

Sudoku #1

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

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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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"I fear my enthusiasts flag when real work is demanded of me."
--H. P. Lovecraft

Sudoku #2

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

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Did the Devil really create the world when God wasn't looking?

Sudoku #3

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

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Did you know...?
That no-one ever reads these things?

Sudoku #4

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

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Many changes of mind and mood: do not hesitate too long.

Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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"Every song is like a painting."
-- Dick Dale

"Experience keeps a dear school, but fools will learn in no other."
-- Benjamin Franklin

Sudoku #7

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

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The Law, in its majestic equality, forbids the rich, as well as the poor, to sleep under the bridges, to beg in the streets, and to steal bread.
-- Anatole France

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 44

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #8

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