

Sudoku #1

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

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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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Negative slack tends to increase.

Sudoku #2

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

Plato, by the way, wanted to banish all poets from his proposed Utopia because they were liars. The truth was that Plato knew philosophers couldn't compete successfully with poets.
-- Kilgore Trout (Philip J. Farmer) "Venus on the Half Shell"

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Sudoku #3

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

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A friend will refrain from telling you he picked up the same amount of life insurance coverage you did for the half the price and his is non-cancelable.

Sudoku #4

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

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How much do you think I'll get for my autobiography?
-- Arthur Bremer
(After his arrest for attempting to assassinate Governor George C. Wallace.)

Sudoku #5

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

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There's nothing wrong with using four-letter words in explaining the facts of life to children -- words like love, kiss, help, care, give, ...
-- Sam Levinson

Sudoku #6

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

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The master's eye makes the horse fat.

Sudoku #7

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

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VMS is like a nightmare about RXS-11M.

Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 8, Book 35

Sudoku #1

	31	17				42	32	18
19		33	20	50	51	34	35	
		21	52	43	36		22	23
1	7		24	25		26		
2		8	44	53	45	9		10
		11		27	12		13	3
28	46		47	48	49	37		
	38	29	39	40	41	30		14
15	4	16				5	6	

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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