

Sudoku #1

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

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.

Sirs, adulation is a fatal thing -- Rank, poison, for a subject, or a king.
-- Dr. Wolcott

Sudoku #2

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

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The longer the title, the less important the job.
-- Robert Shrum

Sudoku #3

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

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I was on my way to the doctors with rear-end trouble when my universal joint gave way causing me to have an accident.

Sudoku #4

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

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Illinois isn't exactly the land that God forgot -- it's more like the land He's trying to ignore.

Sudoku #5

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

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"The roots of education are bitter, but the fruit is sweet."
-- Aristotle

Sudoku #6

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

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Whoah, you smell bad.

Sudoku #7

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

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"I always wanted to be somebody, but now I realize I should have been more specific." -- Lily Tomlin

Sudoku #8

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

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

Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 23

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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