

Sudoku #1

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

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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.

Your future looks bright.

Sudoku #2

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

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What must be, shall be: and that which is a necessity, to him that struggles is little more than choice to him that is willing.
-- Seneca

Sudoku #3

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

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Sudoku #4

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

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Don't do it, unless you think you're in love.

*The first myth of management is that it exists. The second myth of management is that success equals skill.
-- Robert Heller*

Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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Call somebody!

If one word does not succeed, ten thousand are of no avail.

Sudoku #7

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

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The story of man is the history, first, of the acceptance and imposition of restraints necessary to permit communal life; and second, of the emancipation of the individual within that system of necessary restraints. -- Justice Abe Fortas

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 53

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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