

Sudoku #1

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

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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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*Freedom begins when you tell Mrs. Grundy to go fly a kite.
-- Lazarus Long*

Sudoku #2

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

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*Metaphysics is a dark ocean without shores or lighthouse, strewn with many a
philosophic wreck.
-- Immanuel Kant*

Sudoku #3

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

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We don't know who discovered water, but we are certain it wasn't a fish.
-- John Culkin

Sudoku #4

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

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"I continue to get further away from the usual painter's tools such as easel, palette, brushes, etc."
-- Jackson Pollock

Sudoku #5

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

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Since we have to speak well of the dead, let's knock them while they're
 alive.
 -- John Sloan

Sudoku #6

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

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"Art distills sensations and embodies it with enhanced meaning."
 -- Miguel de Unamuno

Sudoku #7

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

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Parageometry: The study of those mathematical properties that are invariant under brain transplants.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 18, Book 18

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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