

# Sudoku #1

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

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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.

*Conscience is what hurts when everything else feels so good.*

# Sudoku #2

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

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*"I used to think I was indecisive, but now I'm not so sure."*

# Sudoku #3

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

"Behind every successful man is a woman, behind her is his wife."  
-- Groucho Marx

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# Sudoku #4

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

"Love and dignity cannot share the same abode."  
-- Ovid

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# Sudoku #5

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

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*A truck backed through my windshield into my wife's face.*

# Sudoku #6

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

"Once you say you're going to settle for second, that's what happens to you in life."  
 -- John F. Kennedy

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# Sudoku #7

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

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*It is against the nature of man as he grows older ∴ to protest against change, particularly change for the better.  
-- John Steinbeck*

# Sudoku #8

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

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# Hints

## Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 3, Book 1

### Sudoku #1

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

### Sudoku #2

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

### Sudoku #3

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

### Sudoku #4

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

### Sudoku #5

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

### Sudoku #6

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

### Sudoku #7

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

### Sudoku #8

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

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

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

### Sudoku #2

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

### Sudoku #3

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

### Sudoku #4

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

### Sudoku #5

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

### Sudoku #6

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

### Sudoku #7

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

### Sudoku #8

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