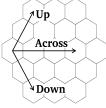
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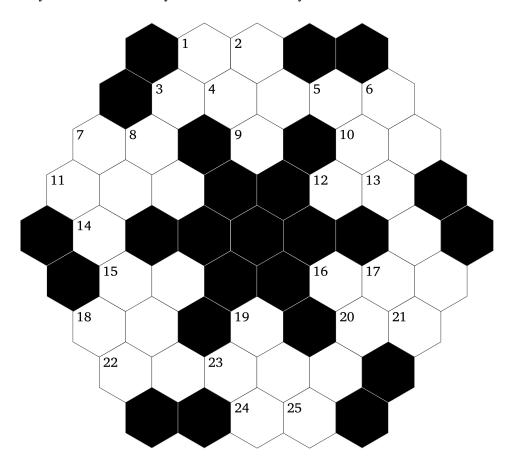
# **TripleCross - Intermediate Puzzle #58**

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

- **1** 23 up plus 13 up
- **3** Seven times a prime number
- 7 15 across plus 13 up
- **10** 21 up minus 15 across
- 11 Nine times 9 up
- **12** 24 across plus 1 across
- **15** 18 across plus 18 up
- **16** A prime number
- **18** Four-fifths of 24 across
- **20** 12 across plus 23 up
- **22** Seventy-three times a prime number
- **24** 16 down divided by five

## Up

- 4 Consecutive digits in descending order 1 Twice the result of 22 up plus 18 across
- **9** 23 up plus 13 up
- 11 21 up minus 15 across
- **12** Thirty-nine times 18 down
- **13** 15 across minus 18 down
- **14** Six thousand ninety-three more than 3 **8** 21 up plus half of 20 across
- **18** Mean of 23 up and 18 down
- **21** 7 down plus 24 up
- **22** Mean of 11 across and 24 up
- 23 Sum of digits in 22 across
- 24 7 across minus 11 up
- **25** 3 across minus 16 down

#### Down

- 2 Twice 7 down
- **5** A prime number
- **6** Three-fourths of 22 up
- 7 12 up divided by 13 up
- **11** First two digits are the same as 1 across
- 16 Mean of 17 down and 2 down
- **17** Seven times 18 across
- 18 7 across minus 1 across
- 19 11 down divided by 4 up
- 23 Same as 18 down

# **Solution:**

