

Sudoku #1

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

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If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

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Sudoku #2

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

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*"It's kind of fun to do the impossible."
— Walt Disney*

Any father who thinks he's all important should remind himself that this country honors fathers only one day a year while pickles get a whole week.

Sudoku #3

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

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Get thee behind me, Satan, and push me along!

Sudoku #4

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

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The person next to you might be able to help you.

Sudoku #5

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

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Diplomacy is the art of saying "Nice doggie!" all you can find a rock.

Sudoku #6

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

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Life is a whim of several billion cells to be you for a while.

Sudoku #7

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 5 | | 1 | 8 | 9 | |
| | | 6 | | | 7 | | 5 | |
| 8 | | 1 | | | | | | 4 |
| 7 | | 2 | | | | 9 | | |
| | 1 | | | | | | 2 | |
| | | 5 | | | | 4 | | 7 |
| 4 | | | | | | 6 | | 5 |
| | 6 | | 4 | | | 7 | | |
| | 9 | 8 | 1 | | 6 | | | |

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If it's very painful for you to criticize your friends - you're safe in doing it. But if you take the slightest pleasure in it, that's the time to hold your tongue.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 2, Book 11

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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