

# Conceptis Sudoku

By Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★

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# ISAAC ASIMOV'S SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

**Subject:** HAMILTON (e.g., On which lake is Hamilton, Ontario? Answer: Lake Ontario.)

### FRESHMAN LEVEL

1. He was killed in a duel with Aaron Burr. Answer \_\_\_\_\_
2. What naval hero had a very public affair with Emma Hamilton? Answer \_\_\_\_\_
3. Margaret Hamilton is known for portraying this witch in a 1939 film. Answer \_\_\_\_\_

### GRADUATE LEVEL

4. In which sport is American Scott Hamilton an Olympic gold medalist? Answer \_\_\_\_\_
5. This actor is famous for his debonair style and his perpetual suntan. Answer \_\_\_\_\_
6. Name of an American company of home appliances. Answer \_\_\_\_\_

### PH.D. LEVEL

7. Identify the hit musical with music, lyrics and book by Lin-Manuel Miranda. Answer \_\_\_\_\_
8. Hamilton is the capital of this British overseas territory. Answer \_\_\_\_\_
9. She portrayed Sarah Connor in the "Terminator" film series. Answer \_\_\_\_\_

**ANSWERS:** 1. Alexander Hamilton. 2. Horatio Nelson. 3. Wicked Witch of the West. 4. Figure skating. 5. George Hamilton. 6. Hamilton Beach. 7. "Hamilton." 8. Bermuda. 9. Linda Hamilton.

### SCORING:

18 points — congratulations, doctor; 15 to 17 points — honors graduate; 10 to 14 points — you're plenty smart, but no grind; 4 to 9 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 3 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?

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## CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

" Z I J K D F I D K T N E C U L J P E , D F I D K T  
 N E F N A N K F N . C U C V L D S Z N V P Y K J M J A  
 L N V K Y F I J Z W U D F Y N J L D E D F  
 Z J A J K ' F E N A F N A N K F N . " — Y A W T J

Previous Solution: "I went to a record store, they said they specialized in hard-to-find records. Nothing was alphabetized!" — Mitch Hedberg

TODAY'S CLUE: *V equals M*

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## NEA Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- 1 Comedy bit
  - 4 Soapstone
  - 8 Like some excuses
  - 11 — vera
  - 13 Muffin spread
  - 14 High card
  - 15 Remote-ness
  - 17 Hwys.
  - 18 Fall
  - 19 Rough cabin
  - 21 Explain further
  - 22 Owed right now
  - 23 Tibet's capital
  - 26 Call
  - 29 Machete
  - 30 Sotto —
  - 31 Strut along
  - 33 Sauna site
  - 34 A Muppet
  - 35 The two of them
  - 36 Recital extra
  - 38 Walk on
  - 39 Wheel part
  - 40 French king
  - 41 Antic
  - 44 Disquiet
  - 48 Byron work

- DOWN**
- 1 Gallop or canter
  - 2 Part of a.k.a.
  - 3 Gunk
  - 4 Lugged
  - 5 Husband of Fatima
  - 6 Mr. Tolstoy
  - 7 Use up
  - 8 Ms. Paretsky
  - 9 "Black Ice" group
  - 10 Office furnishing
  - 12 Border town
  - 13 (2 wds.)
  - 16 TV's Hawkeye

### Answer to Previous Puzzle

YOM	YANK	STAB
UMA	ALAI	COMA
RAJ	MEET	ROIL
THORAX	HEEDED	
SARAH	OWL	
	CAROMS	EMU
EDGE	ODE	MOAT
BEAD	BOW	YOGA
BBS	BERLIN	
	MEA	TAMPA
SCARAB	USHERS	
OHIO	LIRE	LOP
FIND	ORAL	EVE
APSE	CALF	EON

- 20 Skirt border
- 22 Pipe
- 23 Deli units
- 24 Fabulous diamond
- 25 Bates or Arkin
- 26 Irritated
- 27 Band member
- 28 — moment too soon
- 30 Action word
- 32 Advanced degree
- 34 Kentucky whiskey
- 35 Gives a quick rundown
- 37 Ernesto Guevara
- 38 Cereal-eating tiger
- 40 Sits on the throne
- 41 Handle problems
- 42 Economist — Smith
- 43 Machu Picchu site
- 45 Astringent
- 46 Living-room piece
- 47 Larger-than-life
- 50 Self-esteem
- 51 Was in charge of

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