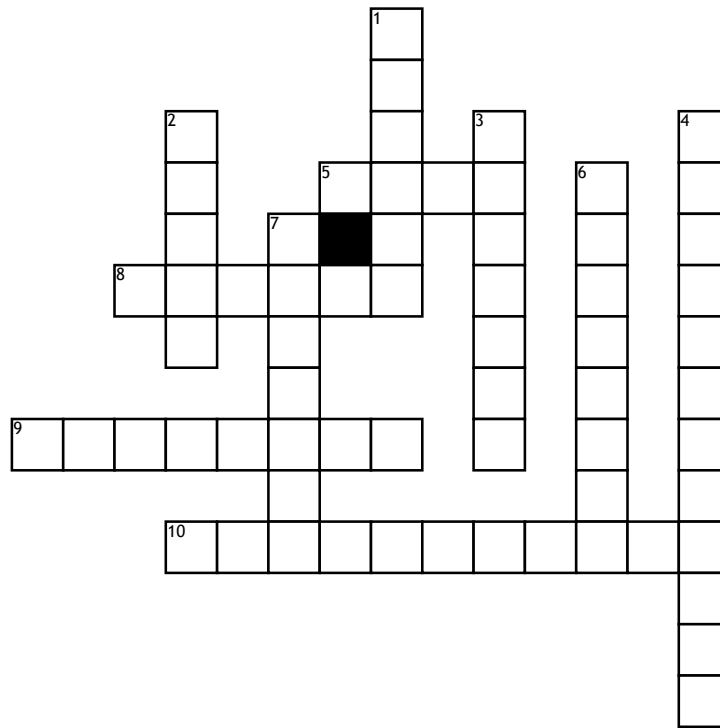


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The lunar cycle



Across

- 5. the periodic rise and fall of the sea level
- 8. a gradual decrease in magnitude or extent
- 9. the time when the Moon is fully illuminated
- 10. the last fourth of the Moon's period of revolution around the earth

Down

- 1. a gradual increase in magnitude or extent
- 2. relating to the sun or utilizing the energies of the sun
- 3. the phase in which the moon is in conjunction with sun and is invisible or appears as a narrow waxing crescent
- 4. the first fourth of the Moon's period of revolution around the earth
- 6. a gradual increase in magnitude or extent
- 7. used of the moon more than half full

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waning solar Gibbous full moon New moon
waxing First quarter Tide Last Quarter crescent