

Killer Sudoku #1

25	17	6		18		6		9
			9	10			13	
	19				15			15
			29		5	26		
17			11					
8						12		17
	14	11		7	10	26		
14		21						
	6				9			

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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!

Enthusiasm without knowledge is like running in the dark.

Killer Sudoku #2

39			15			7	13	15
			32					
	13	19				4		25
20		14	36	20				
						15	14	
		8						
	17			20				33
8		11						
			7					

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All I kin say is when you finds yo self wanderin' in a peach orchard,
ya don't go lookin' for rutabagas.
-- Kingfish

Killer Sudoku #3

3	12	14	15		24			
			14		15	15		
10	7	13				16		
			42				21	
25		8						
			7			12	10	10
24				16	15			
						5	11	13
28								

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Every man is a volume if you know how to read him.
-- Channing

Killer Sudoku #4

29	8		11	22	14	15		22
	8					8		
			5		5			
11		17				17	14	
12			34					25
	22	18			21		6	
			16	10	5			
16						14		

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If he [a generalist] delights to find a law he is ecstatic when he finds a law about laws. If laws in his eyes are good, laws about laws are delicious and are most praiseworthy objects of search.
-- Boulding

Killer Sudoku #5

9	10	10		22		23		
		15		6		8	5	
12					22			15
19	26		36					
						15		
						25		
9		28		10		10	9	
9	9				9			25
		9						

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"It's all in how you arrange the thing... the careful balance of the design is the motion."
--Andrew Wyeth

Killer Sudoku #6

11		20		17		13		9
17	23					14		
		9	16		17			13
				11	18			
11		21			20		20	
						8		15
	13	9		29				
14					13			
	10						14	

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There is no vaccine against stupidity.

Killer Sudoku #7

15			13			15	8	
8	21	20			12			22
				3		16		
24					12			
20	30							
	16	5		14	21			
			10		22			12
	17			11				
8			14			16		

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Most accidents in well-designed systems involve two or more events of low probability occurring in the worst possible combination.
— Robert Machol

Killer Sudoku #8

7		10	15	18				31
18				9	18			
17								
	24		11			12		
13			16			29		
			18					12
28		20		12	26		9	
						6		
	10						16	

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Hints

Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 3, Book 22

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 3, Book 22

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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