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### The internal structure of the Earth

Read the definitions and fill in the blanks, and then label the diagram below

**Crust** - the \_\_\_\_\_ surface of the Earth. The crust is quite thin like the \_\_\_\_\_ of an orange and is thinner under the \_\_\_\_\_.

**Inner core** - the solid iron-nickel \_\_\_\_\_ of the Earth that is very \_\_\_\_\_ and under great pressure.

**Mantle** - a rocky \_\_\_\_\_ located under the \_\_\_\_\_. It is extremely hot - about \_\_\_\_\_ degrees C.

**Outer core** - made of metal so hot that it is \_\_\_\_\_. This layer moves slowly and produces a \_\_\_\_\_ field.

outer	layer	oceans	centre	crust
hot	skin	magnetic	liquid	5000

