

# Killer Sudoku #1

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 26 |    |    |    |    | 28 |    | 11 | 11 |
| 15 | 13 |    | 15 |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 9  | 23 |    |    |    | 19 |    |    |
| 18 |    |    | 30 |    |    | 19 | 25 |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    | 34 |    |    |    | 11 |    |
| 15 |    |    |    | 18 |    |    |    | 10 |
| 6  | 13 |    |    |    |    | 7  |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 29 |    |    |    |    |

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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.

The dotted lines indicate areas which also contain a non-repeating set of digits. These squares can be added together to produce the sums shown in the clues.

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

*A Puritan is someone who is deathly afraid that someone, somewhere, is having fun.*

# Killer Sudoku #2

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 12 |    |    | 22 | 15 | 14 | 19 |    |    |
| 15 | 18 |    |    |    |    | 10 |    | 16 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 15 |    | 9  |    | 24 |    | 10 | 7  |    |
| 10 |    |    |    |    |    |    | 21 |    |
| 18 |    | 24 |    |    |    |    |    | 17 |
|    | 24 |    |    | 3  | 11 |    |    |    |
|    | 10 | 7  |    |    | 16 |    | 7  |    |
|    |    | 31 |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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*When a true genius appears in the world you may know him by this sign, that the dunces are all in confederacy against him.*  
-- Jonathan Swift

# Killer Sudoku #3

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 |    | 17 |    |    |    |    | 29 |    |
| 13 |    |    | 23 | 24 | 18 |    |    | 8  |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 25 | 3  |    | 10 |    | 18 | 14 |    | 22 |
|    |    | 21 |    |    |    | 17 |    |    |
| 12 |    |    |    | 11 |    |    |    | 17 |
|    | 20 |    |    |    |    |    | 13 |    |
|    |    |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 40 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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*Rascality has limits; stupidity has none.  
-- Napoleon Bonaparte*

# Killer Sudoku #4

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 21 |    | 15 | 8  |    | 16 | 6  |    | 10 |
|    |    |    | 36 |    |    | 11 |    |    |
| 22 | 5  |    |    |    |    | 23 |    |    |
|    |    | 26 |    |    | 22 | 19 |    | 24 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 21 |    |    | 34 |    |    | 8  |    |
|    |    |    | 9  |    |    | 14 |    |    |
| 6  | 8  |    |    |    |    |    | 20 |    |
|    | 11 |    |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |

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METHODOLOGICALLY UNSOUND: Using methodology with which I am unfamiliar.

# Killer Sudoku #5

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 | 23 |    |    | 16 |    | 21 |    | 5  |
|    | 24 |    |    | 6  |    | 11 |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    | 11 |    | 10 | 28 |
| 9  |    | 16 | 35 |    |    | 18 |    |    |
| 9  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 11 |    |    |    |    | 13 |    | 4  |    |
| 21 |    | 23 |    | 15 |    | 9  |    |    |
|    |    |    | 16 |    | 6  |    | 17 | 12 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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*Work Rule: Sickness -- No excuses will be acceptable. We will no longer accept your doctor's statement as proof of illness, as we believe that if you are able to go to the doctor, you are able to come to work.*

# Killer Sudoku #6

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 12 |    | 10 |    | 15 | 7  |    | 23 | 11 |
| 13 |    |    | 17 |    | 6  |    |    |    |
| 7  | 13 | 26 |    |    | 12 |    |    | 19 |
|    |    |    | 21 |    | 29 |    |    |    |
| 19 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 14 |    |    | 19 |    |    | 10 | 11 |
|    |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 13 |    | 11 |    | 6  |    | 13 |    |    |
|    |    | 9  |    |    | 16 |    | 9  |    |

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*"Love is the outreach of self toward completion."  
-- Ralph W. Sockman*

# Killer Sudoku #7

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9  |    | 14 |    | 17 | 13 |    | 12 |    |
| 14 | 22 |    |    |    |    | 28 |    | 5  |
|    |    |    | 12 |    |    |    |    |    |
| 13 |    | 40 |    |    |    |    |    | 19 |
|    | 15 |    |    |    |    | 11 |    |    |
|    | 9  |    | 16 | 13 | 15 |    | 16 |    |
| 9  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 14 |
|    |    | 9  |    | 9  | 10 |    |    |    |
| 28 |    |    |    |    | 13 |    |    |    |

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*And on the seventh day, He exited from append mode.*

# Killer Sudoku #8

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9  | 16 | 27 |    |    |    |    | 8  | 6  |
|    |    | 17 | 27 |    |    | 29 |    |    |
| 7  |    |    |    |    |    |    | 13 |    |
| 10 |    | 13 |    |    |    | 14 | 10 |    |
| 26 |    |    |    | 8  |    |    |    | 25 |
|    | 20 |    | 10 |    | 12 | 8  |    |    |
|    | 3  |    |    | 21 |    |    | 11 |    |
|    |    | 27 |    |    | 28 |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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# Hints

## Insane Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 1, Book 57

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Insane Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 1, Book 57

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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