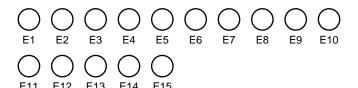
# **Linked Sudoku Puzzles**

Each puzzle unlocks the next challenge

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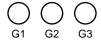
#### **Medium Mode**



#### **Advanced Mode**



#### **Grandmaster Mode**



## **How to Play Linked Sudoku**

Welcome to Linked Sudoku! This unique puzzle book connects each puzzle to the next, creating an engaging chain of challenges. Each solution becomes a key to unlock the next puzzle.

#### **Basic Sudoku Rules:**

- Fill in the 9×9 grid with numbers 1-9
- Each row must contain all numbers 1-9
- Each column must contain all numbers 1-9
- Each 3x3 box must contain all numbers 1-9

#### **How The Linked System Works:**

#### Step 1: Solve the First Puzzle

Start with Puzzle E1 - a standard Sudoku puzzle with no special rules. Solve it completely using regular Sudoku rules.

#### Step 2: Use the Link Table

Below each puzzle, you'll find a link table. It shows which numbers you need to carry forward to the next puzzle. For example:

| Letter | Row | Column | Value               |
|--------|-----|--------|---------------------|
| а      | 2   | 4      | ::: <u>:::</u> :::: |
| b      | 5   | 7      |                     |
| c      | 8   | 11     | <u></u>             |

#### Step 3: Fill in Starting Numbers

Look at your solution for the previous puzzle. Find the numbers in the positions specified by the link table. These numbers become your starting points in the next puzzle, replacing the letters (a, b, c, etc.).

#### **Difficulty Levels:**

E: Easy Mode - Easy puzzles with more number hints and less placeholders (a, b, c, etc.)

M: Medium Mode - Balanced puzzles with less number hints and more placeholders

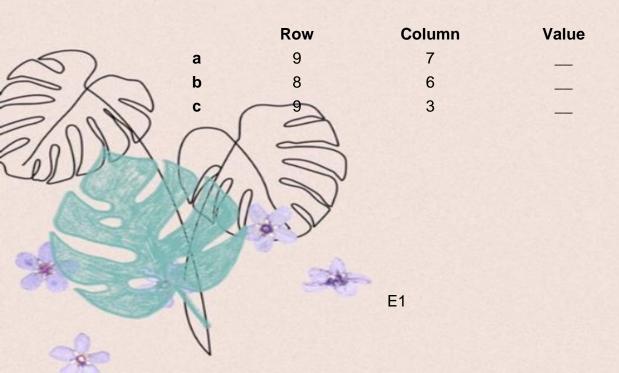
A: Advanced Mode - Complex patterns with fewer number hints and more placeholders

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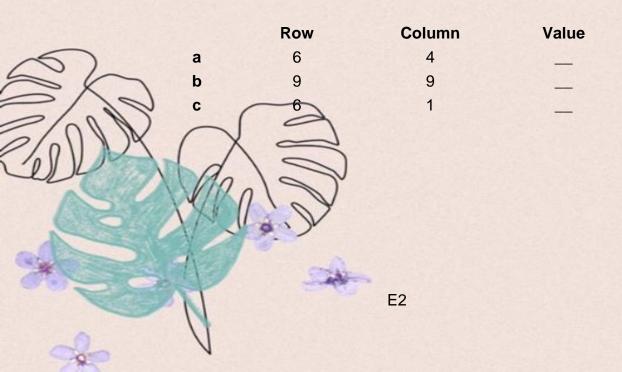
# EASY MODE

Perfect for beginners and warming up

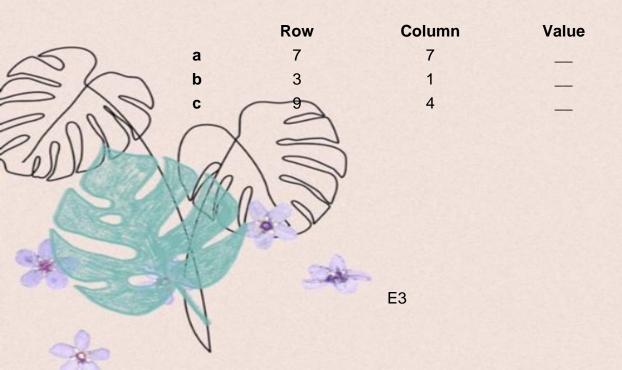
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|   |   | 6 | 3 |   |   | 8 | 4 | 7 |
|   | 2 |   |   |   |   | 9 | 3 | 5 |
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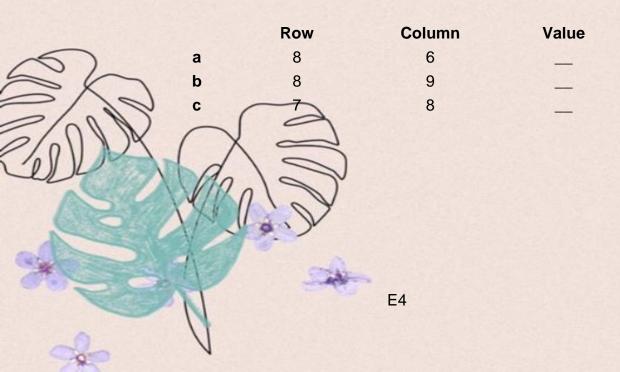
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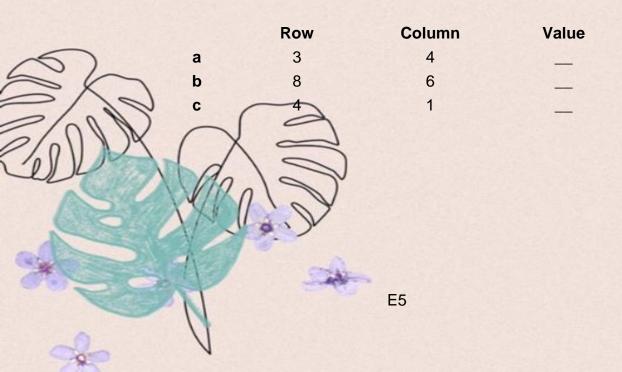
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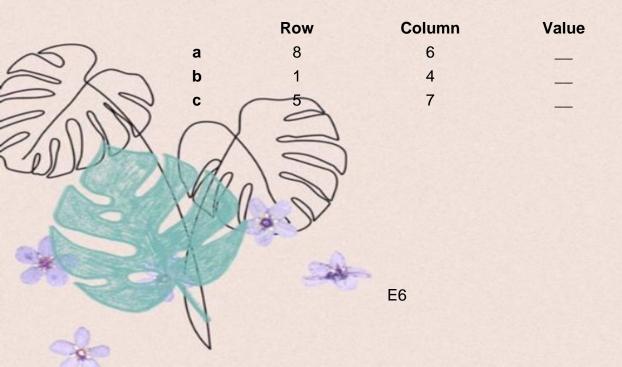
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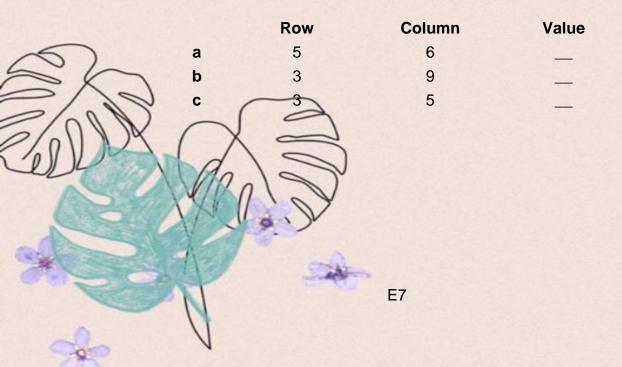
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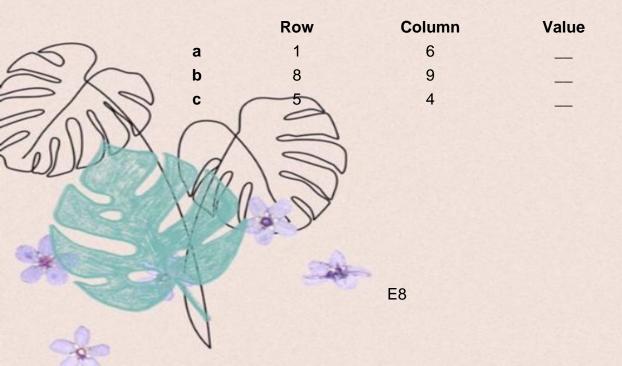
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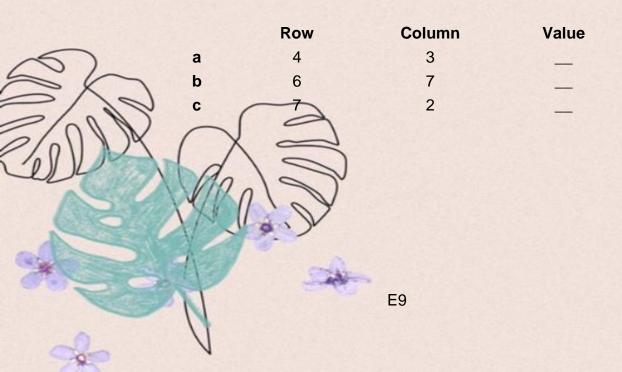
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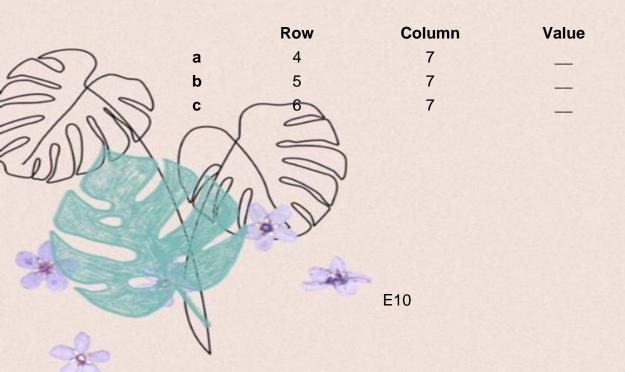
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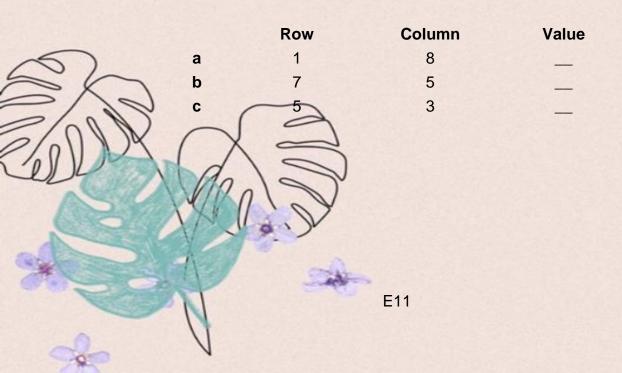
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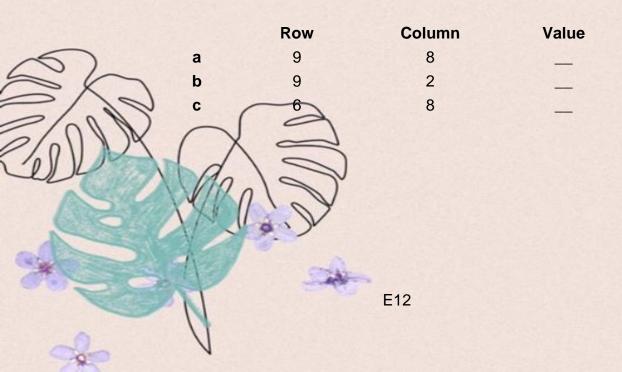
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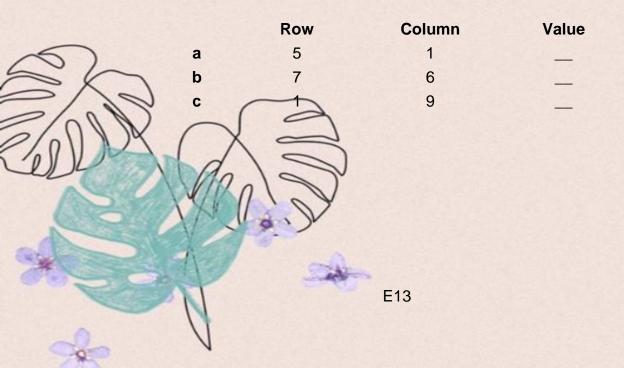
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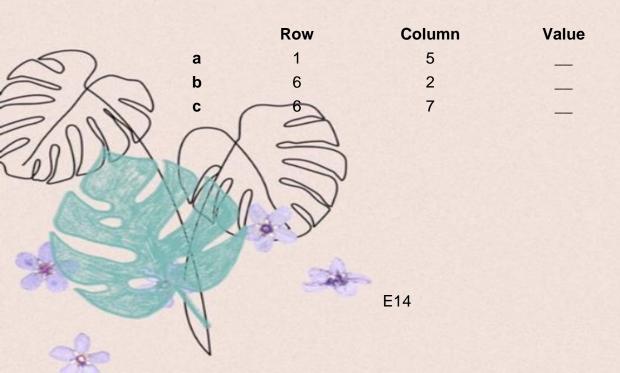
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# **MEDIUM MODE**

Challenge yourself with intermediate techniques

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| 5 | 8 |   | 4 |   |   | 7 |   | 1 |
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| 4 |   |   |   |   | 3 | 1 | 2 |   |
| 6 |   | 1 |   |   | 8 |   | 7 |   |
| 3 |   | 2 | 6 | 9 | 1 |   |   |   |
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| 8 |   |   | 7 | 2 |   |   |   |   |
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# ADVANCED MODE

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# **GRANDMASTER MODE**

Ultimate challenges for Sudoku masters

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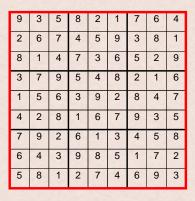
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# SOLUTIONS

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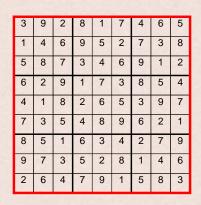


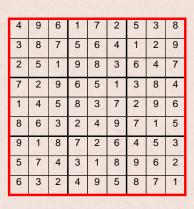
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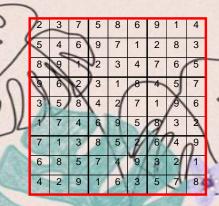
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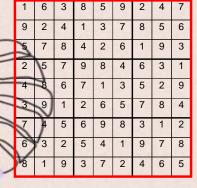
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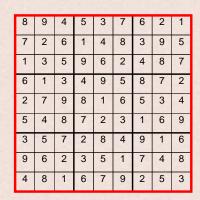




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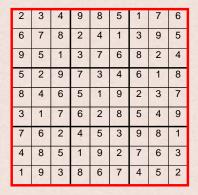


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## **Easy Mode**



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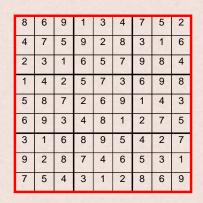
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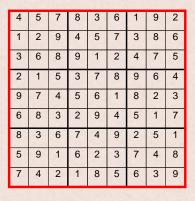
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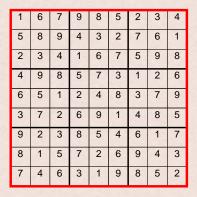
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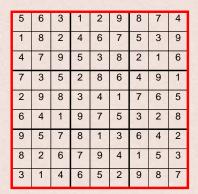
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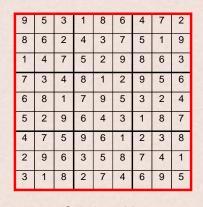


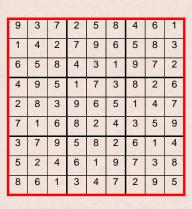
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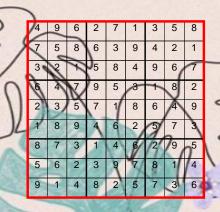
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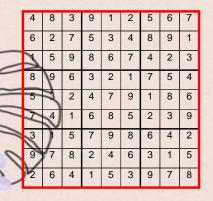


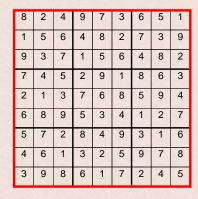




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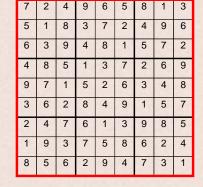
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Solution - G1 Solution - G2 Solution - G3

