

# Killer Sudoku #1

16		11		10		12	12	10
5		10		14	4			
17	5		23			11		
		14				45		
9			21					
16			10					
	6			12	13	11		20
11		13				9	5	
10		10		10				

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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

12		21	7	9	17			11
9					12	6		
	3		10	15			14	
23	9				18			
		31						
	12		10	13	18			16
13	12				10			
	11		14	5		7		15
9					13			

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*Work Rule: Any employee who smokes Spanish cigars, uses liquor in any form, or frequents pool and public halls, or gets shaved in a barber shop, will give the good reasons to suspect his worth, intentions, integrity and honesty.*

*'A part of kindness consists in loving people more than they deserve.'*  
*--Joseph Joubert*

## Killer Sudoku #3

8	8		14		7	14		
	17	5		10		15		10
15		12			12		16	
		17	31					
3						12	13	
18	13		21				11	
		4			17		9	
	6		11		12			12
21				5		6		

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## Killer Sudoku #4

10	9		17		3		9	
	15		11		13	7	17	14
6		7		8				
7			31		33			
29								
12				10		12	3	
	9	16	10		8		14	
				17		5		11
14		10				8		

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God will not give any soldier ammunition who is not willing to go into battle.

It's odd and a little unsettling, to reflect upon the fact that English is the only major language in which "r" is capitalized: in many other languages "R" is capitalized and the "r" is lower case.  
-- Sydney J. Harris

## Killer Sudoku #5

15			10		26	24	26	8
16		10						
11				3	15			
18		15					21	
		24	10					
			16	11	10		19	
23					20	12		
9							11	
				14		8		

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## Killer Sudoku #6

14	10		5		17	26		
	22	10		14				
9		10	3		16		18	
				9				
		27					14	14
21		21	14		7	7		
21				8				
	19				11			8
				16		14		

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*Q. Can you use a vacuum cleaner on your dog?  
A. Yes, but it is generally better to take it for a walk.*

*"I like to pretend that my art has nothing to do with me."  
-- Roy Lichtenstein*

## Killer Sudoku #7

24	9	11		12	13		13	18
		6				12		
	15		5	23	11		11	
		16				15		
21								25
			16	9	12			
13	8						12	10
		9		10	13			
	24				9			

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## Killer Sudoku #8

17		18			25			13
15		9			10			
	8	15	5	9	13			
15					11		13	
	13		13			6		11
		8		13	13		15	
16		8						13
	23	12		26	8		11	

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# Hints

# Answers

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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.

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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