

Killer Sudoku #1

20	18	9		13		16	17	
		10						
			15	11		19	5	
15	7	9		25			9	
						5	11	12
7		14			14			
9			4			21		17
20			21		7			
11					14			

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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!

A politician always abuses his own constituency and placates the opponent's.
-- Bob Smith

Killer Sudoku #2

10		9		33			9	
23		17	11	20				
						12		13
5	15		13			6	12	
		15	13					16
5			23	10		17		
	14				10		16	
21	19							
					5		13	

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Killer Sudoku #3

23			4	12	11	12		
8		15				22	10	
13			20					24
		14	11		14	6		
	9			8			15	
		17			6			
15		9	16		16	20	9	
20				15				11

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"A gift in season is a double favor to the needy."
 -- Publilius Syrus

Killer Sudoku #4

15		11		20		11		9
8			13	19			7	
	13							24
5		7	35		24			
22	22					5		
							8	
	14	15			6	13		5
8		22				22		
	8				14			

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*Peter's Theorem: Incompetence plus incompetence equals incompetence.
-- Laurence J. Peter*

Killer Sudoku #5

18		9		11		18		
13		5		24		23		
	9	14				9		
5		8	26				20	
	23					3		13
		16	16	22			5	
16								9
20					13		14	
			10		13			

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All snakes who wish to remain in Ireland will please raise their right hands.
-- Saint Patrick

Killer Sudoku #6

15		7	14	4	11	13	15	
13								13
	17	6		11	8		13	
		10			10			
13	21			14	11			4
	3		6		11	12		
11		21		26		22	15	
	35							

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The people most preoccupied with titles and status are usually the least deserving of them.

Killer Sudoku #7

13	11		12	10	13	7		24
21		14		18	6		16	
9		11				16		8
	8		15		6		16	
		24		7		22		
24			33				19	
		8			14			

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Let a fool hold his tongue and he will pass for a sage.

Killer Sudoku #8

13		3	13	7	10	12	10	
15							17	
10		27		29	26			14
	10						7	
8								6
	16			23		17		
16			13		9		27	
		29				18		

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Hints

Challenging Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 12, Book 60

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 60

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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