

Sudoku #1

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

The last, best fruit which comes to perfection, even in the kindest soul, is, tenderness toward the hard, forbearance toward the unbearings, warmth of heart toward the cold, philanthropy toward the misanthropic.
-- Richter

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Sudoku #2

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

"It is not in life, but in art that self-fulfillment is to be found."
-- Wilson Mizner

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Sudoku #3

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

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"Too low they build who build below the skies."
-- Edward Young

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Sudoku #4

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

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"I buy expensive suits. They just look cheap on me."
-- Warren Buffett

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Sudoku #5

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

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"Freedom of the press is guaranteed only to those who own one."
-- A. J. Liebling

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Sudoku #6

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

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If that's art, I'm a Hotentot!
-- Harry S. Truman

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Sudoku #7

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

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The effort required to correct course increases geometrically with time.

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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