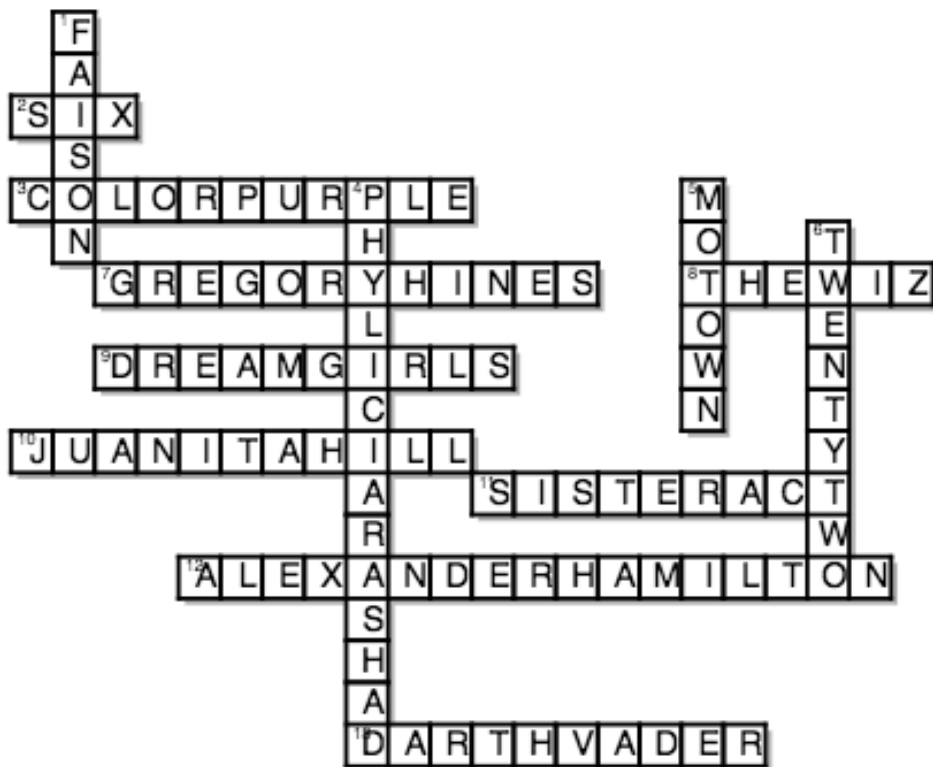


# AFRICAN AMERICANS ON BROADWAY



## ACROSS

- 2 Audra McDonald currently holds more Tony Award wins than any other African American. What is this number?
- 3 Oprah starred in the movie and produced this Broadway musical of the same name.
- 7 Known for my tapping feet, in 1992 I won a Tony for my role in Jelly's Last Jam
- 8 Come on and "ease on down the road" with this Broadway musical featuring a predominately black cast. Cleavon Little/ My role in Purlie led to me being first African-American to win a Tony for "Best Performance by an Actor in a Musical"
- 9 Jennifer Hudson won an Oscar for her role in this Broadway Show turned movie.
- 10 I am not only the first African-American woman to win a Tony but African-American to win a Tony in 1950.
- 11 Raven-Symone starred in this "sisterly" Whoopi Goldberg produced Broadway

musical.

- 12 The Broadway Musical based on this founding Father won 11 Tony Awards at the 2016 ceremony.
- 13 James Earl Jones not only has Tony's under his belt, he also channels the dark force in this Star Wars character.

## DOWN

- 1 Last name of this Tony Award winner who won "Best Choreography" for his role in The Wiz.
- 4 A Rasin in the Sun didn't make the only one in my family to take the stage, my sister Debbie Allen hit the stage in Purlie Raisin, West Side Story which earned her a Tony Award nomination.
- 5 This Broadway Musical told the story of Motor Town music pioneer Berry Gordy.
- 6 George C. Wolfe has this number of Tony nominations under his belt.