

## Sudoku #1

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

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## Sudoku #2

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

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"You wouldn't have won if we'd beaten you."  
-- Yogi Berra

"The first rule of sustainability is to align with natural forces, or at least not try to defy them."  
-- Paul Hawken

## Sudoku #3

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

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## Sudoku #4

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

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*The chief cause of problems is solutions.  
-- Eric Sevareid*

*Beware of low-flying butterflies.*

## Sudoku #5

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

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"Youth is the gift of nature, but age is a work of art."  
-- Stanislaw Lec

## Sudoku #6

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

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Frankfort, Kentucky, makes it against the law to shoot off a policeman's tie.

## Sudoku #7

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

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"Rather than love, than money, than fame, give me truth."  
-- Henry David Thoreau

## Sudoku #8

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

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# Hints

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# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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