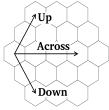


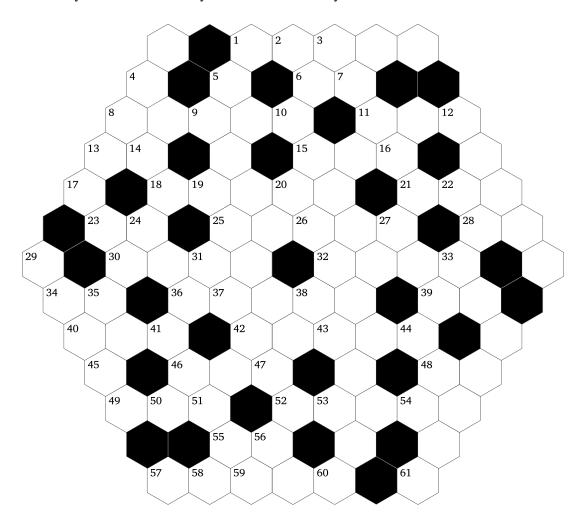
# **TripleCross - Hard Puzzle #45**

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

- Two thousand three hundred forty less than 10 down
- Mean of 50 up and 46 across
- Four times a prime number
- 11 Mean of 19 up and 33 down
- 19 up divided by 22 down
- Three times a prime number
- Ten times a prime number
- Five times a prime number
- 23 59 up minus half of 54 up
- Four times a prime number
- 22 down plus 50 up
- Last two digits are the same as last two digits of 60 up
- Nineteen times a prime number
- 16 up reversed
- Ten times a prime number
- 58 up minus 35 down
- 53 up plus 4 down
- Twice a prime number
- 54 up plus 39 across
- 48 A square
- 11 across minus 22 down
- 52 Mean of 38 down and 61 up
- 45 up minus 13 across
- 57 Three thousand seven hundred ninety-two more than 44 up

#### Up

- 7 Mean of 48 across and 39 across
- 9 49 across plus half of 5 down
- 10 Mean of 15 across and 55 across
- Mean of 7 up and 59 up
- A square
- Twenty times a prime number
- 19 Mean of 40 across and 49 across
- 14 up minus 53 down
- 26 55 across times 54 up
- Twenty-nine times a prime number
- 17 up minus 14 up
- Ten times a prime number
- 43 Last two digits are the same as last two digits of 38 down
- Two thousand one hundred fifty-five less than 36 across
- 57 across minus 10 down
- One hundred seventy-eight less than 25 across
- 14 up minus 55 across
- Five times a square
- 19 up plus 45 up
- Mean of 16 up and 59 up
- 4 down plus 7 up
- 13 across plus 54 up
- 44 up minus 12 down
- Three thousand two hundred fifty-one **56** 7 up minus 13 across more than 57 across

#### Down

- 14 up minus 22 up
- Three thousand one hundred eighty-one less than 37 up
- 4 28 across minus 22 up
- Mean of 59 up and 53 down
- 8 Mean of 40 across and 6 across
- Twenty-six times a prime number
- First two digits are the same as first two digits of 9 up
- Forty-one times a prime number
- 17 Half of 25 across, then subtract 36 across
- 19 11 across times 46 across
- Three times a prime number
- 5 down minus 23 across
- 24 Half of 43 up, then subtract 41 up
- Nineteen times a square
- 29 27 down plus half of 61 up
- 37 up plus 32 across
- 44 down minus 6 across
- 46 across minus 5 down
- Four times a prime number
- A prime number
- 39 across plus 8 down
- 53 Mean of 58 up and 4 down
- 1 across divided by 53 up

## **Solution:**

