

Sudoku #1

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

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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 physician is not angry at the intemperance of a mad patient, nor does he take it ill to be rallied at by a man in a fever. Just so should a wise man treat all mankind, as a physician treats a patient, and look upon them only as sick and extravagant.
— Seneca

Sudoku #2

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

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I do not feel obliged to believe that the same God who has endowed us with sense, reason, and intellect, has intended us to forego their use.
— Galileo Galilei

Sudoku #3

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

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"History is a gallery of pictures in which there are few originals and many copies."
-- Alexis de Tocqueville

Sudoku #4

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

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"Success is the one unpardonable sin against our fellows."
-- Ambrose Bierce

Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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“Please profit.”
-- Prof. Michael O'Loughlin, S.U.N.Y. Purchase

“Nature is neutral.”
-- Adlai E. Stevenson

Sudoku #7

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

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If you're not part of the solution, you're part of the precipitate.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 22, Book 13

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #8

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