

# Killer Sudoku #1

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| 23 |    |    | 8  |    | 24 | 11 |    | 8 |
| 17 | 11 |    |    | 31 |    | 17 |    |   |
|    |    | 13 |    |    |    | 15 | 19 |   |
|    | 10 | 22 |    |    |    |    |    |   |
|    |    | 14 |    |    | 13 | 8  | 19 |   |
| 22 |    |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |   |
|    |    |    |    | 9  |    | 6  |    |   |
| 6  | 14 |    |    |    | 30 |    |    |   |
|    | 12 |    |    | 9  |    |    |    |   |

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# Killer Sudoku #2

|    |    |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|
| 10 | 10 |    | 24 | 27 |    |   |    | 11 |
|    | 9  |    |    |    |    |   | 6  |    |
| 11 |    | 19 | 9  |    | 19 |   |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 12 | 13 |   | 24 |    |
| 31 |    |    | 11 |    |    |   |    |    |
|    |    | 15 |    |    | 12 |   | 16 |    |
| 14 |    |    |    | 12 |    |   | 16 |    |
| 10 |    | 26 |    |    |    | 6 |    | 11 |
|    | 21 |    |    |    |    |   |    |    |

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Brain [as in "to brain"]: To rebuke bluntly, but not pointedly; to dispel a source of error in an opponent.  
--Ambrose Bierce

Maybe

## Killer Sudoku #3

|    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 27 |   | 6  |    | 17 |    | 39 |    |    |
| 16 |   |    |    | 9  |    |    |    |    |
|    | 8 | 18 |    |    | 7  | 24 |    |    |
| 24 |   | 25 | 15 |    |    |    | 22 |    |
|    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |   |    | 9  | 24 |    |    | 7  |    |
| 36 |   |    |    |    |    |    |    | 12 |
|    |   |    | 11 |    | 33 |    |    |    |
|    |   |    | 13 |    | 3  |    |    |    |

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*"I wouldn't mind turning into a vermillion goldfish."  
 -- Henri Matisse*

## Killer Sudoku #4

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| 17 |    | 13 | 21 |    | 9  |    | 5  | 9 |
| 10 |    |    |    |    | 15 |    |    |   |
|    | 5  |    |    | 17 |    | 14 | 22 |   |
| 22 |    |    |    | 21 |    |    |    |   |
| 5  |    | 15 |    |    |    |    | 14 |   |
| 29 |    |    | 22 |    | 20 |    |    |   |
|    |    |    |    |    | 22 | 3  |    | 7 |
| 3  | 11 | 6  |    |    |    | 16 | 19 |   |
|    |    | 13 |    |    |    |    |    |   |

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*Call him wise whose actions, words and steps are all a clear because to a  
 -- Lavater*

## Killer Sudoku #5

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 13 | 14 | 6  |    | 9  |    | 15 |    |    |
|    |    | 30 |    | 15 | 10 |    | 19 | 14 |
| 11 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    | 7  |    | 9  |    | 27 |    |    |
| 22 |    |    | 13 |    |    | 10 |    |    |
| 22 |    |    | 11 |    | 17 |    | 12 |    |
|    | 14 |    |    | 11 |    |    | 18 |    |
|    |    | 6  |    |    | 16 |    |    | 7  |
| 20 |    |    | 7  |    |    |    |    |    |

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## Killer Sudoku #6

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 | 14 |    | 13 |    | 9  |    |    | 13 |
|    |    | 10 |    | 9  | 12 |    | 11 |    |
| 8  | 19 |    | 6  |    | 16 | 15 |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 17 |    |    | 22 |    |
| 33 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    | 9  | 11 |    | 4  | 21 |    | 10 |
| 16 | 12 |    |    | 7  |    |    |    |    |
|    |    | 5  |    |    | 9  |    | 22 |    |
|    | 15 |    |    | 11 |    | 10 |    |    |

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Ducharme's Axiom:  
 If you view your problem closely enough you will recognize yourself as

Eat, drink, and be merry, for tomorrow you may work.

## Killer Sudoku #7

|    |    |    |    |   |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|
| 11 | 10 | 28 |    |   |    |    | 15 |    |
|    |    | 17 | 10 |   | 13 | 8  | 13 |    |
| 32 |    |    | 40 |   |    |    |    | 10 |
|    |    |    |    |   |    | 13 |    |    |
| 10 |    |    |    |   | 35 |    |    |    |
| 17 |    |    | 12 |   |    |    |    |    |
|    | 13 | 13 |    | 9 |    | 17 |    |    |
| 7  |    |    |    |   |    |    | 7  | 14 |
|    |    | 31 |    |   |    |    |    |    |

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## Killer Sudoku #8

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 5  | 10 | 13 |    | 9  |    | 14 |    | 9  |
|    |    | 14 |    | 17 |    | 18 |    |    |
| 17 | 10 |    | 15 | 12 |    | 27 |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 24 |    | 24 |    |    |    |    | 16 |    |
|    |    |    | 17 |    | 13 | 18 |    | 11 |
| 17 |    |    | 10 |    |    |    |    |    |
| 9  |    |    |    |    | 19 |    | 9  | 5  |
|    | 16 |    | 7  |    |    |    |    |    |

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*Omnibillions, adl:  
Indifferent to type of drink. "Oh, you can get me anything.  
I'm omnibillions."*

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# Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

# Answers

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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.