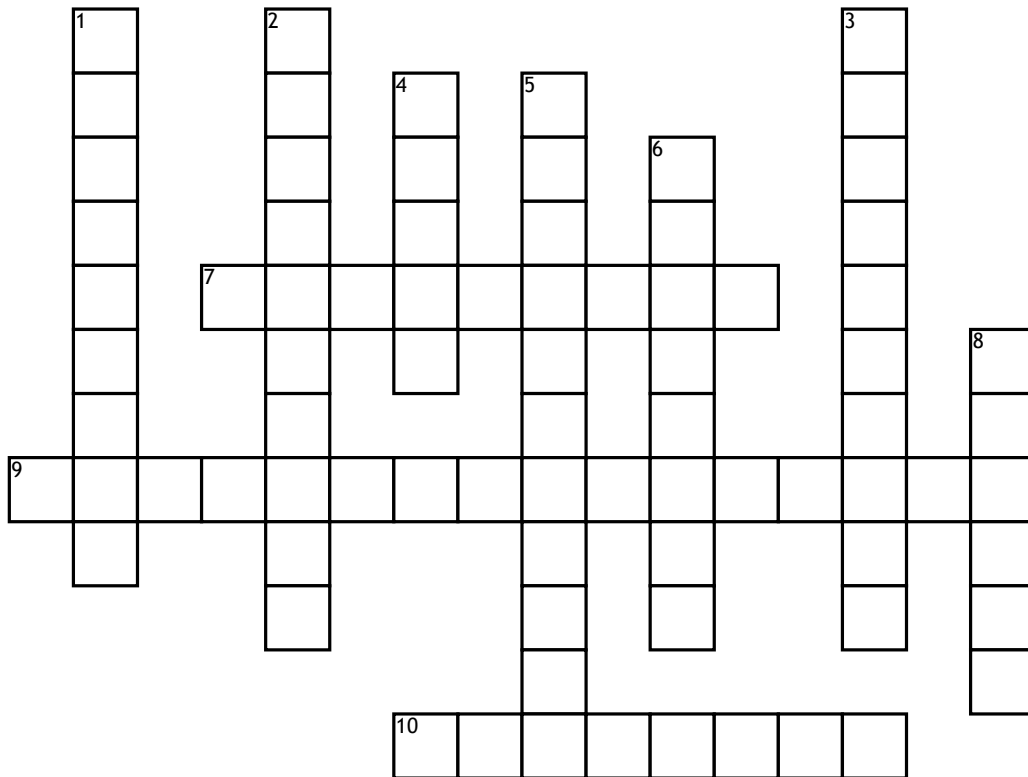


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# Our Solar System



## Across

7. Reaches the Earth's surface without burning up

9. Any of the minor bodies in the belt of the same name outside the orbit of Neptune

10. These are mostly located between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter

## Down

1. A spherical region that surrounds the solar system and extends almost halfway to the nearest star

2. The largest of the small bodies are located here

3. Contains small bodies made mostly of ice

4. Follows a highly elliptical orbit around the Sun

5. Pluto became the first member of the new this new group of solar system bodies

6. These travel at about 52 km/s as measured by a radar on Earth

8. Causes a bright streak of light as it burns up in the Earth's atmosphere

## Word Bank

meteoroid

meteorite

Oort Cloud

Kuiper Belt

Kuiper Belt

dwarf planet

meteor

comet

asteroid

Kuiper Belt Object