Killer Sudoku #1

6		16		9	20		13	
13	17	8				9	4	13
			14					
14	17				9			12
	10	15		13	11		9	
		20	22		27	20		
				6				
10								16
		32						

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"Ultimately, we wish the joy of perfect union with the person we love."
-- Mortimer Adler

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Killer Sudoku #2

12		19				5	5	17
14		6		14	20			
11	4		5				17	
		8		38		17		
23						15		
16					7		14	
		21		5		11		
5	10	13			12		15	
			23				3	

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"A cloudy day is no match for a sunny disposition."
-- William Arthur Ward

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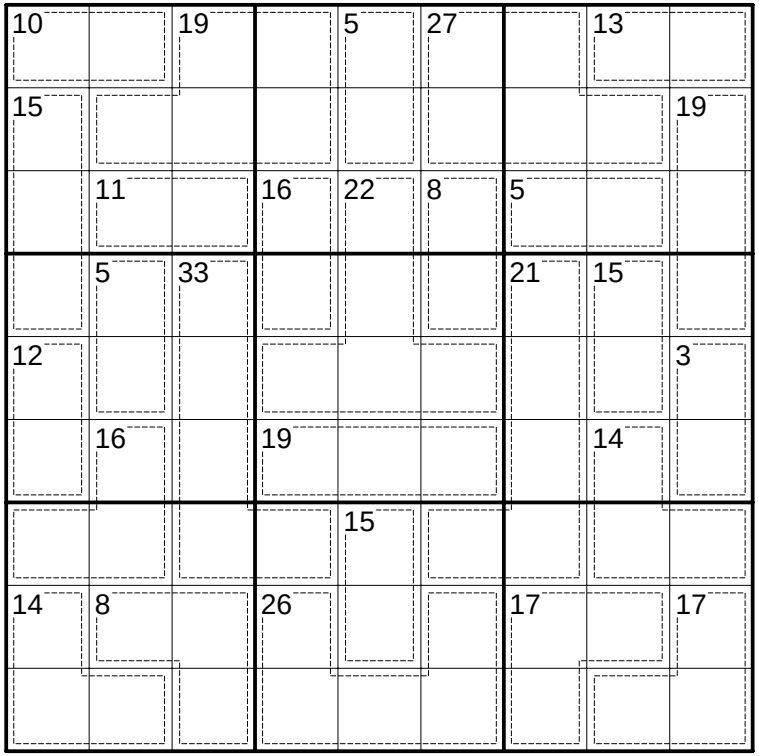
Killer Sudoku #3



One of the greatest unsolved riddles of restaurant eating is that the customer usually gets faster service when the restaurant is crowded that when it is half empty; it seems that the less that the staff has to do, the slower they do it.
-- Sydney J. Harris

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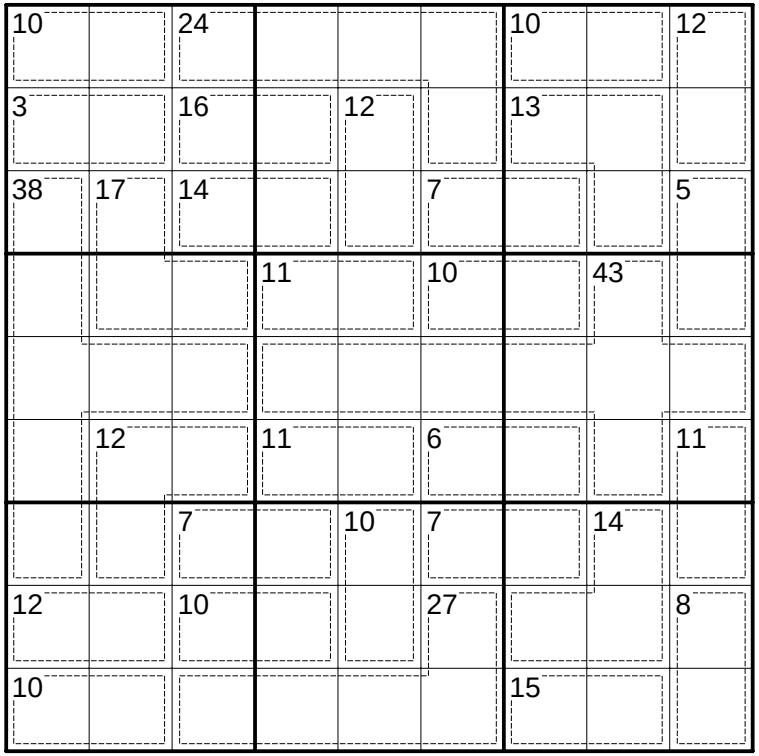
Killer Sudoku #4



The only things that evolve by themselves in an organization are disorder, friction, and malperformance.

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Killer Sudoku #5

9		15		6	11		20	
26		16	15		11	11		19
	20			13			10	
			6		7			
		3		11		14		
24			8		11		14	
		13		9		15		
7			29					12
	8					12		

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"I never paint dreams or nightmares. I paint my own reality."
-- Frida Kahlo

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Killer Sudoku #6

6		20	38			15	13	
8								11
	11			10		6		
18	8		9		9	15		14
		17		14		24		
10			7		8			6
		9		9		8		
17	11		31				13	10

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The way to wealth is as plain as the way to market. It depends chiefly on two words, industry and frugality; that is, waste neither time nor money, but make the best use of both. Without industry and frugality nothing will do, and with them everything.
-- Benjamin Franklin

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Killer Sudoku #7

7		6	29			15	13	
40							33	
		9		5	15			
		12	28		23	8		
11				10				3
	18					20		
13				9				11
	14		31			6		
5							11	

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"I imagine that yes is the only living thing."
-- e. e. cummings

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Killer Sudoku #8

15		15	10		7	16		15
9				16		10		
	7	8	17		7			
				18			28	
25		20	10					
					14	8	8	15
26		7		6				
	7		5		17		13	
	9			17				

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

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 #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

Answers

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Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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