

Sudoku #1

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

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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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"The only time a woman really succeeds in changing a man is when he is a baby."
-- Natalie Wood

Sudoku #2

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

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How many "coming men" has one known? Where on earth do they all go to?

Sudoku #3

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

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"One must be a living man and a posthumous artist."
-- Jean Cocteau

Sudoku #4

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

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You're about to be stoned.

Sudoku #5

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

Death is life's way of telling you you've been freed.
-- R. Ours

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Sudoku #6

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

He must have a long spoon that must eat with the devil.
-- Shakespeare

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Sudoku #7

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

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Sudoku #8

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

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In any national struggle, the deciding factor is not who is the most competent, but who is less incompetent.

If you've already donated, thank you so much! My family and I really appreciate your support.

Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 3, Book 40

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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 #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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