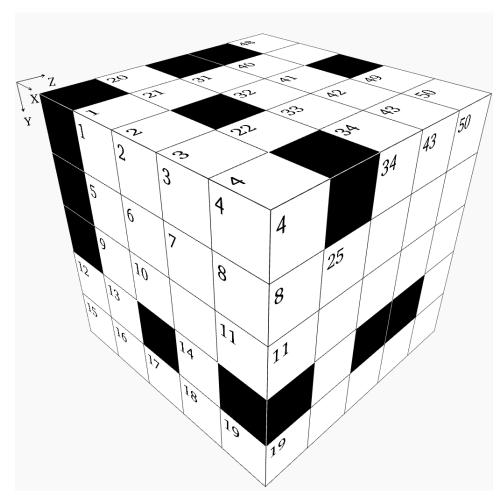


Cube - Hard Puzzle #14



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 cube pictured above and divide it into individual X-Y layers, we will get these planes:

	1	2		3		4		20		21				22					31		32	33	34
	5	6		7		8		23				24			25		35						
	9	10				11		26									36					37	
12	13			14				27				28		29					38				
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X Direction

- **1** Twice the result of Z18 plus Z26
- **5** Six hundred forty more than Z6
- 9 One thousand five hundred ninety-two 3 Y34 times Z34 less than X5
- **12** Z32 minus Y54
- **15** A prime number
- 20 A square
- 23 Rearranged digits of Y1
- **26** Ten times a prime number
- **27** A prime number
- 30 Six thousand eight hundred eighty-seven more than Z11
- **31** A prime number
- **35** Mean of Z19 and X31
- **36** X55 times Z12
- 38 Y2 plus Y49
- **39** Seven times a prime number
- **40** Nine hundred ninety-eight more than
- 44 Seventeen times a prime number
- **45** First two digits are the same as Y53
- **46** Mean of X48 and Y22
- **47** One thousand five hundred eleven more than Y50
- 48 Y53 minus Y54
- 49 Y53 minus Y48
- **51** Mean of Z34 and X48
- **52** A square
- **55** Y2 plus X46

Y Direction

- **1** Mean of Z8 and Z23
- 2 Y24 minus half of Z13
- 4 Y54 times Z46
- **12** Mean of X48 and Y54
- **20** Seven thousand sixty-one less than Y31
- 21 Twice the result of Y20 minus X20
- **22** X51 divided by five
- **24** Thirty times a prime number
- 25 Fourteen times a prime number
- **29** Y12 plus Y48
- **31** Rearranged digits of Y33
- **32** Thirteen thousand two hundred forty more than X27
- 33 Ten thousand two hundred eighty-one 17 Eleven thousand five hundred less than Z8
- **34** All digits are the same
- **35** Mean of X48 and Y29
- **40** Its digits total X49
- **41** Four times a prime number
- **42** A prime number
- **43** Five times a prime number
- **44** A prime number
- 48 A square
- **49** Twice a prime number
- **50** A prime number
- **53** Twice Y12
- **54** Sum of digits in Z5

Z Direction

- **1** A prime number
- **3** A prime number
- **5** Nine times a prime number
- **6** A prime number
- **7** Z17 minus Z37
- 8 Seventeen thousand one hundred fifty-seven more than X30
- **9** Twice a prime number
- 10 Half of X40, then subtract Y53
- 11 A prime number
- 12 Mean of Y22 and Y54
- **13** A palindrome
- **14** Ten times a prime number
- **15** X15 plus Z28
- **16** Z11 plus Z14
- sixty-nine more than Y21
- 18 Z37 plus Z26
- **19** A prime number
- **23** Sixty-six less than X31
- **26** Five times a prime number
- **28** All digits are the same
- **32** Y12 plus Z12
- **34** Seven times Z12
- 37 Thirty-two times X48
- 46 A square

Solution:

