

Sudoku #1

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

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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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"It's not what you look at that matters, it's what you see."
-- Henry David Thoreau

Sudoku #2

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

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You know you have a small apartment when Rice Krispies echo.
-- S. Kicky Christian

Sudoku #3

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

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Sudoku #4

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

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May not taste be compared to that exquisite sense of the bee, which
 instantly discovers and extracts the quintessence of every flower, and
 disregards the rest of it.
 --Gretile

A university is what a college becomes when the faculty loses interest
 in students.
 --John Cleland

Sudoku #5

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

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"Every production of an artist should be the expression of an adventure of his soul."
-- W. Somerset Maugham

Sudoku #6

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

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"Art requires philosophy. Just as philosophy requires art. Otherwise, what would become of beauty?"
-- Paul Gauguin

Sudoku #7

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

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"Trust no friend without faults, and love a woman, but no angel."
-- Doris Lessing

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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