

Killer Sudoku #8

20	24			6		19	13	
			10	13	9			
12						35	12	
14		6		16	12		11	
	18							
	14	17					8	
		23	8	13	12		4	
						21		12
	14			9				

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Fill in the blank squares so that each row, each column and each 3-by-3 block contain all of the digits 1 thru 9.

The dotted lines indicate areas which also contain a non-repeating set of digits. These squares can be added together to produce the sums shown in the clues.

Be sure to use the answers page if you get stuck!

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 Thank you!

Killer Sudoku #1

10		14	9	5	21		18	
12					15			
7	13		28			13	8	11
		23		25				
						19		
14	11					3	10	13
		15		12				
11			17	8		22		13
5								

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"What it lies in our power to do, it lies in our power not to do."
 —Aristotle

Killer Sudoku #2

9		6		32			7	13
21		9	11			8		
	33				11		15	
			33			37		
13							5	
			10					14
7		11		14		14		
4	14		26				16	
					12			

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The Generalized Thermodynamic Law (Systems Theory): More probable states are more likely to be observed than less probable states, unless specific constraints exist to keep them from occurring.

Killer Sudoku #7

14		6		18	16		9	5
6	16	8			7	14		
				21			10	
10		13	11		5		27	
18					15	5		
		13					11	
10		11	10		9		10	11
8	8			20				
		10			13		7	

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*The soul of this man is in his clothes.
—Shakespeare*

Killer Sudoku #6

10	9		25		16			18
	19	8			11			
14			8			11	13	
	6			22			30	
	18							11
		17			10	9		
8			10	22		14		
20					12			6
	19					9		

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I'd love to go out with you, but I'm converting my calendar watch from Julian to Gregorian.

Killer Sudoku #3

9	24	9		10	9			23
		7	27		9			
8						28		12
		9		12	21		10	
21								
18		9						7
	12	11	17				27	
6				12	13			
		15			10			

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"Christmas isn't a season. It's a feeling."
—Lana Fieber

Killer Sudoku #4

10	7		21	19	22	7		14
	19	21				8	24	
5								8
				4				
11		10			10			15
	9	9	27			24	6	
26								28
			22					
14							5	

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Nature always sides with the hidden flaw.

Killer Sudoku #5

10	8	13		12	32			
		7					14	
15	11		11		17			9
			13		10		20	
30								
5	25		7			19		10
			8				16	
9	11	11		17				21
		14						

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The majority is never right.

Hints

Challenging Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 12, Book 18

Killer Sudoku #1

28	29	69	81	70	3	71	52	72
24	23	73	74	59	75	76	53	60
19	17	61	2	77	62	48	49	54
20	14	78	63	64	79	45	50	55
30	34	80	65	1	66	67	56	68
41	31	57	25	15	58	6	32	51
35	33	36	4	37	18	5	46	47
26	27	13	9	42	43	44	11	12
21	22	38	10	39	7	40	8	16

Killer Sudoku #3

19	25	1	2	22	16	14	6	23
20	43	68	36	24	17	21	69	59
3	37	70	38	30	12	60	61	51
4	5	52	50	53	62	63	54	31
78	79	71	64	65	80	72	73	55
74	81	75	66	56	76	67	77	26
39	57	58	44	40	10	41	45	27
18	46	47	48	32	8	9	49	33
15	42	34	35	28	11	13	7	29

Killer Sudoku #5

23	12	24	25	71	72	73	74	75
21	11	8	10	66	67	68	2	53
22	9	17	58	59	60	61	3	38
20	13	18	62	63	81	40	76	39
1	7	6	30	31	77	69	78	70
14	15	19	41	42	79	45	80	43
26	16	27	28	34	46	47	4	44
54	33	36	37	48	49	50	5	51
55	32	35	29	56	57	64	65	52

Killer Sudoku #7

58	59	34	35	25	1	2	36	37
43	28	33	30	26	44	27	38	39
40	29	32	31	23	41	24	70	71
18	17	77	78	11	5	6	72	73
79	60	80	81	10	65	8	74	75
76	61	3	4	9	62	7	66	67
50	51	45	63	21	15	52	64	53
54	47	42	55	22	19	48	56	57
49	46	12	13	20	16	14	68	69

Killer Sudoku #2

32	28	2	3	62	58	1	7	12
4	14	6	15	78	79	11	8	13
25	24	5	71	72	9	10	42	43
26	29	39	44	73	74	52	49	48
30	27	36	63	64	59	37	53	54
35	33	38	17	16	45	46	40	41
34	31	80	18	81	75	19	50	76
66	22	77	67	68	69	20	47	70
65	23	21	60	61	57	55	56	51

Killer Sudoku #4

45	47	64	65	66	46	5	6	67
53	68	58	75	69	54	70	55	59
48	60	57	71	56	49	61	50	27
51	52	28	11	23	10	24	17	18
32	33	19	25	20	7	4	16	21
31	29	34	39	40	26	8	1	22
41	30	42	35	43	9	3	2	36
76	44	62	81	72	15	77	12	37
78	73	63	79	74	38	80	13	14

Killer Sudoku #6

49	58	50	38	51	8	78	79	39
43	52	15	16	53	44	23	24	40
12	54	45	10	55	46	11	20	19
6	18	17	9	5	7	4	21	22
13	59	60	41	65	42	73	74	61
56	57	14	25	66	26	80	81	62
30	29	28	31	35	27	32	33	1
47	67	75	34	76	3	2	77	68
48	63	69	36	70	37	71	72	64

Killer Sudoku #8

21	12	11	1	15	17	50	43	46
80	59	81	14	53	57	73	66	51
55	54	58	13	52	56	2	47	48
29	5	7	6	27	24	30	44	45
33	20	19	8	28	22	34	37	38
31	32	9	10	26	23	25	39	40
74	60	75	76	77	61	3	41	42
35	36	78	79	67	62	68	63	69
70	64	71	4	16	18	72	49	65

INSTRUCTIONS: These hint grids reveal the order in which the squares were solved by my computer. It's not necessarily the same order you would use, but it's probably close. Follow the numbered squares in order 1, 2, 3... until you find a square you haven't solved yet. This square (or the one or two immediately after it) is a good candidate to solve next.

Answers

Challenging Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 12, Book 18

Killer Sudoku #1

2	8	4	6	1	9	3	5	7
7	5	9	3	4	2	8	1	6
3	6	1	7	5	8	4	2	9
4	7	3	5	8	1	9	6	2
6	1	5	2	9	3	7	8	4
9	2	8	4	7	6	1	3	5
5	9	6	1	3	4	2	7	8
8	3	7	9	2	5	6	4	1
1	4	2	8	6	7	5	9	3

Killer Sudoku #3

3	8	4	5	7	2	1	6	9
6	9	2	4	3	1	8	7	5
1	7	5	8	9	6	3	2	4
5	2	6	3	1	9	7	4	8
9	4	1	7	6	8	5	3	2
8	3	7	2	5	4	9	1	6
7	6	3	9	2	5	4	8	1
2	5	8	1	4	7	6	9	3
4	1	9	6	8	3	2	5	7

Killer Sudoku #5

1	2	7	6	4	8	5	3	9
9	6	4	3	5	1	2	8	7
8	5	3	9	2	7	4	6	1
7	1	2	4	9	3	6	5	8
6	4	5	7	8	2	9	1	3
3	9	8	1	6	5	7	2	4
2	7	1	5	3	4	8	9	6
4	8	9	2	1	6	3	7	5
5	3	6	8	7	9	1	4	2

Killer Sudoku #7

8	6	5	1	3	9	7	4	2
4	9	1	8	7	2	6	5	3
2	7	3	4	6	5	8	9	1
9	1	6	5	4	3	2	7	8
5	2	7	6	1	8	4	3	9
3	8	4	9	2	7	1	6	5
6	4	9	3	8	1	5	2	7
1	5	2	7	9	6	3	8	4
7	3	8	2	5	4	9	1	6

Killer Sudoku #2

4	3	5	1	8	7	2	6	9
7	2	8	5	9	6	3	1	4
6	9	1	4	2	3	5	7	8
8	1	3	9	6	2	7	4	5
9	4	6	8	7	5	1	2	3
5	7	2	3	1	4	9	8	6
2	5	7	6	4	9	8	3	1
3	8	4	2	5	1	6	9	7
1	6	9	7	3	8	4	5	2

Killer Sudoku #4

7	1	6	9	8	2	3	4	5
3	8	5	1	6	4	2	7	9
4	2	9	3	5	7	1	8	6
1	4	7	8	3	9	5	6	2
9	5	8	2	1	6	4	3	7
2	6	3	7	4	5	9	1	8
6	3	2	4	9	8	7	5	1
8	7	1	5	2	3	6	9	4
5	9	4	6	7	1	8	2	3

Killer Sudoku #6

3	1	8	9	2	5	4	7	6
7	6	5	3	8	4	1	2	9
2	9	4	1	6	7	3	8	5
4	5	1	7	3	6	2	9	8
8	2	3	5	4	9	7	6	1
6	7	9	2	1	8	5	4	3
5	3	6	4	9	2	8	1	7
1	8	2	6	7	3	9	5	4
9	4	7	8	5	1	6	3	2

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1	9	8	7	2	4	3	6	5
3	5	4	1	8	6	9	7	2
6	2	7	9	5	3	1	4	8
2	4	1	5	7	9	6	8	3
7	8	6	4	3	1	2	5	9
5	3	9	8	6	2	4	1	7
4	7	2	6	9	5	8	3	1
8	1	3	2	4	7	5	9	6
9	6	5	3	1	8	7	2	4