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1  /**
2      * The text fields representing the cells of the Sudoku grid.
3      */
4      private TextField[][] tfCells = new TextField[9][9];
5
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1  /**
2      * Starts the Sudoku game by initializing the GUI components and displaying the game window.
3      *
4      * @param primaryStage the primary stage for the application
5      */
6      @Override
7      public void start(Stage primaryStage) {
8          GridPane grid = new GridPane();
9
10         // Create and configure the text fields for the Sudoku grid
11         for (int row = 0; row < 9; row++) {
12             for (int col = 0; col < 9; col++) {
13                 tfCells[row][col] = new TextField();
14                 tfCells[row][col].setPrefSize(50, 50);
15                 tfCells[row][col].setText(PuzzleToSolve[row][col] == 0 ? "" : String.valueOf(PuzzleToSolve[row][col]));
16                 tfCells[row][col].setStyle("-fx-font-size: 20;");
17                 grid.add(tfCells[row][col], col, row);
18             }
19         }
20
21         // Create and configure the solve button
22         Button solveButton = new Button("Solve");
23         solveButton.setPrefSize(450, 50);
24         solveButton.setOnAction(e -> solveSudoku());
25
26         // Create the scene and add the grid and solve button to it
27         Scene scene = new Scene(grid, WINDOW_WIDTH, WINDOW_HEIGHT);
28         grid.add(solveButton, 0, 9, 9, 1);
29
30         // Configure the primary stage and show it
31         primaryStage.setTitle("Sudoku Game");
32         primaryStage.setScene(scene);
33         primaryStage.show();
34     }
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1  /**
2   * Solves the Sudoku puzzle by backtracking.
3   * Updates the text fields with the solved values if a solution is found.
4   * Displays an error message if the puzzle is invalid.
5   */
6  private void solveSudoku() {
7      int[][] board = new int[9][9];
8
9      // Get the values from the text fields and populate the board
10     for (int row = 0; row < 9; row++) {
11         for (int col = 0; col < 9; col++) {
12             String value = tfCells[row][col].getText();
13             board[row][col] = value.isEmpty() ? 0 : Integer.parseInt(value);
14         }
15     }
16
17     // Solve the puzzle using backtracking
18     if (solve(board)) {
19         // Update the text fields with the solved values
20         for (int row = 0; row < 9; row++) {
21             for (int col = 0; col < 9; col++) {
22                 tfCells[row][col].setText(String.valueOf(board[row][col]));
23             }
24         }
25     } else {
26         // Display an error message if the puzzle is invalid
27         showAlert("Invalid Sudoku", "The given Sudoku puzzle is invalid.");
28     }
29 }
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1  /**
2   * Solves the Sudoku puzzle using backtracking.
3   *
4   * @param board the Sudoku puzzle grid
5   * @return true if a solution is found, false otherwise
6   */
7  private boolean solve(int[][] board) {
8      for (int row = 0; row < 9; row++) {
9          for (int col = 0; col < 9; col++) {
10             if (board[row][col] == 0) {
11                 for (int num = 1; num <= 9; num++) {
12                     if (isValid(board, row, col, num)) {
13                         board[row][col] = num;
14                         if (solve(board)) {
15                             return true;
16                         }
17                         board[row][col] = 0; // backtrack
18                     }
19                 }
20                 return false; // no valid number found
21             }
22         }
23     }
24     return true; // all cells are filled
25 }
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1  /**
2   * Checks if a number is valid in the Sudoku puzzle grid.
3   *
4   * @param board the Sudoku puzzle grid
5   * @param row   the row index of the cell
6   * @param col   the column index of the cell
7   * @param num   the number to be checked
8   * @return true if the number is valid, false otherwise
9   */
10 private boolean isValid(int[][] board, int row, int col, int num) {
11     // Check if the number is not in the current row and column
12     for (int i = 0; i < 9; i++) {
13         if (board[row][i] == num || board[i][col] == num) {
14             return false;
15         }
16     }
17
18     // Check if the number is not in the current 3x3 grid
19     int startRow = row - row % 3;
20     int startCol = col - col % 3;
21     for (int i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
22         for (int j = 0; j < 3; j++) {
23             if (board[i + startRow][j + startCol] == num) {
24                 return false;
25             }
26         }
27     }
28
29     return true;
30 }
```



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1  /**
2      * Displays an alert dialog with the specified title and message.
3      *
4      * @param title    the title of the alert dialog
5      * @param message  the message of the alert dialog
6      */
7  private void showAlert(String title, String message) {
8      Alert alert = new Alert(AlertType.ERROR);
9      alert.setTitle(title);
10     alert.setHeaderText(null);
11     alert.setContentText(message);
12     alert.showAndWait();
13 }
14
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1  /**
2      * The root pane of the Sudoku game.
3      */
4  public GridPane root;
5
6  /**
7      * Returns the root pane of the Sudoku game.
8      * If the root pane is null, starts the game and initializes the root pane.
9      *
10     * @return the root pane of the Sudoku game
11     */
12  public GridPane getRoot() {
13      if (root == null) {
14          start(new Stage());
15          root = new GridPane();
16      }
17      return root;
18  }
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```
1  /**
2      * The main method of the Sudoku game.
3      *
4      * @param args the command line arguments
5      */
6  public static void main(String[] args) {
7      launch(args);
8  }
```