

Sudoku #8

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

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Sudoku #1

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

"Never fight an inanimate object."
- P. J. O'Rourke

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Sudoku #2

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

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Ananasy: what happens when you start spelling "banana" and don't stop.

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Sudoku #7

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

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Dentist: A Prestidigitator who, putting metal in one's mouth, pulls coins out of one's pockets.
-- Ambrose Bierce

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Sudoku #6

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

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If fifty million people say a foolish thing, it's still a foolish thing.
-- B. Russell

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Sudoku #3

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

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Has everyone noticed that all the letters of the word "database" are typed with the left hand? Now the layout of the QWERTY keyboard is not designed to be typed with the left hand. It is designed to be typed with both hands. So, the word "database" is not only unnatural, but a lot harder than it appears.

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Sudoku #4

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

"Kindness, I've discovered, is everything in life."
-- Isaac Bashevis Singer

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Sudoku #5

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

Never enter a subway where the security guard has graffiti on his face.

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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.

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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