

# Sudoku #1

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

"Things start out as hopes and end up as habits."  
 -- Lillian Hellman

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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

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

Overdrawn? But I still have checks left!

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# Sudoku #3

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

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"We may give without loving, but we cannot love without giving."  
 -- Bernard Meltzer

# Sudoku #4

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

*Bop ba-ba loo bop a bim bam booni!*

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# Sudoku #5

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

"There's only one thing money won't buy, and that is poverty."  
 -- Joe E. Lewis

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# Sudoku #6

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

A pedestrian is a man who has two cars, a wife, and one or more teenage children.

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# Sudoku #7

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

"My interest is in the future because I am going to spend the rest of my life there."  
 -- Charles Kettering

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# Sudoku #8

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

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# Hints

## Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 7, Book 10

### Sudoku #1

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

### Sudoku #2

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

### Sudoku #3

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

### Sudoku #4

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

### Sudoku #5

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

### Sudoku #6

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

### Sudoku #7

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

### Sudoku #8

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

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.

# Answers

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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