## Kuromasu

Rules: Shade some empty cells black so that each number indicates the total count of white cells connected vertically and horizontally to that number including the numbered cell itself. Black cells cannot share an edge, and all white cells must belong to a single connected group.

ANSWER ENTRY: Enter the length in cells of each of the white segments from left to right for the marked rows, starting at the top. Separate each row's entry with a comma. This example has the key "14,221".


## Double Kuromasu

Rules: Same as above, except that instead of single black cells, shade in dominoes ( $1 \times 2$ black cell groups). Dominoes cannot share an edge.

|  |  | $(2)$ | 6 |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  | 3 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 |  | 6 |  |  | $(3)$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | $(3)$ | 3 |  |  |  |



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