

Sudoku #1

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

You don't sew with a fork, so I see no reason to eat with knitting needles.
-- Miss Piggy, on eating Chinese Food

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Sudoku #2

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

Government action and inaction both gravely impair business confidence.
-- Mark Eperday

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Sudoku #3

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

We can be knowledgeable with other men's knowledge, but we cannot be wise
-- Michel de Montaigne

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Sudoku #4

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

Start with what is right rather than what is acceptable.

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Sudoku #5

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

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Some play for gain; to pass time others play For nothing; both play the fool!
I say; Nor time nor coin I'll lose; or idly spend; Who gets by play, proves
loser if he ends.
— Hecla

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Sudoku #6

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

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Take time to travel; your troubles will unravel.

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Sudoku #7

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

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"A good artist should be isolated. If he isn't isolated, something is wrong."
-- Orson Welles

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #8

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