

Sudoku #1

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

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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 #2

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

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Wie geht's?

Imagination is the one weapon in the war against reality.
-- Jules de Grandpre

Sudoku #3

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

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Do the things which you will be proud to remember when you are old.

Sudoku #4

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

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When love and skill work together, expect a masterpiece.
-- Charles Reade

Sudoku #5

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

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"The climate of Bombay is such that its inhabitants have to live elsewhere."

Sudoku #6

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

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*Happiness is having a scratch for every itch.
-- Odean Nash*

Sudoku #7

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

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Finagle's Very Fundamental Findings.
If a string has one end, then it has another end.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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