

Sudoku #1

		4			3	5	2	
1				7		8		9
6					5	1		
			5	1		9		6
		1				2		
8		6		3	4			
		9	8					1
5		3		2				8
	7	8	3			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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"A question that sometimes drives me hazy: am I or are the others crazy?"
-- Albert Einstein

Sudoku #2

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

Use it up ... Wear it out.
Make it do ... Or do without.
-- US World War II Message

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Sudoku #3

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

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*Those who educate children well are more to be honored than parents,
for these only gave life, those the art of living well.*
-- Aristotle

Sudoku #4

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

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*This sentence contradicts itself -- no actually it doesn't.
-- Hofstadter*

Sudoku #5

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

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*"Nature does nothing in vain."
-- Aristotle*

Sudoku #6

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

*Yield to temptation; it may not pass your way again.
-- Lazarus Long*

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Sudoku #7

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

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*"If you judge people, you have no time to love them."
— Mother Teresa*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 20, Book 66

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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