

## Sudoku #1

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

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

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"We may give without loving, but we cannot love without giving."  
-- Bernard Meltzer

What is honored in a country will be cultivated there.

## Sudoku #3

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

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## Sudoku #4

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

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"The praise that comes from love does not make us vain, but more humble."  
-- James M. Barrie

Commend a fool for his wit, or a knave for his honesty; and they will  
receive you into their bosom.  
-- Fielding

## Sudoku #5

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

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## Sudoku #6

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

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Elevators smell different to midgeers.

The price of seeking to force our beliefs on others is that someday they might force their beliefs on us. -- Mario Cuomo

## Sudoku #7

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

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*Newton's Little-Known Seventh Law:  
A bird in the hand is safer than one overheard.*

## Sudoku #8

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

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# Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 2, Book 98

# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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