

# Sudoku #1

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

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Fill in the blank squares so that each row, each column and each 3-by-3 block contain all of the digits 1 thru 9.

If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

Need a little help? The hints page shows a logical order to solve the puzzle. Use it to identify the next square you should solve. Or use the answers page if you really get stuck.

*"It's so fine and yet so terrible to stand in front of a blank canvas."*  
-- Paul Cezanne

# Sudoku #2

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

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*Marriage: a community consisting of a master, a mistress, and two slaves --  
-- Ambrose Bierce*

# Sudoku #3

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

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*The story of man is the history; first, of the acceptance and imposition of restraints necessary to permit communal life; and second, of the emancipation of the individual within that system of necessary restraints.*  
-- Justice Abe Fortas

# Sudoku #4

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

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*"Oh frabjous day, calloo, callay" he chortled in his joy.*

# Sudoku #5

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

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*You get the most of what you need the least.  
-- Jane Bryant Quinn*

# Sudoku #6

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

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*"Love is like the measles. The older you get it, the worse the attack."*  
-- Rainer Maria Rilke

# Sudoku #7

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

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*Of all the passions that possess mankind, The love of novelty rules most the mind; In search of this, from realm to realm we roam; Our fleets come fraught with ev'ry folly home.  
-- Foote*

# Sudoku #8

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

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*If you've already donated, thank you so much!  
My family and I really appreciate your support.*



# Hints

## Challenging Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 9, Book 34

Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

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

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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