

Killer Sudoku #1

11	9		9		14		13	15
	9		22	9		11		
	26			9	12		27	
								12
28								
19		25		9	15			
22						4		18
	9			12			13	
	11		5		7			

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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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Trust no future however pleasant! Let the dead past bury its dead! Act -- act
 in the living present! Hear within and God o'erhead!
 -- Longfellow

Killer Sudoku #2

14		16	4	13			9	
8				20		15		
		20		15		10		24
14	14					18	14	
	17							
	12		19	16				
15	17				20	3		
			9			8		19
7				15				

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"I hate flowers - I paint them because they're cheaper than models and they don't move."

Killer Sudoku #3

27	16			9	10	10		9
			13			13		
14				15		11	19	
	9			23				14
11	19							
		14	12		13	9		14
17						26		
	3		13	13				
	12				17			

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Custom is the law of fools.
-- Vanburgh

Killer Sudoku #4

4		15		16		14		22
14	40			21	12		8	
		16			11	11		
17								
			26					
		21	13		9	6	17	19
7								
		23			7			
11				9		16		

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Men have died from time to time, and worms have eaten them, but not for love.
-- Shakespeare

Killer Sudoku #5

7	7		10		15		18	
	17				18	23	12	
14		16						
10			5	25				22
15					15			
	27					7	7	
25	4		20				14	
				12				15
		8		10		7		

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"We must make the best of those ills which cannot be avoided."
 -- Clarence Day

Killer Sudoku #6

3	12	23	19				4	12
				30				
16				17	8			12
23	6		25			6		
						19		
8	13		6	5		13		
	23				25			
13	10				18		14	5
		17						

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Good managers learn to share decisions with others even though they alone must accept responsibility for the results.

Killer Sudoku #7

28		9	27			14	13	
			16	21			18	13
	7					7		
32			17					
				16				
	11			17		16	12	12
24		19			21			
		11				7		
							17	

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The corruption in a country is in inverse proportion to its state of development.
 -- Nathan Miller

Killer Sudoku #8

21		21		9	8			4
		9			16		14	
	10		5		19			12
13		10		10			11	
	16	16						17
7		22	9		7		8	
	9			3		15		22
13		11		15	15			
	8							

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Hints

Answers

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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.

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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