

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

Puzzle **279**, difficulty rating: **Intense**

Each number (from 1 to 9) must occur exactly once in each row, each column, and each 3x3 sub-region. Several numbers are already filled in for you: those are your hints. Your goal is to fill in every blank square.