Sudoku #1

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

For we both alike know that into the discussion of human affairs the question of justice enters only where the pressure of necessity is equal, and that the powerful exact what they can, and the weak grant what they must.
-- Thucydides

Sudoku #2

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

Ba DOOM.
-- Bob Dickson

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Sudoku #3

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

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If you go on a trip taking two bags with you, one containing everything you need for the trip and the other containing absolutely nothing, the second bag will be completely filled with junk acquired on the trip when you return.
-- Tony Hogg

Sudoku #4

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

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"It is horrifying that we have to fight our own government to save the environment."
-- Ansel Adams

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Digging oolitic strata. Laid in the oligocene. Geologists are lost for data--Fossils, yes! But ... A MACHINE?!?!

You will receive a present, over which you will shed tears of joy.

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Sudoku #7

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

Dammit, Jim, I'm a computer, not a fortune-teller!

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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