

Sudoku #1

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

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Arithmetical proofs of theorems that do not have arithmetical bases prove nothing.
-- G. O. Ashlley

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Sudoku #2

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

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Modesty: the gentle art of enhancing your charm by pretending not to be aware of it.

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Sudoku #3

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

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If a great deal of time has been expended seeking the answer to a problem, with the only result being failure, the answer will be immediately obvious to the first unqualified person who comes along.

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Sudoku #4

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

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*By work you get money, by talk you get knowledge.
-- Fallbarron*

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Sudoku #5

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

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*"The soul, like the body, lives by what it feeds on."
-- J. G. Holland*

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Sudoku #6

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

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The Law of Fashion: The same dress is: indecent 10 years before its time, during 20 years before its time, chic in its time, atrocious 5 years after its time, hideous 20 years after its time, obsolete 15 years after its time, romantic 100 years after its time. -- James Laver

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Sudoku #7

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

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*I'm going to Boston to see my doctor. He's a very sick man.
-- Fred Allen*

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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

Sudoku #2

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

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 #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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