

Killer Sudoku #1

15		11	23					9
22			3	11		16		
	7	11		25			25	
			27		15			
		15					19	
18		24				17	7	
					10			
17	4		10			10		
	23						11	

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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!

To stay young requires unceasing cultivation of the ability to unlearn old falsehoods.

Killer Sudoku #2

10		7	25			3	9	
21			10		6		22	
9		11		9		17		14
	7		29				10	
16								9
	27			12	16			
	6	34				29	13	
			24					

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Courage is the complement of fear. A man who is fearless cannot be courageous. (He is also a fool.)
-- Lazarus Long

Killer Sudoku #3

8		13		6		11		13
11	21				11	7		
	11		19	15			26	8
45								
				27				
				11	16			14
16	3				10	14		
	20					6		
8		15		9		11		

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Don't try to have the last word. You might get it.

Killer Sudoku #4

10			10	13		20		
19	9			25	10		16	
		13				5		
21			32			15		
						23		
17	11		21			9		
	15				16		17	
		9				9		
18			10			12		

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*Systems tend to grow, and as they grow, they encroach.
-- Dr. John Galt*

Killer Sudoku #5

6	29	13		15	30	16	20	
			4					
10				15			11	
	18		18					
8						18	11	
11		39		4				14
26					11	20		
	10			6				16
					6			

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*Heller's Law:
The first myth of management is that it exists.
Johnson's Corollary:
Nobody really knows what is going on anywhere within the organization.*

Killer Sudoku #6

9		16	13		16	11	12	23
15			13					
10			11			8		
		8	28			20		
26						12		
25			24				8	
	9			9		9	17	
	11	6		7				
				14			15	

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I once had a dog who, like you, insisted on being cheerful in the morning. I got rid of him by giving him to an immigrant Japanese family -- and they ate him.

Killer Sudoku #7

10	4	10	9	23	8		18	
						22		
18	16				11	6		
		4	29				23	
26						13		
		13	9				16	
18	16			21				
			20		4	13	6	6
		13						

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A friend to everybody is a friend to nobody.

Killer Sudoku #8

8	9		25	14	29	9		11
	5						9	
15			12		6			12
	14			13			3	
6		14	11		9	28		10
	10			7			16	
9			41					4
	27						19	

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Hints

Challenging Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 17, Book 4

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

Challenging Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 17, Book 4

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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