

Sudoku #8

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

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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.

If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

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Sudoku #1

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

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Every Tom, Dick and Harry is named William.
 -- Sam Goldwyn

Sudoku #2

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

Enzymes are things invented by biologists that explain things which otherwise require harder thinking. -- Jerome Letwin

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Sudoku #7

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

The Kennedy Constant:
Don't get mad -- get even.

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Sudoku #6

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

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The DREA Law: Under the most rigorously controlled conditions, the experimental apparatus will do exactly as it predicts.

Sudoku #3

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

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Acid -- better living through chemistry.

Sudoku #4

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

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You will be married within a year.

Sudoku #5

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

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*Common sense in an uncommon degree is what the world calls wisdom.
-- Samuel Taylor Coleridge*

Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 13, Book 100

Answers

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Sudoku #1

31	35	23	40	4	42	37	15
16			27	26	30		14
32	1	34	22	36			41
43		21	25	45			
5	49	6		28	20		39
	50	7		18			44
	3		24	29	13	38	48
33	46	51	8				17
52	2	11	47	12	19	9	10

Sudoku #2

	11	19		41	42		
25	35	26	27				22
23	21	17	5	52	43	36	6
	9		12	44			45
14	53	13	20	46	47	1	48
	49		2	38		10	
15	28	29	18	50	51	30	3
24				39	40	7	32
			33	34		16	4

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.

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

15	33	34	47		39		21	48
55		49		8	32		13	50
	31	40	35	14		18		
	36	41	26		16		22	23
51		29	42	9	37	52		19
53	43		17		44	45	10	
		7		1	27	24	25	
30	38		2	3		20		4
54	46		6		28	12	5	11

Sudoku #4

	44	28	38	45		2		39
14	55	15		46	47	9	40	
	48		49	50	51		29	41
	42	30			3	6	1	
4		16	52	53	54	31		32
11	12		10			13	5	
17	18		43	33	19		20	
	34	35	36	37		21	22	7
23		24		25	26	8	27	

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

36		52	37	22	8	38	20	
	1		18	27			23	21
39	6	40	41	24		42	25	
4	43			53		44	28	54
2		45		55		10		46
29	30	31		32			26	33
	47	19		11	16	48	9	34
5	17			12	14		13	
	49	50	7	3	15	51		35

Sudoku #6

22	23			41	42	35		
50	36	31	10	11	7		43	
51	37			8	5	44		17
	24	25	12	13		26		18
29	15	30				45	46	1
28	27		2	4		52	53	
38	32	16	9				39	33
	34		14	3	6	47	48	40
19	21	20				54	49	

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

30	51	43	5	28	44			33
1	45	52		6	53	46		
	47	48			49	50		
	34	35	9		36	19	20	
31	8	14		18		37	23	32
	7	38	29		39	40	13	
		3	24			25	21	
		4	17	26		41	12	42
2			15	27	10	16	11	22

Sudoku #8

	21			23	38		30	1
9	20	50		39	22	31		
	51	52	40		41		3	
11	53	42	24	43		32	33	44
	7	18	25		13	12	26	
10	54	45		46	27	16	28	47
	48		49		34	14	17	
		35	29	15		4	6	19
2	36		8	37			5	

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

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