

Office of Mines and Minerals

Land Reclamation Division

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Mining Products of Illinois

The mining industry in Illinois previously mined or continues to mine for the rocks and minerals found in this word puzzle. Find all 16 of the items listed in this word list.

p	t	r	l	f	s	m	y	i	b	n	d	e	y	Trilobite
n	s	e	r	t	o	l	n	a	w	p	a	t	w	Oil
v	a	h	e	f	i	s	f	y	c	l	e	i	u	Sand and Gravel
d	i	s	a	d	e	y	s	b	r	d	v	r	t	Geode
d	i	s	a	d	e	y	s	b	r	d	v	r	t	Limestone
f	a	n	e	l	a	g	c	i	o	r	c	o	u	Clay
u	c	d	d	i	e	r	w	e	l	l	n	u	l	Coal
s	a	n	d	a	n	d	g	r	a	v	e	l	l	Tripoli
i	l	a	l	g	o	f	k	y	l	n	t	f	y	Calcite
t	c	s	n	p	t	r	i	p	o	l	i	b	m	Gravel
o	i	a	e	l	s	f	v	y	e	g	b	d	o	Fluorite
r	t	c	t	r	e	r	o	b	l	a	o	c	n	Shale
s	e	i	a	o	m	v	d	p	s	y	l	y	s	Galena
a	h	l	l	c	i	k	a	l	e	w	i	a	t	Peat
b	n	i	h	n	l	l	t	r	v	a	r	e	e	Lead
c	g	s	t	u	o	k	i	f	g	p	t	a	r	Tully Monster Silica Sand

Of the items listed, which is the state mineral? _____.

Which is the state fossil? _____.