

Killer Sudoku #1

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 13 | 14 | | 14 | | | 12 | | 14 |
| | 13 | | 12 | 13 | 13 | | 10 | |
| 10 | | 24 | | | | 25 | | 3 |
| | 5 | | | | | | 14 | |
| 6 | | 13 | | 19 | | 7 | | 11 |
| | 24 | | | | | | 27 | |
| | | 9 | | | 12 | | | |
| | | 15 | | 12 | 15 | | | |
| 15 | | | | | | 11 | | |

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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.

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Killer Sudoku #2

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 20 | | 3 | | 13 | | 5 | 25 | |
| 10 | | 17 | 10 | | 34 | | | |
| | | | | 10 | | | | 11 |
| 9 | | 10 | | | 9 | | | |
| 24 | | | | | | 19 | | |
| 14 | | 10 | | 15 | | 25 | | 5 |
| 8 | 15 | 15 | | | | | | |
| | | | 12 | | | 17 | 15 | |
| | | 15 | | 10 | | | | |

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Life is a series of experiences, each one of which makes us bigger, even though sometimes it is hard to realize this.

Killer Sudoku #3

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 18 | | 11 | | 19 | | 15 | | 6 |
| 13 | | | | 9 | | 18 | | |
| | 24 | | 27 | | | | | 15 |
| | | | | 9 | | 14 | | |
| 9 | | | | 31 | | | | |
| 31 | | | | 15 | | 4 | | 8 |
| 7 | | | | 9 | 11 | | 19 | |
| | 27 | | | | 11 | | | 12 |
| | | 13 | | | | | | |

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Killer Sudoku #4

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 17 | 16 | | 18 | 10 | | 10 | | |
| | | 9 | | 15 | | | | 20 |
| 12 | | | | 16 | 11 | 16 | | |
| | | 6 | 20 | | | | | 25 |
| 15 | | | | | | | | |
| 22 | | | | 5 | 13 | 11 | 20 | |
| | | 17 | 12 | | | | | |
| 8 | | | | 20 | | | | |
| | 13 | | | 17 | | 11 | | |

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No problem is so large it can't be fit in somewhere.

Indeed I tremble for my country when I reflect that God is just. -- Jefferson

Killer Sudoku #5

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 14 | 14 | 11 | | 17 | | | 9 | |
| | | | 9 | 25 | | 13 | | 11 |
| | 12 | | | 12 | | 6 | | |
| 13 | | 25 | | | | | 28 | |
| | 10 | | | 16 | | | | |
| | 12 | | | 15 | 16 | 11 | | |
| 18 | | 19 | 15 | | | | 11 | 12 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | 8 | | 7 | | | 16 | |

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How many cowards, whose hearts are all false, As stains of sand, wear yet upon their chins The beards of Hercules, and frowning Mars; Who inward search'd have Ivers white as milk? -- Shakespeare

Killer Sudoku #6

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 7 | 5 | | 15 | | | 15 | | 10 |
| | 22 | | 16 | 21 | 11 | 13 | | |
| 11 | | | | | | | 7 | |
| 3 | | 22 | | | | 20 | 14 | |
| 20 | | | 11 | | 12 | | | 25 |
| | | 9 | | 35 | | 6 | | |
| | 22 | | | | | | 16 | |
| | | | | 14 | | | | |
| 14 | | | | | | | 9 | |

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Come, let us hasten to a higher plane, Where doves tread the fair fields of Venn, Their indices bedecked from one to n, Commingled in an endless Markov chain! -- Stanislaw Lem, Cyberiad

Killer Sudoku #7

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 14 | 7 | 17 | 19 | | 14 | | | 8 |
| | | | 11 | | 16 | | | |
| 23 | 7 | | | 9 | | | 13 | |
| | | 15 | | 19 | 19 | 18 | | |
| | | 18 | | | | | 23 | |
| | | | | | | | 11 | |
| 11 | | 21 | 5 | | 17 | 16 | | |
| 9 | | | | 12 | | | 6 | 12 |
| | 15 | | | | | | | |

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Killer Sudoku #8

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 16 | 10 | | | 22 | 8 | | 11 | |
| | 8 | 15 | 29 | | 13 | | | 26 |
| | | | | | | 5 | 9 | |
| 18 | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | | 24 | | | | | | |
| | 8 | 8 | 34 | | | 12 | | |
| | | | | 8 | | 9 | 15 | 11 |
| | 24 | | | | | | | |
| 13 | | 10 | | | 19 | | | |

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Excessive official restraints on information are inevitably self-defeating and productive of headaches for the officials concerned.
-- Edward Kennedy, AP correspondent

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Hints

Answers

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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