

Killer Sudoku #1

7		12	19			37		
9	15		18	9		13		
					17			
9		11		11			22	
	24				10			13
		16	11				10	
32				17	17			5
			15			11		
							15	

Profits go to the profit minded.

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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

18		13		27	6			14
20					22			
	35	28					14	
			5		40		10	
				5				
8			17				8	
			37			12	7	
	17						19	
		11			12			

Optimization hinders evolution.

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Killer Sudoku #3

10		11		6	12			25
17	12				15			
			18		9	6		
16	15		28				10	
						13	20	
12		7	10	18				
24						26		
		5		11	14			
	19				7		9	

Mother is the invention of necessity.

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Killer Sudoku #4

24					12	20		
11	11		17	12		20	10	
	4	16						20
18					25			
		16					14	
15				22		4	6	
	10		14					14
21			11			11		
				27				

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"At the beginning and at the end of love, the two lovers are embarrassed to find themselves alone."
 -- Jean de la Bruyere

Killer Sudoku #5

30		13		24	12		10	
		15	9				6	
				12		13		13
	18		12		22	32		
13								
24				12				5
	20		16		17	7		
						22	13	
		10					5	

*God will not suffer man to have the knowledge of things to come; for if he had prescience of his prosperity he would be careless; and understanding of his adversity he would be senseless.
 -- Augustine*

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Killer Sudoku #6

17	18				11		15	11
		8			12	10		
6	13		19	27				19
					11	24		
21								
21		19					15	
	4				5	15	9	
22		11						6
	19				17			

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Electrocution: Burning at the stake with all the modern improvements.

Killer Sudoku #7

12	18	4	6		27			
			15		15		10	
15		21			4			21
	4	11			31			
						7	10	18
27				15				
	9	5		18			16	
23		11				12		4
				16				

"If I had to live my life over, I'd live over a saloon."
 --W. C. Fields

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Killer Sudoku #8

8	21			13	32			
	10		12			12		
17	10			18				27
		23		13		28		
5								
19			9		17			
	15					16	34	
9	4			15				
	18							

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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