

Outside the Box Year 1 Rows Garden #9 (27 Oct 2015, Regular version)

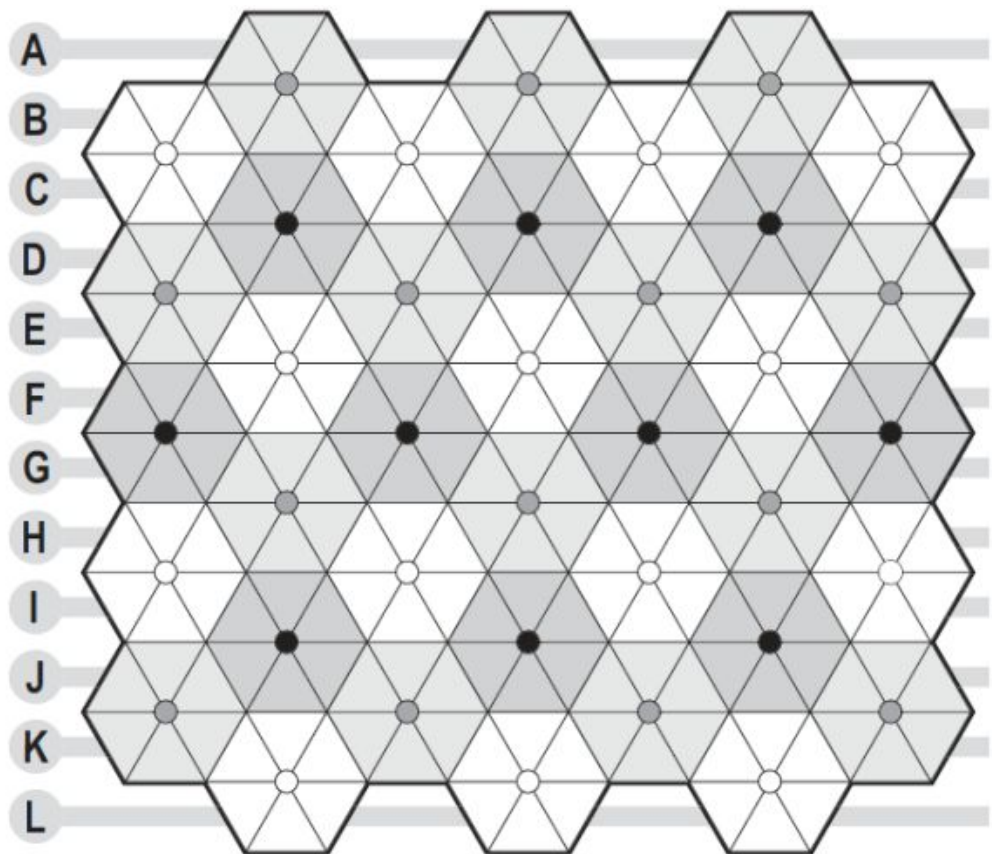
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Answers go into a Rows Garden puzzle in two ways:

Row answers read horizontally from the lettered markers. Each row contains two consecutive answers reading left to right, except for rows A and L which each have only one answer protruding across the nine spaces at the top or bottom.

Bloom answers are all six letters long, and read either clockwise or counterclockwise around one of the colored hexagons in the grid. The orientation and starting space of each bloom answer is left for you to determine, but in this version of the puzzle, the bloom clues are given in grid order within each colored list.

For a greater challenge, try the "thorny" version on the back, in which the bloom clues are not given in order.



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ROWS

- A** Actor whose characters the U.S. government has spent about \$900 billion rescuing, according to a recent estimate: 2 wds.
- B** Track speedster?: 2 wds.
Actively dishonest
- C** Super Nintendo rival: 2 wds.
Paul Blart: Mall Cop 2 actor: 2 wds.
- D** One getting carried away on the air?: 2 wds.
Out of active military service
- E** Kosovo, vis-à-vis the U.N.
Kangaroo lookalikes
- F** Author who unironically wrote *The Virtue of Selfishness*: 2 wds.
Passing laws, e.g.: 4 wds.

- G** Errand destination, often: 2 wds.
Lagoon explorer, maybe
- H** "This invention might someday be protected": 2 wds.
Coast guard?: 2 wds.
- I** Like Kim Jong-Eun: 2 wds.
Document whose octocentennial was on June 15, 2015: 2 wds.
- J** Droid maker
Exchange for speculative traders: 2 wds.
- K** Speak discursively
Tidy amount: 2 wds.
- L** Chewing gum flavor

LIGHT BLOOMS

- Protrusions
Nissan mid-size
Salad green
Frothy dessert
Hypnotic state

- Unto the Sons* writer Gay
Like some teas
Kickstarter backer, e.g.
Tonight's World Series game, e.g.
Isn't able to swallow: 2 wds.
Eponymous morning talk show hostess
Goddard
Sanitizes for sensitive ears
Apt rhyme for "charm"
Tasty morsel

MEDIUM BLOOMS

- Maker of Barbie and Hot Wheels
"Shoot!": 2 wds.
Longtime TV role for Courteney
Harry Potter or Voldemort
Magazine honcho
Anarchic state: 2 wds.
Commandeered
Late
Mucho ____ (big bucks)
Went into space?

- Prairie dog relative
Bowling Green athlete
Whiteboard accessory
Weapon that supplanted the arquebus

DARK BLOOMS

- Group of geese
Put on the line
Behind bars: 2 wds.
First person photographed atop Mount Everest
Solidly built
Mucho: 2 wds.
Browser button with a circular arrow
Abstract Expressionist Mark known for rectangular fields of color
Fall
One of a pair of shakers

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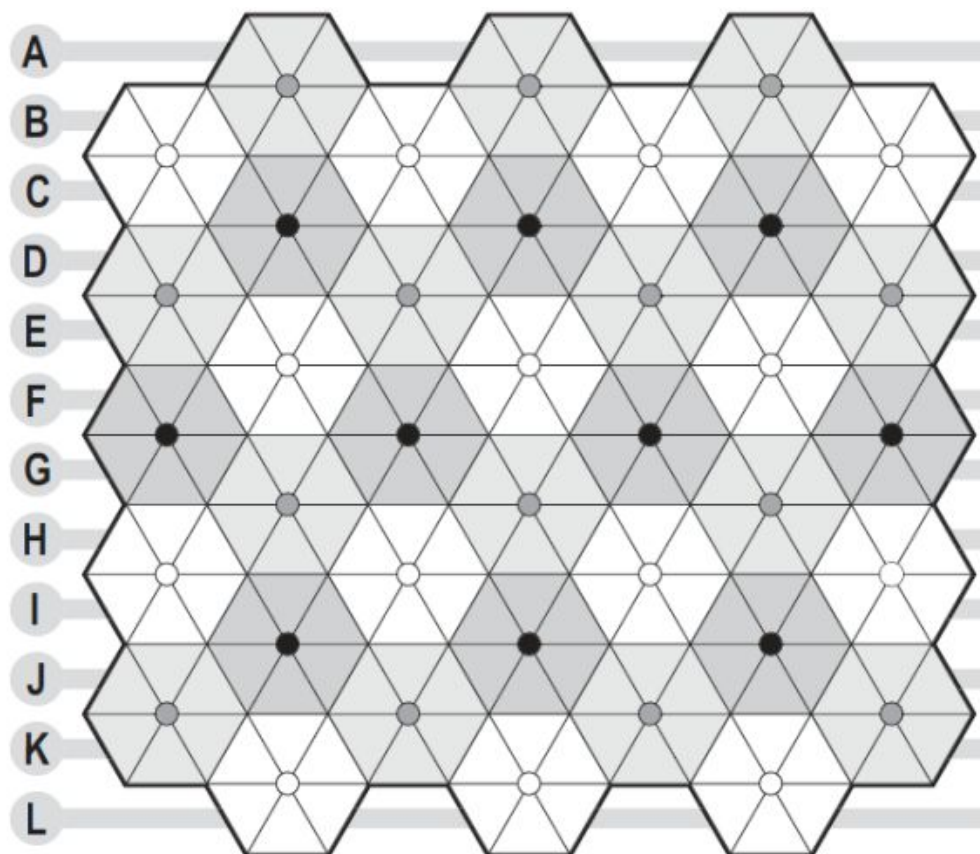
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