

Sudoku #8

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

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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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Thank you!

Sudoku #1

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

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Student's snack -- cranberries
-- Raymond D. Love

Sudoku #2

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

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"The sweetest noise on earth, a woman's tongue; A string which hath no discord." -- Barry Cornwall

Sudoku #7

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

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The new Congressmen say they're going to turn the government around. I hope I don't get ran over again.

Sudoku #6

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

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*Outside of a dog, a book is a man's best friend; and inside a dog, it's too
dark to read.
-- Groucho Marx*

Sudoku #3

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

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*Westheimer's Discovery:
A couple of months in the laboratory can frequently save a
couple of hours in the library.*

Sudoku #4

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

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"The world hates change, yet it is the only thing that has brought progress."
-- Charles Kettering

Sudoku #5

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

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To criticize the incompetent is easy; it is more difficult to criticize the competent.

Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 25, Book 69

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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