

# Killer Sudoku #1

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9  | 13 |    | 9  | 15 | 23 |    | 3  |    |
|    | 13 | 37 |    |    | 13 |    |    | 16 |
| 16 |    |    |    |    |    | 18 |    |    |
|    |    | 7  |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    | 17 |    |    | 3  | 24 |    |
| 22 | 15 | 37 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    | 17 |    |    |    | 12 |    |
|    | 13 |    |    | 4  | 10 |    |    | 13 |
| 16 |    |    |    |    |    | 10 |    |    |

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# Killer Sudoku #2

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 23 | 10 |    | 33 |    | 14 |    |    | 10 |
|    |    | 8  | 9  |    |    | 8  |    |    |
| 10 |    |    |    | 7  |    |    | 24 |    |
|    | 10 |    |    |    | 21 |    |    |    |
| 11 |    |    | 7  |    |    | 10 | 15 |    |
| 18 | 15 |    |    | 13 | 16 |    |    | 4  |
|    |    | 14 | 23 |    |    | 13 | 22 |    |
| 5  | 25 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    | 7  |    |    |

"Love is the poetry of the senses."  
 -- Honore de Balzac

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# Killer Sudoku #3

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 11 | 31 |    |    |    |    | 18 |    | 7  |
|    | 31 | 8  |    | 17 |    | 7  |    |    |
| 31 |    | 3  |    |    | 9  |    | 15 | 8  |
|    |    | 23 | 13 |    |    | 17 |    |    |
|    |    |    | 12 |    |    |    | 6  |    |
|    |    |    | 6  |    | 10 |    | 9  | 14 |
|    |    | 8  |    | 9  |    | 5  |    |    |
| 3  |    | 11 |    |    | 34 |    | 15 | 14 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

My theology, briefly, is that the universe was dictated but not signed.  
-- Christopher Morley

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# Killer Sudoku #4

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 17 | 9  | 7  | 17 |    | 14 |    | 8  |    |
|    |    |    | 18 |    |    | 14 | 15 |    |
| 9  | 23 |    |    | 31 | 7  |    |    |    |
|    |    | 25 |    |    |    | 20 |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    | 21 |    | 30 |    |
|    |    |    | 7  |    |    |    |    | 6  |
| 10 |    | 17 |    |    |    | 17 |    |    |
|    |    |    | 19 |    |    |    | 4  | 13 |
| 12 |    | 15 |    |    |    |    |    |    |

"A great artist is always before his time or behind it."  
 -- George Edward Moore

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# Killer Sudoku #5

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| 10 |    | 26 |    |    | 9  | 20 | 20 |   |
| 6  |    |    |    | 14 |    |    |    |   |
| 11 | 13 |    | 8  |    | 17 |    |    |   |
|    | 6  |    |    | 11 | 5  |    | 25 |   |
| 34 |    |    | 17 |    |    |    |    |   |
|    |    | 16 |    |    | 11 | 10 |    | 5 |
| 17 | 19 |    |    | 11 |    | 4  |    |   |
|    |    |    | 5  |    | 26 |    | 13 |   |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 16 |   |

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# Killer Sudoku #6

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 14 | 17 |    | 15 |    |    | 8  |    | 18 |
|    |    | 7  |    |    | 11 |    |    |    |
| 10 |    | 15 |    | 11 | 11 |    | 15 |    |
| 9  |    | 12 |    |    | 13 |    |    | 9  |
|    | 7  |    | 13 |    |    | 10 |    |    |
| 10 |    | 26 | 10 | 16 | 4  | 30 | 8  |    |
| 18 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 10 |
|    |    |    | 25 |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 10 |    |    |    |    | 13 |    |    |

*The whole thing about matrimony is this: We fall in love with a personality, but we must live with a character.*  
-- Peter DeVries

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# Killer Sudoku #7

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 18 | 15 |    | 4  |    | 13 |    | 35 |    |
|    | 11 |    |    | 18 |    |    |    |    |
|    |    | 19 |    |    |    |    | 5  |    |
| 30 |    | 7  |    | 12 |    | 15 | 21 |    |
|    |    | 11 | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    | 16 |    | 4  |    | 12 |    |
| 11 |    | 29 | 12 | 15 |    |    |    | 19 |
|    |    |    |    |    | 16 |    |    |    |
|    |    | 12 |    | 15 |    |    |    |    |

By gnawing through a dyke even a rat may drown a nation.  
-- Edward Burke

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# Killer Sudoku #8

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 |    | 13 |    | 19 | 10 |    |    | 9  |
| 5  |    | 16 |    |    | 18 |    |    |    |
|    |    |    | 13 |    | 9  | 13 |    | 25 |
| 22 | 12 | 9  |    | 27 |    | 9  |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    | 9  | 5  |    |
|    | 8  |    | 7  |    | 12 |    |    |    |
|    | 16 |    |    | 16 |    | 13 |    | 6  |
| 11 | 12 |    |    |    | 14 |    | 19 |    |
|    | 12 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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# Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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