

Sudoku on Steroids

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Need to get away from the holiday festivities for a bit?

In honor of Christmas day, here is a Sudoku challenge with 25 letters rather than the typical 9 numbers for your solving pleasure.

Instructions are simple - put every letter from A to Y in each of the 25 vertical lines, horizontal lines and 5 x 5 small boxes.

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