Killer Sudoku #8

26				14	9		21	4
14		12	14					
22				8		5	12	33
	10			15				
	28							
	13		11	6		13	9	
	11	17		10				
				19		6		17
13					13			

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Killer Sudoku #1

17		15	23			9		18
22					13			
			9			26	5	19
	13		28					
6	13		19			4		
	6					11		11
			11	14		32		
23				20		9		
	9							

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Killer Sudoku #2

11			14	34				
20				8	12	11		
14	12	3				9		10
		21	18		28		9	
13								
8		13					8	5
	19		9	8	15			
31					8	19		
						15		

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The only possible interpretation of any research whatever in the social sciences' is: some do, some don't.
-- Ernest Rutherford

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Killer Sudoku #7

13	13		15			7		10
	16	10	31		23	13	17	
				26				
3	17					20		10
	7		17	7	3		10	
21		12				8		16
			9	11	14			
8						18		

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"The way to get started is to quit talking and begin doing."
-- Walt Disney

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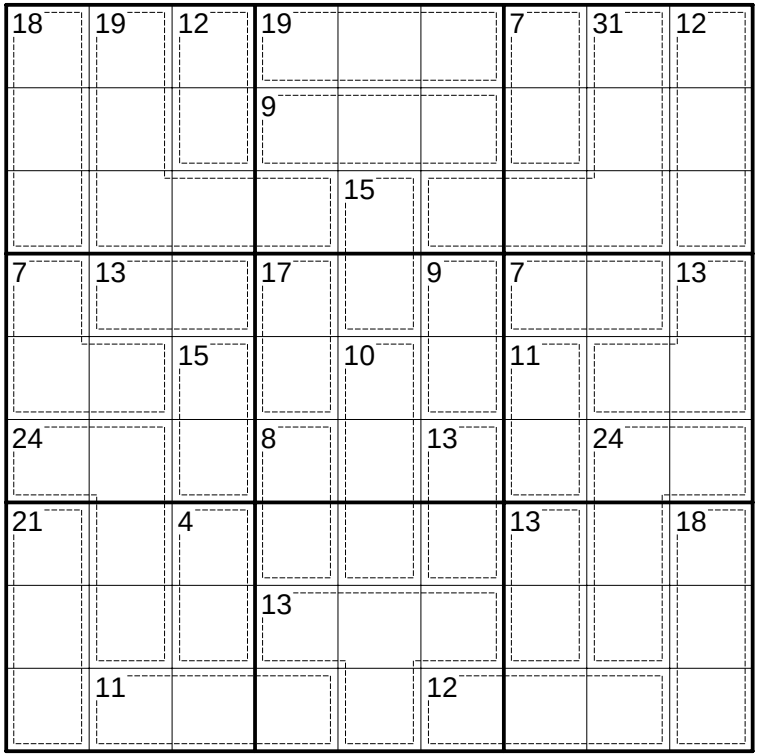
Killer Sudoku #6



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"Nature uses human imagination to lift her work of creation to even higher levels."
-- Luigi Pirandello

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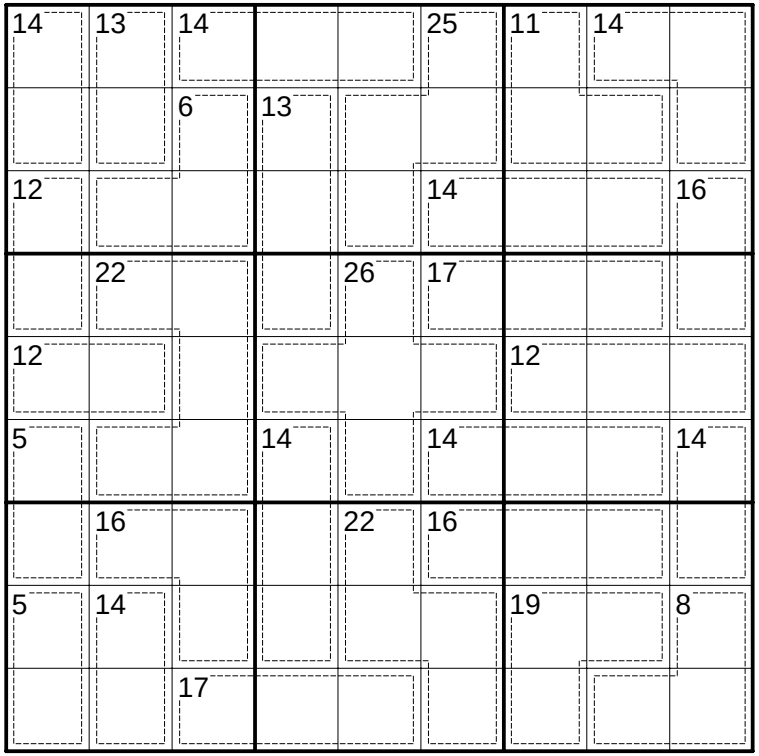
Killer Sudoku #3



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Don't get suckered in by the comments -- they can be terribly misleading.
Debug only code.
-- Dave Storer

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Killer Sudoku #4

5		15			19		10	27
15	24	13		12	20			
		4						
15			6			7		
		9	19				19	12
21			15	10		14		
	31			9	13			6
	3							
				21			11	

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The master's eye makes the horse fat.

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Killer Sudoku #5

13		17	20		8	27		
6						7	10	
12		24	14					15
17				11		7	31	
		11	11					
			8		15			
	16	11	7	24			9	
17					18		8	
							11	

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"This world is a comedy to those that think, a tragedy to those that feel."
-- Horace Walpole

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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