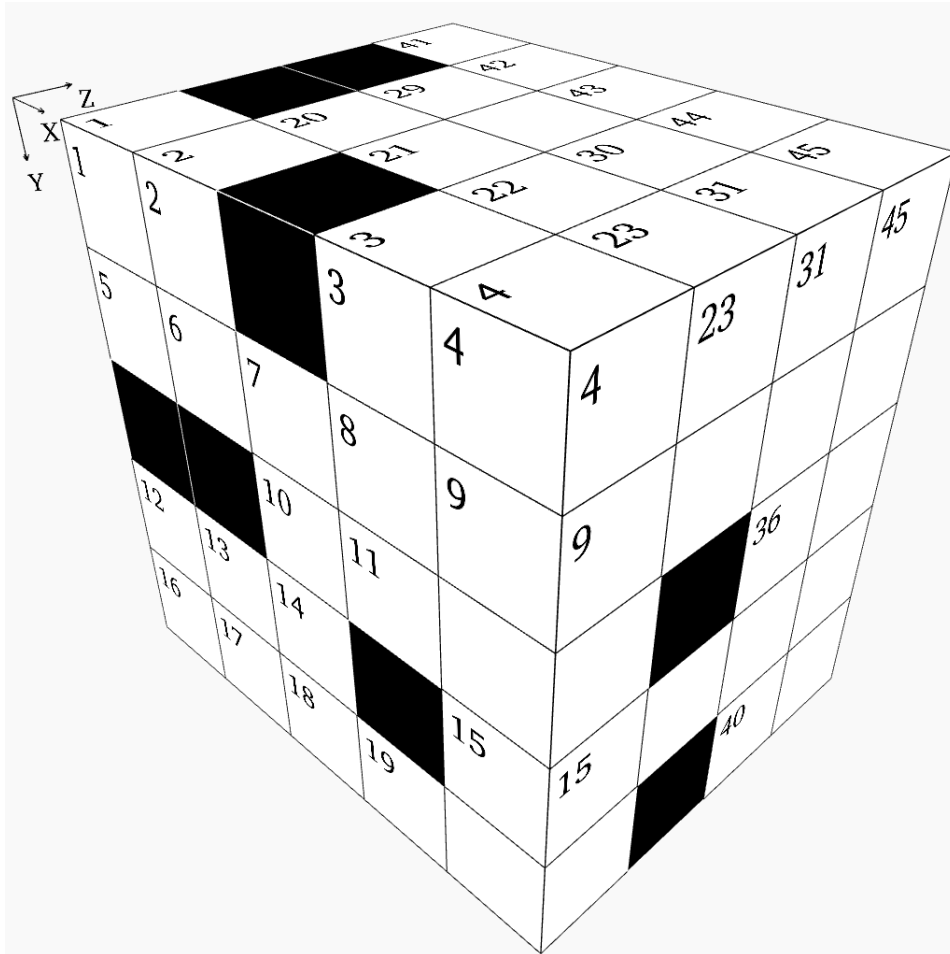


Difficulty: ★★★★★

Box - Hard Puzzle #2



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	4		20	21	22	23		29		30	31
5	6	7	8	9		24				32			33	
		10	11			25				34		35		36
12	13	14		15	26		27			37			38	
16	17	18	19		28						39			40
					41	42	43	44	45					
					46									
					47									
					48									
							49							

X Direction

- 1 Y23 minus Y12
- 3 X24 divided by X26
- 5 Ninety-six times a prime number
- 10 A prime number
- 12 Y35 minus Y22
- 16 Twelve thousand four hundred seventy-one less than X34
- 20 Three times a prime number
- 24 One hundred sixty-seven more than Y7
- 26 Nineteen times a square
- 28 Z21 times Z38
- 29 Thirty-three times Y2
- 32 X3 plus Z38
- 33 Z32 minus Y13
- 34 First two digits are the same as first two digits of Z25
- 37 Twice a prime number
- 39 Forty-eight times a prime number
- 41 Eighty-two times a prime number
- 46 Rearranged digits of Y41
- 47 Twenty times a prime number
- 48 Forty-four times a prime number
- 49 Mean of Z40 and Y35

Y Direction

- 1 Mean of Z36 and Y2
- 2 Z32 minus Y13
- 3 Nine times a prime number
- 4 First two digits are the same as first two digits of X49
- 7 Last two digits are the same as last two digits of Y41
- 12 X48 minus X34
- 13 X3 plus Y27
- 20 Consecutive digits unordered
- 21 A square
- 22 Z7 plus Z34
- 23 Z21 minus Y1
- 26 Z32 minus Y27
- 27 X29 divided by Y1
- 29 Y7 plus half of Z15
- 30 Mean of X37 and Z25
- 31 A palindrome
- 32 One hundred thirty-eight less than X29
- 35 A prime number
- 41 A prime number
- 42 Consecutive digits unordered
- 43 Mean of X41 and Z35
- 44 Seven thousand two more than X47
- 45 Four thousand six more than Y30

Z Direction

- 2 Y42 minus Z12
- 3 First three digits are the same as Z21
- 4 Forty-six times a prime number
- 6 Mean of X12 and Z15
- 7 Mean of Y13 and Y12
- 8 Ninety-three times a square
- 9 X49 plus half of Z19
- 11 Twice a prime number
- 12 Thirty-five less than Y7
- 13 Twenty-nine times a prime number
- 14 X28 plus Y21
- 15 Four times a prime number
- 16 Z21 minus Y2
- 17 A prime number
- 18 Mean of Z4 and Z11
- 19 Mean of Z40 and Y7
- 21 Eight times X3
- 25 Consecutive digits in descending order
- 32 Mean of Z21 and Z35
- 34 Y1 plus Y13
- 35 Y13 plus Z40
- 36 X16 divided by Z8
- 38 Z32 minus X1
- 40 Sum of digits in X5

Solution:

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