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A Chondrule (from Ancient Greek χόνδρος chondros, grain) is a round grain found in a chondrite. Chondrules form as molten or partially molten droplets in space before being accreted to their parent asteroids. Because chondrites represent one of the oldest solid materials within the Solar System and are believed to be the building blocks of the planetary system, it follows that an ...

### Chondrule - Wikipedia

Characteristics. Prominent among the components present in chondrites are the enigmatic chondrules, millimetre-sized spherical objects that originated as freely floating, molten or partially molten droplets in space; most chondrules are rich in the silicate minerals olivine and pyroxene. Chondrites also contain refractory inclusions (including Ca-Al Inclusions), which are among the oldest ...

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A. Absolute Magnitude A scale for measuring the actual brightness of a celestial object without accounting for the distance of the object. Absolute magnitude measures how bright an object would appear if it were exactly 10 parsecs (about 33 light-years) away from Earth. On this scale, the Sun has an absolute magnitude of +4.8 while it has an apparent magnitude of -26.7 because it is so close.

### Glossary of Astronomy Terms - Astronomy Reference Guide on ...

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### The Planets (and Other Celestial Objects)

The planets (and other celestial objects) display a remarkable similarity at the phenomenological level.

### The Similarities of the Planets (and Other Celestial Objects)

If you ever wonder the meaning of an astronomical word, search no further and browse below to find the definition of the space term. The following are terms from A-Z related to space & astronomy: -A- Absolute magnitude - also known as absolute visual magnitude, relates to measuring a heavenly object's brightness when viewed from [...]



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