

Killer Sudoku #1

16			32			12		
8		15			16		9	
19							19	
17		17		11	5			23
			9		13			
11		26		12		18	15	
13			34					11
7						17		

Writing is not hard. Just get paper and pencil, sit down and write it as it occurs to you. The writing is easy -- it's the occurring that's hard.
 -- Stephen Leacock

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Killer Sudoku #2

14		20					20	
8		10	11	13	12	5		7
	13						8	
20		21		11	22			17
15		15	19			15		13
				13				
12		16				24	15	
			16					

*"Just because nobody complains doesn't mean all parachutes are perfect."
 -- Benny Hill*

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Killer Sudoku #3

6	27	11		15	16		16	
		10			14		11	
15			14					14
		14		12	21			
13			22			32		
					11			7
	12	10		9		8		
12		11		23				12
					7			

*Private enterprise, indeed, became too private. It became privileged enterprise, not private enterprise.
-- Franklin D. Roosevelt*

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Killer Sudoku #4

13				21	27			
18			16			23		
10	25			11				17
		11				21		
		8					8	
15		13		15			23	12
		21			23			
13								21
20								

You are tricky, but never to the point of dishonesty.

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Killer Sudoku #5

21	16	12		17	10		20	
		10	11		7	10		
				4			13	30
	33				23	7		
		10						
	3			12	13			22
		10	17			9	14	
19				8				
		11			13			

*The only possible interpretation of any research whatever in the social sciences is: some do, some don't.
-- Ernest Rutherford*

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Killer Sudoku #6

7		25	11		24			25
14							5	
17		17	26	23	23			
5					17			
						23		9
20	18						16	
	4							
		29		25			5	
				8			9	

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Forgiveness is better than revenge, for forgiveness is the sign of a gentle nature, but revenge is the sign of a savage nature.
 -- Epictetus

Killer Sudoku #7

34		8		23			10	15
9			20	13				
				12		5	32	
28	11							
			19			19		
		15	11		7			
16			16			28		12
	6	25						
					11			

"Music is nothing else but wild sounds civilized into time and tune."
-- Thomas Fuller

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Killer Sudoku #8

10	5	7		29		24		7
		18	22	10		25		
13								19
27		18	17					
			25	15		7	28	
	23			12				
15							4	13
					12			

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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