

A Sudoku Solver – Expanding (4A)

- Richard Bird Implementation

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<https://wiki.haskell.org/Sudoku>

<http://cdsoft.fr/haskell/sudoku.html>

<https://gist.github.com/wvandyk/3638996>

<http://www.cse.chalmers.se/edu/year/2015/course/TDA555/lab3.html>

: and ++, and concat

: cons an element onto a list

`a -> [a] -> [a]`

`1 : [2, 3, 4] ==> [1, 2, 3, 4]`

++ concatenates two lists

`[a] -> [a] -> [a]`

`[1] ++ [2, 3, 4] ==> [1, 2, 3, 4]`

concat : concatenate a list of lists

`[[a]] -> [a]`

`concat [[1, 2], [3, 4, 5]] ==> [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]`

<http://stackoverflow.com/questions/1817865/haskell-and-differences>

any

`any :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> Bool`

`any p = or . map p`

`or :: [Bool] -> Bool`

`or [] = False`

`or (x:xs) = x || or xs`

span

```
span :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> ([a], [a])
span p [] = ([], [])
span p (x:xs) = if p x then (x:ys, zs)
                else ([], x:xs)
                where (ys, zs) = span p xs
```

```
span (< 3) [1,2,3,4,1,2,3,4] == ([1,2],[3,4,1,2,3,4])
```

```
span (< 9) [1,2,3] == ([1,2,3],[])
```

```
span (< 0) [1,2,3] == ([],[1,2,3])
```

break

`break :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> ([a], [a])`

`break p = span (not . p)`

`break even [1,3,7,6,2,3,5] == ([1,3,7], [6,2,3,5])`

single

`single :: [a] -> Bool`

`single [_] = True`

`single _ = False`

`or . map`

`(row1, cs:row2) = break (not . single) row`

`(rows1, row:rows2) = break (any (not . single)) rows`
`= break (or . map (not . single)) rows`

Matrix Choices Example

```
(row1, cs:row2) = break (not . single) row
```

```
[ [ ['1'], ['2'], ['3'], ['4'], ['5'], ['6'], ['7'], ['8'], ['9'] ],  
  [ ['9'], ['8'], ['7'], ['6'], ['5'], ['4'], ['3'], ['2'], ['1'] ],  
  [ ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['5'], ['6'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['2'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['8'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['3'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['5'], ['7'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['5'], ['3'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['6'], ['1'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ] ]
```

Matrix Choices = [Row Choices] \rightarrow [[Choices]] \rightarrow [[[Digit]]]

Matrix Choices Example

(row1, cs:row2) = **break** (not . **single**) **row**

```
[ [ ['1'], ['2'], ['3'], ['4'], ['5'], ['6'], ['7'], ['8'], ['9'], ],  
  [ ['9'], ['8'], ['7'], ['6'], rows1 ['4'], ['3'], ['2'], ['1'], ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], row ['9'], ['5'], ['7'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], rows2, ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ] ]
```

Matrix Choices = [Row Choices] → [[Choices]] → [[[Digit]]]

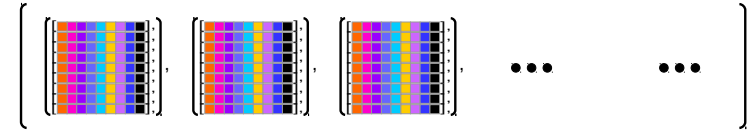
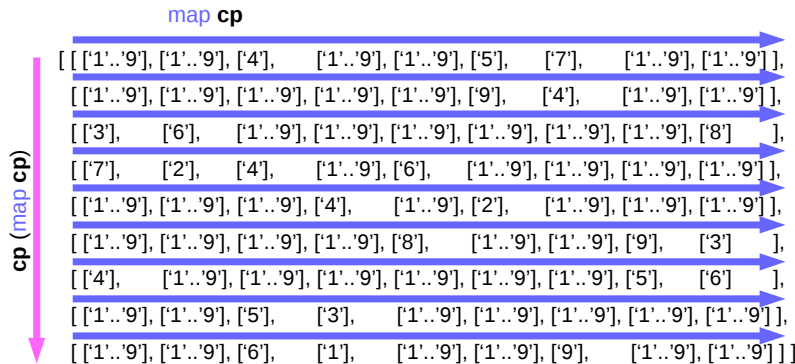
Matrix Choices Example

(row1, cs:row2) = **break** (not . **single**) **row**

```
[ [ ['1'], ['2'], ['3'], ['4'], ['5'], ['6'], ['7'], ['8'], ['9'], ],  
  [ ['9'], ['8'], ['7'], ['6'], rows1 ['4'], ['3'], ['2'], ['1'], ],  
  [ ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['5'], ['6'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], rows2, ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ],  
  [ ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['9'], ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'] ] ]
```

```
[ ['4'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['1..'9'], ['5'], ['6'] ],  
  row1   cs                                row2
```

expand



expand :: Matrix Choices -> [Grid]
expand = cp . map cp
cp . map cp = [[[a]]] -> [[[a]]]

Matrix Choices

Matrix [Digit]



[Grid]

[Matrix Digit]

expand = concat . map expand . **expand1**

expand1 :: Matrix [Digit] -> [Matrix [Digit]]

expand1 rows = [rows1 ++ [row1 ++ [c]:row2] ++ rows2 | c <- cs]

Single-Cell Expansion

```
single :: [a] -> Bool
```

```
single [] = True
```

```
single _ = False
```

```
expand1 :: Matrix [Digit] -> [Matrix [Digit]]
```

```
expand1 rows
```

```
= [rows1 ++ [row1 ++[c]:row2] ++ rows2 | c <- cs]
```

```
  where
```

```
    (rows1, row:rows2) = break (any (not . single)) rows
```

```
    (row1, cs:row2) = break (not .single) row
```

```
break (any (not . single)) rows = [rows, []]
```

Single-Cell Expansion

```
expand1 : Matrix [Digit] -> [Matrix [Digit]]
```

```
expand = concat . map expand . expand1
```

```
rows = rows1 ++ [row] ++ rows2
```

```
row = row1 ++ [cs] ++ row2
```

```
expand1 :: Matrix [Digit] -> [Matrix [Digit]]
```

```
expand1 rows
```

```
= [rows1 ++ [row1 ++ [c]:row2] ++ rows2 | c <- cs]
```

Single-Cell Expansion

`break :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> ([a], [a])`
`break p = span (not . p)`

`break even [1,3,7,6,2,3,5]`

`==> ([1,3,7], [6,2,3,5])`

`any :: (a -> Bool) -> [a] -> Bool`
`any p = or . map p`

`or :: [Bool] -> Bool`
`or [] = False`
`or (x:xs) = x || or xs`

Single-Cell Expansion

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expand1 rows
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= [rows1 ++ [row1 ++[c]:row2] ++ rows2 | c <- cs]
```

```
  where
```

```
    (rows1, row:rows2) = break (any (not . single)) rows
```

```
    (row1, cs:row2) = break (not .single) row
```

```
break (any (not . single)) rows = [rows, []]
```


Single-Cell Expansion

```
expand1 :: Matrix [Digit] -> [Matrix [Digit]]
expand1 rows
= [rows1 ++ [row1 ++ [c]::row2] ++ rows2 | c <- cs]
  where
    (rows1, row:rows2) = break (any smallest) rows
    (row1, cs:row2)    = break smallest row
    smallest cs = length cs == n
    n = minimum (counts rows)
```

```
counts = filter (/= 1) . map length . concat
```

Single-Cell Expansion

```
complete :: Matrix [Digit] -> Bool  
complete = all (all single)
```

```
safe :: Matrix [Digit] -> Bool  
safe m = all ok (rows cm) &&  
         all ok (cols cm) &&  
         all ok (boxs cm) &&  
ok row = nodups [x | [x] <- row]
```

Single-Cell Expansion

```
extract :: Matrix [Digit] -> Grid  
extract = map (map head)
```

```
filter valid (expand m) = [extract m]
```

```
filter valid . expand  
= filter valid . concat . map expand . expand1
```

```
filter p . concat = concat . map (filter p)
```

```
concat . map (filter p . expand) . expand1
```

```
concat . map (filter p . expand . prune) . expand1
```

Single-Cell Expansion

```
search = concat . map search . expand1 . prune
```

```
solve = search . choices
```

```
search cm
```

```
| not (safe pm) = []
```

```
| complete pm = [extract pm]
```

```
| otherwise = concat (map search (expand1 pm))
```

```
where pm = prune cm
```

Single-Cell Expansion

solve = filter valid . expand . prune . choices

many :: (eq a) => (a -> a) -> a -> a

many f x = if x == y then x else many f y
 where y = f x

solve = filter valid . expand . many prune . choices

Single-Cell Expansion

expand1 :: Matrix Choices -> [Matrix Choices]

expand1 rows =

[rows1 ++ [row1 ++ [c]:row2] ++ rows2 | c <- cs]

where

(rows1,row:rows2) = break (any smallest) rows

(row1,cs:row2) = break smallest row

smallest cs = length cs == n

n = minimum (counts rows)

counts = filter (/=1) . map length . concat

Single-Cell Expansion

- > **solve2** :: Grid -> [Grid]
- > **solve2** = **search . choices**

- > **search** :: Matrix Choices -> [Grid]
- > **search** cm
- > |not (safe pm) = []
- > |complete pm = [map (map head) pm]
- > |otherwise = (concat . map **search** . expand1) pm
- > where pm = prune cm

- > **complete** :: Matrix Choices -> Bool
- > **complete** = all (all single)

- > single [] = True
- > single _ = False

Single-Cell Expansion

```
> solve2 :: Grid -> [Grid]
> solve2 = search . choices

> search :: Matrix Choices -> [Grid]
> search cm
> |not (safe pm) = []
> |complete pm  = [map (map head) pm]
> |otherwise    = (concat . map search . expand1) pm
> where pm = prune cm

> complete :: Matrix Choices -> Bool
> complete = all (all single)

> single [] = True
> single _  = False
```


Single-Cell Expansion

```
> safe :: Matrix Choices -> Bool
> safe cm = all ok (rows cm) &&
>           all ok (cols cm) &&
>           all ok (boxs cm)

> ok row = nodups [d | [d] <- row]
```

References

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