

Sudoku #1

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

Need a little help? The hints page shows a logical order to solve the puzzle. Use it to identify the next square you should solve. Or use the answers page if you really get stuck.

Stop day dreaming about success. Go out and obtain it.

Sudoku #2

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

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Scrubbing floors and emptying bedpans has as much dignity as the Presidency.
-- Richard Nixon

Sudoku #3

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

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"A great artist is a great man in a great child."
-- Victor Hugo

Sudoku #4

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

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You can only live once, but if you do it right, once is enough.

Sudoku #5

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

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"Sound is the vocabulary of nature."
-- Pierre Schaeffer

Sudoku #6

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

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"In a creatorist: I refuse to believe that I could have evolved from man."

Sudoku #7

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

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Sudoku #8

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

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"The bland leadeth the bland and they both shall fall into the kirsch."

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Thank you!

Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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