

Sudoku #1

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

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If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

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Start with what is right rather than what is acceptable.

Sudoku #2

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

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A shortcut is the longest distance between two points.
-- Professor Charles P. Isawi

Sudoku #3

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

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Sudoku #4

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

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No one ever promised you a rose garden.

Chemicals, n.i.;
Noxious substances from which modern foods are made.

Sudoku #5

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

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*The income tax has made more liars out of the American people than golf has. Even when you make a tax form out on the level, you don't know when it's through if you are a crook or a martyr.
-- Will Rogers*

Sudoku #6

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

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A clean limerick is a contradiction in terms.

Sudoku #7

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

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Without health you cannot enjoy wealth or happiness.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 3, Book 12

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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.