

Sudoku #1

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

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Sudoku #2

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

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"Familiar acts are beautiful through love."
-- Percy Bysshe Shelley

"Outside of a dog, a book is a man's best friend. Inside of a dog it's too dark to read."
-- Grochko Marx

Sudoku #3

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

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Sudoku #4

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

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Your own qualities will help prevent your advancement in the world.

*The church is near but the road is icy; the bar is far away but I will walk carefully.
-- Russian Proverb*

Sudoku #5

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

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Book's Law:
You always find something in the last place you look.

Sudoku #6

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

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Copulation is spiritual in essence.

Sudoku #7

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

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THE LESSER-KNOWN PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE #12: LITTH
 This otherwise unremarkable language is distinguished by the absence of
 an 'S' in its character set; users must substitute 'L' for 'S'. LITTH is said
 to be useful in producing hints.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 9

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

49			20	16	50			51
15	40	33		34	52		6	41
	19		35		29	2	3	1
53	54	42			10	17	36	5
	7	22	30	24	26	12	11	
21	23	31	25			27	32	8
55	43	37	44		13		9	
56	45		38	46		28	18	14
57			47	39	48			4

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

Sudoku #8

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

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.