

Sudoku #1

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

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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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Education today, more than ever before, must see clearly the dual objectives: Education for living and education for making a living. -- James Mason Wood

Sudoku #2

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

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Too clever is dumb. -- Ogden Nash

Sudoku #3

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

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Generally the theories we believe we call facts, and the facts we disbelieve we call theories.
 -- Felix Cohen

Sudoku #4

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

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Those that are good members of the court are as ridiculed in the country, as the behavior of the country is most mockable at the court.
 -- Shakespeare

Sudoku #5

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

"The very winds whispered in soothing accents, and maternal Nature bade me weep no more."
 -- Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley

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Sudoku #6

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

"We are most alive when we're in love."
 -- John Updike

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Sudoku #7

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

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*Alphabet bottles of beer on the wall,
Alphabet bottles of beer,
You take 'em down, and pass 'em around,
Alphabet bottles of beer on the wall.*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 58

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #8

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

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.