

Sudoku #1

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

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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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In time, and as one comes to benefit from experience, one learns that things will turn out neither as well as one hoped nor as badly as one feared.
--Jerome S. Bruner

Sudoku #2

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

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*No self-respecting fish would want to be wrapped in that kind of paper.
-- Mike Royko on the Chicago Sun-Times after it was
taken over by Rupert Murdoch*

Sudoku #3

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

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If good intentions are combined with stupidity, it is impossible to outthink them.
-- Marion J. Levy, Jr.

Sudoku #4

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

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One man's "magic" is another man's "engineering." "Supernatural" is a null word.
 -- Lazarus Long

Sudoku #5

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

For good men but see death, the wicked taste it.
-- Johnson

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Sudoku #6

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

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The difficulty of getting anything started increases with the square of the number of people involved.
-- Jim MacGregor

Sudoku #7

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

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*Law expands in proportion to the resources available for its enforcement.
-- Dalin B. Oaks*

Sudoku #8

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

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Thank you for helping out!*

Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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.

Answers

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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