

Client Interview

1. When and how do you play Sudoku?

I am often traveling when I find time to play Sudoku, and do not have access to internet. I usually carry a Sudoku workbook, but I would prefer not to do that. Therefore, I would want it to be an offline private program, in the form of a desktop application on my computer.

2. You being such a fan of Sudokus, how do you challenge yourself while playing?

I often like to challenge myself by solving Sudokus that are of a higher difficulty level. I would want my game to have difficulty levels as well.

4. Do you always complete puzzles in one go?

Not really, sometimes I may start a puzzle but I have to stop because I am interrupted, and then I start again at a later time. Of course, I would hate to have to start all over again, so I would want to be able to start at the point where I left off.

5. Do you get frustrated when you make a mistake in your sudoku?

Yes. Especially if I've solved an entire puzzle with one mistake that I made towards the beginning. As a result, it would be great to have the option to get feedback from the game as I solve a Sudoku.

6. Do you ever find yourself solving the same sudoku again?

Yes, but I don't mind. I may try to solve it in a different way, using a different strategy.

7. Any special visual requirements for the game?

As my eyesight isn't as good as it used to be, the font size should be big.

8. Do you ever fill in numbers and need to change them?

Yes, sometimes I try a number in a box in the knowledge it could be wrong, and that I may need to change it. Therefore, I would obviously want it to be possible for me to edit a square after I've filled it in.