

Sudoku #1

6		3	9	4	5			8
							9	
	1		8		7	3		4
1				7		5	8	
	4	5		1				7
3		7	4		8		1	
	5							
4			6	2	1	7		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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*The office space and salaries of college administrators are in inverse proportion to those of the instructors.
-- M. M. Johnston*

Sudoku #2

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

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Always give your people the credit that is rightfully theirs. To do otherwise is both morally and ethically dishonest.

Sudoku #3

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

*When in doubt, tell the truth.
-- Mark Twain*

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Sudoku #4

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

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"Love is my religion - I could die for it."
-- John Keats

Sudoku #5

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

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I have yet to see any problem, however complicated, which, when looked at in the right way, did not become still more complicated.
-- Poul Anderson

Sudoku #6

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

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*"Life obliges me to do something, so I paint."
-- Rene Magritte*

Sudoku #7

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

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*The Right Honorable Gentleman is indebted to his memory for his jests and to his imagination for his facts.
-- Sheridan*

Sudoku #8

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

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 Thank you!

Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 22, Book 100

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

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