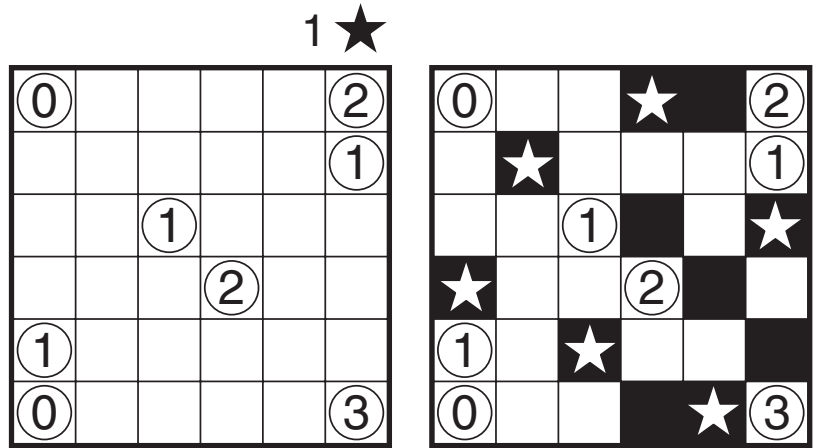
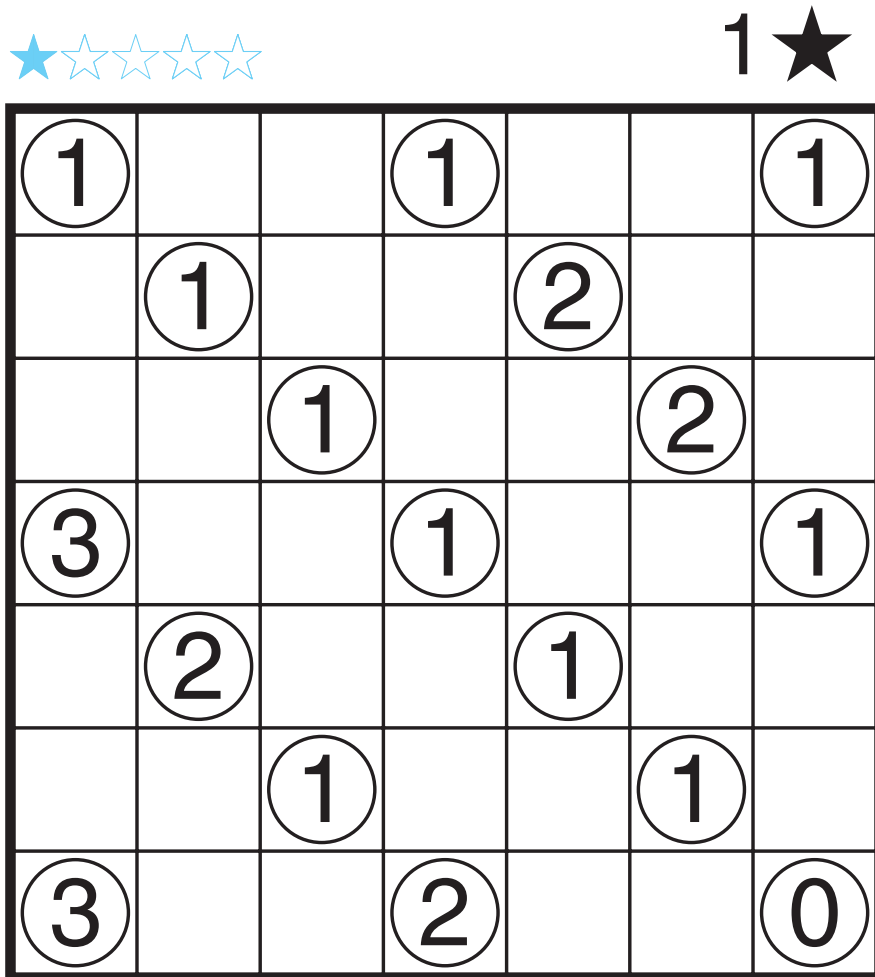


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Rules: Standard Kurotto rules: shade some cells so that each circled number represents the total count of shaded cells in connected groups sharing an edge with that number. Cells with circles cannot be shaded. Also, each row and column must contain exactly the indicated number of stars. Stars cannot be placed in adjacent cells that share an edge or corner, and all stars must be on shaded cells.



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Diagonals