

Sudoku #8

Tough Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 8, Book 55

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| | | 9 | | | | 5 | | 1 |
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Success makes us intolerant of failure, and failure makes us intolerant of success.
 -- William Feather

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| | 1 | | 9 | 8 | | 5 | |
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| 3 | 7 | | | 1 | | | 8 |
| 1 | | | 8 | 9 | | | |
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"Don't go around saying the world owes you a living. The world owes you nothing. It was here first."
-- Mark Twain

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Sudoku #7

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| 8 | | | | | 5 | 2 | | |
| | 2 | | | | 9 | | | |
| 1 | | | 6 | | | | | 8 |
| 6 | | | | | 7 | | | 5 |
| | 3 | | | | | | 9 | |
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As the poet said, "Only God can make a tree" -- probably because it's
so hard to figure out how to get the bark on.
-- Woody Allen

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Sudoku #6

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| | 7 | | | | 9 | 8 | | |
| | | 9 | | 7 | 4 | | | 6 |
| | 9 | 7 | | | | | 5 | 8 |
| | 6 | 8 | | | | 1 | 3 | |
| 3 | 1 | | | | | 7 | 4 | |
| 9 | | | 4 | 8 | | 2 | | |
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One difference between a man and a machine is that a machine is quiet when well oiled.

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Sudoku #3

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| 3 | | | | 8 | | | | |
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| | 5 | | | 1 | | | | 6 |
| 8 | 7 | | | 5 | 3 | | | 9 |
| | | | 9 | | 8 | | | |
| 5 | | | 4 | 7 | | | 1 | 8 |
| 9 | | | | 4 | | | 6 | |
| | 4 | 6 | | | 2 | | | |
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When I reflect upon the number of disagreeable people who I know have gone to a better world, I am moved to lead a different life.

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Sudoku #4

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

In 1869 the waffle iron was invented for people who had wrinkled waffles.

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Sudoku #5

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

*Everything put together sooner or later falls apart.
-- Paul Simon*

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Hints

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Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

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

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

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