

Sudoku #8

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

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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.

Sudoku #1

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

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Sudoku #2

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

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The man who says he is willing to meet you halfway is usually a poor judge of distance.

Sudoku #7

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

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An artist should be fit for the best society and keep out of it.

Sudoku #6

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

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*"Do you think what we're doing is wrong?"
"Of course it's wrong! It's illegal!"
"I've never done anything illegal before."
"I thought you said you were an accountant!"*

Sudoku #3

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

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*Committee -- a group of men who keep minutes and waste hours.
-- Milton Berle*

Sudoku #4

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

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Man and wife make one fool.

Sudoku #5

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

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A dress that zips up the back will bring a husband and wife together.
-- James H. Boren

Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 3, Book 36

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

| | | | | | | | | |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 22 | 27 | 26 | 38 | | 2 | 32 | | 31 |
| | 3 | | 47 | 9 | 39 | 33 | 4 | 30 |
| 18 | 7 | 23 | 48 | | 49 | | | |
| | 50 | 8 | | 24 | 40 | 5 | 41 | 42 |
| | 51 | | 57 | 1 | 52 | | 53 | |
| 16 | 54 | 12 | 43 | 19 | | 14 | 44 | |
| | | | 45 | 46 | 37 | 35 | 15 | |
| 20 | 25 | 21 | 55 | 10 | 56 | | 29 | |
| 13 | | 17 | 6 | | 34 | 11 | 28 | 36 |

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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