

Sudoku #1

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

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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.

Sudoku #2

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

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Lysistrata had a good idea.

Committee -- a group of the unfit, appointed by the unwilling, to do the unnecessary.
-- Stewart Harrol

Sudoku #3

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

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"All people are born alike - except Republicans and Democrats."
-- Groucho Marx

Sudoku #4

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

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Friskbeartarianism: The belief that when you die, your soul goes up on the roof and gets stuck.

Sudoku #5

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

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Here is the beginning of philosophy: a recognition of the conflicts between men, a search for their cause, a condemnation of mere opinion ... and the discovery of a standard of judgment.
-- Epictetus

Sudoku #6

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

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Man is a blind, witless, low-brow, anthropocentric clod who inflicts lessons upon the earth.
-- Ian McEwan

Sudoku #7

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

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Sudoku #8

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

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If bankers can count, how come they have eight windows and only four tellers?

*If you've already donated, thank you so much!
My family and I really appreciate your support.*

Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 18, Book 72

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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