

Killer Sudoku #1

20		15	12	13		17	9	
13								
	4	10		13	17		17	19
		10			30			
18	13							
		15		13	13		5	11
					9			
19			10	18		11	16	
15								

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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!

Good salesmen and good repitmen will never go hungry.
— Robert E. Schenk

Killer Sudoku #2

23				19		12		21
17	26							
			12		17		5	17
8						22		
19							13	
14		25		14			16	5
17			6			25		
			24	20				
						8		

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Men are often capable of greater things than they perform. They are sent into the world with bills of credit, and seldom draw to their full extent.
— Horace Walpole

Killer Sudoku #3

18		22	15			14	24	
5			18	8	13			7
	9						11	
16				7				6
	7	11			10		11	
22		5	39			7		24
		7		14	16			
21					18			

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Someone is speaking well of you.

Killer Sudoku #4

21	4		17			17		13
		10		22	5			
22	8	14			16		8	21
		25				14		
			7		9			
19				8				22
	19				18			
	11		16	9	22	8		

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Every man is a volume if you know how to read him.
-- Channing

Killer Sudoku #5

9	12	17			23		14	
		16		5			19	9
14	21				16			
				27				
11						21		
18	13		19		22	16		9
				7				
		21					10	14
8				14				

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"A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature."
 — Ralph Waldo Emerson

Killer Sudoku #6

15	18			18		13	13	11
		7		24				
8	11							17
	12			38				
8						15	14	
16		19			21			9
	21		21			8		
7						13		14
					14			

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"Painting seems like some kind of peculiar miracle that I need to have again and again."
 — Philip Guston

Killer Sudoku #7

13	8		19		12		19	
		10	13			10	8	
7	16			9	20			
			12					35
19								
10	14			16	23			
		6	9			10	10	24
20				18				
	12				3			

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Never look a gift horse in the mouth.

Killer Sudoku #8

11	17			17	8		7	
		15			9		18	11
14	14			8		6		
	11			10	24			8
9		18					10	
	16	12			18	19		13
9			3					
		9		9			16	
9		15			12			

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Hints

Super-Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 27, Book 68

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 27, Book 68

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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