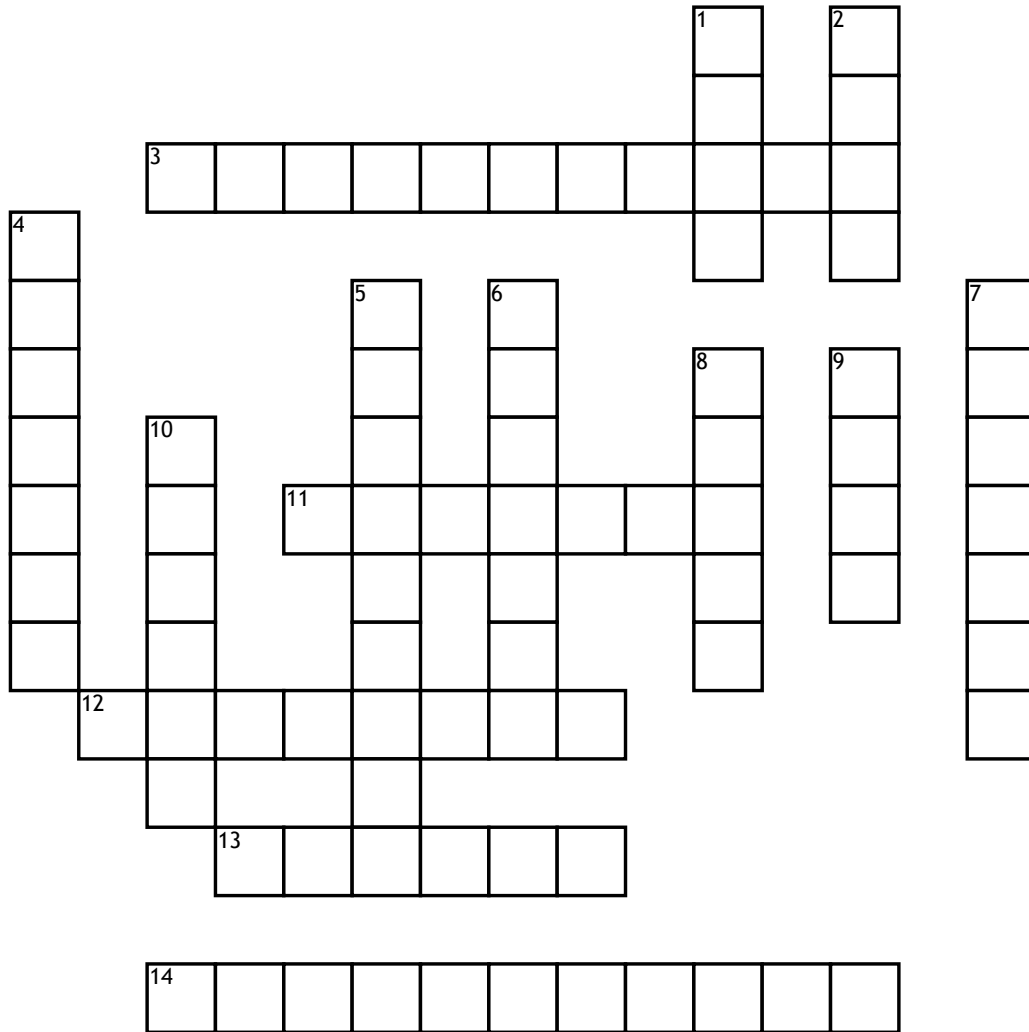


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Minerals



Across

- 3. a type of rock that forms because of heating and squeezing
- 11. a solid, nonliving object found in nature
- 12. the property of a mineral that tells how easily it can be scratched
- 13. the property that tells how light reflects on a mineral

- 14. a type of rock formed by layers of sediments

Down

- 1. the scale that tells the hardness of minerals
- 2. A nonliving object made of one or more minerals
- 4. the hardest mineral
- 5. tiny bits of weathered rock or plants and animals; clay, mud, and sand

- 6. a type of rock formed when melted lava cools and hardens

- 7. the mineral property that tells how a mineral feels; smooth or rough
- 8. the mineral property that tells the color of a mineral you see with your eye
- 9. the softest mineral
- 10. the property that describes the color you see when a mineral is scratched on a white tile

Word Bank

diamond	mohs	talc	hardness	streak
color	rock	mineral	sedimentary	texture
metamorphic	igneous	luster	sediments	