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# Matching Moon Phases

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| 1. Moon is almost directly between the sun and Earth. (start of cycle) E                   | A. Waxing Gibbous Moon  |
| 2. Moon is almost directly between the sun and Earth. (cycle starts again) H               | B. Last Quarter Moon    |
| 3. A bit of the sunlit side of the moon shows, with the sunlit side being on the right. I  | C. First Quarter Moon   |
| 4. Two weeks have passed since the new moon. We see the entire face of the moon shining. A | D. Waning Gibbous Moon  |
| 5. The moon is three -quarters of its way around Earth C                                   | E. New Moon             |
| 6. The moon is a quarter of its way around Earth J   | F. Waxing Gibbous Moon  |
| 7. A bit of the sunlit side of the moon shows with the light side being on the left B      | G. New Moon             |
| 8. The moon is between full moon and last quarter. A                                       | H. Full Moon            |
| 9. The moon is increasing in light between a first quarter moon and a full moon E          | I. Waxing Crescent Moon |
| 10. The moon is decreasing in light between a full moon and a last quarter moon. D         | J. Waning Crescent Moon |