

Sudoku #1

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

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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.

Make the most of the day, by determining to spend it on two sorts of acquaintances only -- those by whom something may be learned. -- Colton

Sudoku #2

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

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"The beginning is always today."
-- Mary Wollstonecraft

Sudoku #3

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

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"Desire nothing, give up all desires and be happy."
-- Swami Sivananda

Sudoku #4

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

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When you make your mark in the world, watch out for guys with erasers.
-- The Wall Street Journal

Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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"The fabric of existence weaves itself whole."
-- Charles Ives

Measure twice, cut once.

Sudoku #7

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

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"There hasn't been any art yet. Art is just beginning."
-- Constantin Brancusi

Sudoku #8

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

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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