

## Sudoku #8

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

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## Sudoku #1

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

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Actions of the last age are like almanacs of the last age.  
 -- St. Thomas Denham

## Sudoku #2

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

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Commonly, physicians, like beer, are best when they are old, and lawyers, like bread, when they are young and new. -- Fuller

## Sudoku #7

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

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When you ain't got nothing, you got nothing to lose.

## Sudoku #6

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

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*"Destiny has two ways of crushing us - by refusing our wishes and by fulfilling them."*  
 -- Henri Frederic Amiel

## Sudoku #3

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

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*Scheduled changes always mean cutbacks. (Minor schedule adjustments always affect your day (train, whatever))*  
 -- Steve Kross

## Sudoku #4

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

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Given enough time, what you put off doing today will eventually get done by  
 -- G. Gestra  
 himself

## Sudoku #5

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

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To every Ph.D. there is an equal and opposite Ph.D. which explains why it is  
 so easy to find expert witnesses who contradict each other.  
 -- B. Dargatzis

# Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 23, Book 52

# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #8

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