## Cube - Hard Puzzle \#8



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 cube pictured above and divide it into individual X - Y layers, we will get these planes:


## X Direction

1 X63 minus Y29
5 Four times X54
9 Seven times a prime number
11 Y36 plus Z44
14 X61 minus Z14
16 Z53 plus Y35
18 A prime number
23 Nine hundred seven more than X51
25 X11 minus X35
28 Thirteen times Z49
31 Half of Y56, then subtract Y2
32 X33 minus X16
33 X35 reversed
35 Y29 plus X31
37 Ten times a prime number
39 Fifty-nine times Z52
40 Fifty times a prime number
43 One thousand three hundred forty-seven more than Z26
46 Half of X5
49 Twice the result of Z2 plus X43
51 First two digits are the same as Z41
54 X35 plus Z19
55 Y22 divided by Y4
56 Four thousand nine hundred ninety-eight less than Y56
61 A prime number
62 Two thousand four hundred ninety-five more than Z24
63 Twice the result of X37 minus Y50 64 A prime number

## Y Direction

1 Mean of Y21 and Z24
2 Sixty-six times a prime number
3 Z 30 minus half of X46
4 Mean of X64 and X16
11 Z 13 minus Y19
18 Y3 plus Y48
19 Z13 minus X31
20 Twice the result of Y 1 plus Z 10
21 X1 minus Y19
22 Fifty-nine times a square
29 X35 minus Y11
34 Twice the result of Z8 minus Y48
35 Y36 minus X64
36 Mean of X32 and Z44
38 A prime number
39 Y18 divided by Z53
42 Mean of X14 and Y35
45 X5 minus Y35
46 Y20 plus X62
47 Mean of X11 and Z16
48 A prime number
50 Seventy-five times X14
56 One thousand eight hundred ninety more than Y34
57 Twenty-one times Y29
58 Y38 plus half of X39
59 Thirteen times a prime number
60 Twenty times X1

## Z Direction

1 Mean of X64 and Z4
2 Ninety-six times a prime number
3 Forty-four times a prime number
4 X31 plus Z53
5 Ninety times a prime number
6 Z 3 minus half of Y46
7 A prime number
8 A prime number
9 Forty times a prime number
10 X14 plus Z52
12 Two thousand four hundred eighty-three more than X18
13 Five times X33
14 Seventy-two times a prime number
15 Five times a prime number
16 Rearranged digits of X25
17 X63 minus X55
18 Three times a prime number
19 Z49 minus Z52
24 Three times a prime number
26 Nine times a prime number
27 Mean of Z10 and X16
30 Y3 plus X54
41 Mean of X33 and Y21
44 A square
46 Y57 divided by twenty-one
49 Mean of Z4 and Y35
52 Y45 minus Y57
53 Y35 minus Y29

## Solution:



