

Sudoku #8

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

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

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Sudoku #1

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

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"True art is characterized by an irresistible urge in the creative artist."

Sudoku #2

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

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Learn to hold thy tongue. Five words cost Zacharias forty weeks' silence.
-- Fuller

Sudoku #7

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

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"When I was a kid my parents moved a lot, but I always found them."
-- Rodney Dangerfield

Sudoku #6

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

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There's one thing more painful than learning from experience, and that is not learning from experience.

Sudoku #3

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

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"A family can develop only with a loving woman as its center."
-- Karl Wilhelm Friedrich Schlegel

Sudoku #4

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

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*The other line moves faster. This applies to all lines -- bank, supermarket, tollbooth, customs, and so on. And don't try to change lines. The Other Line -- the one you were in originally -- will then move faster.
-- Barbara Ettore*

Sudoku #5

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

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Truth is God's daughter.

Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 13, Book 88

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

	53	39	54		43	27	30	29
	19		44			45	46	
	55	25		15	47	56	1	48
49	32		20	16	40		28	9
11	31	24				50	51	52
41	2		42	13	33		34	12
6	21	3	17	14		37	38	
	35	22			18		8	
7	23	36	5		4	26	10	

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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