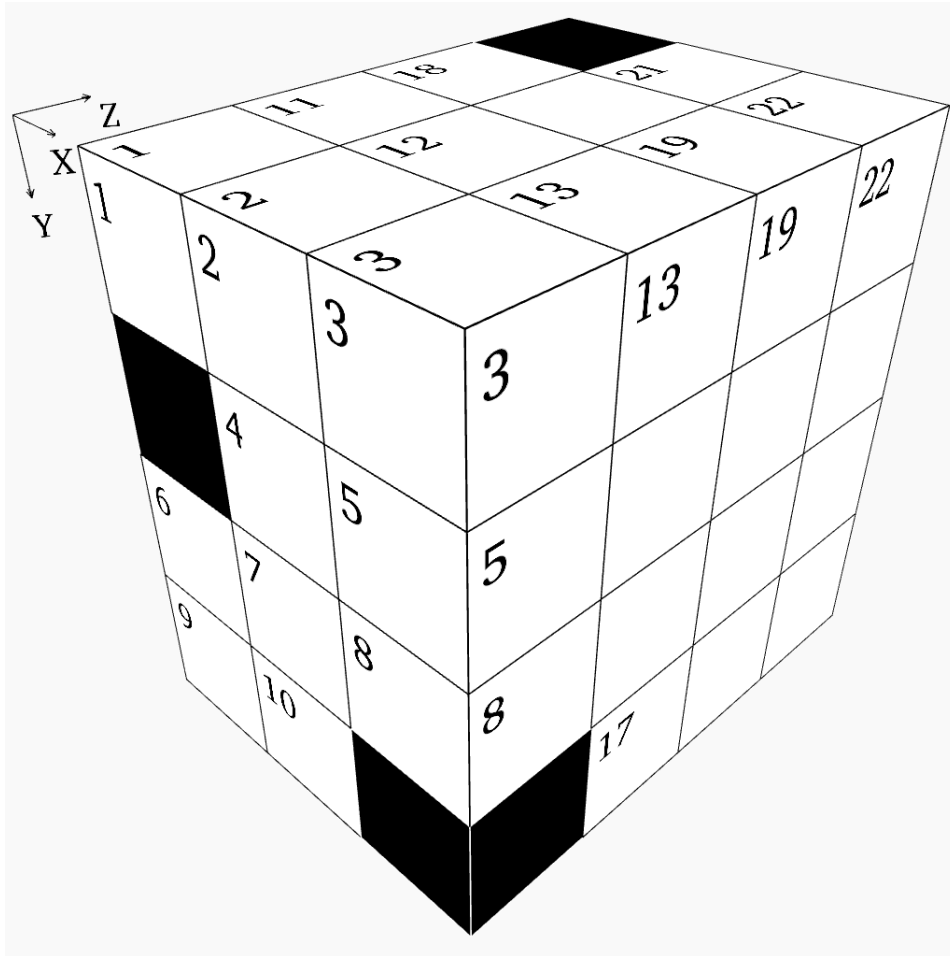


Difficulty: ★★☆☆☆

## Box - Challenging Puzzle #47



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	11	12	13	18		19		21	22
	4	5		14						23	
6	7	8	15			20			24		
9	10		16		17				25		

**X Direction**

- 1 Twice Z9
- 4 X18 minus X9
- 6 Twice a prime number
- 9 X18 minus Z4
- 11 X21 plus Z17
- 14 Y19 divided by X1
- 15 A square
- 16 X4 plus X24
- 18 Y18 plus X23
- 20 Twelve times a prime number
- 21 Two-thirds of X14
- 23 A square
- 24 Four times X18
- 25 Mean of Y18 and Y24

**Y Direction**

- 2 Z2 plus X4
- 3 X18 plus Y6
- 6 X18 minus Y15
- 12 Eighty-two times a square
- 13 Seventy-two times Z1
- 15 X11 divided by three
- 18 X21 plus Z1
- 19 A square
- 21 Seventy times X23
- 22 Y15 times X25
- 24 X23 reversed

**Z Direction**

- 1 A square
- 2 Y2 minus Z4
- 3 Half of Y22, then subtract Z7
- 4 X16 minus X24
- 5 Z6 minus Z8
- 6 Sixteen times a prime number
- 7 Fourteen times a prime number
- 8 One thousand four less than Y19
- 9 Y19 divided by fifty-four
- 10 X25 minus X4
- 17 Y3 plus X23

**Solution:**

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