

## Sudoku #1

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

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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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"Pick a flower on Earth and you move the farthest star."  
-- Paul Dirac

## Sudoku #2

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

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"What is important in life is life, and not the result of life."  
-- Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

## Sudoku #3

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

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"Cabbage: a familiar kitchen-garden vegetable about as large and wise as a man's head."  
-- Ambrose Bierce

## Sudoku #4

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

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You cannot establish sound social security on borrowed money.

## Sudoku #5

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

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## Sudoku #6

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

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"Attraction is beyond our will or ideas sometimes."  
-- Juliette Binoche

He that spends all his life in sport is like one who wears nothing but  
fringes and ears pulling his staves.  
-- Fuller

## Sudoku #7

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

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*Like winter snow on summer lawn, time past is time gone.*

## Sudoku #8

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

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# Hints

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# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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