

Killer Sudoku #1

18	7		4	13	13	13		13
		12				11		
8	7		16	11	9		9	9
		13				17		
16			17					19
	18		7	15	3	16		
	8						10	
23		15			19			16

Never look down to test the ground before taking your next step; only he who keeps his eye fixed on the far horizon will find his right road.
 -- Dag Hammarskjöld

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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

13			14	28	15	19		
10		15				8	15	
30								25
	5			10		5		
			5		12			
17				30		18		
9	8						9	10
		35						
15					25			

God will not suffer man to have the knowledge of things to come; for if he had prescience of his prosperity he would be careless; and understanding of his adversity he would be senseless.
 -- Augustine

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Killer Sudoku #3

9		7		11		14	10	13
18	9	13	9	5				
					24			
		21	34		12		30	
7					3			
21	22				6			
		9	9	8	22			
					15		9	8
4		6		17				

Future looks spotty. You will spill soup in late evening.

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Killer Sudoku #4

21		16		19	22		3	
14							20	
	11		15			11		
9			13			12		14
6	17		13					
	19		26	9		11	13	
13				13				7
		10			17	22		
9								

One can never repeat too often, that reason, as it exists in man, is only our intellectual eye, and that, like the eye, to see, it needs light -- to see clearly and far, it needs the light of heaven.

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Killer Sudoku #5

14			20				23	
5		12		7		11		
14		9		11	11		16	7
15	11							
		29					17	
13	17		10	14	7			
		6			9		9	
17			15		9		11	
		22				14		

*It does not matter if you fall down as long as you pick up something from the floor while you get up.
--Avery*

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Killer Sudoku #6

12		24			11	15	20	
10								
3	20			12			14	11
	15			37		21		
24								
8	9						5	13
	15			9		17		
15		27			9		19	
10								

Always stay in with the outs.
 -- David Haberman

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Killer Sudoku #7

12		7	24	15		11	15	
14				31			10	
6	3	16				15		9
			19		20		6	
18								
8		6				10	10	15
	11		18		21			
18		8				4	14	
							11	

The tide comes in and the tide goes out, and what have you got?

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Killer Sudoku #8

4		11	9	17			17	
11	17			30			6	
		11	4					19
31				16	9			
			17			26		
11					10			
	9	30		16			6	4
16					11	16		
		7					14	

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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