

Killer Sudoku #8

28					3		15	11
7	13		9		19	10		
	23		14	13				20
20						12	20	
		12	17					
			6	6	9	24		
	16	13						5
9				16				
		9		26				

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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!

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Killer Sudoku #1

22				8		8		29
11		9	10	14	22			
12								
9		13	13			13		
18	16		14			11		
			18				11	
	11		13		15	12	16	
	24						9	
			7		17			

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*"Outside of a dog, a book is a man's best friend. Inside of a dog it's too dark to read."
— Groucho Marx*

Killer Sudoku #2

18			10	5		13		22
10	10	29		13				
						10	7	
26	3		19	16				
					20			
12	14	20			6			
		31				7	13	
6		14			11			
	11		14			15		

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*My pants just went on a wild rampage through a Long Island Bowling Alley!!
-- Zippy the Pinhead*

Killer Sudoku #7

8		21	17			17	14	
11			11		16		3	
12	6			14			8	11
		5				12		
15	6		27				12	11
		7	12		13	9		
25							14	
		29		5	34			

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*That's not writing, that's typing!
-- Truman Capote*

Killer Sudoku #6

14		9		9		9	21	
12		5	18				22	
8			13	28	12			
34								
					14	32		
20	21							
		17				5	5	
		15	17				12	
			9		10		14	

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"I believe only in art and failure."
-- Jane Rule

Killer Sudoku #3

17	17		13	5		10	17	
				5	17			5
	12		14			12	21	
27				38				11
10								
		12			13	15		
9			11	15				17
	18				7	21		
11			5					

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"One always tends to overpraise a long book, because one has got through it."
-- E. M. Forster

Killer Sudoku #4

10			16	16	13	18		
24						21		
18	13		12		16		17	14
	15			12		14		
10	21		7		11		18	7
9	10		16				9	14
		24						

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An idea, like a ghost (according to the common notion of a ghost) must be spoken to a little before it will explain itself.
-- Charles Dickens

Killer Sudoku #5

3	17	19			7		10	
		12		6		24	10	17
16		6	10		16			
	22		26				16	
		26						
15			16			9		11
	8		5			14		
			13		5			12
9		3		22				

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I have a fine sense of ridiculous, but no sense of humor.
-- Edward Albee

Hints

Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 25, Book 88

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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

Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 25, Book 88

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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