

Killer Sudoku #1

6	17		10	6	7	9		11
	25					23		
20	12			22			9	22
		14		33	13			
11	17					12		11
	13		3		11		13	
11		12				17		15

-- HASH(0x21093c0)

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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

10	36					6	24	
	17	11					20	
		10		12				
10			22		9		14	22
14				12				
8		14		8	6			
6			13		26			11
12				35		17		

"To imagine is everything, to know is nothing at all."
 -- Anatole France

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Killer Sudoku #3

15	6		23			12		9
	9	8			9		8	
13		18		35	14			13
		22				35		
11			10		7		5	
26	18	11			11		20	25
		7			5			

Each morning puts a man on trial and each evening passes judgment.
 -- Roy L. Smith

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Killer Sudoku #4

17			17			20		
24			18				18	
12		15	6	4	13	10		19
	6		16	7	9	11		
8		11				6	11	
19			13	10	8		20	
14								5
	38							

Necessity is the mother of strange bedfellows.
-- Dave Farber

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Killer Sudoku #5

5		14		19	15		29	
15		11	10			23		
17				5				7
	20				28			
		19					21	
5	29			15	15			11
			24			10		
							5	
		11			7		15	

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*Between two evils, I always pick the one I never tried before.
-- Mae West*

Killer Sudoku #6

21		11			13	10	25	
11			15	38				
	13	10			16			18
			18		10			
16						6		
11		17				11	12	15
	27				10			
		9	4			19		
				19				

*Whenever A attempts by law to impose his moral standards on B, A is most likely a scoundrel.
 --- James J. Kirkpatrick*

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Killer Sudoku #7

17	17		10			9		17
		7	30			9		
4			15		8		10	
15		21				18	6	
6				17				15
		13			23			
24		14				9	20	
			28					
7							16	

There are many people today who literally do not have a close personal friend.

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Killer Sudoku #8

33					15	12	17	
12		15	9					
7				11	4	27		
	11		35					10
8							11	
	20		9	3		17		15
26					15		9	
	13		13	28				

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Hints

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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