

# Killer Sudoku #1

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 15 |    |    | 15 |    | 12 | 23 | 11 |    |
| 23 |    |    | 12 |    |    |    |    |    |
| 13 |    |    |    | 12 | 11 |    | 5  | 22 |
|    |    | 31 |    |    | 11 |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 17 |    |    |    |    |
| 12 |    |    | 22 | 6  | 11 |    | 13 |    |
|    | 12 | 30 |    |    | 8  |    |    |    |
|    |    |    |    | 11 |    | 26 |    |    |
|    |    |    | 12 |    |    |    | 9  |    |

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"Faith is taking the first step even when you don't see the whole staircase."  
 --Martin Luther King, Jr.

# Killer Sudoku #2

|    |    |    |    |    |    |  |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|----|----|
| 16 |    |    |    | 15 | 18 |  |    | 6  |
| 3  | 11 | 16 |    |    | 10 |  | 8  |    |
|    |    | 22 | 16 |    |    |  |    | 22 |
| 32 |    |    |    | 12 | 8  |  |    |    |
|    |    | 7  |    |    | 19 |  |    |    |
|    |    | 14 |    |    | 13 |  | 12 |    |
| 15 | 6  |    | 23 |    |    |  | 5  |    |
|    |    | 11 |    | 9  | 9  |  |    | 14 |
| 15 |    |    |    |    | 18 |  |    |    |

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The marvels of today's modern technology include the development of a  
 soda can, when discarded will last forever ... and a 4,000 car which  
 when properly cared for will last out in two or three years.

## Killer Sudoku #3

|    |  |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|----|--|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|
| 21 |  | 17 |    | 8  |    | 13 | 9  |  |
| 27 |  | 10 |    | 9  |    |    | 9  |  |
|    |  | 13 |    | 16 |    | 11 | 15 |  |
|    |  | 5  |    |    | 29 |    |    |  |
|    |  |    |    |    |    | 31 |    |  |
| 20 |  | 10 |    | 3  | 12 |    | 29 |  |
| 14 |  |    | 16 |    | 9  |    |    |  |
|    |  | 6  |    |    | 13 |    |    |  |
| 15 |  |    | 4  |    | 11 |    |    |  |

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"Who so loves believes the impossible."  
 -- Elizabeth Barrett Browning

## Killer Sudoku #4

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 14 |    |    | 21 | 8  |    | 9  |    | 16 |
| 25 | 7  |    |    |    |    | 21 |    |    |
|    | 10 | 18 |    | 13 | 12 |    |    |    |
|    |    | 9  |    |    |    |    | 19 |    |
|    | 17 |    | 11 |    |    | 16 |    | 14 |
|    |    | 26 | 11 | 13 | 15 |    | 7  |    |
| 8  |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    |    |    | 9  | 13 |    | 15 |    |    |
|    | 12 |    |    |    |    | 16 |    |    |

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The flush toilet is the basis of Western civilization.  
 -- Alan Coull

## Killer Sudoku #5

|    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9  |   | 7  |    | 13 |    | 13 |    | 18 |
| 36 |   |    |    | 18 |    |    |    |    |
|    |   | 12 |    |    |    |    | 5  | 12 |
| 18 | 9 |    | 25 |    | 16 | 32 |    |    |
|    |   | 13 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 9 |    |    |    |    |    | 13 | 9  |
| 32 |   | 12 |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |
|    |   |    |    |    | 23 |    | 7  |    |
| 11 |   | 9  |    |    |    | 10 |    |    |

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## Killer Sudoku #6

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 12 |    |    | 31 |    |    | 15 |    |    |
| 28 | 15 |    |    |    |    | 21 |    | 34 |
|    | 14 |    | 20 |    | 17 |    | 7  |    |
|    |    | 13 |    | 22 |    | 9  |    |    |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 9  |    | 19 | 6  |    | 8  | 11 |    | 4  |
|    | 6  |    |    |    |    |    | 12 |    |
| 19 |    |    | 31 |    |    |    |    | 22 |
|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

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"Art is Art. Everything else is everything else."  
-- Ad Reinhardt

You have a deep appreciation of the arts and music.

## Killer Sudoku #7

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 13 | 7  |    | 17 |    | 14 |    |    | 10 |
|    |    | 12 |    | 5  |    | 12 |    |    |
| 10 | 12 | 14 |    | 9  | 8  | 19 |    |    |
|    |    | 12 |    |    |    |    |    | 21 |
| 19 |    |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 30 |    | 9  | 8  | 10 |    | 14 | 10 |
|    |    |    |    |    | 6  |    |    |    |
| 11 | 3  |    | 11 |    | 15 |    | 17 |    |
|    | 10 |    |    | 11 |    | 12 |    |    |

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## Killer Sudoku #8

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 |    | 15 |    |    | 13 | 16 | 17 |    |
| 14 |    | 3  | 5  |    |    |    |    |    |
|    | 8  |    | 17 |    | 11 |    |    | 6  |
|    |    | 13 | 25 | 10 |    | 27 |    |    |
| 26 |    |    |    |    |    | 4  |    |    |
| 10 |    |    | 10 |    |    |    | 7  | 24 |
|    | 20 |    |    | 5  |    | 6  |    |    |
| 13 |    | 10 | 5  | 15 |    |    | 12 |    |
|    |    |    |    | 22 |    |    |    |    |

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... But we've only fondled the surface of that subject.  
— Virginia Masters

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# Hints

# Answers

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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