

Killer Sudoku #1

9	10		13		9	15		16
	11		18					
5	11	11	29		16	9	30	
								19
13					6			
11	10	8		21	9	10		
								10
11	16				7	24		
	9		9					

"Instead of giving a politician the keys to the city, it might be better to change the locks."
 -- Doug Larson

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Killer Sudoku #2

13		11	18	12			14	11
31					10			
			12	10		5		20
24				13	14			
			16			27	19	
12					14			
	5		9					
14	13	4		13		11	10	
		20						

It is a miserable thing to live in suspense, it is the life of the spider.
 -- Jonathan Swift

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Killer Sudoku #3

21	5	38				9		9
		17	8			8	32	
	11			14				
		10		15		13		
	21							25
25			22		6		8	
		5			12	10		
17			24				13	
	7							

Appearances deceive and this one maxim is a standing rule: Men are not what they seem.
 --Harvard

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Killer Sudoku #4

14	28	3		11	9		18	20
	6	10	21		20	10	9	
20				10				19
	16	10				8	11	
			8					
	25		42			22		
15							20	

SUCCESS: Living long enough to be a burden on your children.

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Killer Sudoku #5

19		30					17	
8			13		22			7
	13			24			6	
17		10				6		11
	8		18	18	13		11	
8		7				9		16
	26						21	
			24					
9							14	

Experience is not what happens to you, it is what you do with what happens
 to you.
 -- Aldous Huxley

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Killer Sudoku #6

7	14		16		18			
	14		11		22			
20		8			12	11	19	
		14		27				25
	22	13						
			10		9		13	
				14				
25				8		18		12
18				5				

"If the facts don't fit the theory, change the facts."
 -- Albert Einstein

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Killer Sudoku #7

6	23	6		15			23	
			9		16		22	
18			17	3				
18				27				
					11	30		
26	27						21	
			3			15		
		17		12				9
		20			11			

The trouble with doing something right the first time is that nobody appreciates how difficult it was.

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Killer Sudoku #8

11	13			4		11		14
	13	15		18	11		10	
24		5				15		
			19				13	18
	15	22						
		15	15			7	7	
10	11		13		10			
		17						13
	7		12		17			

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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