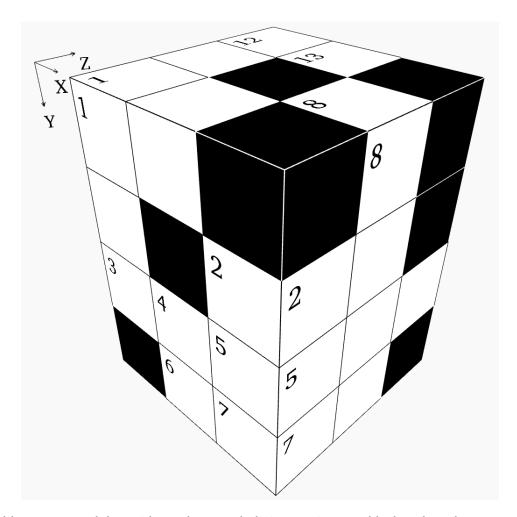


# **Box - Intermediate Puzzle #2**



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					8	12	13	
		2		9		14		
3	4	5	10					
	6	7	11			15		

#### **X** Direction

- 1 Half of Y13
- 3 Rearranged digits of Y2
- **6** Z7 reversed
- **9** Z4 minus X1
- 10 Three times a square
- 11 Three times a prime number
- **12** X3 minus Z1
- **14** Twice the result of Z9 minus Z11
- 15 Mean of Z4 and Y13

## **Y Direction**

- **1** X12 plus Y4
- 2 Mean of X12 and X10
- **4** X6 reversed
- 8 Z6 plus half of X3
- **9** Z9 plus X11
- **10** A square
- **12** Five times a prime number
- 13 Three times X14

#### **Z** Direction

- 1 Mean of X10 and X1
- 2 Z1 divided by nine
- 3 Mean of Y2 and Z5
- **4** Z11 plus Z2
- **5** Consecutive digits in ascending order
- **6** Twice a prime number
- **7** Y1 minus X12
- **9** Ten times a prime number
- 11 Consecutive digits in descending order

# **Solution:**

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