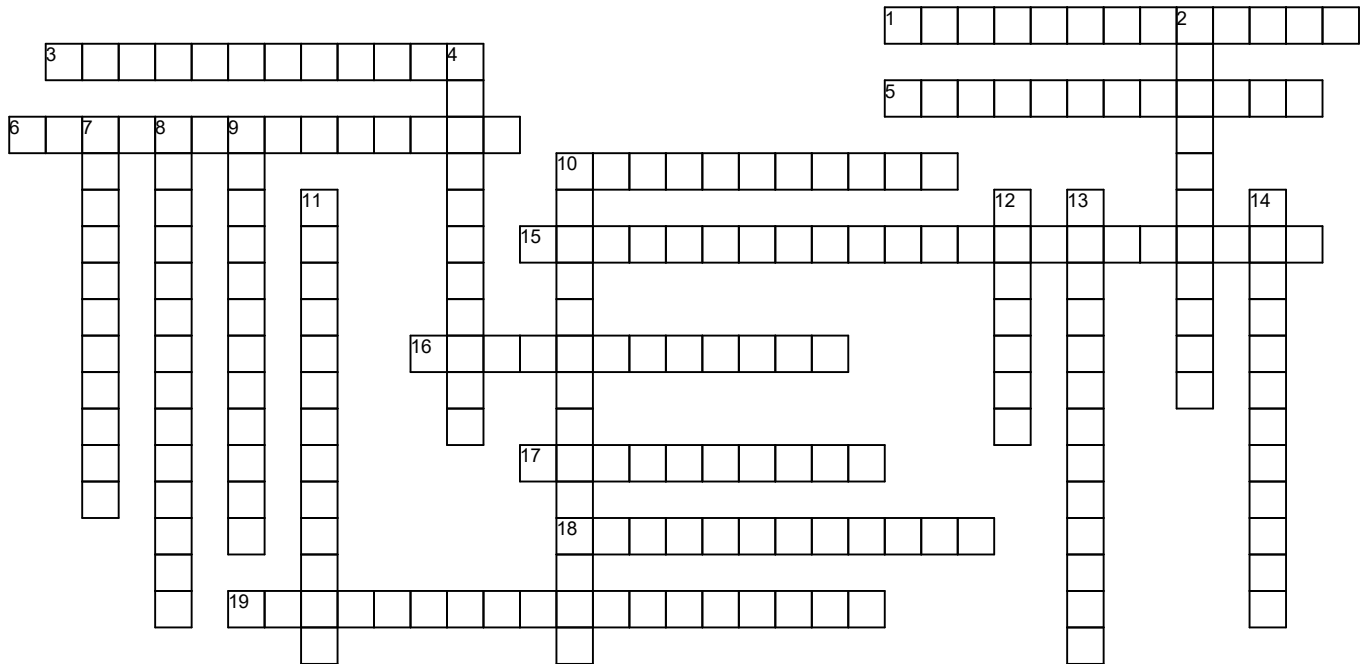


Famous Women Athletes Crossword Puzzle

1. Using the Across and Down clues, write the correct answer in the numbered grid below.



ACROSS

1. Tennis champion and former world No. 1 player, known for her powerful serve and aggressive playing style.
3. Olympic gymnast and member of the "Fierce Five" team that won gold at the 2012 Summer Olympics.
5. Olympic swimmer and the first African-American woman to win an individual Olympic gold medal in swimming.
6. Tennis champion with multiple Grand Slam titles, considered one of the greatest players of all time.
10. Speed skater and multiple Olympic gold medalist, one of the most decorated female athletes in Winter Olympics history.
15. Track and field athlete known as "Flo-Jo," she set world records in the 100m and 200m sprints that still stand today.
16. Tennis player who broke racial barriers, becoming the first African American to win a Grand Slam title.
17. Soccer player and two-time Olympic gold medalist, known for her clutch performances and leadership on the field.
18. Olympic swimmer and multiple world record holder, known for her dominance in freestyle events.
19. Track and field athlete and Olympic gold medalist known for her dominance in the heptathlon and long jump.

DOWN

2. Alpine ski racer and Olympic gold medalist known for her record-breaking achievements in downhill skiing.
4. Olympic gymnast known for her unparalleled skills and dominance in the sport.
7. Mixed martial artist and former UFC Women's Bantamweight Champion, known for her dominance in the octagon.
8. Olympic gymnast from Romania who became the first gymnast to score a perfect 10 in Olympic competition.
9. Track and field athlete who overcame childhood polio to become the first American woman to win three gold medals in a single Olympic Games.
10. Tennis legend known for her advocacy of gender equality in sports and her famous "Battle of the Sexes" match.
11. Racing driver and the most successful woman in the history of American open-wheel racing.
12. Soccer star and two-time Olympic gold medalist, one of the most decorated female soccer players in history.
13. Basketball player and Olympic gold medalist, one of the first players to be signed to the WNBA.
14. Soccer player and co-captain of the United States women's national soccer team, known for her activism and leadership on and off the field.

Billie Jean King
Serena Williams
Ronda Rousey
Lindsey Vonn
Bonnie Blair
Venus Williams
Simone Manuel
Simone Biles
Carli Lloyd
Gabby Douglas

Jackie Joyner-Kersey
Florence Griffith Joyner
Mia Hamm
Sheryl Swoopes
Megan Rapinoe
Nadia Comăneci
Danica Patrick
Wilma Rudolph
Katie Ledecky
Althea Gibson