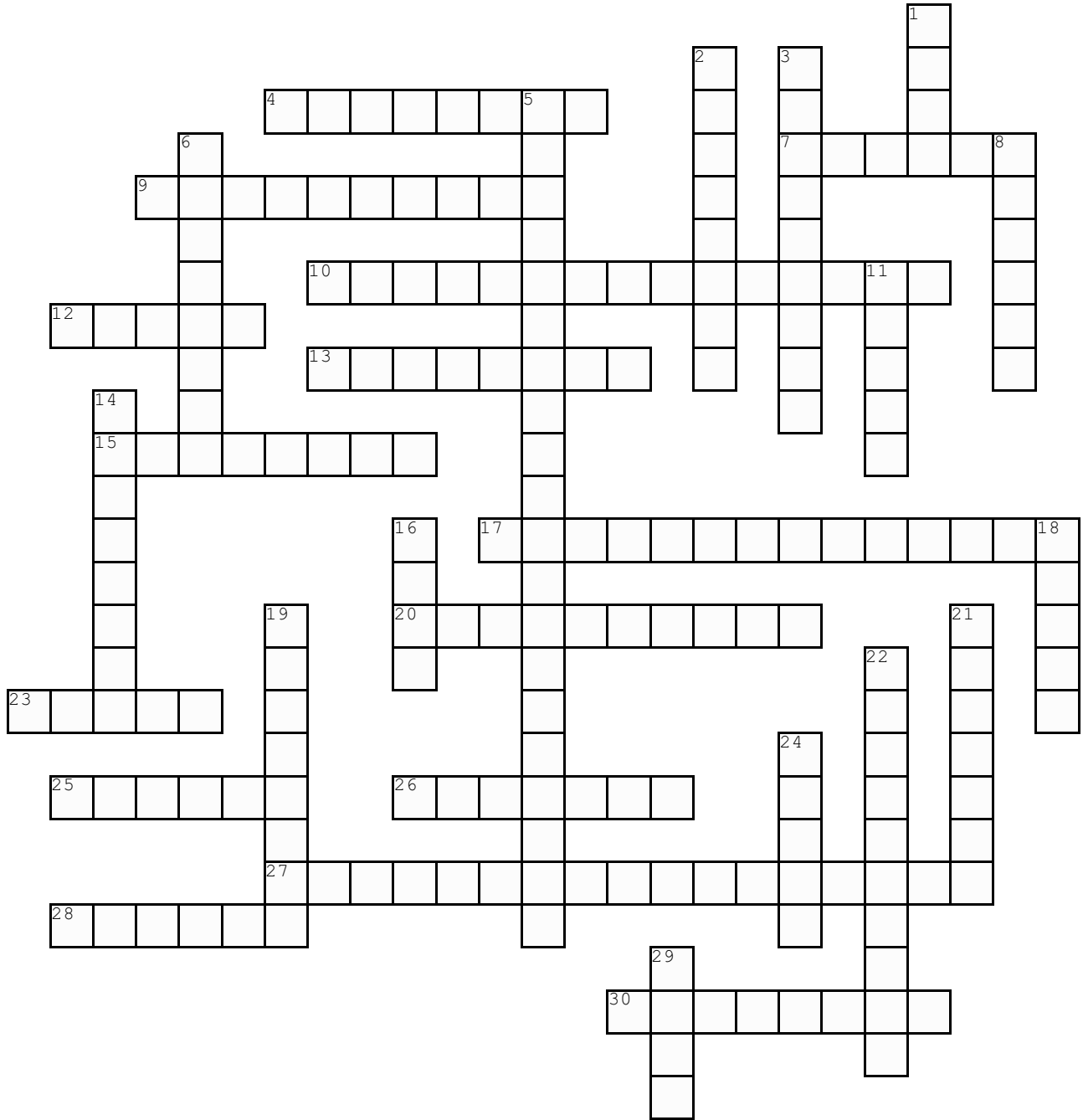


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History of Music Key Vocabulary

Complete the crossword below by filling in the words to match the definitions.



Across

4. short musical pattern that can be melodic, rhythmic, or harmonic and is repeated persistently
7. the orderly movement of music in time
9. two notes played together with a pleasing sound
10. can be monophonic, heterophonic, polyphonic, or homophonic; describes how the different voices work in relation to the melody
12. three or more tones/pitches occurring at the same time/together
13. indicate the degree of loudness or softness of the music
15. the distance between two pitches
17. indicate the character of the music as well as the pace or speed
20. fixes the material in our mind and provides for unity and variety
23. the highness or lowness of a tone
25. unit of meaning within a larger structure
26. the movement and relationship of the intervals and chords
27. single leader and group responds
28. 'musical idea' or cells of musical growth
30. melodies that move by small intervals in a joined, connected manner

Down

1. the basic unit of length in music
2. complete, independent division of large-scale work or musical piece
3. some aspects of the music are altered but still recognized
5. elaborating or varying the musical idea
6. sustains our interest and feeds our need for change
8. a succession of single pitches or tones perceived by the mind as a unity
11. the distance between the melody's lowest and highest tones
14. melodies that move in a disjointed or disconnected intervals
16. the structure and shape of a work or musical piece
18. collection of pitches arranged in ascending or descending order
19. a restatement of a musical idea in a different pitch
21. the resting place of the phrase
22. two notes played together with an unpleasant sound
24. the direction the melody takes as it moves upward, downward, or remains static
29. the sound