

1) Loop one:

Q1::1
Q2::3#8
Q3::2,4#8
Q4::2#3,5#8
Q5::2#4,6#8
Q6::2#5,7#8
Q7::2#6,8
Q8::2#7

Loop two:

Q1::1
Q2::5
Q3::2,7#8
Q4::2,6,8
Q5::3#4,6#7
Q6::2#4,7#8
Q7::2#4,6,8
Q8::2#4,6#7

The propagator $Q0 \neq Q$ prevents any value for Q from being in the same column that Q0 is in.

The propagator $abs(Q0 - Q) \neq D0$ prevents any queen from being in the diagonal row. Example: if the queen is in column 2, row 5 of the previous then the next queen can't be in row 3 column 6 because $abs(1-6)$ is equal to 5. It could be in row 3 column 7 because $abs(1-7)$ does **not** equal 5.

The propagator $D1 \neq D0 + 1$ simply prevents any queen from being in the column that is represented by D0.

2)

sudoku(Rows) :-

length(Rows, 9),	#1
maplist(same_length(Rows), Rows),	#2
append(Rows, Vs),	#3
Vs ins 1..9,	#4
maplist(all_distinct, Rows),	#5
transpose(Rows, Columns),	#6
maplist(all_distinct, Columns),	#7
Rows = [A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,I],	#8
blocks(A, B, C),	#9
blocks(D, E, F),	#10
blocks(G, H, I).	#11

blocks([], [], []).	#12
blocks([A,B,C Bs1], [D,E,F Bs2], [G,H,I Bs3]) :-	#13
all_distinct([A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,I]),	#14
blocks(Bs1, Bs2, Bs3).	#15

#1 The length of the Rows will be 9 (for now unbound variables).

#2 Each of the unbound variables from #1 will be a list of size 9 (for now unbound variables) like a 9 by 9 array.

#3 Takes each list and appends them together into one lone list of size 81 called Vs.

#4 Each variable in the list Vs will be a number from 1 to 9.

#5 Each of the sub-lists of Rows will have distinct variables within each sub-list.

#6 Create a new list Cols that is the same structure as Rows.

#7 Each of the sub lists of Rows will have distinct variables within each sub-list.

#8 Assign variable names for each of the 9 sub-lists Of Rows.

#9 Call blocks function with first three sub-lists of Rows.

#10 Call blocks function with next three sub-lists of Rows.

#11 Call blocks function with last three sub-lists of Rows.

#12 Base case, program has reached an end.

#13 Breaks up each sub-list of Rows that was passed into the function into it's own list with the first three elements given variables and a tail for each broken up list.

#14 Each of the first three elements must be distinct within their own list.

#15 Recursive call with the tails until base case is reached.

3A) A says: "Two of us are knaves." B says: "A is a knave or C is a knight."

example_knights(6, [A,B,C]) :-

sat(A:=card([2],[~A,~B,C])),

sat(B:=(~A + C)).

Result: A = C, C = 0, B = 1

3B) A says C is a knave and B is a knight. B agrees with A. C says A and B are both Knaves.

example_knights(7,[A,B,C]) :-

sat(A:= (~C * B)),

sat(B:= (~C * B)),

sat(C:= (~A * ~B)).

Output: **A = B**, sat(**B**=\=C)

3C) A says: "A or C are not the same as B or D, or E is a knight."

D says: "I agree with A or I know that E is the same as me."

E says: "A is a Knight and B is a Knave."

B says: "C can't be the same as D or E."

C is a knight.

example_knights(7, [A,B,C,D,E]) :-

sat(A:=((A + C)=\=(B + D) + E)),

sat(D:=((A + C)=\=(B + D) + (E:=D))),

sat(E:= (A * ~B)),

sat(B:= (C=\=(D + E))),

sat(C:=1).

Result: A = D, D = E, E = 0, B = C, C = 1

4)

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:- use_module(library(clpfd)).

crypt1([H1|L1],[H2|L2],[H3|L3],L4,R1,R2,R3) :-

% Give constraints on variable values in L4
    L4 ins 0..9,
% Heads cannot have value 0
    H1 #\= 0,
    H2 #\= 0,
    H3 #\= 0,
% Variable values are distinct in L4
    all_distinct(L4),
% Reverse the 3 input words
    reverse([H1|L1],R1),
    reverse([H2|L2],R2),
    reverse([H3|L3],R3),
% Call to helper function that does the sum with
%reversed words one iteration at a time
    helpr(R1,R2,R3,0,1).
helpr([],[],[X],C,_):- X #= C.
helpr([RH1|RT1],[RH2|RT2],[RH3|RT3],C,E):-
    C2 #= div(RH1+RH2+C,10),
    Carry #= 10*C2,
    Digit #= mod(RH1+RH2+C,10),
    E*(RH1+RH2+C) #= E*(Digit+Carry),
    Digit #= RH3,
    E2 #= E*10,
    helpr(RT1,RT2,RT3,C2,E2).
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4b) Backwards lists are the R1, R2, R3 variables for easy checking.

[H,O,M,E],[R,O,M,E],[P,O,E,M,S]

R1 = [4, 0, 2, 9],

R2 = [4, 0, 2, 3],

R3 = [8, 0, 4, 2, 1],

E = 4,

H = 9,

M = 0,

O = 2,

P = 1,

R = 3,

S = 8

[M,A,L,E],[P,L,A,N],[L,O,N,E,R]

R1 = [7, 1, 5, 2],

R2 = [6, 5, 1, 8],

R3 = [3, 7, 6, 0, 1]

A = 5,

E = 7,

L = 1,

M = 2,

N = 6,

O = 0,

P = 8,

R = 3,

[C,R,O,S,S],[R,O,A,D,S],[D,A,N,G,E,R]

R1 = [3, 3, 2, 6, 9],

R2 = [3, 1, 5, 2, 6],

R3 = [6, 4, 7, 8, 5, 1],

A = 5,

C = 9,

D = 1,

E = 4,

G = 7,

N = 8,

O = 2,

R = 6,

S = 3

Extra Credit)

% render solutions nicely.

:- use_rendering(chess).

queens(N,Qs) :- makeList(N,Qs), placeQueens(N,Qs,_,_).

% could have used length(Qs,N) for makeList

makeList(0,[]).

makeList(N,[_|T]) :- Ndec is N-1, makeList(Ndec,T).

placeQueens(0,_,_,_) :- !.

placeQueens(N,Cs,Us,[_|Ds]) :- N>0, Ndec is N-1,

placeQueens(Ndec,Cs,[_|Us],Ds),

placeQueen(N,Cs,Us,Ds).

placeQueen(N,[N|_],[N|_],[N|_]).

placeQueen(N,[_|Cs2],[_|Us2],[_|Ds2]) :- placeQueen(N,Cs2,Us2,Ds2).