

Sudoku #8

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

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Sudoku #1

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

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When the fox grins -- smile!

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Sudoku #2

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

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"Nature is neutral."
-- Adlai E. Stevenson

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Sudoku #7

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

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The Lump Law: If we want to learn anything, we mustn't try to learn everything.

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Sudoku #6

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

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*"To have a great idea, have a lot of them."
-- Thomas A. Edison*

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Sudoku #3

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

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A bore is someone who talks so much about himself that you can't talk about yourself.

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Sudoku #4

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

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"A pessimist is a person who has had to listen to too many optimists."
-- Don Margolis

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Sudoku #5

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

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"While I relish our warm months, winter forms our character and brings out our best."
-- Tom Allen

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

11		30		32	15	41		42
		28	47	48	14		17	18
26	2	31	44	54	55	3		
29	33	40		56	57	16	8	34
23	1						20	21
27	37	38	35	36		4	19	43
		24	49	13	7	50	22	10
12	6		45	46	58	51		
25		5	39	52		53		9

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

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