

Sudoku #1

Super-Tough Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 8, Book 22

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

*I never knew the old gentlemen with the scythe and hour-glass to bring anything but gray hairs, thin cheeks, and loss of teeth.
-- Dryden*

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Sudoku #2

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

*No atheist, as such, can be a true friend, an affectionate relation, or a loyal subject.
--Dr. Bentley*

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Sudoku #3

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

"Dream in a pragmatic way."
-- Aldous Huxley

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Sudoku #4

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

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It is easier to get forgiveness than permission.

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Sudoku #5

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

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By the time a person gets to greener pastures, he can't climb the fence.

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Sudoku #6

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

When poverty comes in at the door, love flies out at the window.

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Sudoku #7

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

For years a secret shame destroyed my peace --
 I'd not read Eliot, Auden or MacNiece.
 But now I think a thought that brings me hope:
 Neither had Chaucer, Shakespeare, Milton, Pope.
 -- Justin Richardson.

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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