

Sudoku #8

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

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Sudoku #1

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

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"I believe a leaf of grass is no less than the journey-work of the stars."

Sudoku #2

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

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"Love involves a peculiar unfathomable combination of understanding and misunderstanding."
-- Diane Arbus

Sudoku #7

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

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Satellite Safety Tip #14:
If you see a bright streak in the sky coming at you, duck.

Sudoku #6

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

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Sudoku #3

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

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"To vacillate or not to vacillate, that is the question ... or is it?"

Character is a perfectly educated will.
-- Novartis

Sudoku #4

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

"Love prefers nothing to daylight."
-- Oliver Wendell Holmes

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Sudoku #5

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

"It is the soothing thing about history that it does repeat itself."
-- Gertrude Stein

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Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 24, Book 19

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

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