

Daily Delight

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National Grateful Patient Day

We love our healthcare workers, who do the impossible under sometimes trying circumstances. National Grateful Patient Day, which is held on September 7th, is the perfect day to show appreciation for the hard-working professionals in the medical industry. This day also honors the spirit of the courageous patients and their families. The impetus for this date is the return of kicker Rolf Benirschke to pro football after he nearly lost his life to multiple conditions. He would become a tireless crusader for patient advocacy. The gift of gratitude is meant to be shared by everyone who has ever felt a healing touch.

You can take a moment to thank your families, doctors, and nurses who have played a role in your or a loved ones recover.



Today in History



In 1970, Jerry Lewis hosted his 5th Muscular Dystrophy telethon. He became famous in the 1940s when he and Dean Martin had a comedy act together. He started a solo career when the two split in 1956. Lewis was very popular in France and was awarded the Légion d'honneur in 2006.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Just How Big is the Grand Canyon

Grand Canyon National Park was designated a national park on February 26, 1919, and expanded in 1975 by President Gerald Ford to about 1.2 million acres, making it larger than Rhode Island. The park spans 1,904 square miles, while Rhode Island covers 1,033.9 square miles of land and 511.1 square miles of water. This means the Grand Canyon is approximately 23% larger than Rhode Island's total area.

TRIVIA

In the original 1939 classic, "The Wizard of Oz," what was used to create the on-screen effect of the horses in Emerald City changing colors?

- A** Early CGI technology
- B** Different horses dyed with food coloring
- C** Lighting projected onto a white horse
- D** An elaborate series of painted costumes

TODAY'S FUNNY

I accidentally drank a bottle of invisible ink.

Now I'm at the hospital, waiting to be seen.

TODAY'S WISDOM

"I have never met a man who has given me as much trouble as myself."

- Dwight L. Moody

WORD SEARCH

Jobs



Doctor
Firefighter
Artist
Pilot

Teacher
Police
Writer
Builder

Nurse
Chef
Engineer
Scientist

SUDOKU

How To Play:

Each 9x9 box is comprised of 9 smaller 3x3 boxes. Each of these smaller boxes must be filled in with numbers from 1-9. Each row and column of the larger 9x9 box should not have any numbers repeated.

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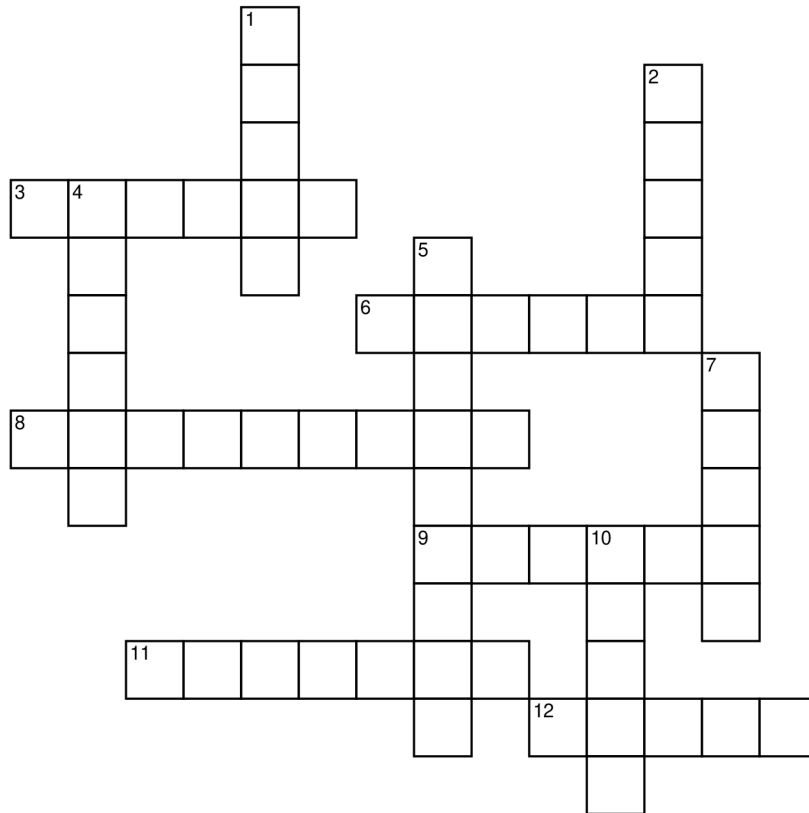
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Helpful Tip:

If you get stuck, try asking yourself "Where can I place number X in this row or column?" Scan to see if the number is already in that row, column, or box.

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Things that Repeat



Across

- [3]** Canyon sounds
- [6]** Pond sounds
- [8]** Pump thump
- [9]** Minor snag
- [11]** Annual changes
- [12]** Morning alert

Down

- [1]** Moon-related pulls
- [2]** Ocean motion
- [4]** Presoak, wash, rinse
- [5]** Air in, air out
- [7]** Gives a hand
- [10]** Honeycomb units

Test Your Knowledge

**Solve the questions below to test your knowledge
and give your brain a workout!**

Which country per capita
has more donut shops than
anywhere else in the world?

- A. Canada
- B. United States
- C. France
- D. Germany

What is the oldest civilization
in the world?

- A. Egypt
- B. China
- C. Rome
- D. Mesopotamia

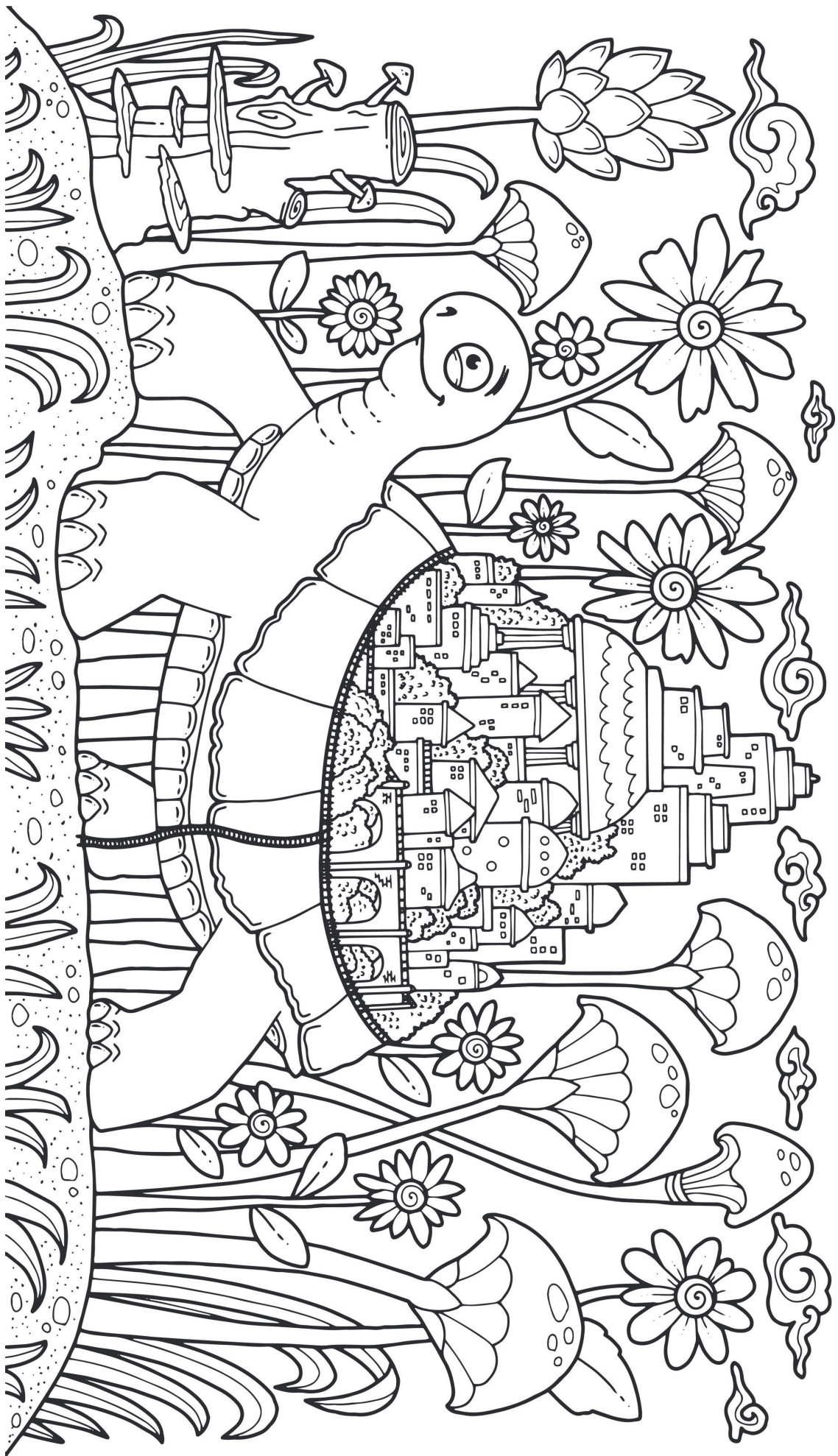
Solve the math problems:

What are the missing numbers
in the sequence?

2840, 2940, _____, _____,
3240, 3340

What was the highest-
grossing film of the 1980s?

- A. E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial
- B. Top Gun
- C. The Empire Strikes Back
- D. Back to The Future



SOLUTIONS

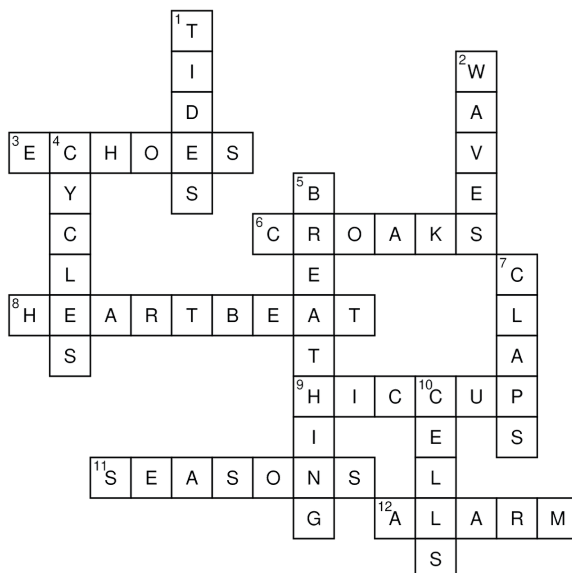
Trivia Answer: B

To achieve the "Horse-of-a-Different-Color" effect, the studio used four different horses and colored them with a paste made from Jell-O powder.

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8	2	3	1	9	4	5	7	6
1	5	9	6	2	7	4	8	3



Answer:
A. Canada

Answer:
D. Mesopotamia

Answer:
B. 3040, 3140

The numbers are increasing by 100 each time, so the missing numbers can be found by adding 100 to the previous number in the sequence.

Answer:
A. *E.T. Extra-Terrestrial*, one of Steven Spielberg's many hit movies of the 80s, was the highest-grossing film of the decade, earning more than \$792-million.