

Sudoku #8

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

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Sudoku #1

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

Finagle's Fourth Law:
 No matter what occurs, there is always someone who believes it happened
 according to his pet theory.

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Sudoku #2

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

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Man is the only creature endowed with the power of laughter. Is he not the only one that deserves to be laughed at?
 -- Greville

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Sudoku #7

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

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The various opinions of philosophers have scattered through the world as many plagues of the mind as Pandora's box did those of the body, only with this difference, that they have not left hope at the bottom.
 -- Jonathan Swift

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Sudoku #6

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

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*Her tears her only eloquence.
-- Rogers*

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Sudoku #3

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

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*Interpreter, n.:
One who enables two persons of different languages to understand each other by repeating to each what it would have been to the interpreter's advantage for the other to have said.
-- Ambrose Bierce*

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Sudoku #4

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

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God isn't dead, he just couldn't find a parking place.

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Sudoku #5

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

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"In the presence of eternity, the mountains are as transient as the clouds."
-- Robert Green Ingersoll

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Hints

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Sudoku #1

		7		16	17		6	
41	28		23	8	19	5	9	20
29		30		24		2	42	43
44	45	46	55	47			48	49
10			50	25	21			51
15	31			52	18	4	11	53
32	54	33		34		3		35
12	36	37	38	39	22		40	14
	13		26	27		1		

Sudoku #2

33		31		34	35	25	10	11
49		43	18		36		19	20
	1	37	44		38	26		
8	32	5		39	40		21	
50	51	52		2		28	22	23
	29		6	30		27	24	12
		53	16		15	54	13	
45	4		17	41	46			14
9	55	47	48	42		3		7

Sudoku #3

		5		10	3			6
7	4	2	18	31	32	8		9
16	15				1	19	24	20
53		54	55	44	40	56	33	
45	46		17	41	42		25	26
	47	48	57	34	11	49		21
50	43	35	36				37	27
51		52	28	38	39	22	29	12
13			14	30		23		

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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.