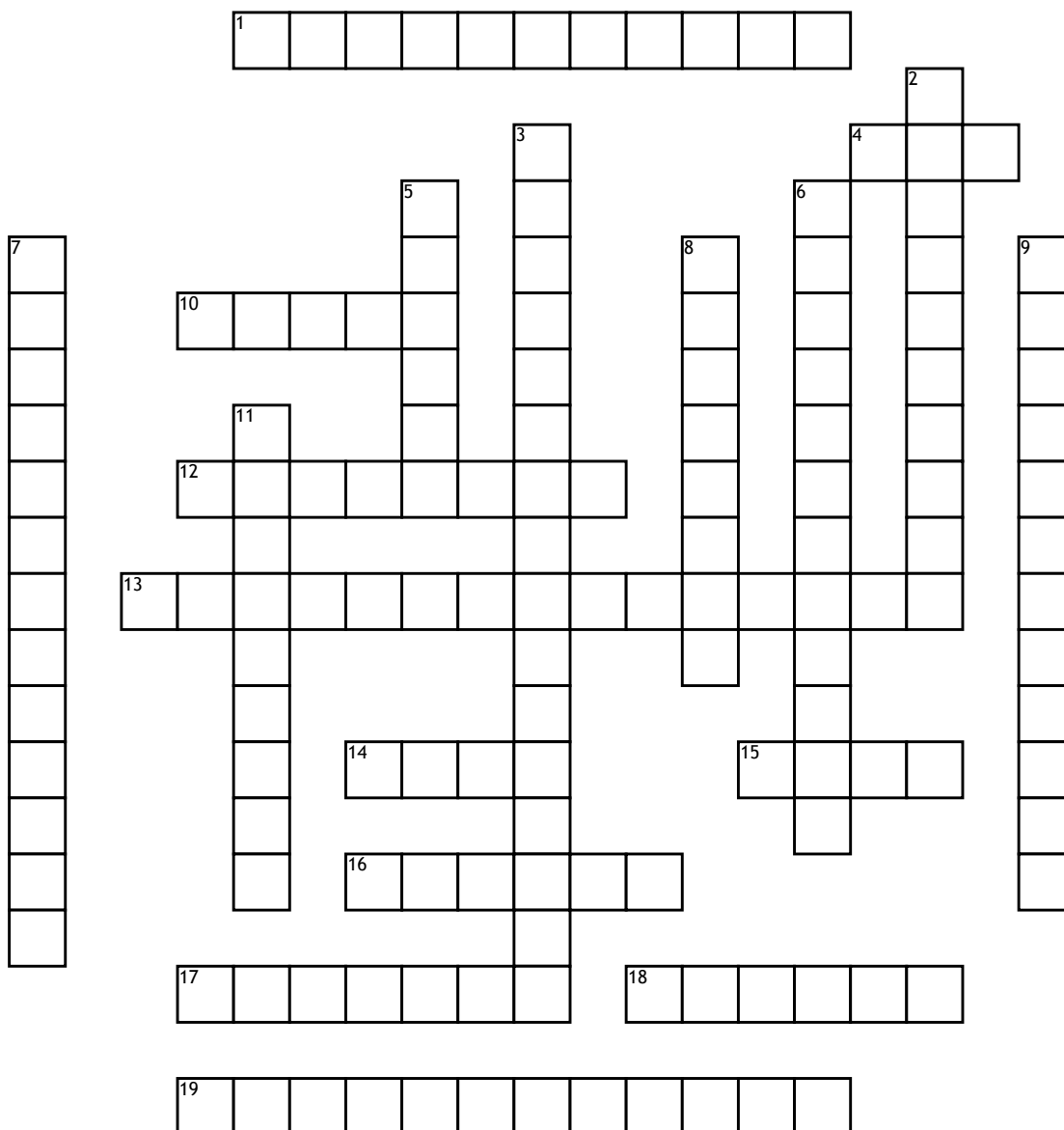


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Galaxy Crossword



Across

1. The Sun, Earth and stars are in it
4. The center of our solar system
10. A celestial object consisting of a nucleus of ice and dust
12. A small rocky body orbiting the sun
13. A galaxy that has an undefined shape
14. A star that suddenly increases in brightness in just a few hours or days

15. A fixed luminous point in the night sky which is a large, remote incandescent body like the sun.

16. Systems of millions to billions of stars; 3 main types

17. Force of attraction between objects

18. Saturn, Venus, etc.

19. A disk-shaped galaxy containing hot, bright stars and spiral arms. Our galaxy is this

Down

2. Actual or true brightness of a star; depends upon size and temperature of star

3. A galaxy shaped like a round or flattened ball, generally containing only old stars

5. A small body of matter from outer space that enters the Earth's atmosphere

6. Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Neptune

7. The theory of a primordial explosion that marked the beginning of space and time

8. The galaxy we're in

9. Mercury, Venus, Earth and Mars

11. The study of space