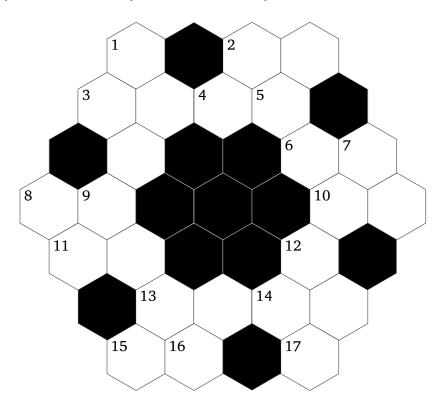
# TripleCross - Challenging Puzzle #12

This puzzle is like a crossword, but with numbers. Each digit occupies a hexagonal cell and can be a part of a "word" in the across, up, and down directions.

#### **Rules:**

- 1. "Words" may not start with a zero.
- 2. "Words" in the 'across' direction read from left to right.
- 3. "Words" in the 'up' direction read along the upward diagonal to the right.
- 4. "Words" in the 'down' direction read along the downward diagonal to the right.
- 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.



#### Across

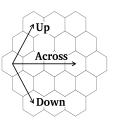
- **2** 4 up reversed
- **3** Twice a square
- 6 13 across divided by 15 across
- 8 7 down minus 3 up
- 10 Same as 1 down
- **11** Half of 17 up, then subtract 5 up
- **13** Two hundred eighty-five more than
- 14 up
- 15 1 down plus 8 down

### Up

- **3** A square
- 4 Mean of 1 down and 6 across
- **5** 16 up minus 11 across
- **11** A prime number
- **14** Sixty-five times a square
- **15** 13 across divided by 15 across
- **16** Three-fifths of 15 up
- **17** Twice 16 up

#### Down

- **1** Mean of 17 up and 3 up
- **2** Twelve times a prime number
- **3** 8 across plus half of 3 up
- **7** 10 across minus half of 12 down
- **8** 15 across minus 10 across
- 9 Eighty-two times a prime number
- **12** Four times a prime number
- 14 A prime number



Difficulty:

## Solution:

