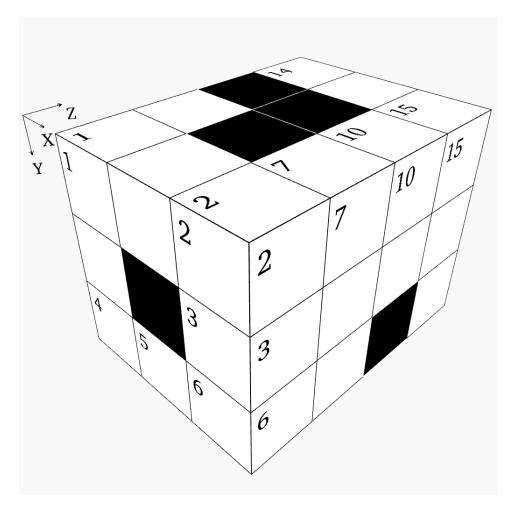


# **Box - Intermediate Puzzle #51**



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			7			10	14	15
		3		8		11	12			
4	5	6	9			13			16	

#### **X** Direction

- **1** A square
- 4 Mean of Y14 and Z8
- 8 Mean of Y8 and Z8
- **9** Five times Y2
- **11** Y14 plus X14 **13** Eight times Z8
- **14** Five times a prime number
- **16** Nine times a prime number

## **Y Direction**

- **1** X8 plus X4
- **2** Z6 plus half of X13
- 7 X8 plus Y15 8 Z11 divided by three
- **10** A prime number
- **11** A square
- **12** Twice X8
- 14 Sixteen times Y8
- 15 Y7 minus half of Y12

#### **Z** Direction

- 1 Y14 minus X14
- **2** Five times a prime number
- **3** Three times a prime number
- 4 X1 times Y8
- 5 Z2 minus X4
- 6 Mean of X4 and Z11
- **8** Y12 minus Y8
- **11** Y1 minus Y10

# **Solution:**

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