

Sudoku #1

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

*I loathe that low vice curiosity.
-- Lord Byron*

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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.

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Sudoku #2

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

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*If you're going to do something tonight that you'll be sorry for tomorrow morning, sleep late.
-- Henry Youngman*

Sudoku #3

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

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*Men often deceive themselves in believing that humility can overcome
insolence.*
 -- Niccolo Machiavelli

Sudoku #4

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

When we are planning for posterity, we ought to remember that virtue is not hereditary.
 -- Thomas Paine

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Sudoku #5

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

Success isn't how far you got, but the distance you traveled from where you started.

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Sudoku #6

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

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Running a business is about 95% people and 5% economics.

Sudoku #7

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

Did you hear that two rabbits escaped from the zoo and so far they have only recaptured 1/6 of them?

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 1

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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.

Answers

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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