

Sudoku #8

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

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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.

Sudoku #1

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

"The sea has neither meaning nor pity."
— Anton Chekhov

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Sudoku #2

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

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The turnpike road to people's hearts I find lies through their mouths, or I mistake mankind.
-- Dr. Wolcott

Sudoku #7

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

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"I shot an arrow into the air, and it stuck."
-- Graffiti in Los Angeles

Sudoku #6

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

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We have to live today by what truth we can get today and be ready tomorrow to call it falsehood.
-- William James

Sudoku #3

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

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Colson's Law: If you've got them by the balls, their hearts and minds will follow.

Sudoku #4

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

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*"When you're bored with yourself, marry and be bored with someone else."
-- King Edward VIII*

Sudoku #5

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

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*San Francisco, n.:
Marcel Proust editing an issue of Penthouse.*

Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 24, Book 63

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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 #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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