Sudoku #1

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

You can't hold a man down without staying down with him.
-- Booker T. Washington

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Sudoku #2

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

"The trouble with the rat race is that even if you win, you're still a rat."
-- Lily Tomlin

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Sudoku #3

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

There is only one thing in the world worse than being talked about, and that is not being talked about.
-- Oscar Wilde

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Sudoku #4

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

Napoleon: What shall we do with this soldier, Guiseppe? Everything he says is wrong.
Guiseppe: Make him a general, Excellency; and then everything he says will be right.
-- G. B. Shaw, "The Man of Destiny"

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Sudoku #5

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

The effectiveness of a politician varies in inverse proportion to his commitment to principle.
-- Sam Shaffer

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Sudoku #6

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

He walks as if balancing the family tree on his nose.

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Sudoku #7

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

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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