

Sudoku #1

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

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.

Sudoku #2

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

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Collaboration: A literary partnership based on the false assumption that the other fellow can spell.

The First Commandment of Frisbee: The most powerful force in the world is that of a disc straining to land under a cup, just beyond reach. This force is technical. Can't get it? Stuck.
-- Dan Roddick

Sudoku #3

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

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"I am... a mushroom: On whom the dew of heaven drops now and then."
-- John Ford

Sudoku #4

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

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Every sentence I utter must be understood not as an affirmation, but as a question.
-- Niels Bohr

Sudoku #5

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

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To teach men how to live without certainty, and yet without being paralyzed by hesitation, is perhaps the chief thing philosophy can still do. -- Bertrand Russell

Sudoku #6

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

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Health nuts are going to feel stupid someday, lying in hospitals dying of nothing. -- Redd Foxx

Sudoku #7

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

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Anything is impossible, if you don't attempt it.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 65

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #8

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