

Sudoku #1

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

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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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Ontogeny recapitulates phylogeny.

Sudoku #2

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

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"God writes the Gospel not in the Bible alone, but also on trees, and in the flowers and clouds and stars."
 -- Martin Luther

Sudoku #3

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

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This isn't the week to give up sniffing glue...

Sudoku #4

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

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*"Experience is simply the name we give our mistakes."
 -- Oscar Wilde*

Sudoku #5

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

*First Law of Bicycling:
 No matter which way you ride, it's uphill and against the wind.*

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Sudoku #6

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

"If you want to be thought a liar, always tell the truth."
 -- Logan P. Smith

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Sudoku #7

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

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Words with a 'k' in them are funny. If it doesn't have a 'k', it's not funny.
 -- Willie Clark

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

41	34	12	2	42		43		
	4		44	45	46	47	8	
48		35	36		16	37		6
38	33				54	55	17	29
18	39	40	56	49	57	50	5	30
13	11	31	14				10	25
3		1	20		21	19		22
	9	32	51	52	53		26	
		27		15	23	28	24	7

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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