

Killer Sudoku #1

24				17		5		9
21			8	21		12		
		17					24	
11				26				
21	26	19						
				18		15		
		21		8			8	
7	14					31		
	6		16					

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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!

Those with the best advice offer no advice.

Killer Sudoku #2

19	19			9		5		31
		15				19		
7		11						
13		19	22		13		30	
10					9			
10					9			
9		15		21			18	
17		22						
	9			8		16		

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If only I could be respected without having to be respectable.

Killer Sudoku #3

14	10			19		41		
		21						
24	5	19		20		19		
			26					23
			19			12		
	17						5	
43					7			
			22				18	
					21			

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The shortest distance between two people is laughter.

Killer Sudoku #4

16	11	24			11	10	19	
			15				10	
19				13		10		
	3		14	19			40	
	12							
	17				22	3		
	23						10	20
10	17			18	6	13		

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The scholar without good breeding is a pedant, the philosopher a cynic, the soldier a brute, and every man disagreeable.
-- Chesterfield

Killer Sudoku #5

7	13		17	11		9	21	11
		16		19				
13				30				
14	22							39
		14	20	28				
10				14		25		
16					9		9	
	10			8				

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"Art is the right hand of Nature. The latter has only given us being, the former has made us men."
 — Friedrich Schiller

Killer Sudoku #6

13		28					8	
10		11			12		8	
15	9	12		28	14		24	9
		7				3		
26								21
		12	27	10	28	14		
11								15
		30						

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Hell hath no fury like a bureaucrat scorned.
 — Milton Friedman

Killer Sudoku #7

11	19	7		12		18		
			8			16		
11	14	12	8	17		21		
							19	11
10		20						
		26		17		15		9
20			5					
	12		22	5		16		12
					12			

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I like work; it fascinates me; I can sit and look at it for hours.

Killer Sudoku #8

16		13	8		11		13	26
			10	25				
13		8		14			8	
22	13				13	24		
		11						
		12	16				5	17
9			11		27			
17		11					15	
			8		9			

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Hints

Tough Killer Sudoku Puzzles, Volume 3, Book 63

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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

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 63

Killer Sudoku #1

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

Killer Sudoku #2

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

Killer Sudoku #3

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

Killer Sudoku #4

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

Killer Sudoku #5

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

Killer Sudoku #6

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

Killer Sudoku #7

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

Killer Sudoku #8

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