

Killer Sudoku #1

21			8	12	9		10	
10	9				12	13		9
		22		3		12	23	
18	23	6						16
			16			5		
		8	14	12	16			
6							3	12
	17			15	7	24		
6		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.

The dotted lines indicate areas which also contain a non-repeating set of digits. These squares can be added together to produce the sums shown in the clues.

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

"I don't think they could put him in a mental hospital. On the other hand, if he were already in, I don't think they'd let him out."

Killer Sudoku #2

13		13		11		7		9
14		4	7			12	9	
9			13		15			24
8			25			14		
32			17					
	10					15		
	4	13		6		12	12	
10			16	14			3	
	13				8		13	

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When working toward the solution of a problem it always helps if you know the answer (provided, of course, you know there is a problem).

Killer Sudoku #3

17	5		20			16		
		8	4		10	15		9
15	10		11			9	10	
		11		17	17			6
17		9						
	9	8			10		12	16
10			17	7		9		
	14			6			12	
12			15			12		

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Mark's Dental-Chair Discovery:
Dentists are incapable of asking questions that require a simple yes or no answer.

Killer Sudoku #4

11	21			5		8		12
	12	32			8	13		
32			6			14		15
	21				20		21	
			7	31		5		11
	17				13		22	
10								3
	14			10		11		

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You must be patient for a little while.

Killer Sudoku #5

10	11	8	32			12	12	15
			16		24			
17		9				9		9
	16			4			5	
8		5				14		10
	10		15	24	6		13	
9		23				10		5
	9						21	
			14					

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Hope is a flatterer, but the most upright of parasites; for she frequents the poor man's hut, as well as the palace of his superior.
-- Shakespeare

Killer Sudoku #6

13	9	8		7		28		8
		12		11	27			
12	17					7		12
		10	38					
19						9	12	
		22						15
	13			6	13			
10	16						12	13
			17		9			

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"Eighty percent of success is showing up."
-- Woody Allen

Killer Sudoku #7

14	4	6	18			8	17	9
			6	18	5			
15		11				8	6	
18	10		16		7		9	22
		27		12		25		
			14		13			
16	14					4	27	
			26					

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How slow this old moon wanes! she lingers my desires, like to a stepdame, or a dowager, long withering out a young man's revenue.
-- Shakespeare

Killer Sudoku #8

12	12		6		15	11	8	
		6	10				17	7
13	9		9		6	9		
		15		24				28
24								
5	9	11			5	14		
		11	13				4	13
16			8		13	16		
	9		9				8	

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Hints

Intermediate Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 27, Book 51

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 27, Book 51

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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