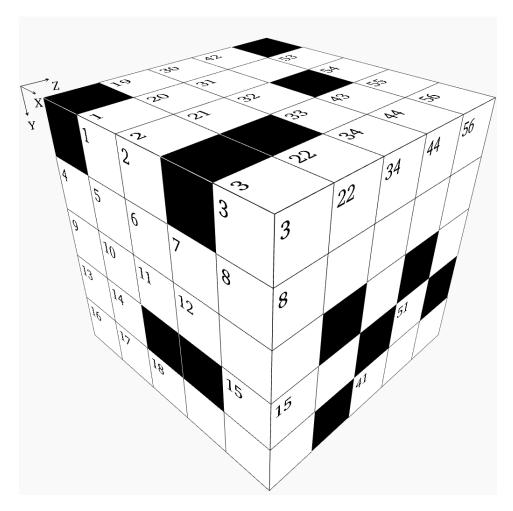


# **Cube - Hard Puzzle #25**



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		19		20	21				22		30		31		32	33	34
4	5	6		7	8		23									35						
9	10	11		12			24					25									36	
13	14				15		26			27		28						37		38		
16	17	18					29									39					40	41
			42					43	44				53		54		55		56		1	
						45		46			57											
			47		18	49					58											
			50						51		59											
						52																

#### **X** Direction

- 1 Half of X29, then subtract Y30
- **4** A prime number
- **9** Six times a prime number
- 13 Mean of Z13 and Z49
- 16 Y42 plus X58
- **19** Mean of Y34 and X43
- 23 Fifteen times Z50
- 24 Mean of Z19 and X30
- **26** Thirteen times a prime number
- **29** Twenty-eight times Y38
- **30** Three thousand one hundred eighty-seven more than Z12
- 35 Six times a prime number
- **36** Z46 minus Y25
- **37** Mean of Z41 and X13
- 39 Z27 times Y31
- **42** X53 divided by Z40
- **43** Mean of X13 and Z13
- **45** Z14 minus Y57
- **47** Thirty-eight times a prime number
- **50** Forty-eight times a prime number
- **52** Last two digits are the same as Y51
- **53** Forty-six times Y22
- **57** A prime number
- **58** Ninety-two times a prime number
- **59** Z10 minus Y7

## Y Direction

- **1** A prime number
- 2 Eleven times Z11
- 3 Y36 times Z11
- 4 Y45 minus Y7
- **7** Y22 minus Y38
- **19** Mean of X9 and Z10
- **20** Eight thousand four hundred ninety-four more than Y1
- **21** Sixteen times a prime number
- 22 Mean of Y7 and Z13
- 25 Mean of X42 and X36
- 30 Z50 plus Z33
- **31** Mean of X43 and X59
- **32** X1 plus Y38
- **34** Mean of Z27 and X43
- **36** Y3 divided by Y51
- **37** Y44 minus Y48
- **38** Same as Y37
- **42** Twenty times a prime number
- **43** One thousand one hundred seventy-one less than Y20
- 44 X45 divided by Y7
- **45** Eighty-two times a prime number
- **48** A square
- **51** Z41 minus Z5
- **53** Three times a prime number
- 54 Y2 minus Z48
- 55 Mean of X24 and Y34
- **56** Mean of Y54 and Z27
- **57** Ten times a prime number

#### **Z** Direction

- 1 Eight thousand four hundred eighty-seven more than Z9
- **2** X52 minus Z15
- **3** Twice the result of Z18 minus Z15
- **4** Three times a prime number
- **5** Z33 minus X13
- **6** Twice the result of Z12 minus Z2
- 8 Ten thousand seven hundred eighty-three less than X9
- Eleven thousand ninety-two less than Y43
- **10** Y25 plus Z13
- **11** Mean of Z10 and Y22
- **12** Eighty-one times a prime number
- 13 X37 minus X36
- **14** A prime number
- **15** Y48 plus X43
- 16 Seventeen thousand five hundred forty-one less than X57
- 17 Z8 divided by Z5
- 18 Y32 plus X30
- 19 Mean of Z49 and Z17
- **27** X52 plus X13
- **28** Its digits total Y48
- **33** Mean of X19 and Y25
- **40** X36 plus Y7
- 41 A square
- **46** X59 plus Y7
- 48 Z11 minus Z49
- 49 Half of Z10
- **50** A cube

# **Solution:**

