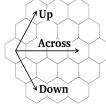


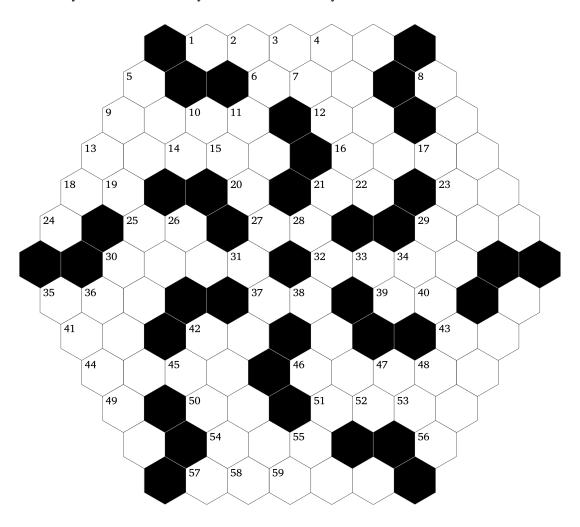
TripleCross - Hard Puzzle #9

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

- **1** Three times a prime number
- 6 Mean of 47 down and 17 up
- **9** 36 down plus 30 down
- **12** 26 down minus 43 across
- **13** 52 up times 10 down
- **16** 27 across times 17 up
- **18** A square
- 21 30 down minus 12 across
- **23** A square
- 25 2 down minus 41 across
- **27** 16 across divided by 2 down
- 29 8 down divided by 25 across
- **30** A prime number
- **32** Twenty-two times a prime number
- **35** 49 up times 31 down
- **37** 55 down plus 2 down
- **39** 35 across minus 19 up
- 41 Mean of 23 across and 20 up
- **42** 41 up divided by 48 down
- **43** 42 down divided by 28 up
- **44** Twice the result of 38 down plus 12
- **46** Sixty-three times a prime number
- **50** 45 up plus 33 down
- **51** 32 across plus 41 across
- **54** A prime number
- **57** 3 down plus 57 up

Up

- 7 Mean of 33 down and 12 across
- 12 Half of 44 up, then subtract 24 up
- **14** 48 down reversed
- **15** Seven hundred eighty-eight more than **4** Seventeen times a prime number 32 across
- 17 27 across minus 23 across
- **19** 50 across plus half of 7 up
- 20 47 down minus 50 across
- **22** 46 up minus 12 across
- **24** Eleven times a square
- **28** Consecutive digits unordered
- 31 Mean of 25 across and 43 across
- **38** A square
- **39** Seven thousand two hundred fifty-eight more than 46 across
- **40** Eight times a prime number
- **41** Nine hundred thirty-two less than 15
- 44 Seventeen thousand two hundred seventy-five less than 46 across
- **45** 50 across minus 31 up
- **46** 19 up minus 14 up
- 49 Same as 9 down
- **50** Eight hundred ninety-three more than **45** Twenty-two times a square 59 up
- 52 37 across minus 2 down
- **53** Rearranged digits of 47 down
- 56 17 down times 46 down
- 57 Mean of 17 down and 47 down
- **58** Mean of 31 down and 12 across **59** Thirty-five times a prime number

Down

- 2 27 across minus 23 across
- 3 Four thousand nine hundred three more than 1 across
- 5 45 up plus 25 across
- 8 Fifteen times a square
- **9** 26 down minus 14 up
- 10 13 across divided by 9 down
- **11** 52 up plus 27 across
- **13** Sixteen times a prime number
- **17** 56 up divided by 46 up
- 26 Mean of 55 down and 18 across
- 28 35 across minus 6 across
- **29** 27 across minus 22 up
- **30** 35 across minus 19 up
- **31** 35 across divided by 55 down
- 33 Mean of 43 across and 25 across
- **34** A prime number
- **35** A prime number
- **36** 9 across minus 39 across
- **38** A prime number
- **42** Eight thousand three hundred fifty-one more than 39 up
- **46** 22 up plus 12 across
- **47** 18 across plus 42 across
- **48** 45 up minus 58 up
- 55 13 across divided by 10 down

Solution:

