

Killer Sudoku #8

19	8		22	12		15	23	
		9		25				
13						8		14
4	17						12	
		30						13
14		14	21		13	16		
	22						4	
		14					20	
			13			10		

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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 #1

5		22		17			30	
13	19			21				
	13						10	27
26		5	7	16	4			
					15	6	16	
	8	5						
		32	18		15	18		11
		21					5	

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"There is more to life than increasing its speed."
-- Mohandas Gandhi

Killer Sudoku #2

18		12	17	14		8	26	9
9				24				
	11							
	3		45				24	
31								
		33				11		14
20				19		17		
13		5				9	7	
			6					

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"The precision of naming takes away from the uniqueness of seeing."
 — Pierre Bonnard

Killer Sudoku #7

17		17				10	15	
6	15			21			18	
	18	8			15	21		
			9					
		27					24	
20			12	7		9		
19				22				7
15		9	26		6			
							12	

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Weibull's Law:
 Assumption is the mother of all screw-ups.

Killer Sudoku #6

9	18		24		8		9	17
			6					
9		17		14	4	9		10
11			27			40		
12								
9		12		7	13			4
10			15			7		
10	18			21			17	12
					6			

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*An incompetent traitor is no danger. It is rather the capable men who must be watched.
-- Brodric*

Killer Sudoku #3

10		15	12		9		16	
19			17		9	16		
	12	10					26	20
			20					
12			29			28		
							4	12
		15	14	13				
14						14		
		15		10			14	

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*Adopted kids are such a pain -- you have to teach them how to look like you...
--- Gilda Rodner*

Killer Sudoku #4

12	15		18	4	18	20		18
13	15			12		6		11
		15			16			
14	9			10		3		20
	7	9			4		17	
		19		17	19			
15	12						9	7
		21						

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If we do not change our direction we are likely to end up where we are headed.

Killer Sudoku #5

15	10	11		13	16		8	12
		9				7		
7	4		11	10	11		13	10
		32				28		
12			22					10
		12			13			
20		9				12		22
			16					
		17			13			

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*I think that I shall never see
A billboard lovely as a tree.
Perhaps, unless the billboards fall
I'll never see a tree at all.
-- Ogden Nash*

Hints

Challenging Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 6, Book 8

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 6, Book 8

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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