

## Sudoku #1

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

If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

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## Sudoku #2

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

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*The light of a hundred stars does not equal the light of the moon.*

*Government lies, and newspapers lie, but in a democracy they are different lies.*

## Sudoku #3

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

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"Blessed is the influence of one true, loving human soul on another."  
-- George Eliot

## Sudoku #4

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

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"When I see a film I've finished, it's like another person made it. Like another mind."  
-- Dario Argento

## Sudoku #5

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

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Necessity is a mother.

## Sudoku #6

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

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The sixth sick sheik's sixth sheep's sick.

## Sudoku #7

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

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People at the top make decisions as though times were good when people at the bottom think that the organization is collapsing. -- Paul Gray

## Sudoku #8

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

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# Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 92

# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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