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## Box - Hard Puzzle \#6



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 $\mathrm{X}, \mathrm{Y}$, 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 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|  | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 |  |  | 17 |
| 18 |  | 19 |  |  |



| 33 |  | 34 | 35 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 36 | 37 |  |  |  |
| 38 |  |  |  | 39 |
| 40 |  |  |  |  |
| 41 |  |  |  |  |

## X Direction

1 Seven times a prime number
6 Three times a prime number
11 A prime number
15 Mean of Z10 and Z35
19 Twice a prime number
20 Z10 plus X30
24 X47 minus Y4
26 Twice a prime number
27 Thirteen times a prime number
30 Twice a prime number
34 Y44 reversed
36 Mean of Z13 and Z26
38 Three thousand eight hundred fifty less than X1
40 Sixteen thousand four hundred eighty-three less than X38
41 Five times a prime number
42 Twice a prime number
47 A prime number
48 Nine thousand eight hundred thirty-three less than Y21
49 Y3 divided by three

## Y Direction

1 X15 plus Z35
2 Thirty-one times a prime number
3 Z5 minus Z1
4 Y 5 minus Z5
5 Thirty-five times Y3
15 X34 minus Z31
20 Five thousand four hundred ninety-eight more than Y22
21 Y44 times X49
22 First two digits are the same as Z35
23 Fifty-five times a prime number
25 Y39 minus X15
33 Last two digits are the same as last two digits of Z1
34 X6 plus Y2
35 A prime number
37 Six times a prime number
39 Five times a prime number
42 Twice the result of Y22 plus Z18
43 Five times a prime number
44 X34 reversed
45 Twelve times Y15
46 Four times a prime number

## Z Direction

1 A prime number
2 A square
3 Eight times a prime number
5 Twice a prime number
6 Fourteen times a prime number
7 A prime number
8 First two digits are the same as first two digits of X38
9 Mean of Y45 and Z13
10 X34 minus Z35
11 Three times a prime number
12 Rearranged digits of Z16
13 Twice a prime number
14 Y37 minus X34
15 A prime number
16 Mean of Z7 and Z9
17 Z15 minus Y45
18 One thousand seven hundred three less than Y5
19 Twice the result of X40 minus Y23
26 A square
28 Mean of X15 and X49
29 Y43 minus Y5
31 Mean of Y1 and Z2
32 Y20 divided by X19
35 Y4 minus Y3

## Solution:



