

Killer Sudoku #1

7	32	11		8	8		28	13
		21	5		11	24		
				23				
12	9		9				6	8
		39						
7		15			11		11	
15	19				12			21
			20					

Up against the wall, buddy.

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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.

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Killer Sudoku #2

21	18			18			11	
			11		12		7	
5	31	12	13			22		
				14		7	27	
		6	12					
			6		9	11		13
15			18					
9		26		9		21		
9					12			

At the working-man's house hunger looks in, but dares not enter! nor will
the bailiff or the constable enter; for industry pays debts, but despair
increaseth them.
-- Benjamin Franklin

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Killer Sudoku #3

16	6		17			36		
	14	19				9		
3		9	12	6				
	6			18	13			15
7		14			11		11	
	21				6	12		5
40		5	16				6	
			15					15
			14			8		

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The countenance may be rightly defined as the title page which heralds the contents of the human volume, but like other title pages, if sometimes puzzles, often misleads, and often says nothing to the purpose.
-- William Matthews

Killer Sudoku #4

10		9		20	10		7	
11	10					11		10
	11	11	33			6	12	
11								24
	13		17			11		
		11	13		6	13		
12				14			10	
19	12		9		11	15		13

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Whistler's Law: You never know who is right, but you always know who is in charge.

Killer Sudoku #5

22	10		15	34	12		5	12
					11			
9	16					11		
			12			19		23
20				10				
17	10			37				
		20	18			17		
					6		17	4
	11				7			

Beware of short waiters.

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Killer Sudoku #6

19		12		13		21	3	
32			10		3			22
	29	5		13		7	4	
		15	41					
							7	
				6		9	15	17
		11			10			
	22		10			14		
		14		12			9	

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May the Force be with you.

Killer Sudoku #7

6		17		9	18			9
9	11				12	10		
	22			12			17	10
11		17			18			
						30		
13	21			9	23		3	
		9	9					7
8	15			22		11		
					4		13	

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Good breeding shows itself most where, to an ordinary eye, it appears least.
-- Addison

Killer Sudoku #8

24	16			22	16			3
					5		27	
21	6		10		9			
	14	13		14	9			
		12			24			
		9			17			29
	4		6		13			
22			12		4			7
	20				17			

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Hints

Challenging Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 12, Book 54

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 54

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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