

# Sudoku #1

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

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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.

Andrew's Canoeing Postulate:  
No matter which direction you start, it's always against the wind.

# Sudoku #2

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

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"All art is quite useless."  
-- Oscar Wilde

## Sudoku #3

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

"Painting's not important. The important thing is keeping busy."  
-- Grandma Moses

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## Sudoku #4

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

When I heated my home with oil, I used an average of 800 gallons a year. I have found that I can keep comfortably warm for an entire winter with slightly over half that quantity of beer.  
-- Dave Barry, "Pospetroleum Chizzler"

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## Sudoku #5

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

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Whenever A attempts by law to impose his moral standards on B, A is most likely a scoundrel.  
-- James J. Kirpatrick

## Sudoku #6

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

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You are magnetic in your bearing.

## Sudoku #7

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

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## Sudoku #8

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

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Sure there are dishonest men in local government. But there are dishonest men in national government too. -- Richard M. Nixon

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# Hints

## Novice Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 11, Book 12

# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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