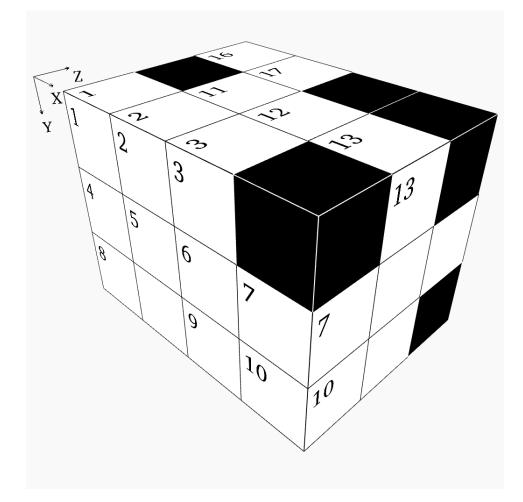


# Box - Intermediate Puzzle #24



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	3		11	12	13	16	17	
4	5	6	7	14			18		
8		9	10		15		19		

#### **X** Direction

- **1** Half of Y2, then subtract Z3
- **4** Thirteen times a prime number
- **8** Twenty-seven times a prime number
- **11** A prime number
- 14 Y3 minus X16
- 15 Z6 divided by four
- **16** Y16 minus Y1
- 18 A square
- **19** Rearranged digits of Y12

#### **Y** Direction

- **1** Twice a prime number
- 2 Z2 plus Z10
  3 X14 plus half of X18
  7 Y17 divided by twenty-two
- **11** Twice a prime number
- **12** X15 plus half of Z8 13 Mean of X19 and Y11
- **16** Six times a prime number
- 17 Twice a square

## **Z** Direction

- 2 Twice a square
  3 Y11 minus X15
  5 Y17 plus Z9
  6 X16 plus X18

- **7** Fourteen times a prime number
- 8 Thirty-four times Z10
- **9** Twice a square
- 10 Z7 divided by Y7

# Solution:

3	8	6			8	2	3	3	2		
			1		6	6	5	6	4		4
4	6	7	1	F		2	4	6	2	2	