

Killer Sudoku #1

17	8		5	14	11	15		7
		16				18		
14			19		20			18
	22			21		15		
8	10						17	15
		14		29	5			
17		11			5		7	
11						16		

All those things which are now held to be of the greatest antiquity, were at one time new; and what we today hold up by example, will rank hereafter as precedent.
-- Tacitus

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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

14			10	6		14	10	
27				9	18		27	10
3	12		9					
				42				11
15	25							
					7	9		15
9		19		7		24		
		10			11			
12			11			9		

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*"Sorrowful and great is the artist's destiny."
 -- Franz Liszt*

Killer Sudoku #3

15	14			15			11	
		9		11	6	11	11	
7	21	16					14	8
				7		24		
	17		15					9
16	14		7		19			
		7	3	15	7			
4					15		19	
14		12			12			

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"Justice is truth in action."
 -- Benjamin Disraeli

Killer Sudoku #4

21	25				8		20	4
	26				10			
		11	6			16		10
12				12			11	
	23		11					14
8		12	15		9	13		
	11		30				20	
11		4						
		12		20				

The human mind treats a new idea the way the body treats a strange protein -- it rejects it.
 -- P. Medawar

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Killer Sudoku #5

11	18	12		9			26	
			12		18	18		
10		10						
9	15		28	10		10		
		12					15	13
			7			13		
23		15	29				3	
				4		20		13
		13			9			

*"A lean compromise is better than a fat lawsuit."
 -- George Herbert*

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Killer Sudoku #6

11		17			25			
5		24	15		34			
				9	8	8		6
26								
		28					29	
12	25	7	8	16				
					3	19		7
24				27			12	

Some people are quick to criticize clichés, but what is a cliché? It is a truth that has retained its validity through time. Mankind would lose half its hard-earned wisdom, built up patiently over the ages, if it ever lost its clichés.
 --Marvin G. Gregory

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Killer Sudoku #7

9	12		3		13	15	22	
	21		18					
3		10	15		7		21	
				22	26			
25					10			
22						11	11	6
		12		11				
17	20		4			15		10
				14				

The only winner in the war of 1812 was Tchaikovsky.
-- Solomon Short

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Killer Sudoku #8

4		18	28			18	7	
10			24					5
	13					15		
12	9		11		11	6		14
	11			7			11	
7		17	13		8	21		14
				7				
21	8		38			3		14

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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