

Sudoku #1

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

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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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"What I wanted to do was to paint sunlight on the side of a house."
-- Edward Hopper

Sudoku #2

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

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When you're out of stairs, you're out of pier.

Sudoku #3

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

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"Choose your love, Love your choice."
-- Thomas S. Monson

Sudoku #4

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

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"A block grant is a solid mass of money surrounded on all sides by governors."

Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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God is an atheist.

The universe is not indifferent to intelligence, it is actively hostile to it.

Sudoku #7

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

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*The best way to keep children home is to make the home atmosphere pleasant --
-- Dorothy Parker*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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