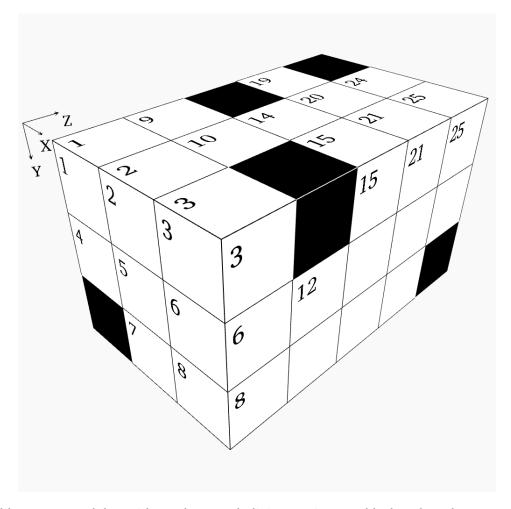
Box - Intermediate Puzzle #36



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 | 9 | 10 | | | 14 | 15 | 19 | 20 | 21 | | 24 | 25 |
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| 4 | 5 | 6 | 11 | | 12 | | 16 | | 22 | | | 26 | | |
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| | 7 | 8 | 13 | | | 17 | 18 | | 23 | | | 27 | | |
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X Direction

- 1 Y2 minus Y15
- 4 Consecutive digits unordered
- **7** Y26 minus X9
- 9 Half of Y25
- **11** Twice a prime number
- **14** X27 minus Y10
- **16** Three-fourths of Z22
- **17** A prime number
- 19 Mean of X1 and X14
- **22** A prime number
- **23** X9 plus X19
- **24** Z4 divided by seven
- **27** A square

Y Direction

- 1 X24 plus X27
- 2 Mean of X22 and X7
- **3** Seventy-one times X14
- **9** Twice the result of X11 minus Y20
- **10** X7 reversed
- **12** Twice X14
- 14 X23 minus X27
- **15** Mean of Y26 and Y19
- **19** Twice Z22
- **20** Twenty-eight times X27
- 21 Rearranged digits of X22
- **25** Mean of Y12 and Y26
- **26** Twice a prime number

Z Direction

- 1 Z22 divided by three
- 2 Its digits total X24
- 4 Mean of X9 and Y14
- **5** Ninety times a prime number
- **6** Ninety-six times a prime number
- 8 Y3 plus half of X4
- **13** Twice a prime number
- **15** Mean of X1 and X7 **18** Mean of X4 and Z1
- 22 Z6 divided by X17

Solution:

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