

Killer Sudoku #1

32			15	21	9	15		
		14				27		
13								18
		13		3	17			
	17		27			12		
10	7						16	6
		12		18	5			
16			3		11	24		
16							8	

"The gain is not the having of children; it is the discovery of love and how to be loving."
-- Polly Berrien Berends

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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

18	14		7		11		10	8
		4		7	12	15		
13	15	11					22	
			45					17
4	24							
						16		11
15		15	13	9	5			
	11				10		10	
		11		10		12		

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The marvels of today's modern technology include the development of a soda can, when discarded will last forever...and a ,000 car which when properly cared for will rust out in two or three years.

Killer Sudoku #3

13	19	22			25			3
			6		13	12		
4	36			9			11	
		10				26		12
10			18					
			12	15	6			11
7		11			9	25		
13	20			14				13

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*"Art enables us to find ourselves and lose ourselves at the same time."
 -- Thomas Merton*

Killer Sudoku #4

27			19	14	10		15	
		12				6		10
11	3			5		11		
		13		16			26	
34								
12	14	11		13				
		7	11	12		3		14
26				16		14		
					10		10	

The hearing ear is always found close to the speaking tongue, a custom whereof the memory of man runneth not howsoever to the contrary, nohow.

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Killer Sudoku #5

19		32				30	7	
14			8					
	8	5	10	10	15	9		
10							14	22
	24							
	15	11	7	15	13	9		
12							34	
	13		7		27			
							5	

"A good head and a good heart are always a formidable combination."
 -- Nelson Mandela

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Killer Sudoku #6

14	14	10		24	6		9	8
		7				18		
7			14					11
	12	17		10	28		13	
15								6
		24	8	10	4	27		
3	12						12	15
				11				
21					15			

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*This is lemma 1.1. We start a new chapter so the numbers all go back to one.
-- Prof. Seager, C&O 351*

Killer Sudoku #7

14	4	10		12	7		15	15
		10			3			
11	11		15	11	13	8		7
		12				14		
13	9		13	16	11		9	15
		27				21		
			15		20			
	8						10	
		26						

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Killer Sudoku #8

6	13		8	4		13	22	
	19			16	12			
17			14			24		6
		12		18	14			
8						11		
17			7			21		17
	17			12	14			
13			8			7	14	
	13			8				

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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