

Sudoku #1

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

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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 cost of living is going up and the chance of living is going down."
-- Flip Wilson

Sudoku #2

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

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I predict that today will be remembered until tomorrow!

Sudoku #3

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

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*To kill an enterprise, if you go to the meetings, arrive late.
-- Jean-Charles Terrassier*

Sudoku #4

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

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*invested at 7% interest for 100 years will become .000, at which time
it will be worth absolutely nothing.
-- Lazarus Long, "Time Enough for Love"*

Sudoku #5

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

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The doctrine of the material efficacy of prayer reduces the Creator to a cosmic bellhop of a not very bright or reliable kind.

Sudoku #6

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

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"You can't depend on your eyes when your imagination is out of focus."
-- Mark Twain

Sudoku #7

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

My religion consists of a humble admiration of the illimitable superior spirit who reveals himself in the slight details we are able to perceive with our frail and feeble mind.
-- Albert Einstein

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Sudoku #8

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

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Or by mail: KrazyDad, P.O. Box 303 Sun Valley, CA 91353 USA
Thank you for helping out!*

Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 22, Book 9

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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