Sudoku On The Half Shell: 150 Addictive Sujiken® Puzzles

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Synopsis

It's sudoku-half off! The popular puzzle has been sliced in half along the diagonal to leave a 45-cell triangle rather than the usual square. Fill in the empty cells with digits from 1 to 9-and remember, no repeated numbers! The 150 puzzles come in five levels of difficulty.

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Customer Reviews

Who would have thought that the "Latin Squares" that the Swiss mathematician Leonhard Euler apparently developed would lead to one of the most popular games of the 21st century. A quick search of reveals numerous puzzle books but none with the originality of Dr. Heineman’s Sudoku on the Half Shell. Using the basic concept of Sudoku (9x9 and 3x3) Dr. Heineman adds his unique challenge of using the diagonal as an added element. This brilliant twist makes for an enjoyable and inventive game. I highly recommend this book and am personally looking forward to the follow-up addition.

I bought this for myself and was quite impressed with the puzzles. I liked it so much that I ordered one for a relative that also likes Sudoku. It figuratively and literally adds another dimension to the challenges. I highly recommend it for someone that is addicted to Sudoku.

This product is great fun for sudoku fans. It gives another perspective on solving these puzzles and is more challenging than one might think.

What a delight this book is! I love sudoku variations, and this one is a winner. If you have never
done sujiken (half-sudoku) puzzles before, start with the easy ones, even if you are an advanced
sudoku solver, because the extra rules will really throw you for a loop! The 150 puzzles are rated
from one star (easiest) to five stars (hardest). The four- and five-star puzzles really are diabolical;
more than once, I thought a puzzle had multiple solutions, but on further analysis found a flaw in my
"alternate" solution. I speak from experience when I say that sudoku variation puzzles are
challenging to construct. Kudos to Mr. Heineman.