

Sudoku #1

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

"The swift wind of compromise is a far more devastating than the sudden jolt of misfortune."
-- Charles R. Sandoff

Sudoku #2

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

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His eyes have all the seeing of a demon's that is dreaming.
-- Edgar Allan Poe

Sudoku #3

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

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Sudoku #4

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

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Make the most of all that comes and the least of all that goes.

Complete adaptation to environment means death. The essential point in all response is the desire to control environment.
-- John Dewey

Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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Use a smile.

Tip well.

Sudoku #7

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

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When everyone thinks alike, no one thinks very much.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 2, Book 89

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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