

Sudoku #8

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

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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.

*If you've already donated, thank you so much!
My family and I really appreciate your support.*

Sudoku #1

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

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Lysistrata had a good idea.

Sudoku #2

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

*I gave my life to learning how to live. Now that I have organized it all
it's just about over.
-- Sandra Hochman*

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Sudoku #7

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

*One touch of nature makes the whole world kin.
-- Shakespeare*

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Sudoku #6

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

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Bad news drives good news out of the media.
-- Lee Loewinger

Sudoku #3

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

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Your true value depends entirely on what you are compared with.

Sudoku #4

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

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That which seems the height of absurdity in one generation often becomes the height of wisdom in another.
 -- Adlai Stevenson

Sudoku #5

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

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The District of Columbia has a law forbidding you to exert pressure on a balloon and thereby cause a whistling sound on the streets.

Hints

Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 25, Book 60

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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