

Sudoku #1

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

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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.

Sweet is the hour of rest, Pleasant the wind's low sigh, And the gleaming of the west, And the hiff whereon we lie. --Mrs. Hemans

Sudoku #2

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

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You will be awarded a medal for disregarding safety in saving someone.

Sudoku #3

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

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*"Simplicity and repose are the qualities that measure the true value of any work of art."
 -- Frank Lloyd Wright*

Sudoku #4

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

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*Energy-State: Any state or condition of the Universe, or any portion of it, which requires the expenditure of human effort or ingenuity to bring it into line with human desires, needs, or pleasures.
 -- Dr. John Galt*

Sudoku #5

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

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"Living in dreams of yesterday, we find ourselves still dreaming of impossible future conquests."
-- Charles Lindbergh

Sudoku #6

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

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"Baseball is like church. Many attend few understand."
-- Leo Durocher

Sudoku #7

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

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The number of errors made is equal to the sum of the "squares" involved.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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