

Killer Sudoku #1

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 | | 10 | | 6 | | 21 | | |
| 19 | | 19 | | 19 | 20 | | | |
| | | | | | 25 | | | 12 |
| 20 | | 4 | 29 | | | | 21 | |
| 17 | | | | | | 5 | | |
| | | 28 | | 19 | | | | |
| | | | | | 20 | | 22 | |
| 25 | 11 | | | | | | | |
| | | | 3 | | 7 | | 13 | |

*Interpreter, n.:
 One who enables two persons of different languages to understand each other by repeating to each what it would have been to the interpreter's advantage for the other to have said.
 -- Ambrose Bierce*

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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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Be sure to use the answers page if you get stuck!

Killer Sudoku #2

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 21 | | | 14 | 13 | | | 14 | 14 |
| 19 | | | | 18 | | 10 | | |
| 14 | | 9 | | 15 | | | 24 | |
| | | 20 | | | | 16 | | |
| | 20 | | 11 | | | | | 9 |
| | | | 20 | 14 | 13 | | 13 | |
| 22 | | 4 | | | | | | |
| | 9 | | | | 13 | 25 | | |
| | | 11 | | | | | | |

"I can live for two months on a good compliment."
 -- Mark Twain

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Killer Sudoku #3

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 14 | 19 | | | 15 | | 13 | | |
| | 14 | | | | | | 17 | |
| | 15 | 14 | 10 | 18 | | 6 | | 22 |
| | | | | 17 | | 16 | | |
| 19 | | | | | 12 | | | |
| 11 | | 12 | 8 | | 18 | 14 | | |
| 17 | | | | | | 5 | | |
| | 18 | | | | 12 | | 15 | |
| | 18 | | | | | 16 | | |

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"No great art has ever been made without the artist having known danger."
 -- Rainer Maria Rilke

Killer Sudoku #4

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 23 | | | 16 | | | 23 | 17 | |
| 33 | | | 15 | 18 | | | | |
| | 12 | | | 10 | | 12 | | 24 |
| | | | 21 | | | | 14 | |
| | 6 | | | 13 | | | | |
| | 12 | 21 | | 15 | 10 | 10 | | |
| | | | | | | | 22 | |
| | 28 | | | | | | | 12 |
| | | | 18 | | | | | |

I must go seek some dew-drops here, And hang a pearl in every cowslip's ear.
 -- Shakespeare

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Killer Sudoku #5

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 21 | | 22 | | | 6 | | 8 | |
| 15 | | | 9 | | 16 | 13 | 13 | 14 |
| | 11 | | 15 | | | | | |
| | | 39 | | | | 31 | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | 9 | | 9 | 25 | | | 14 | 21 |
| | | 19 | | | | 8 | | |
| | | | 13 | | | | | |
| | | 17 | | | 10 | | 7 | |

*"Nothing is impossible, the word itself says 'I'm possible!'"
 -- Audrey Hepburn*

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Killer Sudoku #6

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 11 | | 13 | | | 10 | | 11 | |
| 26 | | | 10 | | 18 | 24 | | 18 |
| 3 | 7 | | 29 | | | | | |
| | | | | | 26 | | 7 | |
| 21 | 14 | | 18 | | | | | |
| | | | | 18 | | | 6 | 15 |
| | 19 | | | | | 25 | | |
| | | | | 11 | | | | |
| 16 | | 8 | | 12 | | | 9 | |

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*"There is no disguise which can hide love for long where it exists, or simulate it where it does not."
-- Francois de La Rochefoucauld*

Killer Sudoku #7

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 11 | 10 | | | 15 | | 16 | | 20 |
| | 13 | 13 | | | | 10 | | |
| 25 | | 25 | 24 | | | | 18 | |
| | | | 20 | | 25 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 18 | |
| 14 | | | | 12 | | | | |
| 14 | | 19 | | | | | 17 | |
| | 19 | | 11 | 19 | | | | 9 |
| | | | | | 8 | | | |

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Killer Sudoku #8

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|----|----|
| 27 | | 25 | | 26 | | | | 16 |
| 11 | | | | | 35 | | | |
| | | | 12 | | | | | |
| | 9 | | 10 | | 11 | | | 9 |
| 23 | | | | 18 | | | | |
| 15 | 9 | | | 15 | 13 | | 38 | |
| | 19 | | | | | | | 20 |
| | | 32 | | | | | | |
| | | | | 12 | | | | |

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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