

Sudoku #1

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

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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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*If you can't measure it, I'm not interested.
-- Laurence J. Peter*

Sudoku #2

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

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A chase always involves two parts: first breaking contact, second the retiring action to divorce oneself from the incident.
-- Robert A. Heinlein

Sudoku #3

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

Answer just what your heart prompts you.

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Sudoku #4

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

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"What I like to drink most is wine that belongs to others."
-- Diogenes

Sudoku #5

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

Phases of a project: 1. Exultation. 2. Disenchantment. 3. Confusion. 4. Search for the guilty. 5. Punishment of the innocent. 6. Distinction for the uninvolved.

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Sudoku #6

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

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Towering genius disdains the beaten path. It seeks regions hitherto unexplored.
-- Abraham Lincoln

Sudoku #7

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

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*The art of being wise is the art of knowing what to overlook.
— William James*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 25, Book 26

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

49	42		24	50	43	44	45	
51		25		46	47	26	48	27
	28				29	30	31	
32	14	15	1				33	4
34				35				2
36	37				38	16	17	5
	8	6	3				9	
18	10	7	19	39		11		20
	12	13	21	40	41		22	23

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

17		36		18			19	37
20					1	38	21	22
	23	24	8		2	39	25	26
	9	10	51	40	27			28
	3	4		41		42	5	
11			43	44	12	29	13	
45	46	47	48		6	30	31	
49	32	14	33					15
50	16			34		35		7

Sudoku #8

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

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.

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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