

Sudoku #1

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

Still waters run deep.

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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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Sudoku #2

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

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"Love does not alter the beloved, it alters itself."
-- Soren Kierkegaard

Sudoku #3

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

"There is no sadder sight than a young pessimist."
-- Mark Twain

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Sudoku #4

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

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*The life of a cigarette is proportional to the intensity of the protests
from the non-smokers.
-- Raj K. Dhawan*

Sudoku #5

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

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"I'm a heavy smoker. I go through two lighters a day."
-- Bill Hicks

Sudoku #6

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

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"People who say, 'Let the chips fall where they may,' usually figure they will not be hit by a chip."
-- Bern Williams

Sudoku #7

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

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*"Nothing right can be accomplished in art without enthusiasm."
-- Robert Schumann*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 21, Book 15

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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