

Killer Sudoku #1

11			21			7	13	
10	35	18					11	
		12			10		31	12
		19		14	6			
18		15			19			
								18
		11		23	12			
11		6	21					
8						13		

Whom the gods wish to destroy they first call promising.

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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

19			20	11			20	
28					7	12	16	
10			17	25				
		19			25		26	
30		10					32	12
	11		8					
				16				
		19				12		

"Winners never quit and quitters never win."
-- Vince Lombardi

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Killer Sudoku #3

13	8	11		11	7		11	8
		16			16			
24	13	18		9		16	8	20
			4	16	15			
9		13				17	13	
8							18	
21		42						20

If you had your life to live over again -- you'd need more money.

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Killer Sudoku #4

22		8			20	16		10
19		9	35			11		
							8	
	7			11	31			
33					31		11	
						16		12
5		15	13				23	
16								
	9			14				

If it's very painful for you to criticize your friends - you're safe in doing it. But if you take the slightest pleasure in it, that's the time to hold your tongue.

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Killer Sudoku #5

17			8			23		
15	14		37				13	14
		7				12		
	19		25				22	
8								10
	20		13		8	17		
	29			13			27	
		18			16			

"Too late for fruit, too soon for flowers."
 -- Walter de La Mare

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Killer Sudoku #6

13	11		5		17		21	
		27		13	20			
12							12	20
6		5			10			
19	16		17			9		
		13		21			5	
		22		8		17		
26							13	
		6		8		13		

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Killer Sudoku #7

17	22				13	13	25	
	20		13				23	
	9		10		7			
16				17				
	11				20			
	13	18	5		9	28	22	
12				15				10
					10			
	27							

"One forgives to the degree that one loves."
 -- Francois de La Rochefoucauld

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Killer Sudoku #8

27				19				
15		21		14			13	15
14					13	33		
		13					22	
24								
15		10		18				
	15	18					16	4
			29	19				
				18				

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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