

Sudoku #1

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

The question, "Who ought to be boss?" is like asking, "Who ought to be tenor in the quartet?" Obviously the man who can sing tenor.
 --Henry Ford

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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

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

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"Education is the transmission of civilization."
-- Will Durant

Sudoku #3

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

*The vain beauty cares most for the conquest which employed the whole
 artillery of her charms.
 -- Edward Garrett*

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Sudoku #4

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

That, Sir, is the good of counting. It brings everything to a certainty, which before floated in the mind indefinitely.
-- Samuel Johnson

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

... Had this been an actual emergency, we would have fled in terror, and you would not have been informed.

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Sudoku #6

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

Matter cannot be created or destroyed, nor can it be returned without a receipt.

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Sudoku #7

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

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*"Nature is full of genius, full of the divinity; so that not a snowflake escapes its fashioning hand."
 --Henry David Thoreau*

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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