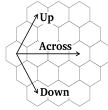


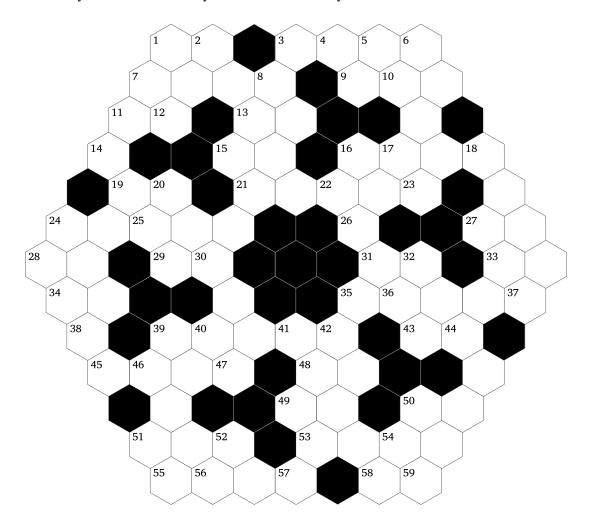
# **TripleCross - Hard Puzzle #23**

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

- 45 across divided by 31 across
- Fifty-seven times a prime number
- Fifteen times a square
- Mean of 16 across and 23 up
- 11 46 down divided by 46 up
- 13 Mean of 27 across and 28 up
- 37 up plus 42 down
- Twice a prime number
- 58 across plus 47 up
- Nineteen times a prime number
- Thirty-eight times a prime number
- 27 Mean of 38 up and 31 across
- 28 50 across plus 29 across
- 29 15 across minus half of 11 across
- A cube
- 40 down minus 23 up
- 34 13 across minus 50 across
- Forty-three times a square
- Last two digits are the same as last two digits of 14 down
- 10 up minus 29 up
- 46 down minus 29 across
- 48 A square
- 52 down minus 34 across
- 10 up minus 19 across
- Fifty-two times 54 down
- Thirteen times a prime number
- Twenty-eight times a prime number
- 58 38 up minus 43 across

#### Up

- 9 8 down plus 33 across
- 10 49 down plus 4 down
- Eight times a prime number
- Twice the result of 34 up plus 10 up
- 55 up plus 44 up
- 51 down minus 9 up
- 27 up plus half of 37 up
- 25 46 down divided by 46 up
- A prime number
- 27 50 across plus 49 down
- 55 up plus half of 8 down
- Mean of 42 down and 47 up
- Thirteen thousand three hundred seventy-three less than 41 down
- Four times a prime number
- 10 up minus 33 across
- 37 Mean of 31 across and 17 down
- 38 1 down plus half of 56 up
- 43 51 down minus half of 15 down
- Seven times a prime number
- 25 up minus 43 across
- 11 across minus 50 down
- 51 up minus 30 up
- Twice a prime number
- 15 across minus 43 up
- 8 down plus 55 up
- 51 down times 48 across 2 down divided by 52 down
- 44 up plus 16 across

#### Down

- 1 Mean of 58 across and 34 across
- Eighty-nine times a prime number
- Mean of 16 down and 6 down
- Forty-one times 23 up
- 6 3 across divided by 27 across
- 43 up plus 47 up
- 8 Mean of 56 up and 33 across
- Five times a prime number
- 15 Mean of 15 across and 52 down
- 49 down minus half of 4 down
- 15 down minus 29 up
- Sixteen times a prime number
- 20 Eight hundred sixteen less than 41 down
- Mean of 41 down and 57 up
- Mean of 27 across and 9 across
- 27 Mean of 55 up and 51 across
- A prime number
- Last two digits are the same as 52 down
- 39 55 up reversed
- 40 31 across plus 27 across
- 41 Sixty-seven times a prime number
- 36 up minus 37 up
- 10 up times 33 across
- 49 Mean of 42 down and 22 up
- 50 19 across minus 28 across
- 1 across plus 29 up
- 47 up plus 1 across
- Same as 50 down

## **Solution:**

