

Sudoku #1

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

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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.

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.

If only one could get that wonderful feeling of accomplishment without having to accomplish anything.

Sudoku #2

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

*My heart is heavy at the remembrance of all the miles that lie between us;
and I can scarcely believe that you are so distant from me. We are parted; and
every parting is a form of death, as every reunion is a type of heaven.
-- Edwards*

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Sudoku #3

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

*If solid happiness we prize, Within our breast this jewel lies, And they are
fools who roam; The world has nothing to bestow; From our own selves our joys
must flow And that dear hut -- our home.
-- Cotton*

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Sudoku #4

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

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*If an editor can reject your paper, he will.
-- Maeve O'Connor*

Sudoku #5

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

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Don't hit a man when he's down -- kick him; it's easier.

Sudoku #6

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

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*If no one uses something, it isn't needed.
-- Robert Sommer*

Sudoku #7

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

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The end of the world will occur at 3:00 p.m., this Friday, with symposium to follow.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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