

# Mathdoku

I solved the problem based on my understanding of  $+, -, \times, \div$ . I used my logic reasoning and the constraints set by the rules.

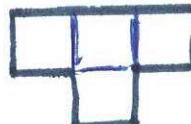
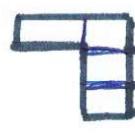
Examples of factors of multiplication and numbers.

24x

$$\begin{aligned} 24 &= 2 \times 12 \\ &= 2 \times 2 \times 6 \quad \text{out (not part of } \\ &\quad \quad \quad \{ 1, 2, 3, 4 \}) \\ &= 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \\ &= 2 \times 4 \times 3 \\ &= 2 \times 4 \times 3 \times 1 \end{aligned}$$

48x

$$\begin{aligned} 48 &= 2 \times 24 \\ &= 2 \times 2 \times 12 \quad \text{out} \\ &= 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 6 \\ &= 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \\ &= 2 \times 4 \times 2 \times 3 \end{aligned}$$

Mathdoku question	target number	cage shape	possible numbers	Comments + explanation
M2 Q2	24x		$2 \times 4 \times 3$	no repeat in a row.
M2 Q3	24x		$2 \times 4 \times 3 \times 1$	no repeat
M3 Q4	48x		$2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4$	2 can appear in 2 different columns

M1 Q1

9+	3x	2+	
4	3	1	2
2	1	4	3
3	4	2	1

M1 Q2

24x	3x	12x	
2	4	3	1
3	2	1	4
4	1	2	3

# Mathdoku 1

M1 Q3

$3 \div$	3	$5 +$	2
3	$16 \times$	1	$4 \div$
2	4	$6 +$	1
4	1	2	3

M1 Q4

$12 \times$	3	$2 \div$	1
1	4	$6 +$	2
3	2	1	4
2	1	$12 \times$	3

M2Q1

2	4	1	3
9+	6+		
4	1	3	2
3	2	4	1
1	3	2	4

M2Q2

11+	3	3+	
4	3	1	2
12x			
2	1	3	4
1	4	2	3
24x			
3	2	4	1

# Mathdoku 2

M2 Q3

$3 \div$	$24 \times$		
3	4	2	1
	5+		6+
1	2	3	4
4	3	1	2
1-			
2	1	4	3

M2 Q4

$3 \div$	3	$5 +$	2
1	3	4	2
	$16 \times$	1	$4 \div$
3	2	1	4
2	4	3	1
4	1	2	3

(M3 Q1)

4+	1	3	2	4
24x	3	2	4	1
	2	4	1	18x
3-	4	1	3	2

(M3 Q2)

12x	3	4	2	1
1	1	2	4	3
2÷	4	1	3	2
	2	3	1	5+

M3 Q3

$10+$	2	4	1	$6\times$	3
$8+$	4	1	3	2	
	1	3	2	4	
	3	2	4	1	

M3 Q4

$2-$	1	3	$48\times$	2	4
$2-$	2	4	$4\times$	1	3
	4	1	$8+$	3	2
$1-$	3	2	4	1	