

Killer Sudoku #8

23		10		6	16			17
		9			11		7	
	13	12		12				5
12		13		38		17		
		12					24	5
10					7			
	11	13	6		10			23
10				14	14			
	14				11			

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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!

*If you've already donated, thank you so much!
My family and I really appreciate your support.*

Killer Sudoku #1

9		10		12	14		8	
11			13		12	16		
22	13			13		11		16
3		14		5	10		15	
19		18			18		13	
21		7		19		5		15
	12						13	
		18						

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If you push something hard enough it will fall over.

Killer Sudoku #2

7	29	12		10	9		28	9
		8			11			
18				8				15
		14	15		18	14		
11				10				8
	14	12				20	12	
			9					
7			36				11	
15						15		

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"It's a moment that I'm after, a fleeting moment, but not a frozen moment."
-- Andrew Wyeth

Killer Sudoku #7

23	15			7		5	27	17
		16			10			
		20		12				
8		27			30		14	
16								
5			19	10				25
27					11	17		
		12				12		
	11			9				

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"There hasn't been any art yet. Art is just beginning."
-- Constantin Brancusi

Killer Sudoku #6

25	17	24				9	10	
			12				23	
	4		13	11		10		
	21			18				17
9					18			
	24	16			13			21
			8			7		
		11	28	10		17		
9								

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"The business of art is to reveal the relation between man and his environment."
 -- David Herbert Lawrence

Killer Sudoku #3

10		24			17		18	9
12		14			9			
10		26		7		7		
					21		41	
22								
8	20			6		8		
	17				10		21	
		4		27		15		7
15								

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"To destroy is still the strongest instinct in nature."
 -- Max Beerbohm

Killer Sudoku #4

21	22				18			6
			15		13	16		
9	7		13				17	
		22			20			22
21				3				
10	6			13			13	
		29			6	13		20
			15				15	
	20							

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Enough research will tend to confirm your conclusions.

Killer Sudoku #5

21	23				16	9	11	17
		5						
10	10	17				15		
		15		23			17	
16					19			
17		17					13	12
	18		17					
		5	13		9		17	
				23				

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"A sculpture is just a painting cut out and stood up somewhere."
-- Frank Stella

Hints

Super-Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 12, Book 64

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Super-Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 12, Book 64

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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