

Castle Wall

(Style originally by Palmer Mebane;
Example by Thomas Snyder)

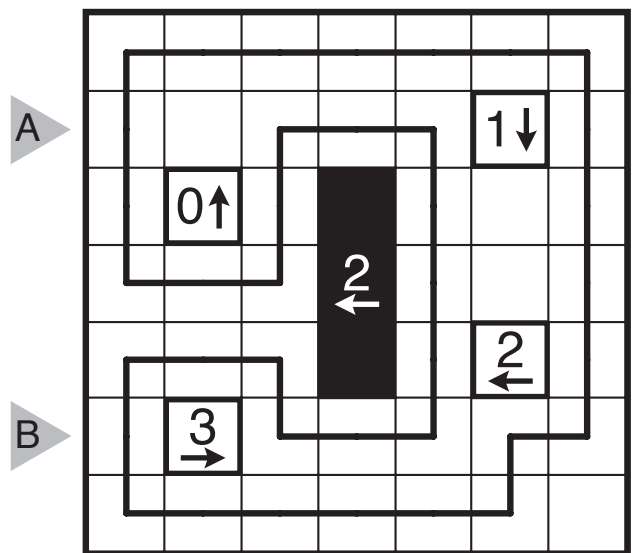
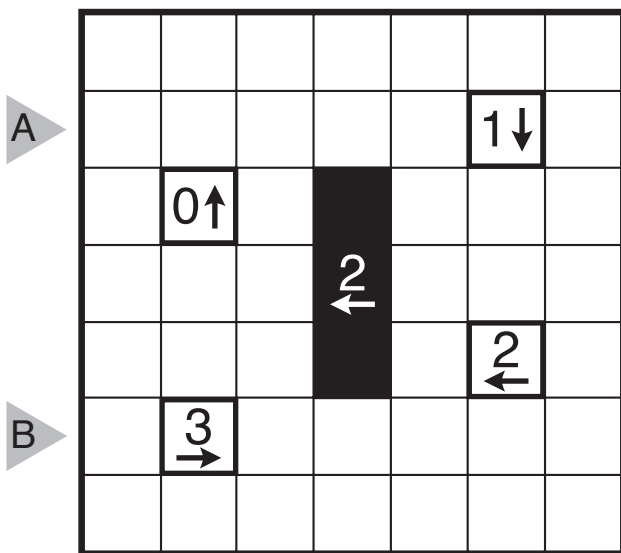
Rules: Draw a single closed loop (without intersections or crossings) passing through some empty cells in the grid. The grid contains some bordered or colored cells that cannot be part of the loop. Black cells must be outside the loop; white cells (with heavy borders) must be inside the loop. Numbers and arrows refer to the total sum of the lengths of loop segments in the given direction. (An equivalent way to understand these values is to count the number of cell borders crossed by the loop in that direction.)

Answer Entry: Enter the length in cells of the horizontal loop segments from left to right in the marked rows, starting at the top.

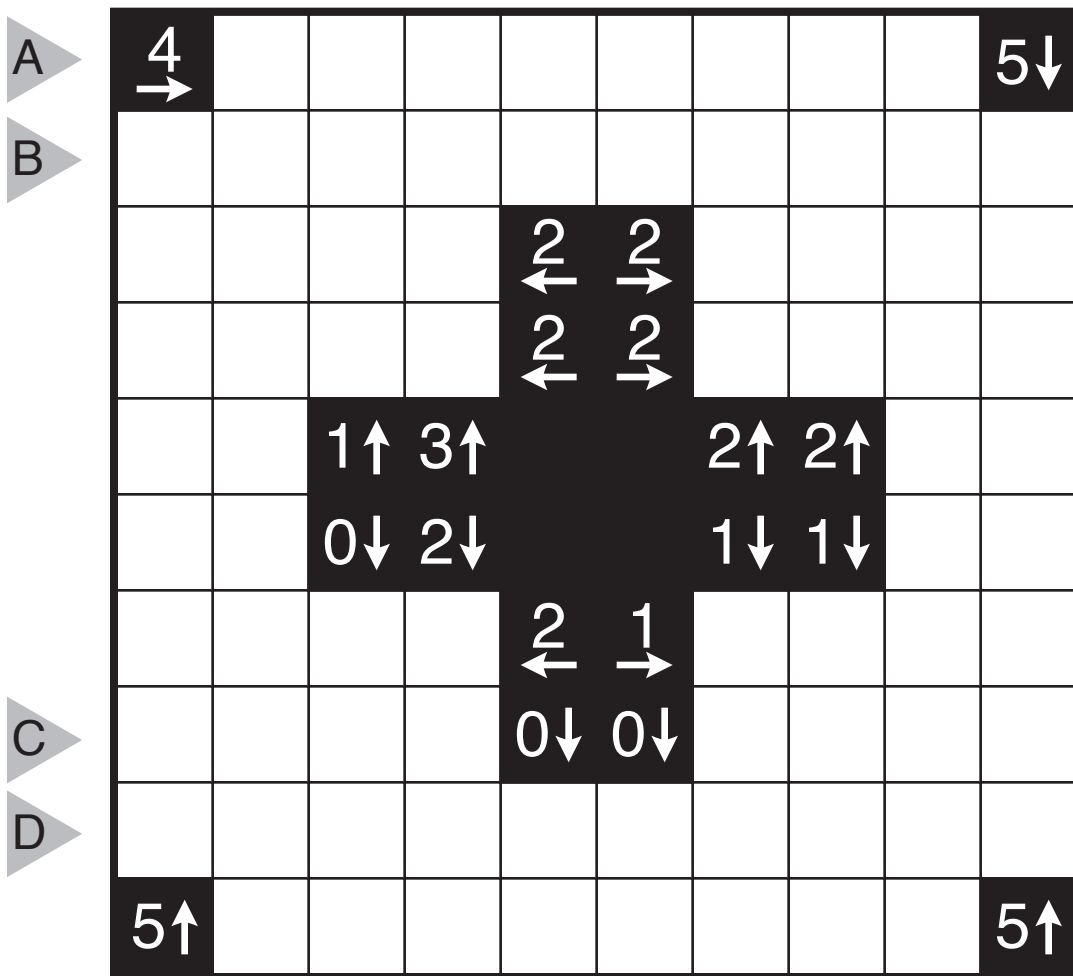
If the loop only has vertical segments in the marked row, enter 0.

Separate each row's entry with a comma.

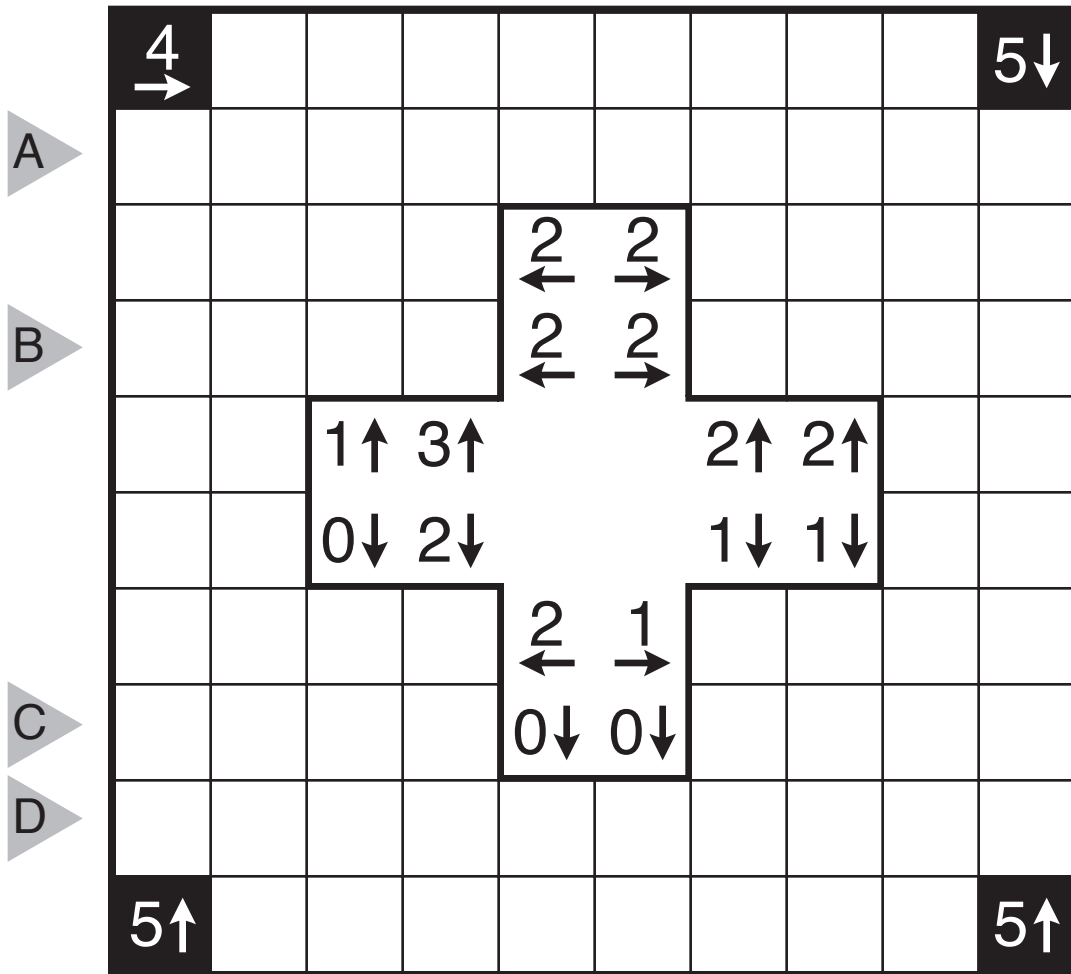
This example has the key "2,21".



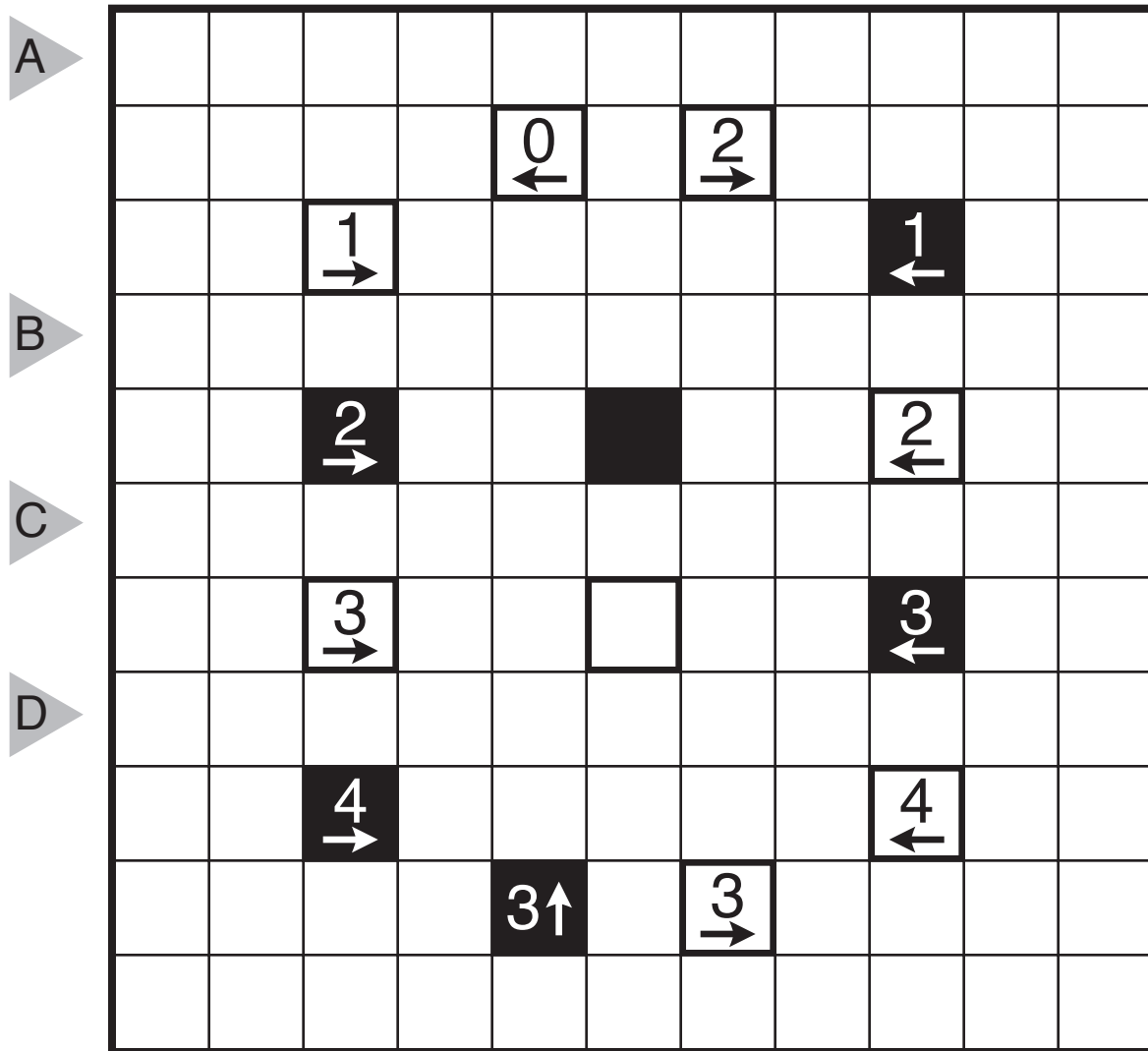
14/11/12:
 Castle Wall by Palmer Mebane
 Theme: Black Cross



14/11/13:
 Castle Wall by Palmer Mebane
 Theme: White Cross



14/11/14:
 Castle Wall by Prasanna Seshadri
 Theme: Rivals



14/11/15:
 Castle Wall by Palmer Mebane
 Theme: Clue Symmetry and Logic

