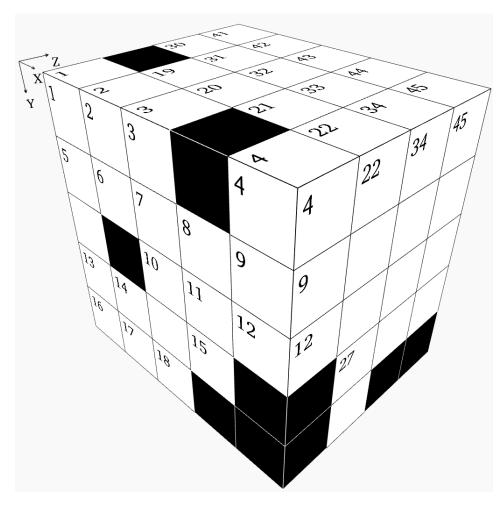


# **Box - Challenging Puzzle #32**



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		4		19	20	21	22	30	31	32	33	34
5	6	7	8	9	23						35			
		10	11	12		24				36				
13	14		15		25			26	27		37	38	39	
16	17	18			28			29		40				
					41	42	43	44	45					
						46								
					47									
							48							
							49							

#### **X** Direction

- **1** Half of Y47, then subtract Z30
- **5** Thirty-nine times a prime number
- 10 X35 minus Z3
- **13** Rearranged digits of Z15
- 16 Rearranged digits of Z27
- **19** Sixty-two times a prime number
- 23 Thirteen times a prime number
- 24 X16 plus half of Y4
- 25 Z38 plus Z30
- 26 Z36 reversed
- **28** Twice a prime number
- **30** Half of Y22, then subtract Y43
- **35** Twenty-three times a prime number
- **36** A square
- **37** Three times a prime number
- **40** Mean of Y34 and Y45
- **41** Last two digits are the same as last two digits of Z4
- 46 Z12 minus X13
- **47** Y44 plus Z29
- **48** X24 minus Z21
- 49 Three-fourths of X26

#### **Y Direction**

- **1** Y21 plus Z2
- 2 Z29 minus Z5
- 3 Fifty-six times a prime number
- 4 X36 minus X1
- 8 Eight times a prime number
- **14** Three-fourths of X26
- 19 Seventeen thousand sixty-four more than X47
- **20** Y4 minus X25
- **21** Three times a prime number
- **22** First two digits are the same as Z5
- **25** Mean of Z11 and Z38
- **31** Four times a prime number
- **32** Twenty-two thousand one hundred twenty-nine less than X5
- 33 Mean of Z38 and Z5
- **34** Ninety-three times a prime number
- **39** Y42 divided by twenty-five
- **42** Z11 plus Y47
- **43** Seventy-five times a prime number
- **44** Twenty-three times a prime number
- **45** Nine more than X19
- 47 Z27 plus X49

#### **Z** Direction

- 2 Eighteen times Y4
- **3** A cube
- 4 Y45 minus Z7
- **5** X25 plus Y25
- **6** Twelve times a prime number
- **7** Thirty-two times a prime number
- 8 Mean of Z6 and X10
- **9** Four times a prime number
- **10** Half of Z7, then subtract Z13
- **11** Mean of Z24 and Z38
- **12** Six times a prime number
- **13** Twice Z38
- 14 X36 minus Z36
- 15 X28 minus half of Y19
- **16** Four times a prime number
- 17 A square
- **18** Eighty-five times a square
- 21 Mean of Z5 and X36
- **24** A cube
- **27** Y47 minus Y14
- 29 A prime number
- **30** X26 minus Y2
- **36** Z13 plus Y39
- 38 Sum of digits in Z5

## **Solution:**

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