

Sudoku #8

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

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

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Sudoku #2

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

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Friendship is the only thing in the world concerning the usefulness of which all mankind are agreed.
-- Cicero

Sudoku #7

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

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Help fight continental drift.

Sudoku #6

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

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*Pride makes us esteem ourselves; vanity makes us desire the esteem of others. It is just to day, as Dean Swift has done, that a man is too proud to be vain.
-- Blair*

Sudoku #3

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

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*"I wonder if other dogs think poodles are members of a weird religious cult."
-- Rita Rudner*

Sudoku #4

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

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(To Walter Cronkite):
 "Well Walter, I believe that the Good Lord gave us a finite number
 of heartbeats and I'm damned if I'm going to use up mine running
 up and down a street"
 -- Neil Armstrong

Sudoku #5

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

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Marriage is a great institution, but I'm not ready for an institution.
 -- Mae West

Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 23, Book 11

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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