Helpful Sudoku

Puzzle 08 of 10 | X Sudoku

Medium | 23 clues | Clues without candidates

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

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Notes:

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X Sudoku with no branching choices and no more hidden than naked singles. Includes naked-singles-only puzzles with fewer than 35 clues.

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

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Candidates show legal possibilities in the starting grid. Cross them out as you solve.

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

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Original clues are bold. Other digits complete the solution.

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