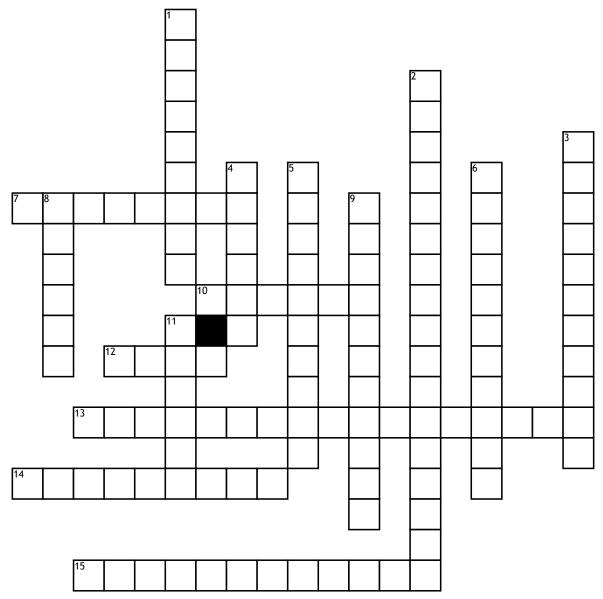
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Outer space



Across

- **7.** Space and all the matter and energy in it
- **10.** A relatively late spherical body that orbits a star
- **12.** A large celestial body composed of gas and emits light
- **13.** The brightness of a star as seen from Earth
- **14.** The distance that light travels in one year
- **15.** The location on the HR diagram where most stars lie.

Down

- 1. Hertzsprung-Russell diagram
- **2.** A measure of how bright a star would be if it were seen from a standard distance
- **3.** The sun and all of the planets and other bodies that travel around it
- **4.** A large cloud of gas and dust in interstellar space; a region in space where stars are born
- **5.** The actual brightness of an object such as a star

- **6.** A star that has collapsed under gravity to the point that the electrons and protons have smashed together to form neutrons
- **8.** A gigantic explosion in which a massive star collapses and throws its outer layers into space
- **9.** A small, hot, dim star that is the leftover center of an old sunlike star
- **11.** A collection of stars, dust, and gas bound together by gravity