

Sudoku #8

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

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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

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

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Hackers do it with all sorts of characters.

Sudoku #2

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

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Sudoku #7

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

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*Bureaucrat n.:
A politician who has tenure.*

*Deep in the nature of all these noble races there lurks unmistakably the
beast of prey; the blond beast, lustfully roving in search of booty and
victory.
-- Frederick Nietzsche*

Sudoku #6

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

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Complete abstinence is easier than perfect moderation.
-- St. Augustine

Sudoku #3

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

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The next dreadful thing to a battle lost is a battle won.

Sudoku #4

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

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"Art is one thing that can go on mattering once it has stopped hurting."
-- Elizabeth Bowen

Sudoku #5

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

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What sin has not been committed in the name of efficiency?

Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 18, Book 45

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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