



Build Sudoku

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Introduction:

Focusing on history and development:

Sudoku is a popular logic-based number-placement puzzle. The objective is to fill a 9×9 grid with digits so that each column, each row, and each of the nine 3×3 subgrids contains all of the digits from 1 to 9 only once. While its exact origins are uncertain, the modern form of Sudoku is believed to have originated in late 20th-century Japan, where it gained immense popularity and eventually spread worldwide. Beyond being a fun pastime, Sudoku has been shown to enhance cognitive abilities, improve focus, and boost logical reasoning skills.

Sudoku is more than just an entertaining puzzle; it's a powerful educational tool. The game helps develop a wide range of cognitive skills, including:

- * Focus and attention: Solving Sudoku puzzles requires intense focus and the ability to switch between different parts of the grid

How To Build:

Creating a Sudoku puzzle involves starting with a completely filled grid, then systematically removing numbers until you reach a specific difficulty level. Here are the basic steps:

- * Create a complete grid: Fill a 9×9 grid with numbers from 1 to 9, ensuring that each row, column, and 3×3 subgrid contains each number only once.

- * Remove numbers: Start removing numbers one by one. The more numbers you remove, the harder the puzzle becomes.

- * Check for uniqueness: Ensure that the puzzle has only one unique solution. You can do this by solving the puzzle yourself or using a computer program.

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% generate a new cell or override an old one

generateCell(X,Y,[V]):-retract(cell(X,Y,_)),random(1,10,V),assert(cell(X,Y,[V],0)).

generateCell(X,Y,[V]):-random(1,10,V),assert(cell(X,Y,[V],0)).

%check validation of cell in square (X and Y is the position of the cell to validate its value),

%(MX is the max index of the square horizontally),(SX,SY start of the square horizontally and vertically)

%It will return a true if the value is valid and false if it's not

validateSquare(X,Y,_,X,Y):-!.

validateSquare(X,Y,MX,SX,SY):- SX=<MX,cell(X,Y,V,_),cell(SX,SY,V1,_),not(isEqual(V,V1)), NX is SX+1,validateSquare(X,Y,MX,NX,SY),!.

validateSquare(X,Y,MX,SX,SY):- SX:=MX+1, NY is SY+1, NX is SX-3,validateSquare(X,Y,MX,NX,NY),!.

% check validation of cell in column,return true if it's valid and false if it's not[X,Y is the indexes of the cell,I is an index]

validateColumn(_,_,10):-!.

validateColumn(X,Y,I):- I:=Y,NY is I+1,validateColumn(X,Y,NY),!.

validateColumn(X,Y,I):- not(cell(X,I,_,_)),NY is I+1,validateColumn(X,Y,NY),!.

validateColumn(X,Y,I):- cell(X,I,[H | _],_),cell(X,Y,[H1 | _],_),H=\=H1,NY is I+1,validateColumn(X,Y,NY),!.

% check validation of cell in row,return true if it's valid and false if it's not[X,Y is the indexes of the cell,I is an index]

validateRow(_,_,10):-!.

validateRow(X,Y,I):- I:=X,NY is I+1,validateRow(X,Y,NY),!.

validateRow(X,Y,I):- not(cell(I,Y,_,_)),NY is I+1,validateRow(X,Y,NY),!.

validateRow(X,Y,I):- cell(I,Y,[H | _],_),cell(X,Y,[H1 | _],_),H=\=H1,NY is I+1,validateRow(X,Y,NY),!.

% fill a square with unique numbers(X,Y are the start indexes of the square),(MX,MY are the end indexes of the square)

% I is count of times the cell has been build ,J is count of times the square has been build

% refill the square if the cell has been built 20 times

% refill the the last square or the above square if the square has been built 20 times

fillSquare(_,_,MX,MY,_,10):-MX>3,NSX is MX -5,NSY is MY-2,NMX is MX-

3,clearSquare(NSX,NMX,NSY,MY),SX is MX -5,SY is MY-2,NNMX is MX-

3,fillSquare(SX,SY,NNMX,MY,0,0),

TSX is MX -2,TSY is MY -2,clearSquare(TSX,MX,TSY,MY),TNSX is MX-2,TNSY is MY-2,fillSquare(TNSX,TNSY,MX,MY,0,0).

fillSquare(_,_,MX,MY,_,10):-MY>3,NSX is MX -2,NSY is MY-5,NMY is MY-

3,clearSquare(NSX,MX,NSY,NMY),SX is MX -2,SY is MY-5,NNMY is MY-

3,fillSquare(SX,SY,MX,NNMY,0,0),

TSX is MX -2,TSY is MY -2,clearSquare(TSX,MX,TSY,MY),TNSX is MX-2,TNSY is MY-2,fillSquare(TNSX,TNSY,MX,MY,0,0).-----

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fillSquare(_,_ ,MX,MY,20,J):- SX is MX -2,SY is MY -2,clearSquare(SX,MX,SY,MY),NSX is MX-2,NSY is
MY-2,NJ is J+1,fillSquare(NSX,NSY,MX,MY,0,NJ).
fillSquare(_ ,Y,_ ,MY,_ ) :- Y > MY.
fillSquare(X,Y,MX,MY,_J):-X<=MX,generateCell(X,Y,_),SX is (MX-2),SY is (MY-
2),validateSquare(X,Y,MX,SX,SY),
        validateRow(X,Y,1),validateColumn(X,Y,1),NX is X+1,fillSquare(NX,Y,MX,MY,0,J).
fillSquare(X,Y,MX,MY,I,J):-X<=MX,retract(cell(X,Y,_)),NI is I+1,fillSquare(X,Y,MX,MY,NI,J).
fillSquare(X,Y,MX,MY,_J):-X>MX, NY is Y+1, NX is MX-2,fillSquare(NX,NY,MX,MY,0,J).

% clear all cells in square
clearSquare(_,_ ,SY,EY):-SY>EY.
clearSquare(SX,EX,SY,EY):-SX<=EX,retract(cell(SX,SY,_)),NX is SX +1 ,clearSquare(NX,EX,SY,EY).
clearSquare(SX,EX,SY,EY):-SX<=EX,NX is SX +1 ,clearSquare(NX,EX,SY,EY).
clearSquare(SX,EX,SY,EY):- SX>EX,NY is SY +1,NX is EX -2,clearSquare(NX,EX,NY,EY).
% build solved puzzle
fillPuzzle():- fillSquare(1,1,3,3,0,0),fillSquare(4,1,6,3,0,0),fillSquare(7,1,9,3,0,0),
        fillSquare(1,4,3,6,0,0),fillSquare(4,4,6,6,0,0),fillSquare(7,4,9,6,0,0),
        fillSquare(1,7,3,9,0,0),fillSquare(4,7,6,9,0,0),fillSquare(7,7,9,9,0,0).

% reset all cell to default value (make the fourth parameter 0)
resetCell(_ ,10):-!.
resetCell(X,Y):-X<10,cell(X,Y,R,_),retract(cell(X,Y,_)),assert(cell(X,Y,R,0)),NX is X+1,resetCell(NX,Y),!.
resetCell(X,Y):-X<10,NX is X+1,resetCell(NX,Y),!.
resetCell(X,Y):-X>9,NY is Y+1,NX is 1,resetCell(NX,NY),!.

% remove some cells from puzzle according to indexes from lists[first list is the Xs, and the second is
Ys]
removeCells([],[]):-!.
removeCells([H1 | T1],[H2 | T2]):-retract(cell(H1,H2,_)),removeCells(T1,T2),!.
removeCells([_ | T1],[_ | T2]):-removeCells(T1,T2),!.

% remove numbers from the puzzle
clearProb(_ ,10,_ ,_ ).
clearProb(X,Y,LX,LY):-X<10,cell(X,Y,R,_),assert(cell(-1,-
1,R,0)),retract(cell(X,Y,_)),solvePuzzle(Res),Res==1,append([X],LX,NLX),append([Y],LY,NLY),
        retract(cell(-1,-1,_)),resetCell(1,1),removeCells(NLX,NLY),NX is
X+1,clearProb(NX,Y,NLX,NLY).
clearProb(X,Y,LX,LY):-X<10,cell(-1,-1,R,_),retract(cell(X,Y,_)),assert(cell(X,Y,R,0)),retract(cell(-1,-
1,_)),resetCell(1,1),removeCells(LX,LY),NX is X+1,clearProb(NX,Y,LX,LY).
clearProb(X,Y,LX,LY):-X<10,cell(-1,-1,R,_),assert(cell(X,Y,R,0)),retract(cell(-1,-
1,_)),resetCell(1,1),removeCells(LX,LY),NX is X+1,clearProb(NX,Y,LX,LY).
clearProb(X,Y,LX,LY):-X>9,NY is Y+1,NX is 1,clearProb(NX,NY,LX,LY).
% create the puzzle
createPuzzle():-fillPuzzle(),clearProb(1,1,[],[]).

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-----Solve SUDOKU-----

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% merge two list into one
append([],L2,L2).
append([H|T],L2,[H|L3]):-append(T,L2,L3).
% remove element from list (v is the element,L should be empty in the call, [H|T] is the list that we
% want to remove the element from ,F the list after the delete)
removeElement(_L,[],F):-append(L,[],F),!.
removeElement(V,L,[H|T],F):-H=\=V,append(L,[H],NL),removeElement(V,NL,T,F).
removeElement(_L,[_|T],F):-append(L,T,F),!.
% remove elements from the list (the first parameters is the list of element to remove, the second
% one the the list to remove from, the third is the result)
removeElements([],R,F):-append(R,[],F).
removeElements([H],R,F):-removeElement(H,[],R,F).
removeElements([H|T],R,F):-removeElement(H,[],R,F1),removeElements(T,F1,F).
% check if the two list are equal
isEqual([],[]).
isEqual([H|T],[H1|T1]):-H=H1,isEqual(T,T1).
% check if the list is contains V
contain(V,[H]):-H=V.
contain(V,[H|_]):-H=V.
contain(V,[_|T]):-contain(V,T).
% search for list of items if contain in other list and return true if on of this items is found ,[first
% argument is the list to search for the second argument is the list to search in]
containList([],_):-1=2.
containList([H|_],L):-contain(H,L).
containList([_|T],L):-containList(T,L).
% fill the cell with all probability(1 -> 9) (X,Y the position of the cell,N is an index should be one , L is
% list of all probability)
fillProb(X,Y,10,L):-assert(cell(X,Y,L,0)).
fillProb(X,Y,N,L):-append(L,[N],R),NN is N+1,fillProb(X,Y,NN,R).
% fill all cells with all probability (1->9),(X,Y the first cell position)
fillPuzzleProb(_,10).
fillPuzzleProb(X,Y):-cell(X,Y,_,_),NX is X+1,fillPuzzleProb(NX,Y).
fillPuzzleProb(X,Y):-X<10,fillProb(X,Y,1,[]),NX is X+1,fillPuzzleProb(NX,Y).
fillPuzzleProb(_,Y):-NY is Y+1,fillPuzzleProb(1,NY).
% remove V from probability list in the selected row (V is the value want to remove,[X,Y] position of
% the cell to ignore,I is an index to start from)
clearRowProb(_,__,10,0,0).
clearRowProb(_,__,10,1,1).
clearRowProb(V,X,Y,I,S,C):-I=:=X,NI is I+1,clearRowProb(V,X,Y,NI,S,C).
clearRowProb(V,X,Y,I,_):-
cell(I,Y,R,_,_),contain(V,R),removeElement(V,[],R,Res),retract(cell(I,Y,_,_)),assert(cell(I,Y,Res,0)),NI is
I+1,clearRowProb(V,X,Y,NI,1,C).
clearRowProb(V,X,Y,I,S,C):-NI is I+1,clearRowProb(V,X,Y,NI,S,C).
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% remove V from probability list in the selected column (V is the value want to remove,[X,Y]
position of the cell to ignore,I is an index to start from)
clearColumnProb(_,__,10,1,1).
clearColumnProb(_,__,10,0,0).
clearColumnProb(V,X,Y,I,S,C):- I == Y,NI is I+1,clearColumnProb(V,X,Y,NI,S,C).
clearColumnProb(V,X,Y,I,_C):-
cell(X,I,R,_),contain(V,R),removeElement(V,[],R,Res),retract(cell(X,I,_)),assert(cell(X,I,Res,0)),NI is
I+1,clearColumnProb(V,X,Y,NI,1,C).
clearColumnProb(V,X,Y,I,S,C):- NI is I+1,clearColumnProb(V,X,Y,NI,S,C).
% remove V from probability list in the selected Square (V is the value want to remove,[X,Y]
position of the cell to ignore,
%[SX,EX,SY,EY] is the boundary of the square indexes)
clearSquareProb(_,_,__,SY,EY,1,1):-SY>EY.
clearSquareProb(_,_,__,SY,EY,0,0):-SY>EY.
clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,S,C):-SX<EX,SX==X,SY==Y,NSX is SX + 1
,clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,NSX,EX,SY,EY,S,C).
clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,_C):-
SX<EX,cell(SX,SY,R,_),contain(V,R),removeElement(V,[],R,Res),retract(cell(SX,SY,_)),assert(cell(SX,
SY,Res,0)),
NSX is SX+1,clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,NSX,EX,SY,EY,1,C).
clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,S,C):-SX<EX,NSX is SX + 1
,clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,NSX,EX,SY,EY,S,C).
clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY ,S,C):-SX>EX, NSX is EX-2,NSY is
SY+1,clearSquareProb(V,X,Y,NSX,EX,NSY,EY,S,C).
% clear the value of the cell from the probability in the column, row and square of the selected
cell(X,Y is the position of the selected cell
%[SX,EX,SY,EY] is the boundary of the square indexes that the cell in located in)
%! the cell should contain one probability
clearOneProbCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,C):-
cell(X,Y,[H|_],0),clearColumnProb(H,X,Y,1,0,CC),clearRowProb(H,X,Y,1,0,CR),clearSquareProb(H,X,Y,S
X,EX,SY,EY,0,CS),
retract(cell(X,Y,_)),assert(cell(X,Y,[H],1)),C is CC+CR+CS.
clearOneProbCell(X,Y,_,__,0):-cell(X,Y,_1).
% remove list of probability from cell in selected row (L is the list to remove,[X1,X2] indexes of cells
to ignore,y is the number of line,I is an index)
clearRowTwoProb(_,_,__,10,0,0).
clearRowTwoProb(_,_,__,10,1,1).
clearRowTwoProb(L,X1,X2,Y,I,S,C):- (I == X1;I == X2),NI is I+1,clearRowTwoProb(L,X1,X2,Y,NI,S,C).
clearRowTwoProb(L,X1,X2,Y,I,_C):-
cell(I,Y,R,_),containList(L,R),removeElements(L,R,Res),retract(cell(I,Y,_)),
assert(cell(I,Y,Res,0)),NI is I+1,clearRowTwoProb(L,X1,X2,Y,NI,1,C).
clearRowTwoProb(L,X1,X2,Y,I,S,C):- NI is I+1,clearRowTwoProb(L,X1,X2,Y,NI,S,C).
% remove list of probability from cell in selected column (L is the list to remove,[Y1,Y2] indexes of
cells to ignore,X is the number of column,I is an index)
clearColumnTwoProb(_,_,__,10,0,0).

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clearColumnTwoProb(__,__,__,10,1,1).
clearColumnTwoProb(L,Y1,Y2,X,I,S,C):- (I == Y1;I == Y2),NI is
I+1,clearColumnTwoProb(L,Y1,Y2,X,NI,S,C).
clearColumnTwoProb(L,Y1,Y2,X,I,_,C):-
cell(X,I,R,_),containList(L,R),removeElements(L,R,Res),retract(cell(X,I,_,_)),
    assert(cell(X,I,Res,0)),NI is I+1,clearColumnTwoProb(L,Y1,Y2,X,NI,1,C).
clearColumnTwoProb(L,Y1,Y2,X,I,S,C):- NI is I+1,clearColumnTwoProb(L,Y1,Y2,X,NI,S,C).
% remove list of probability from cell in selected Square (L is the list to remove,[X1,X2,Y1,Y2]
indexes of cells to ignore,[SX,EX,SY,EY] is the boundary of the square )
clearSquareTwoProb(__,__,__,__,SY,EY,0,0)    :- SY > EY.
clearSquareTwoProb(__,__,__,__,SY,EY,1,1)    :- SY > EY.
clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,SX,EX,SY,EY,S,C):- (SX==X1,SY==Y1;SX==X2,SY==Y2),NSX is
SX+1,clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,NSX,EX,SY,EY,S,C).
clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,SX,EX,SY,EY,_,C):-
SX<EX,cell(SX,SY,R,_),containList(L,R),removeElements(L,R,Res),retract(cell(SX,SY,_,_)),
    assert(cell(SX,SY,Res,0)),NSX is
SX+1,clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,NSX,EX,SY,EY,1,C).
clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,SX,EX,SY,EY,S,C):- SX<EX,NSX is
SX+1,clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,NSX,EX,SY,EY,S,C).
clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,SX,EX,SY,EY,S,C):- SX>EX,NSX is SX-3,NSY is
SY+1,clearSquareTwoProb(L,X1,Y1,X2,Y2,NSX,EX,NSY,EY,S,C).
% scan row to check if there any cell contain the same two probability of the cell in index [X,Y] and
if there any cell remove this two probability from the other cells in this row
%[X,Y] is the index of the cell to compare with its probability , I is an index
%! this cell should contain just two probability
scanHorizontallyForTwoProbCell(__,__,10,0).
scanHorizontallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,I,C):-
I=\=X,cell(X,Y,R,_),cell(I,Y,TR,_),isEqual(R,TR),clearRowTwoProb(R,X,I,Y,1,0,C).
scanHorizontallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,I,C):-NI is I+1,scanHorizontallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,NI,C).
% scan column to check if there any cell contain the same two probability of the cell in index [X,Y]
and if there any cell remove this two probability from the other cells in this column
%[X,Y] is the index of the cell to compare with its probability , I is an index
%! this cell should contain just two probability
scanVerticallyForTwoProbCell(__,__,10,0).
scanVerticallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,I,C):-
I=\=Y,cell(X,Y,R,_),cell(X,I,TR,_),isEqual(R,TR),clearColumnTwoProb(R,Y,I,X,1,0,C).
scanVerticallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,I,C):-NI is I+1,scanVerticallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,NI,C).
% scan square to check if there any cell contain the same two probability of the cell in index [X,Y]
and if there any cell remove this two probability from the other cells in this column
%[X,Y] is the index of the cell to compare with its probability ,[SX,EX,SY,EY] is the boundary of the
square
scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(__,__,__,SY,EY,0):-SY>EY.
scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,C):-SX<EX,SX==X,SY==Y,NSX is
SX+1,scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,NSX,EX,SY,EY,C).

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scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,C):-
SX=<EX,cell(X,Y,R,_),cell(SX,SY,TR,_),isEqual(R,TR),TSX is EX-2,TSY is EY-2,
clearSquareTwoProb(R,X,Y,SX,SY,TSX,EX,TSY,EY,0,C).
scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,C):-SX=<EX,NSX is
SX+1,scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,NSX,EX,SY,EY,C).
scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,C):-SX>EX,NSX is EX-2,NSY is
SY+1,scanSquarelyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,NSX,EX,NSY,EY,C).
% clear the two of the cell probability from the probability in the column, row and square of the
selected cell(X,Y is the position of the selected cell
%[SX,EX,SY,EY] is the boundary of the square indexes that the cell in located in)
%! the cell should contain just two probability
clearTwoCellProb(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,C):-
scanVerticallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,1,CV),scanHorizontallyForTwoProbCell(X,Y,1,CH),scanSquarelyForT
woProbCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,CS),C is CV+CH+CS.
% check if v is founded in the other cells in row prob and return false if founded and true if not [X,Y
index of the cell to ignore , I is an index]
checkIfValuelsUniqHorizontally(_,__,10).
checkIfValuelsUniqHorizontally(X,Y,V,I):-I:=X,NI is I+1,checkIfValuelsUniqHorizontally(X,Y,V,NI).
checkIfValuelsUniqHorizontally(_Y,V,I):-cell(I,Y,R,_),contain(V,R),1:=2.
checkIfValuelsUniqHorizontally(X,Y,V,I):-cell(I,Y,R,_),not(contain(V,R)),NI is
I+1,checkIfValuelsUniqHorizontally(X,Y,V,NI).
% check if v is founded in the other cells in column prob and return false if founded and true if not
[X,Y index of the cell to ignore , I is an index]
checkIfValuelsUniqVertically(_,__,10).
checkIfValuelsUniqVertically(X,Y,V,I):-I:=Y,NI is I+1,checkIfValuelsUniqVertically(X,Y,V,NI).
checkIfValuelsUniqVertically(X,_V,I):-cell(X,I,R,_),contain(V,R),1:=2.
checkIfValuelsUniqVertically(X,Y,V,I):-cell(X,I,R,_),not(contain(V,R)),NI is
I+1,checkIfValuelsUniqVertically(X,Y,V,NI).
% check if v is founded in the other cells in square prob and return false if founded and true if not
[X,Y index of the cell to ignore , I is an index,(SX,SY,EX,EY) is the boundary of the square]
checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(_,__,_,SY,EY):-SY>EY.
checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(X,Y,V,SX,EX,SY,EY):-SX=<EX,X:=SX,Y:=SY,NSX is
SX+1,checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(X,Y,V,NSX,EX,SY,EY).
checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(_,_V,SX,EX,SY,_):-SX=<EX,cell(SX,SY,R,_),contain(V,R),1:=2.
checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(X,Y,V,SX,EX,SY,EY):-SX=<EX,cell(SX,SY,R,_),not(contain(V,R)),NSX is
SX+1,checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(X,Y,V,NSX,EX,SY,EY).
checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(X,Y,V,SX,EX,SY,EY):-SX>EX,NSY is SY+1,NSX is EX-
2,checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(X,Y,V,NSX,EX,NSY,EY).
%scan to check if the any uniq prob in the cell and delete the other probabilities
scanForUniqCell(_,__,_,_,0).
scanForUniqCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,[V|_],1):-
checkIfValuelsUniqSquarely(X,Y,V,SX,EX,SY,EY),retract(cell(X,Y,_)),assert(cell(X,Y,[V],0)).
scanForUniqCell(X,Y,_,_,[V|_],1):-
checkIfValuelsUniqVertically(X,Y,V,1),retract(cell(X,Y,_)),assert(cell(X,Y,[V],0)).

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scanForUniqCell(X,Y,_,_,_,[V|_],1):-
checkIfValuesIsUniqHorizontally(X,Y,V,1),retract(cell(X,Y,_,_)),assert(cell(X,Y,[V],0)).
scanForUniqCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,[_|T],S):-scanForUniqCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,T,S).
% solve the cells that contain uniq probability
solveUniqCellProb(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,C):- cell(X,Y,R,_),scanForUniqCell(X,Y,SX,EX,SY,EY,R,C).
% scan square and solve cells that can be solved [SX,EX,SY,EY] is the boundary of the square
solveSquareInPuzzle(_,_,SY,EY,0,0):-SY>EY.
solveSquareInPuzzle(_,_,SY,EY,S,1):-SY>EY,S>0.
solveSquareInPuzzle(SX,EX,SY,EY,S,C):-SX=<EX,cell(SX,SY,_,1),NSX is
SX+1,solveSquareInPuzzle(NSX,EX,SY,EY,S,C).
solveSquareInPuzzle(SX,EX,SY,EY,_,C):-SX=<EX,cell(SX,SY,R,0),length(R,L),L:=1,TSX is EX-2,TSY is EY-
2,
                clearOneProbCell(SX,SY,TSX,EX,TSY,EY,CO),NSX is
SX+1,solveSquareInPuzzle(NSX,EX,SY,EY,CO,C).
solveSquareInPuzzle(SX,EX,SY,EY,_,C):-SX=<EX,cell(SX,SY,R,0),length(R,L),L:=2,TSX is EX-2,TSY is EY-
2,NSX is SX+1,
                clearTwoCellProb(SX,SY,TSX,EX,TSY,EY,CT),TTSX is EX-2,TTSY is EY-
2,solveUniqCellProb(SX,SY,TTSX,EX,TTSY,EY,CU),NS is
CT+CU,solveSquareInPuzzle(NSX,EX,SY,EY,NS,C).
solveSquareInPuzzle(SX,EX,SY,EY,_,C):-SX=<EX,NSX is SX+1,TTSX is EX-2,TTSY is EY-
2,solveUniqCellProb(SX,SY,TTSX,EX,TTSY,EY,SU),solveSquareInPuzzle(NSX,EX,SY,EY,SU,C).
solveSquareInPuzzle(SX,EX,SY,EY,S,C):-SX>EX,NSX is EX-2,NSY is
SY+1,solveSquareInPuzzle(NSX,EX,NSY,EY,S,C).
% check if the puzzle is solved or not
isSolved(_,10).
isSolved(X,Y):- X=<9,cell(X,Y,R,_),length(R,L),L:=1,NX is X+1,isSolved(NX,Y).
isSolved(X,Y):- X>9,NX is 1, NY is Y+1,isSolved(NX,NY).
%scan the puzzle to search for solve
scan(0,R):- isSolved(1,1),R is 1,!.
scan(0,0).
scan(_,R):-
solveSquareInPuzzle(1,3,1,3,0,C1),solveSquareInPuzzle(4,6,1,3,0,C2),solveSquareInPuzzle(7,9,1,3,0,
C3),
                solveSquareInPuzzle(1,3,4,6,0,C4),solveSquareInPuzzle(4,6,4,6,0,C5),solveSquareInPuzzle
(7,9,4,6,0,C6),
                solveSquareInPuzzle(1,3,7,9,0,C7),solveSquareInPuzzle(4,6,7,9,0,C8),solveSquareInPuzzle
(7,9,7,9,0,C9),
                NC is (C1+C2+C3+C4+C5+C6+C7+C8+C9),scan(NC,R),!.
% solve the puzzle
solvePuzzle(R):-fillPuzzleProb(1,1),scan(1,R),!.

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