

Sudoku #1

1	3	7	2				4	
			5	9			7	
4			3	7				
	2	8				6		5
9								1
6		1				7	8	
				1	9			2
	4			6	3			
	1				5	8	3	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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*"Be faithful to that which exists within yourself."
-- Andre Gide*

Sudoku #2

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

*Is there no way to bring home a wandering sheep, but by worrying him to death?
-- Fuller*

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Sudoku #3

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

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Know when to quit.

Sudoku #4

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

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"Sunsets are so beautiful that they almost seem as if we were looking through the gates of Heaven."
-- John Lubbock

Sudoku #5

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

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"Creativity is allowing yourself to make mistakes. Art is knowing which ones to keep."
-- Scott Adams

Sudoku #6

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

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*"Art is anything people do with distinction."
-- Louis Dudek*

Sudoku #7

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

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*Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire.
-- William Butler Yeats*

Sudoku #8

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

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Thank you!*

Hints

Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 8, Book 58

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

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