



# Cube - Intermediate Puzzle #50

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	6	7	8	12	13	
3	4		9		10		14	
		5		11		15		
		0		11		10		

#### **X** Direction

- 3 Z1 minus X15
- **6** A prime number
- 9 X15 plus Z711 X9 divided by eight
- 12 Mean of X11 and Y6
- 14 Z3 plus Y6
- 15 Mean of X14 and Z11

#### **Y** Direction

- **1** Z5 plus Z7
- **6** A prime number
- **7** Nineteen times a square
- **8** Half of Y13, then subtract X3
- **13** Eight times a prime number

#### **Z** Direction

- 1 Mean of Y1 and Z2
- **2** X14 minus Y6
- 3 Mean of Z1 and Y6
- **4** A prime number
- **5** A prime number
- **7** Z1 minus X11
- **10** Twice the result of X11 plus X12
- **11** X14 divided by six

## Solution:

1		6	1	٩	1	1	4	
6	٩		1	3	6		7	2
1		6		1	7	4	2	