

## Killer Sudoku #1

|    |    |    |   |    |    |   |    |    |
|----|----|----|---|----|----|---|----|----|
| 10 |    | 10 |   | 16 | 17 |   | 8  |    |
| 10 | 9  | 14 |   |    |    |   | 15 |    |
|    |    |    | 6 |    | 9  |   | 12 | 11 |
| 14 | 7  |    |   | 21 |    |   |    |    |
|    | 34 |    |   |    |    |   |    | 3  |
| 10 | 8  | 24 |   |    | 8  | 9 |    |    |
|    |    | 9  |   | 11 |    | 8 | 11 | 10 |
| 13 |    | 30 |   |    | 17 |   |    |    |
| 3  |    |    |   |    |    |   | 8  |    |

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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!

There are scores of thousands of sects who are ready at a moment's notice to reveal the will of God on every possible subject.

## Killer Sudoku #2

|    |    |    |    |    |    |  |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|----|----|
| 11 |    | 16 | 9  |    | 5  |  | 21 |    |
| 16 |    |    | 13 |    | 13 |  | 15 |    |
|    |    | 29 |    |    |    |  |    |    |
| 20 | 28 |    |    |    | 10 |  | 19 |    |
|    |    |    |    | 17 |    |  |    |    |
|    |    |    | 33 |    | 16 |  |    | 29 |
| 25 |    |    |    |    |    |  | 6  |    |
|    |    | 11 | 3  |    | 9  |  |    |    |
| 3  |    |    | 15 |    | 13 |  |    |    |

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"To point is a possessing rather than a picturing."  
-- Philip Guston

## Killer Sudoku #3

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 11 | 8  | 32 |    |    |    |    | 13 | 4  |
|    |    | 21 |    | 4  | 14 |    |    |    |
| 3  | 18 | 10 |    |    |    | 13 | 20 | 14 |
|    |    |    |    | 20 |    |    |    |    |
| 15 |    | 13 |    |    |    | 5  |    | 16 |
|    |    |    | 14 | 16 | 7  |    |    |    |
| 11 |    | 6  |    |    |    | 14 | 7  |    |
| 14 |    |    | 14 |    |    |    | 8  |    |
| 15 |    |    |    |    | 25 |    |    |    |

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"Nature never deceives us: it is we who deceive ourselves."  
— Jean-Jacques Rousseau

## Killer Sudoku #4

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 22 |    | 11 |    |    | 17 | 15 | 9  |    |
|    |    | 20 |    |    |    |    | 12 |    |
| 9  | 15 |    |    |    |    | 4  | 14 |    |
|    | 10 |    | 21 | 26 |    |    |    | 11 |
| 16 |    |    |    |    | 13 |    |    |    |
|    | 11 | 14 |    |    |    | 8  |    | 10 |
| 14 |    |    | 16 |    |    | 12 |    |    |
|    |    | 7  | 15 | 20 |    |    | 26 |    |
| 7  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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For those who like this sort of thing, this is the sort of thing they  
like.  
— Abraham Lincoln

## Killer Sudoku #5

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 19 | 15 | 13 |    | 8  |    | 6  | 10 |    |
|    |    |    | 4  | 16 |    |    | 24 |    |
|    |    | 15 |    | 11 |    | 21 |    |    |
| 21 | 14 |    | 35 |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    | 19 |    |    |
|    |    | 3  |    | 9  |    | 23 |    | 14 |
| 20 |    |    | 11 |    | 10 |    |    |    |
|    | 21 |    |    |    |    | 11 |    |    |
|    |    | 8  |    | 17 |    |    | 7  |    |

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*I knew who I was when I got up this morning, but I think I must have changed several times since then.*  
-- Lewis Carroll

## Killer Sudoku #6

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 12 |    | 14 |    | 11 |    | 5  |    | 11 |
| 21 | 16 |    |    |    | 15 |    | 13 |    |
|    |    |    | 10 |    | 13 |    |    | 22 |
| 12 | 10 | 12 |    |    |    | 8  |    |    |
|    |    |    | 22 |    |    | 11 |    |    |
|    | 15 |    | 13 | 14 |    |    |    |    |
|    | 12 | 15 |    | 12 |    | 20 |    |    |
| 11 |    |    |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |
|    | 8  |    | 8  |    | 15 |    | 10 |    |

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*No man can be a patriot on an empty stomach.*

## Killer Sudoku #7

|    |    |    |    |    |    |  |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|----|----|
| 10 |    | 13 |    | 22 |    |  |    |    |
| 10 |    | 9  | 17 | 7  | 13 |  | 7  | 29 |
| 9  |    |    |    |    | 17 |  |    |    |
| 18 |    | 9  |    | 24 |    |  | 17 |    |
|    |    | 10 |    |    | 9  |  |    |    |
|    | 16 | 15 |    |    | 25 |  |    |    |
|    |    | 5  | 8  | 8  |    |  | 7  |    |
| 17 |    |    |    |    | 9  |  |    |    |
| 10 |    | 4  |    | 31 |    |  |    |    |

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*If your stomach disputes you, pacify it with cool thoughts.  
--Satchel Paige*

## Killer Sudoku #8

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 |    |    | 9  | 8  | 8  | 18 |    |    |
| 16 | 7  |    |    |    |    | 11 |    | 10 |
|    | 5  | 5  |    | 15 | 14 |    | 3  |    |
| 11 |    | 13 | 14 |    | 7  | 13 |    | 13 |
|    |    |    |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |
| 11 | 18 |    |    |    | 14 |    |    | 17 |
|    |    | 15 | 8  | 12 | 10 | 15 |    |    |
| 32 |    |    |    |    |    |    | 27 |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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

## Hints

Intermediate Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 25, Book 45

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Intermediate Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 25, Book 45

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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