

Sudoku #1

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

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The way to wealth is as plain as the way to market. It depends chiefly on two words, industry and frugality; that is, waste neither time nor money, but make the best use of both. With them and frugality nothing will do, and with them only they will do.
-- Benjamin Franklin

Sudoku #2

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

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What marks the artist is his power to shape the material of pain we all have."
-- Lionel Hitting

Sudoku #3

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

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Sudoku #4

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

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No committee could ever come up with anything as revolutionary as a camel -- anything as practical and as perfectly designed to perform effectively under such difficult conditions. -- Lawrence A. Peter

Other people's tools work only in other people's yards. -- Jane Bryant Quinn

Sudoku #5

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

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In seeking the unattainable, simplicity only gets in the way.
-- Epigrams in Programming, ACM SIGPLAN Sep: 1982

Sudoku #6

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

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Opinion: that great fool makes fools of all.
-- Field

Sudoku #7

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

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*Only God can make a random selection.
-- Martin J. Levy, Jr.*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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