

Killer Sudoku #1

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 14 | | | 16 | | 9 | | 13 | 19 |
| 8 | | 17 | 15 | 3 | | 14 | | |
| 7 | | | | | | | 13 | |
| | 28 | 9 | | 33 | | 22 | | |
| | | 10 | | | | | | |
| 12 | | 6 | | | | | 5 | 20 |
| | 11 | | 17 | | 15 | | | |
| 13 | | | | 9 | | | 13 | |
| 12 | | | 5 | | 17 | | | |

Every man is a damn fool for at least five minutes every day; wisdom consists of not exceeding the limit.
 -- Elbert Hubbard

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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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Be sure to use the answers page if you get stuck!

Killer Sudoku #2

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 25 | | | 16 | | | 24 | | |
| 24 | 13 | | 16 | | 23 | | 19 | 14 |
| | | | | 19 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 10 | | 30 | | | 14 | | |
| 12 | 7 | | | | | | 13 | 14 |
| | | 8 | | 14 | 5 | | | |
| 4 | 17 | 6 | | | 13 | | 13 | 8 |
| | | 24 | | | | | | |

*"Eloquence is a painting of the thoughts."
 -- Blaise Pascal*

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Killer Sudoku #3

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 8 | 15 | | | 8 | 16 | | 5 | 23 |
| | | 16 | | | 8 | | | |
| 9 | | 10 | | 12 | | 3 | 8 | |
| 26 | 9 | | | 15 | | | | 42 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 10 | | 19 | 10 | | 13 | 15 | |
| 9 | | | | 3 | | | | 8 |
| 19 | | 15 | | 12 | 12 | | 8 | |
| | 11 | | | | 8 | | | |

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*If a taxpayer thinks he can cheat safely, he probably will.
-- Diogenes*

Killer Sudoku #4

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 12 | 13 | 7 | | 12 | | 11 | | 10 |
| | | 13 | | 10 | 13 | 7 | | |
| | 18 | 6 | | | | 13 | 13 | |
| | | | 14 | | 16 | | | 33 |
| 21 | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | | 9 | 8 | | | 7 | 8 | |
| 15 | | | 13 | | 8 | | | 14 |
| | 6 | 12 | | | | 11 | | |
| | | 14 | | 10 | | 8 | | |

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You can fool all of the people all of the time, but why bother when all you need is a simple majority?

Killer Sudoku #5

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 3 | 7 | | 9 | | 16 | | 17 | 16 |
| | 13 | | 6 | | 15 | 5 | | |
| 14 | | 11 | | 7 | | | | |
| 19 | 14 | | 25 | | 21 | | | 24 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | 11 | | 15 | 11 | | | |
| 9 | | | 14 | | 7 | 11 | 21 | |
| 11 | 9 | | | 14 | | | 11 | |
| | 14 | | | | 5 | | | |

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If things can go wrong, they will -- and when they do, blame it on the oil industry.

Killer Sudoku #6

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 | | | 9 | 32 | 15 | | | |
| 6 | 8 | | | | 9 | | 10 | 15 |
| | 20 | 4 | | | 16 | | | |
| 31 | | | 19 | | | | 24 | |
| | | | | | | 21 | | |
| | | 13 | 23 | | | | | |
| 6 | 11 | | | | 4 | | | 11 |
| | | 14 | | | 9 | 13 | | |
| 24 | | | | | | 18 | | |

"An American is a man with two arms and four wheels".
-- A Chinese child

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Killer Sudoku #7

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9 | | 12 | 10 | | 8 | | 12 | 11 |
| 13 | 10 | | 12 | 20 | | | | |
| | | | | 13 | | | 17 | |
| | 16 | | | 11 | | | | 7 |
| 9 | 42 | | | | | | | |
| | 20 | | 7 | | 10 | | | 20 |
| 17 | | 17 | 4 | | 20 | | 10 | |
| | 15 | | | | | 10 | | |
| | | 7 | | 8 | | | 8 | |

Sweet speaking of a currish heart reclains.
-- Sidney

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Killer Sudoku #8

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|
| 23 | | | 11 | | | 17 | 20 | |
| 7 | | 10 | 21 | 13 | | | | |
| 8 | 5 | | | | | | | 10 |
| | | 15 | | 39 | 8 | | 14 | |
| 15 | | | | | | | | |
| 15 | | 6 | | | 6 | | 14 | 11 |
| | 20 | | 14 | 21 | | 10 | | |
| 16 | | | | | | | 7 | |
| | | | 10 | | | 19 | | |

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*If you've already donated, thank you so much!
My family and I really appreciate your support.*

Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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