

Sudoku #1

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

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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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*Sometimes a cigar is just a cigar.
-- Sigmund Freud*

Sudoku #2

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

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*"The defining function of the artist is to cherish consciousness."
-- Max Eastman*

Sudoku #3

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

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*** NEWSFLASH ***
Russian tanks steaming through New Jersey!!!! Details at eleven!

Sudoku #4

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

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Man is the best computer we can put aboard a spacecraft!:-, and the only one that can be mass produced with unskilled labor.
-- Werner von Braun

Sudoku #5

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

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*"There is nothing worse than a sharp image of a fuzzy concept."
-- Ansel Adams*

Sudoku #6

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

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*Wit sometimes enables us to act rudely with impunity.
-- Duc de La Rochefoucauld
(In other words, to step on a man's toes without spoiling his shoeshine.)*

Sudoku #7

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

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"There comes a time in every man's life, and I've had plenty of them."
-- Casey Stengel

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 22, Book 96

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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