

Killer Sudoku #1

17			27			11		
15		4			7		12	
22			9		14	24		
		15		10		12		
17	10		20		13		10	13
		19		24		24		
		9				12		
8			12				15	

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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!

When in doubt, do what the President does – guess.

Killer Sudoku #2

16				10	13	10	20	22
16		4						
31	14		5		16			
			26	16				
18						27		
	24					15		
	9	12		11				
		13	14	14	6		10	
					13			

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*"Winning is not everything, but wanting to win is."
-- Vince Lombardi*

Killer Sudoku #3

10		3		17	16		8	
7		11	19			13	9	
17							9	
7		8	16	9	10	9		12
	33						37	
		8		41	7			
9		31				19	10	

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"Art is the triumph over chaos."
-- John Cheever

Killer Sudoku #4

26	12		8		5	11		17
		19		24		16		
		3			14			
7			9			38		
20				10				
12		13		23				22
16			17		6		17	
					11			
	13		13			3		

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"If you think about a Thanksgiving dinner, it's really like making a large chicken."
-- Ina Garten

Killer Sudoku #5

3	26	10		12	15		6	11
			6		12	10		
12				26			11	
22	9		6			15	22	
		10			8			
17			20			7		
		7			9	18	17	
17	5			7				8
		10			11			

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A prudent question is one-half wisdom.
-- Francis Bacon (1561-1626)

Killer Sudoku #6

4	13		21			21	15	6
	9		3	19				
9	17	7			12		24	
			45					
18								
	25		13	15		12	5	12
					7			
15	11		15			10		11
						11		

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"Nothing helps a bad mood like spreading it around."
-- Bill Watterson

Killer Sudoku #7

5	16	21	14		7		29	
			15			10		
12			9		10			
	14			17		19	13	
18	15							
			12		9			14
29		12		15		13	20	
			15					7
		5		10				

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Watch your step! You are beginning to act competent.

Killer Sudoku #8

25	38				12		13	
					14	16		
13		19					28	
4			7			3		
	21	11	14					9
			17	7		19		
		11		35			9	
28					29			
		3						

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Hints

Intermediate Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 27, Book 72

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 72

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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