

Sudoku #8

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

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

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AMAZING BUT TRUE...
There is so much sand in Northern Africa that if it were spread out it would completely cover the Sahara Desert.

Sudoku #2

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

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Sudoku #7

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

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*Old age is not so bad when you consider the alternatives.
-- Maurice Chevalier*

*I'll pick up my papers, and smile at the sky. I know that the hypnotized
never lie.*

Sudoku #6

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

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*Reality is always more conservative than ideology.
-- Raymond Aron*

Sudoku #3

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

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*Truth is the most valuable thing we have -- so let us economize it.
-- Mark Twain*

Sudoku #4

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

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Sudoku #5

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

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*These are the effects of dotting age: vain doubts, and idle cares, and over
caution,
— John Dryden*

Show respect for age. Drink good Scotch for a change.

Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 24, Book 90

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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