

Sudoku #1

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

The river is moving; the blackbird must be flying.

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Sudoku #2

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

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"Better to remain silent and be thought a fool than to speak out and remove all doubt."
-- Abraham Lincoln

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Sudoku #3

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

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Insanity is hereditary - You get it from your children.

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Sudoku #4

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

I trust MY judgment. I'm not sure about yours.

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Sudoku #5

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

Compliments of congratulations are always kindly taken, and cost nothing but pen, ink, and paper. I consider them as draughts upon good breeding, where the exchange is always greatly in favor of the drawer.
-- Chesterfield

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Sudoku #6

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

*Lewis's Law of Travel:
The first piece of luggage out of the chute doesn't belong to anyone, ever.*

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Sudoku #7

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

On account of being a democracy and run by the people, we are the only nation in the world that has to keep a government four years, no matter what it does.
-- Will Rogers

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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