

Sudoku #1

	8							
7		2		5	3			
5	1				4	7	9	3
	6				7	3		
	3		9		8		1	
		4	6				8	
6	5	7	3				2	4
			4	9		1		6
							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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Best men are often moulded out of faults.
-- Shakespeare

Sudoku #2

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

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"There are many men of principle in both parties in America, but there is no party of principle."
-- Alexis de Tocqueville

Sudoku #3

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

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"He who has health, has hope; and he who has hope, has everything."
-- Thomas Carlyle

Sudoku #4

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

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You are nuts.

Sudoku #5

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

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Democrats eat the fish they catch. Republicans hang them on the wall.

Sudoku #6

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

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The only thing that hurts more than paying an income tax is not having to pay an income tax.

Sudoku #7

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

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"Poetry is the art of creating imaginary gardens with real toads."
-- Marianne Moore

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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 #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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