

# Sudoku #1

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

It is amusing for someone accustomed to the traffic in New York to hear residents of places like Houston and Atlanta complain about congestion on the highways. Imagine, in rush hour they have to slow down to 35 miles an hour!  
-- Barry Bruce-Briggs

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# Sudoku #2

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

Money is a powerful aphrodisiac. But flowers work almost as well.

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# Sudoku #3

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

"God tempers the wind to the shorn lamb."  
-- Laurence Sterne

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# Sudoku #4

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

"Moonlight is sculpture."  
-- Nathaniel Hawthorne

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## Sudoku #5

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

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San Francisco isn't what it used to be, and it never was.  
-- Herb Caen

## Sudoku #6

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

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What must be, shall be; and that which is a necessity to him that struggles  
is little more than choice to him that is willing.  
-- Seneca

# Sudoku #7

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

And here, poor fool, with all my love I stand no wiser than before.  
-- Johann W. von Goethe

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# Sudoku #8

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

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## Hints

Easy Sudoku Puzzles by KrazyDad, Volume 26, Book 26

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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