

Sudoku #1

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

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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.

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Sudoku #2

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

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Answer just what your heart prompts you.

In Fame's temple there is always a niche to be found for rich luncees,
important scoundrels or successful bachelors of the human race.
-- Zimmerman

Sudoku #3

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

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*Peter's Law of Substitution:
Look after the molehills, and the mountains will look after themselves.*

Sudoku #4

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

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*Name abhors a hero. For one thing, he violates the law of conservation of energy. For another, how can it be the survival of the fittest when the fittest keeps putting himself in jeopardy?
-- Solomon Short*

Sudoku #5

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

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Let a fool hold his tongue and he will pass for a sage.

Sudoku #6

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

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*When the product is destined to fail, the delivery system will perform perfectly.
-- Charles F. Boyle*

Sudoku #7

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

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*The more right one is, the more careful he should be to express his opinion tactfully. The other fellow never likes to be proved wrong.
--John Luther*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

	56			18	1	35	42	30
	43	27			28		2	37
44	45	21	19		29		46	31
	24			47	32	34	36	38
48	49	26	23		33	39	7	14
50	20	8	10	51				3
17	4		16		12	13	40	41
52	6		53			11	9	
25	54	22	55	15				5

Sudoku #4

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

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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