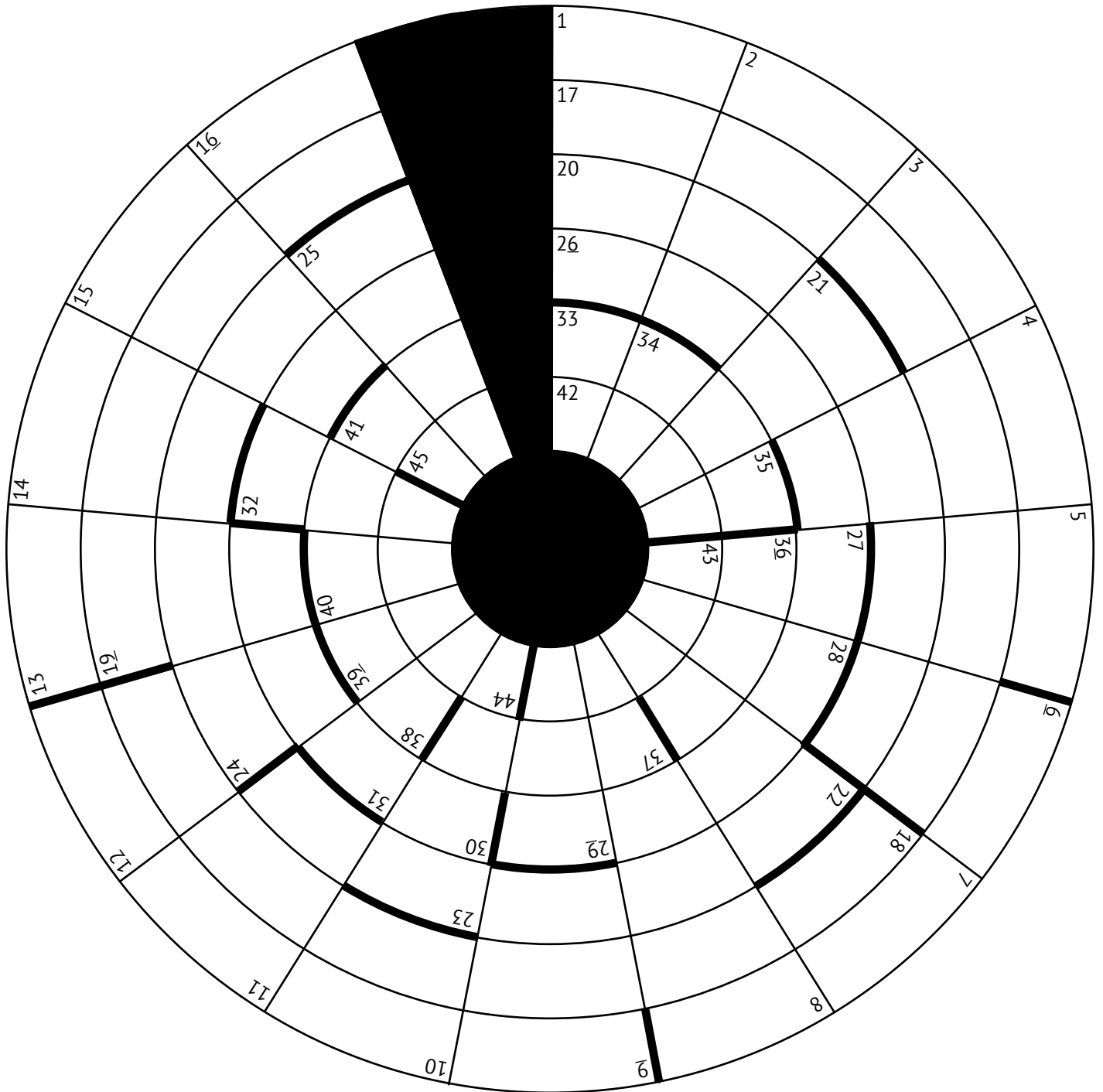


Rings

As you enter Saturn's orbit, you look down and notice something odd about the rings...
You request permission to land, but the Saturnians demand some sort of password to prove
your species is sentient.

Can you find the **ANSWER** in the rings?





Rings

Across

- 1 Pile
- 6 Goes with dash
- 9 Mr. CEO
- 13 Movie
- 17 Went faster than someone
- 18 A card game, or a feat of civil engineering
- 19 Placed horizontally
- 20 Lists, to a computer scientist
- 22 Number of planets
- 24 Dressing for salads and wings
- 26 ___ is power
- 30 Lebanese liquor
- 32 Jamaican music genre
- 33 Animal feet
- 36 Type of wheat
- 37 Foil for elf
- 38 Especially violent
- 42 What Yahoo didn't do properly
- 43 A common body art
- 44 Infidel, in Syria
- 45 "I" in Chinese

Down

- 1 Make wet
- 2 **What to do after solving the crossword...**
- 3 @
- 4 ___ fish
- 5 Every kiss begins with ___!
- 6 A major one was recently DDoS'ed
- 7 Prefix for GYN
- 8 Three-sided shape
- 9 First half of a popular Calif. hiking spot
- 10 Take too many drugs, in brief
- 11 ___ Pepper
- 12 whatever will be,  will be 
- 13 The bane of an airplane pilot
- 14 Gandalf actor, familiarly
- 15 Tootsie pop conundrum
- 16 Doctor's initials?
- 21 **... to find the final ANSWER.**
- 22 First place?
- 23 Russia's recent pastime?
- 25 Master Chief's franchise
- 27 Scientology's prophet, in brief
- 28 Pirates sometimes only use one
- 29 A period of time
- 31 The bane of any PWR student
- 32 Python string typecast
- 33 Level determined by litmus test
- 34 A support group
- 35 Be quiet!
- 39 Freshman dorm head
- 40 Original Mac set a new standard in ___
- 41 Common exclamation around puppies