

Killer Sudoku #1

13		24			11		13	
13		10	13		3	26		
	10			15				
		13	36				19	
17						11		
		25		7			10	19
23			11		14	10		
				22			10	
		7						

Afternoon: That part of the day we spend worrying about how we wasted the morning.

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Killer Sudoku #2

10	17			10		15	29	
	8		11					
25				25		17		
		16	29					14
9			13			8		
	19						34	
26								
	17		15	10		5		8
					15			

Truth will be out this morning. (Which may really mess things up.)

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Killer Sudoku #3

19		20	10		19			
10					7		14	
	11	11	16		14	13	26	
10								16
	33							
	6	12		18		9		
14			9					12
	14	15		13	15			
					19			

Stay away from flying saucers today.

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Killer Sudoku #4

23		6		21				24
		6		11				
10		8		18			14	23
18	21			18		18		
	6	20						
			18		10			
		24			11		9	
			15		8		15	
	19				11			

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The truth of a proposition has nothing to do with its credibility. And vice versa.

Killer Sudoku #5

20	9		26	29				
	9			13	8		7	
		17			8			22
9					8			
	37							7
11		10		15	30	13		
	13	11					16	
26		5				14		
						12		

Character is a perfectly educated will.
-- Novalis

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Killer Sudoku #6

12			13	7		19	19	
13				16	15			
30	9	12					15	10
				11				
		34						
	3	17		8		17		10
			16		5	16		
13		15					20	
16				14				

In graduate school, no one can hear you scream.

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Killer Sudoku #7

18			24			18		
15			23		21		12	
11				7				15
	8		7		14		12	
11		27		9		28		10
			10		7			
13		21		22		26		6
6							4	

*I never knew the old gentlemen with the scythe and hour-glass to bring anything but gray hairs, thin cheeks, and loss of teeth.
-- Dryden*

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Killer Sudoku #8

23	15			6	15		24	
	10		10		23			
				17	10			
21		10						9
8		21					18	
	31		17	9	9			
17					12		20	
				8		11		
		11			20			

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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