

Sudoku #8

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

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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.

Sudoku #1

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

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Sudoku #2

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

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"Great art is as irrational as great music. It is mad with its own loveliness."
-- George Jean Nathan

Sudoku #7

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

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"The problem with beauty is that it's like being born rich and getting poorer."
-- Joan Collins

Sudoku #6

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

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Sudoku #3

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

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*Qui trop embrasse mal embrasse.
(Grab much, gain little.)*

*When we cannot act as we wish, we must act as we can.
-- Terrence*

Sudoku #4

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

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*Experience keeps a dear school, but it's a hell of a campaign tactic.
-- Poor Jimmy's Almanac*

Sudoku #5

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

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*I knew who I was when I got up this morning, but I think I must have changed
several times since then.
-- Lewis Carroll*

Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 3, Book 18

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #8

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