

## Sudoku #8

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

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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

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

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Good breeding shows itself most where, to an ordinary eye, it appears  
 least.  
 -- Addison

## Sudoku #2

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

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Vita: "I think I have just made the biggest mistake of my life."  
 Orac: "It is unlikely. I would predict there are far greater mistakes  
 waiting to be made by someone with your obvious talent for it."

## Sudoku #7

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

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Real joy comes not from ease or riches or from the praise of men, but from  
 doing something worthwhile.  
 -- Sir Wilfred Grenfell

## Sudoku #6

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

Arithmetic is being able to count up to twenty without taking off your shoes.  
-- Mickey Mouse

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## Sudoku #3

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

Abstaining is favorable both to the head and to the pocket.  
-- Horace Greeley

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## Sudoku #4

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

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"Be true to your work, your word, and your friend."  
-- Henry David Thoreau

## Sudoku #5

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

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"Nobody cares how much you know, until they know how much you care."  
-- Theodore Roosevelt

# Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 13, Book 90

# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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