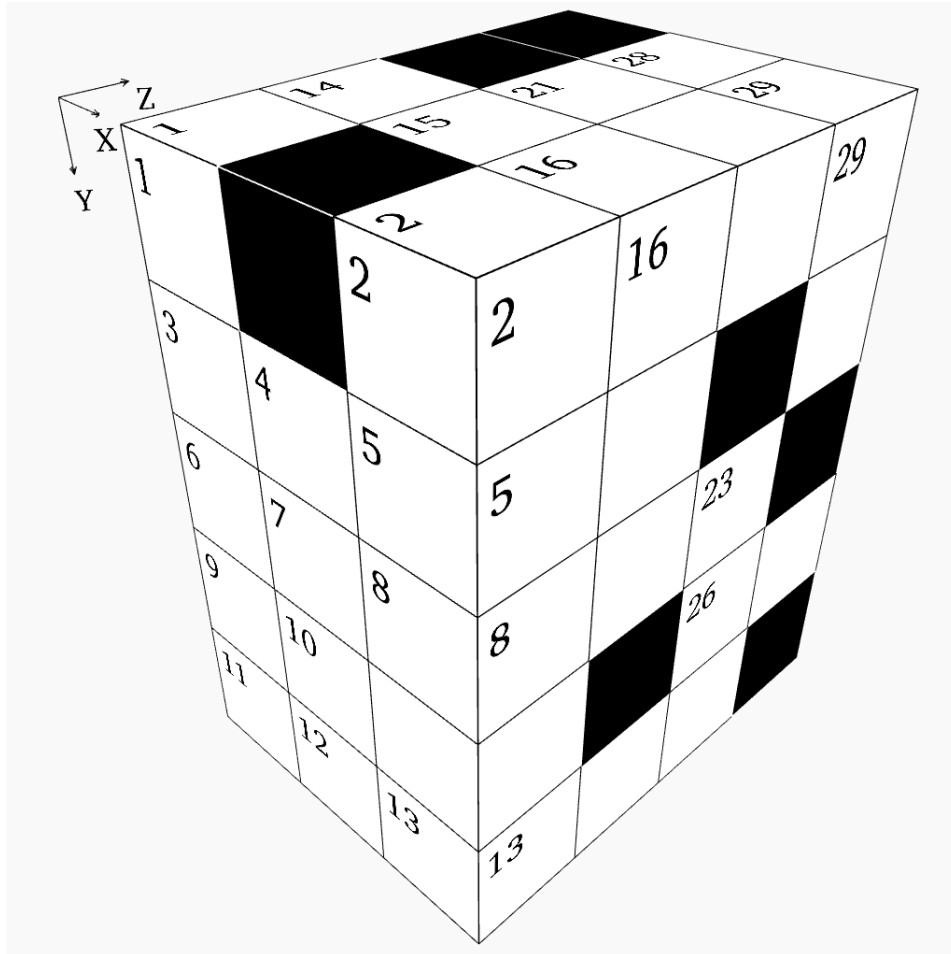


Difficulty: ★★☆☆☆

## Box - Challenging 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 box pictured above and divide it into individual X-Y layers, we will get these planes:

1		2	14	15	16		21			28	29
3	4	5		17		22				30	
6	7	8		18				23			
9	10		19			24	25	26	31		
11	12	13		20			27		32		

### X Direction

- 3 Seven times a prime number
- 6 A prime number
- 9 Four times a prime number
- 11 Mean of Y23 and X17
- 14 Z1 plus X31
- 17 Z13 minus X11
- 18 A square
- 19 Six times Z5
- 20 Y21 divided by four
- 21 Z7 minus X28
- 22 X32 plus Y29
- 24 X18 times X32
- 27 Mean of Z26 and Y21
- 28 A square
- 30 X32 reversed
- 31 Twice a prime number
- 32 Y29 minus Z5

### Y Direction

- 1 Nine times a prime number
- 2 Fourteen times a prime number
- 4 Y2 minus Z2
- 15 Three times a prime number
- 16 Y22 plus Z26
- 21 X32 plus Z1
- 22 X24 minus Z5
- 23 Six times a prime number
- 25 Half of X19, then subtract Z1
- 28 Y1 plus Z26
- 29 Mean of X22 and Z5
- 31 X27 minus Y25

### Z Direction

- 1 X22 minus X21
- 2 Seventy-nine times X28
- 4 Twenty-one times a prime number
- 5 A square
- 7 X18 plus X21
- 8 Seventeen times Z26
- 9 A prime number
- 10 Seventy-seven times X17
- 12 Seventeen times a prime number
- 13 Same as Y23
- 15 Mean of Y22 and X20
- 26 Mean of Z5 and X19

**Solution:**

2	■	1	3	4	9	■	6	7	■	2	5
7	9	1	■	8	6	9	0	■	■	7	3
1	9	9	■	2	5	0	■	2	■	2	■
7	6	4	9	6	■	9	2	5	3	2	6
1	7	2	■	1	5	■	5	8	3	7	■