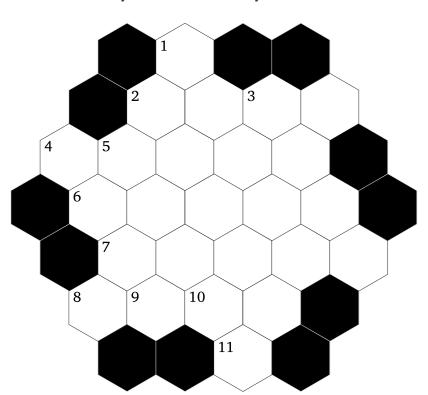


TripleCross - Challenging Puzzle #40

This puzzle is like a crossword, but with numbers. Each digit occupies a hexagonal cell and can be a part of a "word" in the across, up, and down directions.

Rules:

- 1. "Words" may not start with a zero.
- 2. "Words" in the 'across' direction read from left to right.
- 3. "Words" in the 'up' direction read along the upward diagonal to the right.
- 4. "Words" in the 'down' direction read along the downward diagonal to the right.
- 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.



Across

- **2** Nine times a prime number
- **4** Fifty-three times a prime number
- 6 Six thousand three hundred thirty-seven less than 8 up
- 7 10 up plus half of 8 up
- 8 Rearranged digits of 11 up

Up

- **6** 4 across minus half of 8 across
- **8** Five thousand three hundred eighty more than 2 down
- **9** Consecutive digits unordered
- **10** Twenty-three times a prime number
- **11** Forty-four less than 6 up

Down

- **1** Three hundred thirty-one more than 4 across
- **2** Twice the result of 5 down plus 3 down
- **3** Twenty-two times a prime number
- 4 10 up divided by twenty-three
- **5** Thirty-nine times a prime number

Solution:

