

Killer Sudoku #8

20			6			36	11	
8	20	6		17				
			8	13	7			
14	14				9			22
		25						
		26	10	14	12		37	
10					6			
		7		7				
14			18				8	

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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!

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Killer Sudoku #1

9	16	10		20	13		24	
						9	6	
13	13		11					
	9	15		25			21	
19					11	13		
		16						8
14	16		30	8		15		
					16			6
		10			9			

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*It is a far, far better thing to have a firm anchor in nonsense than to put
out on the troubled seas of thought.
-- John Kenneth Galbraith*

Killer Sudoku #2

5			20				24	24	15
6			10	20	8				
26									
			14		27		14	15	
18						15			
24								25	
		14		24	13		10		
								10	
				20				4	

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"Youth is the gift of nature, but age is a work of art."
-- Stanislaw Lec

Killer Sudoku #7

16			19			13	13		10
11			14			11			
			7				14		27
5			9			13			
16			31						7
9							15		11
			9			7	13		16
13		20					5		20
		9				11			

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"Ambition can creep as well as soar."
-- Edmund Burke

Killer Sudoku #6

9			32				36		
11			12		43				
8		13				11	32		27
	4			15					
16									
14	10					14		34	
	9			9					
12						30			
4									

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But officer, I was only trying to gain enough speed so I could coast to the nearest gas station.

Killer Sudoku #3

33					14				7
28				23			14		
		6					11	11	
11	11			9				14	
		28						4	9
11		13	9		16				
12			18					22	
9	10		38						
	14								

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Beware of desperate steps! -- the darkest day Live till to-morrow, will have passed away.
-- Cowper

Killer Sudoku #4

16		8	9	8	15			13
13					14	19		
	26		23			18		5
4		19	19				13	
11	17		12	24		14		17
11				9	10	17		
	12						9	

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Ambition is an idol on whose wings Great minds are carried only to extreme;
To be sublimely great or to be nothing.
--Southey

Killer Sudoku #5

26				11	14			
13			11		3	20		
13		17		12		14	13	
11							9	
10		32						14
	14	22			19		24	
				21				
19		6				11		14
			12					

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"Be faithful to that which exists within yourself."
-- Andre Gide

Hints

Super-Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 17, Book 90

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 17, Book 90

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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