

Killer Sudoku #8

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 13 | 16 | | 16 | | | 18 | | 10 |
| | 13 | | | 12 | | | 11 | |
| 13 | | 9 | 9 | | 10 | 11 | | 16 |
| | 14 | | | 23 | | | 11 | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 25 | 9 | | | 8 | 19 | | | 18 |
| | 4 | | 24 | | 15 | 17 | | |
| | | 23 | | 4 | | 14 | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

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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!

*If you've already donated, thank you so much!
My family and I really appreciate your support.*

Killer Sudoku #1

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 13 | | 9 | | 10 | 19 | | | 10 |
| 19 | | 11 | | | | 14 | | |
| 10 | | | 11 | | 16 | 11 | 11 | 5 |
| | 36 | | 20 | | | | | |
| | | | | | 14 | | | |
| 8 | | 31 | | | 5 | 13 | 10 | 14 |
| | | | 10 | | | | | |
| | | 8 | | 17 | | 5 | | 14 |
| 6 | | 13 | | | 12 | | | |

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"There is the sky, which is all men's together."
-- Euripides

Killer Sudoku #2

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 29 | 16 | | | 17 | 10 | | | 25 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | | 25 | | | 29 | | 8 | |
| 12 | 9 | | | | | | 10 | 13 |
| | | 7 | | 26 | | 12 | | |
| 13 | | | | | | | 3 | |
| 26 | 15 | | 45 | | | 8 | | 28 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | | | 9 | |

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The last rush-hour express bus to your neighborhood leaves five minutes before you get off work.
-- John Corcoran

Killer Sudoku #7

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 5 | | 14 | | | 14 | 27 | | |
| 19 | | 17 | | | | | | 12 |
| 18 | | 10 | | | 11 | 21 | 18 | |
| | | 8 | | 21 | | | | |
| | 15 | | | | | | | 6 |
| 23 | | | 15 | | 11 | | 21 | |
| 6 | | | | 13 | 11 | | | |
| | 31 | | | | 8 | | | |
| | | | | 17 | | | 13 | |

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You have an ambitious nature and may make a name for yourself.

Killer Sudoku #6

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 | | | 10 | | 12 | 12 | 21 | |
| 17 | | | 21 | 11 | | | 15 | |
| 8 | 12 | | | | 8 | | | |
| | | 28 | | 26 | | | | 29 |
| | | | | | 16 | | | |
| | 24 | | | | | 17 | 7 | |
| 15 | | 6 | | 9 | | 18 | | |
| | | 10 | 9 | | | 14 | | |
| | | | | 14 | | | | |

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As to the idea that advertising motivates people, remember the Eskel.

Killer Sudoku #3

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 18 | | | 23 | | | 20 | | |
| 14 | | | 11 | | 6 | | 8 | |
| 16 | | 9 | | 23 | | 12 | | 24 |
| | 13 | | | | | | 10 | |
| | | 6 | | 43 | 11 | | | |
| 28 | | | | | | | | 35 |
| | | 6 | | 13 | 12 | | | |
| | | 14 | | | 3 | | | |
| | | 27 | | | | | | |

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"The porcupine with the sharpest quills gets stuck on a tree more often."

Killer Sudoku #4

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 9 | 8 | 17 | 25 | 5 | | 22 | | |
| | | | | 21 | | | | |
| 17 | | 4 | | | 14 | 11 | 24 | |
| 24 | | | 36 | | | | | 13 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | 20 | 13 | | | 11 | 5 | | |
| | | | 18 | | | | | 34 |
| 14 | 3 | 9 | | 18 | | | | |
| | | | | 10 | | | | |

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Killer Sudoku #5

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 26 | | 4 | | 11 | 12 | | 10 | 27 |
| 10 | | | 9 | | 11 | | | |
| | | 24 | | 13 | | 16 | | |
| 26 | | | 18 | | | | | 19 |
| | | | | 6 | | | | |
| | 12 | | | 19 | | 18 | | |
| 12 | | | 11 | | 11 | | 22 | |
| | 19 | | | 4 | | 16 | 10 | |
| | | 9 | | | | | | |

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Eat more ice cream.

The Generalized Thermodynamic Law (Systems Theory): More probable states are more likely to be observed than less probable states, unless specific constraints exist to keep them from occurring.

Hints

Answers

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

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. Put the numbers in 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 #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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