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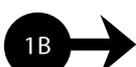
Each Sudoku has two marked rows or columns (except in 15th puzzle). You need to submit all digits in the corresponding directions, from left to right or from top to bottom.



In the example, the two answer keys are:

1A: 367594218
1B: 283749165

All puzzles will use digits 1-9 in the submission.



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

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This is version 2 of the instruction booklet.

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TOTAL: 600

1-6 Classic Sudoku

Place a digit from 1-9 in each empty cell in the grid such that each row, column and marked 3x3 box contains each digit exactly once.

Example

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

Solution

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

7 Non-Consecutive Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. Digits placed in adjacent cells must not be consecutive.

Example

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

Solution

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

8 Renban Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. Digits placed in each shaded region must form a consecutive, non-repeating set.

Example

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

Solution

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

9 Battenburg Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. Everywhere 2 odd and 2 even digits form a 2x2 chessboard pattern, a Battenburg marking is given. If there is no marking, the above pattern is not allowed.

Example

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

Solution

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

10 Consecutive Chains Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. Digits in the grey areas must form a chain of consecutive digits from 1 to 9 by moving horizontally or vertically from one cell to the next.

Example

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

Solution

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

11 Mathrax Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. Some intersections are marked by number and operator (+, -, x, /) in a circle. The number is the result of the operation, applied to both pairs of diagonally opposite cells. An "E" or "O" in the circle indicates that all four adjacent digits are even or odd.

Example

Solution

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

12 Killer Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. The digits placed in each marked cage must sum to the total given in its top-left. Numbers must not repeat in cages.

Example

16				12				17
		29						
23						27		
								2
			4	2				10
2	12							
					10			
9								
		7						14

Solution

16	7	9	4	3	5	6	1	2	8	
	1	3	5	7	2	8	6	4	9	
23	6	2	8	9	1	4	5	7	3	
	8	4	7	1	3	5	9	6	2	
	9	5	6	4	8	2	7	3	10	1
	2	1	3	6	9	7	8	5	4	
	3	6	2	8	7	10	1	4	9	5
9	4	8	9	5	6	3	2	1	7	
	5	7	1	2	4	9	3	14	8	6

13 Max Ascending Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. Clues outside the grid indicate the length of the longest series of ascending digits in the corresponding direction.

Example

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

Solution

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

14 Big-Small Japanese Sums Sudoku

Apply classic sudoku rules. Clues outside the grid indicate the sums of groups of digits in the given order. Clues on top refer to groups of big digits (5-9). These groups are separated by at least one small digit (1-4). Clues on the left refer to groups of small digits, that are separated by at least one big digit.

Example

8 15 12 5
14 7 6 15 17 9 18
6 5 8 9 6 8 20 9
7 8 9 35 6 12 18 15 8

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

Solution

8 15 12 5
14 7 6 15 17 9 18
6 5 8 9 6 8 20 9
7 8 9 35 6 12 18 15 8

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

15 Overlapping Irregular Sudoku

Place the digits from 1 to 9 in every row and column of both overlapping grids and in every bold outlined area for the puzzle as a whole.

Note: There will be three answer keys for this puzzle, one of them consists of 15 digits.

Example

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

Solution

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

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