

Sudoku #1

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

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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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Biology is the only science in which multiplication means the same thing as division.

Sudoku #2

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

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"Nature is a perfumed magic city."
-- Novallis

Sudoku #3

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

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"Progress is man's ability to complicate simplicity."
--Thor Heyerdahl

Sudoku #4

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

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"I don't want to achieve immortality through my work. I want to achieve it through not dying."
--Woody Allen

Sudoku #5

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

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Do not try to solve all life's problems at once -- learn to dread each day as it comes.
-- Donald Kaul

Sudoku #6

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

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The information you have is not what you need.

Sudoku #7

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

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The scholar without good breeding is a pedant, the philosopher a cynic, the soldier a brute, and every man disagreeable.
-- Chesterfield

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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