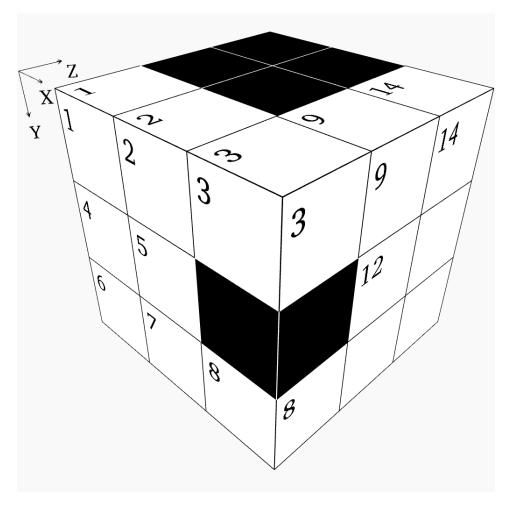
Cube - Intermediate Puzzle #42



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

1	2	3			9		14
4	5		10	11	12	15	
6	7	8		13		16	

X Direction

- **1** Twenty-eight times Z12
- **4** Twice the result of X10 minus Z5
- **6** Eleven times a square
- **10** A square
- **13** Ten times a square
- 16 Z4 reversed

Y Direction

- **1** Two more than X1
- **2** Consecutive digits in ascending order
- 9 Mean of Z7 and Y1111 Y14 divided by thirteen
- **14** Thirteen times a prime number
- **15** Half of Y1, then subtract X16

Z Direction

- 3 X6 minus half of X1
- **4** X16 reversed
- 5 Twice a prime number7 A prime number
- **8** X4 plus Y11
- **12** Z8 minus X13

Solution:

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