

Sudoku #1

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

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*"What you get free costs too much."
-- Jean Anouilh*

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Sudoku #2

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

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There never was any remarkable lawgiver amongst any people who did not resort to divine authority.

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Sudoku #3

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

Experience keeps a dear school, but fools will learn in no other, and scarcely in that; for it is true, we may give advice, but we cannot give conduct. Remember this: They that will not be counseled cannot be helped. If you do not hear reason she will rap you over the knuckles.
-- Benjamin Franklin

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Sudoku #4

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

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*A flattering painter, who made it his care to draw men as they ought to be,
not as they are.
-- Oliver Goldsmith*

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Sudoku #5

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

*"The enemy of art is the absence of limitations."
-- Orson Welles*

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Sudoku #6

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

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Pride invites calamity; humility reaps its harvest.

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Sudoku #7

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

*There are not enough storage registers to solve the problem.
-- John L. Shelton*

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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