

Sudoku #1

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

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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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The devil would be the best way out as an excuse for God... But even so, one can hold God responsible for the existence of the Devil.

Sudoku #2

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

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*"He is not a lover who does not love forever."
-- Euripides*

Sudoku #3

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

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Computers will not be perfected until they can compute how much more than
the estimate the job will cost.

Sudoku #4

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

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If all the people in this world in which we live were as selfish as a few of
the people in this world in which we live, there would be no world in which to
live.
-- W. L. Orme

Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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"A portrait is a painting with something wrong with the mouth."
-- John Singer Sargent

Auditors always reject a newspaper's expense account with a bottom line
divisible by 3 or 10.

Sudoku #7

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

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Sudoku #8

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

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*If little green men land in your back yard, hide any little green women
you've got in the house.
-- Mike Harding, The Amateur Anarchist's Almanac*

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 18, Book 57

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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