

Sudoku #1

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

Think even harder.

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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

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

*When singleness is bliss, it's folly to be wives.
 -- Bill Counselman*

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Sudoku #3

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

The only problem with being a man of leisure is that you can never stop and take a rest.

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Sudoku #4

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

Indirect file nested too deep.

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Sudoku #5

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

After adding two weeks to the schedule for unexpected delays, add two more for the unexpected, unexpected delays.

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Sudoku #6

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

Who purposely cheats his friend, would cheat his God.
-- Lavater

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Sudoku #7

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

*Encyclopedia Salesmen:
 Invite them all in. Nip out the back door. Phone the police and tell
 them your house is being burgled.
 -- Mike Harding, "The Armchair Anarchist's Almanac"*

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Sudoku #8

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

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Thank you for helping out!*

Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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