

Sudoku #1

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

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Remember, UNIX spelled backwards is XINU.

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Sudoku #2

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

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"Some cause happiness wherever they go; others whenever they go."
-- Oscar Wilde

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Sudoku #3

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

*Tell me, O Octopus, I beg,
Is those things arms, or is they legs?
I have heard of Octopus,
If I were here I'd call me that.
-- Ogden Nash*

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Sudoku #4

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

*I loathe that low vice curiosity,
-- Lord Byron*

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Sudoku #5

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

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Sudoku #6

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

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Please fill, and you will please none.

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Sudoku #7

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

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The splendor of an editor's speech and the splendor of his newspaper are inversely related to the distance between the city in which he makes his speech and the city in which he publishes the paper.
— Ben Brigidin

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Sudoku #8

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

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Hints

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Answers

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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