

Killer Sudoku #1

10	15	10			12	19		
			6			24		
11		16		12	17			
22	15						21	
			18			15		
		20	12		17			
20							13	
			15	9		18		7
16				15				

*'Tis not the fairest form that holds The mildest, purest soul within; 'Tis not the richest plant that holds The sweetest fragrance in.
-- Dawes*

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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

10			11	21	45	15	19	
18	14						7	
	20					6		20
				23				
14						14		
15	26					5	8	
		17	16				13	
			10			13		15
10								

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Keep your fears to yourself; share your courage with others.
 -- Robert Louis Stevenson

Killer Sudoku #3

3	27		29	23		5		11
	15							
			14			13		20
26		11		19	19		19	
16					7			
	10		35			21	13	
13	17							11
	8							

*Oh, what tangled webs we weave
When we first practice to deceive.
--Sir Walter Scott*

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Killer Sudoku #4

11		19		27				9
21					15	18		
	21	21	15	11				
						12		
			14			14	15	
10			12		14			19
26		13						
12				22		22		
	12							

*Insanity is often the logic of an accurate mind overtaxed.
-- Oliver Wendell Holmes*

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Killer Sudoku #5

28		8	6		22			
			21		17		11	22
	11		15					
	9			13			23	
28	20							
		20	23		11	10		25
	13					14		
						8		
17				10				

You look like a million dollars. All green and wrinkled.

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Killer Sudoku #6

23		15		19			15	9
				11		9		
	18		14		10		10	
24			21			26		
	14					11		
			15	18		15		
9		11						23
9	7		11		21			
		17						

"Love is a tyrant sparing none."
 -- Pierre Corneille

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Killer Sudoku #7

27	7		16	26			13	
	11				7		6	
			11			11		10
10		10		9	11		22	
25			11					
7		10			12		9	
	7		15	9		20		
15		22		11		15		
						10		

*"Fortune knocks but once, but misfortune has much more patience."
 -- Laurence J. Peter*

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Killer Sudoku #8

8	17		11	14	16			24
	15					16		
16			10	7				34
	9							
		28	16				9	10
			16	17	10	20		
	26							
			9		6	13		10
	18							

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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