

MINERAL VOCABULARY JUMBLE

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Clues:

1. completely see through
2. a naturally formed, inorganic solid that has a definite chemical formula and a crystalline structure
3. type of luster that is transparent, translucent, or opaque
4. type of luster that is shiny like a metal
5. cave mineral formation on the ground caused by dripping water
6. a mixture of minerals where only one type is desired. The rest is removed as waste.
7. mine deep underground(2)
8. cave mineral formation on the ceiling caused by dripping water
9. the process of returning land to its original condition after mining is completed
10. a mineral that contains a combination of silicon, oxygen, and one or more metals
11. somewhat see through
12. removing minerals from the surface of earth (2)
13. the color of the powder of a mineral
14. a mineral that does not contain compounds of silicon and oxygen
15. the ability to attract iron, nickel, or cobalt

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2. E N L R M A I
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7. S F E U U R A C B S N M I E
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10. C E I T A L I S N I M R L E A
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11. E S N A T T L U R C N
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12. S I R T P N M G N I I
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13. A S K R E T
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14. C O A N I T L N E I S M E L A R N I
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15. A M S I E N T G M
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