

# Killer Sudoku #1

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| 11 |    | 8  |    | 10 | 11 |    | 14 |   |
| 16 |    | 4  |    |    | 10 |    | 15 |   |
| 15 |    | 11 |    | 17 | 12 |    |    | 9 |
|    | 14 | 9  |    |    | 4  | 15 |    |   |
| 4  |    |    | 28 |    | 20 |    |    | 6 |
|    | 25 |    |    | 9  |    |    | 26 |   |
|    |    |    | 15 |    | 22 |    |    |   |
|    | 5  |    |    | 9  |    |    | 5  |   |
|    |    | 15 |    |    | 11 |    |    |   |

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"Kindness is in our power, even when fondness is not."  
--Samuel Johnson

# Killer Sudoku #2

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 13 |    |    | 11 |    | 15 |    |    | 17 |
| 21 | 14 |    |    | 11 | 17 |    |    |    |
|    | 17 | 7  |    |    | 10 | 7  | 10 |    |
|    |    |    |    | 24 |    |    |    | 22 |
| 22 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 8  | 10 | 15 | 19 |    | 9  | 12 | 9  |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 18 |
|    | 10 |    |    |    | 21 |    |    |    |
| 17 |    |    | 9  |    | 10 |    |    |    |

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I'd love to go out with you, but I have to floss my cat.

## Killer Sudoku #3

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9  | 34 | 24 |    |    | 13 |    | 18 |    |
|    |    | 17 |    |    | 8  |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 13 | 14 |    | 10 | 14 |
|    | 4  |    |    |    |    | 13 |    |    |
|    |    | 14 | 15 |    |    |    | 37 |    |
| 11 | 11 |    | 16 |    | 22 | 3  |    |    |
|    |    | 6  |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 24 |    | 12 |    | 24 |    |    |    | 9  |
|    |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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*You have had a long-term stimulation relative to business.*

## Killer Sudoku #4

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|
| 16 | 8  |    | 11 | 15 | 4  | 14 |   | 13 |
|    |    | 30 |    |    |    | 31 |   |    |
| 16 | 8  |    |    | 10 |    |    | 8 | 10 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |
|    | 18 |    | 15 | 13 | 17 | 15 |   |    |
| 10 | 13 |    |    |    |    |    | 8 | 24 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |
|    | 29 |    | 28 |    |    | 21 |   |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |

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*Remember that whatever misfortune may be your lot, it could only be worse in Cleveland.  
-- National Lampoon, "Deteriorata"*

## Killer Sudoku #5

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9  |    | 17 |    | 15 | 12 |    |    | 24 |
| 13 |    | 17 |    |    | 12 | 21 |    |    |
|    | 21 |    |    |    |    |    |    | 13 |
|    |    | 13 | 18 | 25 |    |    |    |    |
| 10 |    |    |    |    |    |    | 3  |    |
| 15 |    |    |    |    | 17 |    | 29 | 6  |
| 8  |    | 15 |    | 22 | 11 |    |    |    |
|    | 14 |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    | 15 |    |    |    |

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"The swift wind of compromise is a far more devastating than the sudden jolt of misfortune."  
 -- Charles R. Swindoll

## Killer Sudoku #6

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 21 |    |    |    | 24 | 12 |    | 27 |    |
| 18 |    | 5  |    |    | 7  |    |    |    |
| 7  |    | 12 |    |    |    | 10 |    | 8  |
|    |    | 33 | 7  |    | 25 |    | 22 |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 5  | 19 |    | 13 |    |    | 5  |    | 14 |
|    |    | 6  |    | 17 |    |    | 28 |    |
|    |    | 14 |    |    | 8  |    |    |    |
| 28 |    |    |    |    | 10 |    |    |    |

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Learn a new word today.

## Killer Sudoku #7

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 10 |    |    |    | 12 | 28 |    |    |    |
| 14 | 17 |    | 12 |    | 14 | 6  |    | 13 |
|    |    | 11 |    |    |    | 5  |    |    |
| 13 | 10 |    | 22 |    |    |    | 17 | 13 |
|    |    | 3  |    |    | 15 |    |    |    |
| 17 |    | 16 | 12 | 37 | 3  | 12 |    | 8  |
|    | 23 |    |    |    |    |    | 27 |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    | 15 |    |    |    |    |    |

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Enzymes are things invented by biologists that explain things which otherwise require harder thinking. -- Jerome Letwin

## Killer Sudoku #8

|    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|
| 33 |    |    |    |   |    | 14 | 12 | 27 |
| 15 | 10 |    | 22 |   |    |    |    |    |
|    |    | 11 | 10 |   |    |    | 7  |    |
| 15 |    |    |    | 9 | 12 |    |    |    |
| 25 | 9  |    | 12 |   |    | 11 |    |    |
|    | 5  | 16 |    |   | 10 | 13 | 11 |    |
|    |    |    | 26 |   |    |    | 18 |    |
|    | 12 |    | 29 |   |    | 11 |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |

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# Hints

## Super-Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 1, Book 8

# Answers

## Super-Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 1, Book 8

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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.

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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