

Sudoku #1

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

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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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Sudoku #2

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

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"Let us permit nature to have her way. She understands her business better than we do."
-- Michel de Montaigne

Be courteous. Have genuine consideration for other people's feelings, wishes and situations.

Sudoku #3

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

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Research is what I'm doing when I don't know what I'm doing.
-- Werner von Braun

Sudoku #4

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

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There is a vast difference between putting your nose in other people's business and putting your heart in other people's problems.

Sudoku #5

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

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Real programmers disdain structured programming. Structured programming is for computer scientists who were prematurely college-trained. They wear neckties and carefully line up pencils on otherwise clear desks.

Sudoku #6

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

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OREGANO (Ore-ga-no): The ancient Italian art of pizza folding.

Sudoku #7

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

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*A falling body always rolls to the most inaccessible spot.
-- Theodore W. Bernstein*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 3, Book 78

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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