

Sudoku #1

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

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People who develop the habit of thinking of themselves as world citizens are fulfilling the first requirement of sanity in our time.
 --Norman Cousins

Sudoku #2

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

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There is no vaccine against stupidity.

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Sudoku #3

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

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To believe in God is impossible -- not to believe in him is absurd.

Sudoku #4

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

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"You wouldn't have won if we'd beaten you."
-- Yosi Berra

Sudoku #5

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

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Our natures are like oil; compound us with anything, yet will we strive to swim at the top.
-- Beaumont and Fletcher

Sudoku #6

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

*Come, every frustum longs to be a cone,
And every vector dreams of matrices.
Hark to the gentle gradient of the breeze:
It whispers of a more ergodic zone.
-- Stanislaw Lem, "Cyberiad"*

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Sudoku #7

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

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Good sense about trivialities is better than nonsense about things that matter.
 -- Max Beerholm

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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