

# Killer Sudoku #1

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 | 8  |    | 15 |    | 9  |    | 14 |    |
|    | 6  |    | 21 |    | 13 | 19 | 9  |    |
|    | 16 | 11 |    | 7  |    |    | 9  | 5  |
|    |    |    |    |    | 34 |    |    |    |
| 3  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 11 |    |
| 13 | 14 | 14 |    | 13 | 14 | 9  | 14 |    |
|    |    |    | 11 |    |    |    |    | 16 |
| 7  |    |    |    | 16 |    | 9  |    |    |
| 10 |    | 13 |    |    |    | 6  |    |    |

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# Killer Sudoku #2

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 8  | 12 |    | 9  |    |    | 16 |    | 9  |
|    | 13 | 18 | 8  | 26 | 13 | 15 | 7  |    |
| 9  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 12 |
|    |    |    | 17 |    | 11 |    |    |    |
| 21 | 6  | 12 |    |    |    | 9  | 17 | 7  |
|    |    |    |    | 11 |    |    |    |    |
|    | 13 | 9  | 19 |    | 16 | 5  | 11 |    |
| 14 |    |    |    | 5  |    |    |    | 27 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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*Alexander Graham Bell is alive and well in New York, and still waiting for a didd tone.*

*The sound of laughter has always seemed to me the most civilized music in the universe.  
-- Peter Ustinov*

## Killer Sudoku #3

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 17 |    | 14 |    |    | 17 |    | 26 |    |
|    |    | 15 | 10 |    | 15 |    |    |    |
| 28 |    |    |    | 6  |    |    | 20 |    |
| 7  |    |    |    |    | 11 |    | 5  |    |
|    | 15 | 20 | 11 |    |    |    |    | 14 |
| 8  |    |    |    | 11 | 21 | 21 |    |    |
|    |    | 29 | 8  |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 11 |    |    | 19 |    |
|    |    | 13 |    | 13 |    |    |    |    |

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## Killer Sudoku #4

|    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|--|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 17 |  | 13 |    | 15 | 8  |    | 26 |    |
| 13 |  | 15 |    |    | 4  |    |    | 5  |
|    |  | 11 | 10 |    |    | 14 |    |    |
| 23 |  |    |    | 9  |    |    | 22 |    |
| 16 |  | 4  |    |    | 13 |    |    | 25 |
|    |  | 7  |    | 14 | 10 |    |    |    |
|    |  | 16 |    |    | 21 |    |    |    |
| 7  |  | 29 |    | 13 |    | 17 | 8  |    |
|    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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Never characterize the importance of a statement in advance.  
-- Charles G. Ross

And oftentimes, excusing of a fault, Doth make a fault the worse by the  
excuse: As patches set upon a little breach. Discredit more in hiding of the  
fault. Than did the fault before it was so patch'd.  
-- Shakespeare

## Killer Sudoku #5

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 11 | 11 | 13 |    | 11 | 7  |    | 8  | 17 |
|    |    | 24 |    |    | 15 |    |    |    |
| 14 |    |    |    | 15 |    |    |    | 27 |
|    | 20 |    |    |    | 18 |    |    |    |
|    |    | 41 |    | 3  |    | 37 |    |    |
|    |    |    | 4  |    | 15 |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 17 |    |    |    |    |
| 6  | 11 | 12 |    |    |    | 9  | 14 | 5  |
|    |    |    | 20 |    |    |    |    |    |

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## Killer Sudoku #6

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 17 |    | 17 | 25 |    |    | 15 | 21 |    |
|    |    |    | 9  |    | 3  |    |    |    |
| 12 |    |    |    | 13 |    |    | 11 |    |
| 14 |    | 13 |    |    | 14 |    |    | 8  |
|    | 22 |    |    |    | 19 |    |    |    |
| 12 |    | 13 |    | 18 |    | 8  | 14 |    |
| 12 |    |    | 8  |    | 8  |    |    | 14 |
|    | 13 |    |    |    |    | 14 |    |    |
| 8  |    |    | 16 |    |    |    | 14 |    |

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You can tell it's going to be a rotten day when your twin sister forgot your birthday.

Murphy's Third Law: Anything that can go wrong will go wrong, and at the worst possible time.

## Killer Sudoku #7

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 18 | 9  | 30 |    |    | 14 |    | 4  |    |
|    |    |    |    | 9  |    | 24 |    |    |
|    | 13 | 4  | 3  |    | 15 | 13 |    |    |
| 5  |    |    | 13 | 13 |    |    | 20 |    |
|    | 23 |    |    |    | 10 |    |    | 5  |
|    |    | 12 | 9  |    |    | 7  | 17 |    |
| 21 |    |    |    | 7  |    |    |    | 22 |
|    |    |    | 13 |    | 24 |    | 7  |    |
| 11 |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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## Killer Sudoku #8

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 18 |    | 7  |    | 7  |    | 22 |    |    |
| 10 |    | 19 | 15 |    | 12 |    | 20 |    |
|    |    |    |    | 3  | 19 |    |    |    |
|    | 12 |    | 9  |    |    |    | 13 | 24 |
| 14 |    |    |    | 15 |    |    |    |    |
| 21 | 9  |    |    | 9  | 12 |    |    |    |
|    | 24 | 7  |    |    |    | 17 |    | 24 |
|    |    |    | 14 |    | 6  |    |    |    |
|    |    | 15 |    | 8  |    |    |    |    |

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*If on an actuarial basis there is a 50/50 chance that something will go wrong, it actually will go wrong nine times in ten.*

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# Hints

# Answers

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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