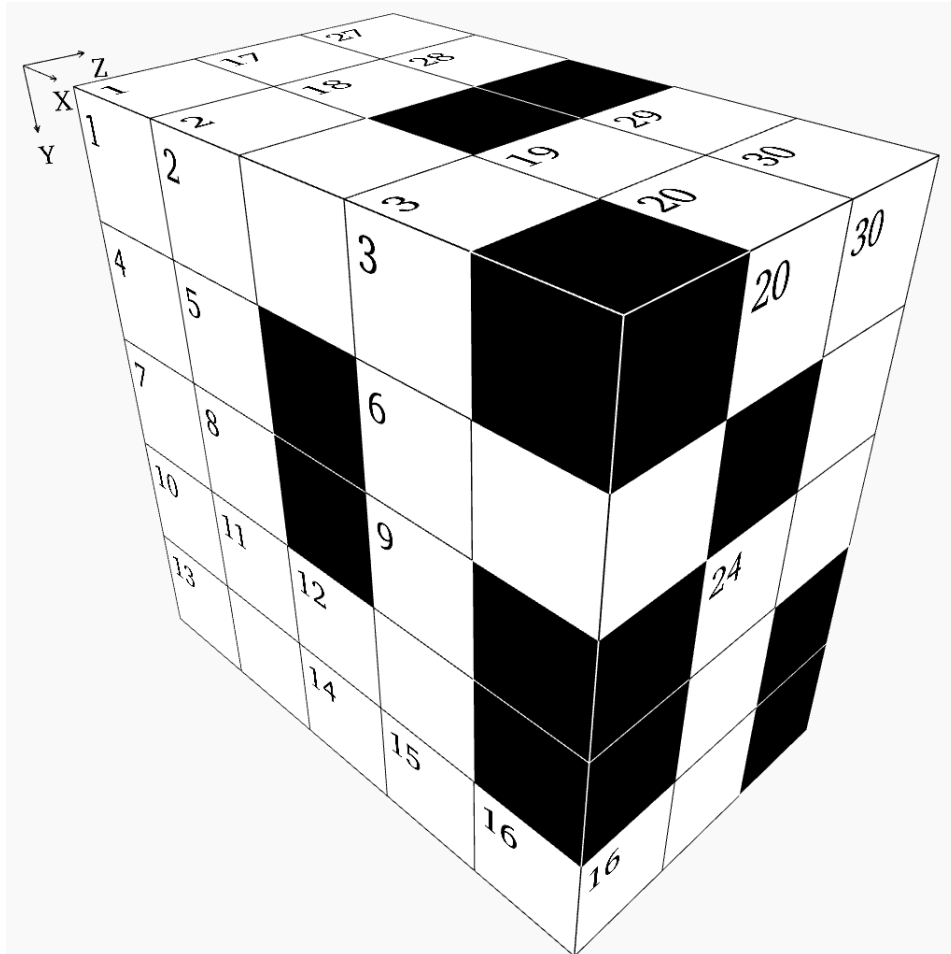


Box - Challenging Puzzle #13



This puzzle is like a crossword, but with numbers. Each digit occupies a 3D block and can be a part of a "word" in the X,Y, and Z directions.

Rules:

1. "Words" may not start with a zero.
2. "Words" in the X direction read from left to right.
3. "Words" in the Y direction read from top to bottom.
4. "Words" in the Z direction read from front to back.
5. There is one unique solution which satisfies all the clues given below.
6. Some "words" may not have clues. They will be determined by the "words" which intersect them.

If we take the box pictured above and divide it into individual X-Y layers, we will get these planes:

1	2		3		17	18		19	20	27	28		29	30
4	5		6		21					31			32	
7	8		9			22	23		24	33				
10	11	12			25					34				
13		14	15	16			26			35				

X Direction

- 1 Three times a square
- 4 Mean of X7 and Z24
- 6 Y12 minus Y17
- 7 Half of Z3, then subtract Y24
- 10 Thirty-five times a prime number
- 13 Nine times a prime number
- 17 Twice the result of Y28 minus Y2
- 19 A prime number
- 21 Y17 reversed
- 22 Seven times a prime number
- 25 Y29 minus Z8
- 26 X25 minus half of Z8
- 27 Y29 minus Z10
- 29 X7 minus X21
- 31 Mean of X13 and X35
- 33 Nine hundred twenty-seven less than Y27
- 34 Mean of Z12 and X21
- 35 Five times a prime number

Y Direction

- 1 Consecutive digits unordered
- 2 Rearranged digits of Y3
- 3 Twenty-two thousand nine hundred ten less than Y1
- 12 Y27 divided by Z5
- 17 X21 reversed
- 18 Ten times a prime number
- 19 Two-thirds of Z9
- 23 One hundred fifty-one more than Z14
- 24 Seven times a prime number
- 27 Z5 times X27
- 28 Three thousand five hundred twenty-one more than X13
- 29 Rearranged digits of Z9
- 30 X6 times Z24
- 32 Twenty-three times a prime number

Z Direction

- 1 X34 plus Z10
- 2 Z3 minus Z20
- 3 Z11 plus Y12
- 4 Mean of X26 and Z15
- 5 Y19 plus X34
- 6 Y3 divided by X34
- 8 Mean of Z12 and Z16
- 9 Seventeen times X27
- 10 Y29 minus Y12
- 11 Z3 minus X27
- 12 Z10 minus X29
- 14 Z2 minus X6
- 15 Nine times Z23
- 16 X25 divided by thirty-seven
- 20 X1 divided by Z4
- 23 Z1 divided by Z16
- 24 A square

Solution:

9	7	4	7		3	4		6	1	5	7		6	9
5	9		2	6	1	3		4		3	9	4	9	3
8	2		9			9	8	6	3	5	2	5	9	6
6	7	5	5		4	0	7		0	2	9	3		
7	5	7	7	1			2	6	1	3	2	1	5	