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XY-Wing Practice Sudoku

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Every puzzle in this booklet is filtered to require XY-Wing. It is designed for solvers who want deliberate, targeted practice on paper.

DIFFICULTY

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LAYOUT

1 Puzzle Per Page

TECHNIQUE

XY-Wing

CANDIDATES

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ANSWER KEY

Included at the end

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HINT SUPPORT

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Puzzle #386360

SCORE: 185

STEPS: 63

Level 8

5	9					3		1
1					8			
			7			4	2	
					7		5	
						6	4	
	1					9		8
				4				
	8	5				2		
		6	3		1			5

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Naked Pairs, XY-Wing, Unique Rectangle Type 4, BUG (Bivalve Universal Grave)

Puzzle #31672

SCORE: 292

STEPS: 67

Level 8

	3			2		4	7	
			4		6			1
								8
					3	8		
3	4	1	8					
	7							
		6	1					
		8	5		7		3	2
	5							7

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, Skyscraper, 3 Strong Links, Chute Remote Pairs, BUG (Bivalue Universal Grave)

Puzzle #486250

SCORE: 223

STEPS: 69

Level 8

				4				3
							1	8
	1	4			3		6	9
	9	6		2			5	
			9					
2		8			6			
	2			5		1	9	
8				3				7

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, Naked Pairs, Naked Triples, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, Skyscraper

Puzzle #111296

SCORE: 276

STEPS: 69

Level 8

4				5				
			2	4		7		
5				7	1		3	6
			6					7
					8	1		
		8	7					
6							1	3
		7				8		2
	8		5					

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, Hidden Pairs, Swordfish, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, Unique Rectangle Type 2, Unique Rectangle Type 3, Unique Rectangle Type 4

Puzzle #346913

SCORE: 254

STEPS: 69

Level 8

2			8				1	6
		3						
	1					7		
					1		9	7
	2	8		7			6	
				9				3
	8		6					
		5					3	9
			7			1		5

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Naked Pairs, Hidden Pairs, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, Turbot Fish, Chute Remote Pairs

Puzzle #149070

SCORE: 316

STEPS: 71

Level 8

6		3		4	2	8		
1								
	9					4		
	8							
		2			3	6		
		9		8	4	3		
		6		9			1	
		8		6		2		
	7							6

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, Naked Pairs, Hidden Pairs, XY-Wing, 2-String Kite, Turbot Fish, 3 Strong Links, Unique Rectangle Type 4

Puzzle #275005

SCORE: 222

STEPS: 67

Level 8

			3			4		
	7			2	1		5	
	5		7				1	
	1	3	9				4	
			5		6	3		
		2				9		
9								
	2	4						
				5			3	9

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, XY-Wing, Unique Rectangle Type 2, BUG (Bivalve Universal Grave)

Puzzle #510048

SCORE: 368

STEPS: 76

Level 8

			5				3	
	9							
	2	7			9		8	
2			9	7				
4					3		9	
		6			8			
			3	6				1
7		3			5	4		
	6					5		

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, Naked Pairs, Hidden Pairs, X-Wing, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, 2-String Kite, Skyscraper

Puzzle #256796

SCORE: 111

STEPS: 61

Level 8

					9			6
1			5	2				9
		9				1		
	5					4		2
	6	7		3			9	
			9	1			7	
2					4			
5	3		6					

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing

Puzzle #509126

SCORE: 329

STEPS: 72

Level 8

	7			8				
				2				5
		8		1			9	
4		7	5		8			9
	9						6	
5					3		8	2
7		4						6
					1			
						3	1	

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Naked Pairs, Hidden Pairs, X-Wing, XY-Wing, XYZ-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, Skyscraper, 3 Strong Links

Puzzle #386427

SCORE: 158

STEPS: 63

Level 8

5		2						7
			4			5	6	
9		6						
		4			5	2		
1					7			
			8					
2		5	7	4				3
	8		6	3			4	
								8

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Hidden Pairs, Naked Triples, XY-Wing, VWXYZ-Wing

Puzzle #56794

SCORE: 162

STEPS: 62

Level 8

4		9					3	
		7	4		1			5
						6		
1		6						
	5			7				
		3			9	4		
6	1				5	7		
	8				3	9		
			1				6	

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Naked Triples, XY-Wing, Chute Remote Pairs, Unique Rectangle Type 3, Unique Rectangle Type 4

Puzzle #472741

SCORE: 193

STEPS: 67

Level 8

								2
5				8		6		
				4	9			8
	3						4	
	2			1	7			
	1						2	3
			9					
		4	2	6				
8		3	7					1

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, 2-String Kite

Puzzle #414230

SCORE: 210

STEPS: 68

Level 8

1			8				2	3
		3	9					
		7					1	9
2						1		
					2			
			4		7		5	
	6	9						
		2	1		9	8		
	7			5		6		

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, Naked Pairs, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing

Puzzle #26959

SCORE: 226

STEPS: 65

Level 8

	7			6				
		5	3	4		6		
			8				4	
								9
8			6	5				2
	2					7		
		9						
2						4		
	8				7		2	3

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, XY-Wing, 2-String Kite, Skyscraper, Unique Rectangle Type 1, BUG (Bivalue Universal Grave)

Puzzle #390613

SCORE: 252

STEPS: 69

Level 8

2		6		3				
1				8				
					5	9		
				9				4
4	8						7	
			3				9	5
7	3			6			1	
		2					5	6
			8			2		

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Naked Pairs, Hidden Pairs, XY-Wing, XYZ-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, Chute Remote Pairs

Puzzle #226241

SCORE: 186

STEPS: 61

Level 8

	2			9		1		
5	9			4			6	2
	6	8						
			6	2				
			5					3
			3			8		
			1		2			5
						2	1	
		3		8			4	

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Naked Pairs, XY-Wing, BUG (Bivalve Universal Grave)

Puzzle #496662

SCORE: 377

STEPS: 75

Level 8

		7						1
1					3	6	4	
						7		8
		1				4		2
	8		4					
3					9			
		4	2					
	7	2		6		8		
8					5	3		

Tags: Naked Single, Hidden Single, Pointing, Claiming, Naked Pairs, Hidden Pairs, XY-Wing, WXYZ-Wing, Skyscraper, Turbot Fish, 3 Strong Links, 4 Strong Links

Puzzle #386360

5	9	7	2	6	4	3	8	1
1	2	4	9	3	8	5	7	6
6	3	8	7	1	5	4	2	9
4	6	3	8	9	7	1	5	2
8	5	9	1	2	3	6	4	7
7	1	2	4	5	6	9	3	8
9	7	1	5	4	2	8	6	3
3	8	5	6	7	9	2	1	4
2	4	6	3	8	1	7	9	5

Puzzle #31672

1	3	5	9	2	8	4	7	6
2	8	7	4	5	6	3	9	1
6	9	4	3	7	1	2	5	8
5	6	2	7	1	3	8	4	9
3	4	1	8	9	2	7	6	5
8	7	9	6	4	5	1	2	3
7	2	6	1	3	9	5	8	4
4	1	8	5	6	7	9	3	2
9	5	3	2	8	4	6	1	7

Puzzle #486250

9	8	7	6	4	1	5	2	3
6	3	2	5	9	7	4	1	8
5	1	4	2	8	3	7	6	9
7	9	6	8	2	4	3	5	1
3	4	1	9	7	5	6	8	2
2	5	8	3	1	6	9	7	4
4	2	3	7	5	8	1	9	6
8	6	5	1	3	9	2	4	7
1	7	9	4	6	2	8	3	5

Puzzle #111296

4	7	1	3	5	6	2	9	8
8	3	6	2	4	9	7	5	1
5	9	2	8	7	1	4	3	6
3	4	5	6	1	2	9	8	7
7	6	9	4	3	8	1	2	5
2	1	8	7	9	5	3	6	4
6	2	4	9	8	7	5	1	3
9	5	7	1	6	3	8	4	2
1	8	3	5	2	4	6	7	9

Puzzle #346913

2	5	9	8	4	7	3	1	6
8	7	3	5	1	6	9	4	2
4	1	6	9	2	3	7	5	8
5	3	4	2	6	1	8	9	7
9	2	8	3	7	5	4	6	1
1	6	7	4	9	8	5	2	3
3	8	1	6	5	9	2	7	4
7	4	5	1	8	2	6	3	9
6	9	2	7	3	4	1	8	5

Puzzle #149070

6	5	3	7	4	2	8	9	1
1	2	4	8	3	9	7	6	5
8	9	7	6	1	5	4	2	3
3	8	5	2	7	6	1	4	9
4	1	2	9	5	3	6	8	7
7	6	9	1	8	4	3	5	2
2	4	6	3	9	7	5	1	8
9	3	8	5	6	1	2	7	4
5	7	1	4	2	8	9	3	6

Puzzle #275005

2	8	1	3	6	5	4	9	7
4	7	9	8	2	1	6	5	3
3	5	6	7	9	4	8	1	2
6	1	3	9	7	2	5	4	8
8	9	7	5	4	6	3	2	1
5	4	2	1	8	3	9	7	6
9	3	5	2	1	8	7	6	4
7	2	4	6	3	9	1	8	5
1	6	8	4	5	7	2	3	9

Puzzle #510048

6	1	4	5	8	2	9	3	7
8	9	5	7	3	1	2	4	6
3	2	7	6	4	9	1	8	5
2	5	8	9	7	6	3	1	4
4	7	1	2	5	3	6	9	8
9	3	6	4	1	8	7	5	2
5	4	9	3	6	7	8	2	1
7	8	3	1	2	5	4	6	9
1	6	2	8	9	4	5	7	3

Puzzle #256796

4	2	5	1	7	9	3	8	6
1	8	3	5	2	6	7	4	9
6	7	9	8	4	3	1	2	5
9	5	1	7	6	8	4	3	2
8	6	7	4	3	2	5	9	1
3	4	2	9	1	5	6	7	8
2	1	6	3	8	4	9	5	7
7	9	4	2	5	1	8	6	3
5	3	8	6	9	7	2	1	4

Puzzle #509126

9	7	5	3	8	6	4	2	1
1	3	6	9	2	4	8	7	5
2	4	8	7	1	5	6	9	3
4	2	7	5	6	8	1	3	9
8	9	3	1	7	2	5	6	4
5	6	1	4	9	3	7	8	2
7	1	4	8	3	9	2	5	6
3	8	2	6	5	1	9	4	7
6	5	9	2	4	7	3	1	8

Puzzle #386427

5	4	2	1	8	6	3	9	7
3	1	8	4	7	9	5	6	2
9	7	6	2	5	3	4	8	1
8	3	4	9	1	5	2	7	6
1	2	9	3	6	7	8	5	4
6	5	7	8	2	4	1	3	9
2	9	5	7	4	8	6	1	3
7	8	1	6	3	2	9	4	5
4	6	3	5	9	1	7	2	8

Puzzle #56794

4	2	9	7	5	6	8	3	1
8	6	7	4	3	1	2	9	5
5	3	1	8	9	2	6	4	7
1	4	6	5	2	8	3	7	9
9	5	8	3	7	4	1	2	6
2	7	3	6	1	9	4	5	8
6	1	2	9	4	5	7	8	3
7	8	5	2	6	3	9	1	4
3	9	4	1	8	7	5	6	2

Puzzle #472741

9	8	1	6	7	3	4	5	2
5	4	7	1	8	2	6	3	9
3	6	2	5	4	9	7	1	8
6	3	9	8	2	5	1	4	7
4	2	5	3	1	7	9	8	6
7	1	8	4	9	6	5	2	3
2	5	6	9	3	1	8	7	4
1	7	4	2	6	8	3	9	5
8	9	3	7	5	4	2	6	1

Puzzle #414230

1	9	5	8	4	6	7	2	3
4	2	3	9	7	1	5	6	8
6	8	7	2	3	5	4	1	9
2	5	4	6	9	3	1	8	7
7	1	6	5	8	2	9	3	4
9	3	8	4	1	7	2	5	6
5	6	9	7	2	8	3	4	1
3	4	2	1	6	9	8	7	5
8	7	1	3	5	4	6	9	2

Puzzle #26959

4	7	8	1	6	9	2	3	5
9	1	5	3	4	2	6	7	8
3	6	2	8	7	5	9	4	1
1	5	4	7	2	3	8	6	9
8	9	7	6	5	4	3	1	2
6	2	3	9	1	8	7	5	4
7	4	9	2	3	1	5	8	6
2	3	1	5	8	6	4	9	7
5	8	6	4	9	7	1	2	3

Puzzle #390613

2	7	6	9	3	1	5	4	8
1	9	5	6	8	4	7	2	3
8	4	3	7	2	5	9	6	1
3	5	1	2	9	7	6	8	4
4	8	9	1	5	6	3	7	2
6	2	7	3	4	8	1	9	5
7	3	8	5	6	2	4	1	9
9	1	2	4	7	3	8	5	6
5	6	4	8	1	9	2	3	7

Puzzle #226241

3	2	4	7	9	6	1	5	8
5	9	1	8	4	3	7	6	2
7	6	8	2	5	1	9	3	4
4	3	9	6	2	8	5	7	1
8	7	6	5	1	9	4	2	3
1	5	2	3	7	4	8	9	6
9	4	7	1	6	2	3	8	5
6	8	5	4	3	7	2	1	9
2	1	3	9	8	5	6	4	7

Puzzle #496662

4	5	7	8	9	6	2	3	1
1	2	8	7	5	3	6	4	9
6	9	3	1	4	2	7	5	8
7	6	1	5	3	8	4	9	2
2	8	9	4	1	7	5	6	3
3	4	5	6	2	9	1	8	7
5	3	4	2	8	1	9	7	6
9	7	2	3	6	4	8	1	5
8	1	6	9	7	5	3	2	4