

Sudoku #1

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

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Only the dead fail to rise in my presence.

Sudoku #2

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

Boren's Laws of Bureaucracy:
 1. When in doubt, mumble.
 2. When in trouble, delegate.
 3. When in charge, ponder.
 -- James H. Boren

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Sudoku #3

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

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The person next to you needs a smile.

Sudoku #4

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

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Mother is the invention of necessity.

Sudoku #5

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

*"Love is love's reward."
-- John Dryden*

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Sudoku #6

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

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*Try not to have a good time ... This is supposed to be educational.
-- Charles Schulz*

Sudoku #7

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

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*"Poetry is the art of uniting pleasure with truth."
-- Samuel Johnson*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

		10	48	40		49		41
23		14	24	3		20	8	21
25		15	50	42	7	43	11	
38	1			26	33		22	34
56	57	6	51	52	4	44	16	58
59	53		54	45			2	55
	28	35	29	39	36	31		9
30	27	37		5	32	46		47
12		17		13	18	19		

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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