

Sudoku #1

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

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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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Have the courage to live. Anyone can die.
-- Robert Cady

Sudoku #2

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

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"What a man can be, he must be. This need we call self-actualization."
-- Abraham Maslow

Sudoku #3

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

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Any discovery is more likely to be exploited by the wicked than applied by the virtuous.
-- Martin J. Levy, Jr.

Sudoku #4

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

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Under deadline pressure for the next week. If you want something, it can wait. Unless it's blind screaming paroxysmally hedonistic...

Sudoku #5

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

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"Fools are without number."
 -- Desiderius Erasmus

Sudoku #6

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

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"All fantasy should have a solid base in reality."
 -- Max Beerbohm

Sudoku #7

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

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"Personality is everything in art and poetry."
 -- Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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