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Section A : Thematic – Domination – Slogan :Win

Rook and one minor piece vs Queen – Judge: Ľuboš Kekely (Slovakia)

Section B : Theme Free

B.1. Studies Win

B.2. Studies Draw

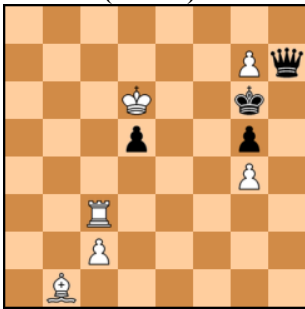
Judge : Michal Hlinka (Slovakia)

Participants: Steffen Nielsen (Denmark);, Michal Hlinka (Slovakia) , Ľuboš Kekely (Slovakia) , Martin Minski (Germany), , Valery Kalashnikov (Russia); Daniel Keith (France), Andrzej Jasik (Poland); Mario G. García (Argentina), Jan Timman (Netherlands); Marco Campioli (Italy); , David Gurgenidze (Georgia); Pavel Arestov (Russia); Oleg Pervakov (Russia) ; Ali Okam Pandar (Turkey); Harri Grondijz (Netherlans); ; Ilham Aliev (Azerbaijan); Marc Gelly(France); Peter S. Krug (Austria); Bosko Miloskeski (Macedonia); Geir Sune Tallaksen Ostmo (Norway); Zoilo Caputto (Argentina) ; Bizya Buyannemekh (Mongolia); János Mikitovics (Hungary); Alexander Shpakovsky (Russia); Daniele Gatti (Italy); Leonard Katsnelson (Russia) Vladimir Katsnelson (Russia); Emil Melnichenko(New Zealand); Luis Miguel González (Spain); Helmut Waelzel (Germany), Vladislav Tarasiuk (Ukraine) , Franco Bertoli (Italy); Alexander Zhukov (Russia)

60 studies, 31 composers 19 countries

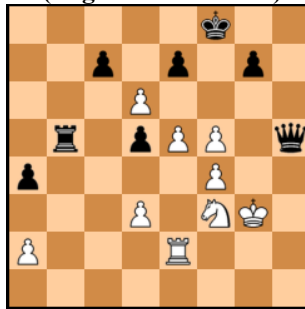
Section A. Rook and two minor pieces vs Queen

N° 1 P.Arestov & A.Zhukov
(Russia)



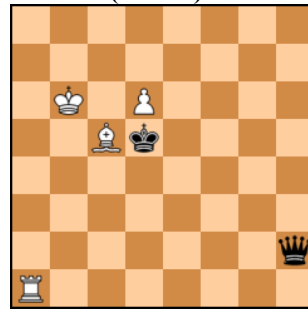
Win

N°2 M.Garcia & M.Hlinka
(Argentina-Slovakia)



Win b) pd3--→ d4

N°3 Valery Kalashnikov
(Russia)



Win

(1) Pavel Arestov & Alexander Zhukov (Russia)

1.Rh3! [1.Rc7? Qh2+ 2.Kc6 Kh7=] **1...Qg8!** [1...Qxh3 2.g8Q+++; 1...Qxg7 2.c3+ Kf6 (2...Kf7 3.Rh7+-) 3.Rf3#] **2.Rh8! Qxg7 3.c3+!!** [3.c4+? Kf6 4.Re8 Qf7 5.Bg6? Kxg6 6.Re6+ Qxe6+ 7.Kxe6 dxc4+-] **3...Kf6** [3...Kf7 4.Rh7+-] **4.Re8! Qf7!** [4...Qb7 5.Re6+ Kf7 6.Bg6+ Kf8 7.Re8+ Kg7 8.Re7+++] **5.Bg6!! Kxg6** [5...Qxg6 6.Re6+++; 5...Qa7 6.Re6+ Kg7 7.Re7+++] **6.Re6+ Kg7 7.Re7 Qxe7+ 8.Kxe7 d4 9.cxd4+-**

(2) Mario Garcia & Michal Hlinka (Argentina-Slovakia)

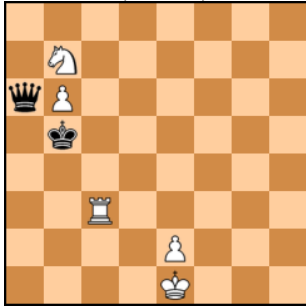
Twin A) 1.d7! Rb8 2.Rh2 Qxf5 [2...Qxh2+ 3.Kxh2 c5 4.e6+-] **3.Rh8+ Kf7 4.Rxb8 Qxd7 5.f5!** [Try : 5.Nd4? e6 6.f5 Qe7! 7.Nxe6 Qa3!=] **5...Qxf5** [5...e6 6.Ng5+ Ke7 7.Nxe6 Qc6 8.Rc8 Qa6 9.Rxc7+++] **6.e6+!** domination **6...Qxe6** [6...Kxe6 7.Nd4+- Fork; 6...Kg6 7.Nh4+- Fork; 6...Kf6 7.Rf8+- Pin] **7.Ng5+-** Fork

Twin B) 1.d7! Rb8 2.Rh2! [2.Rb2? Rd8+-] **2...Qxf5** [2...Qxh2+ 3.Kxh2 Rd8 4.e6+-] **3.Rh8+ Kf7 4.Rxb8 Qxd7 5.e6+ Kxe6** [5...Qxe6 6.Ng5+++] **6.Ne5!** [Try : 6.Ng5+? Kf6 /f5 7.Rf8+ Kg6 8.Nf7 Qe6 9.f5+ Kxf5 10.Nd8+ Qf6!=] **6...Qd6 7.Kg4!** domination [7.Rf8? g6+-] **7...Qa6** [7...g6 8.Rg8 Qb6 9.Rxg6#] **8.f5+ Kd6** [8...Kf6 9.Rf8# mate] **9.Rd8#** mate

(3) Valery Kalashnikov (Russia)

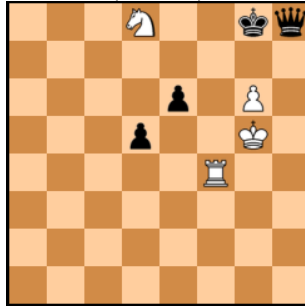
1.Rd1+ Ke6 2.d7 Qb8+ 3.Kc6 Qa8+ 4.Kc7 Qa5+ 5.Bb6 (N1) **5...Qc3+ 6.Kb8!** [6.Kb7? Qf3+=] **6...Qg3+ 7.Kc8!** [7.Bc7? (N2) 7...Qb3+=] **7...Qc3+ 8.Bc7+-** (N3)

N°4 Pavel Arestov
(Russia)



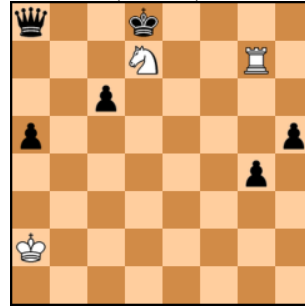
Win

N°5 Andrzej Jasik
(Poland)



Win

N°6 Oleg Pervakov
(Russia)



Win

(4) Pavel Arestov (Russia)

1.Nd6+! Kb4! [1...Kxb6 2.Ra3 Qxa3 3.Nc4+ fork; 1...Ka4 2.Ne4! Qxb6 3.Nc5+ Ka5 4.Ra3+ Kb5 5.Rb3+-] 2.Rc1! [2.Rc6? Qa1+ 3.Kf2 Qd4+=] 2...Qa5 [2...Qxb6 3.Rb1+-] 3.b7 Ka3+ 4.Kf1! [4.Kf2? Qb6+ 5.Kf1 Qxd6=; 4.Kd1? Qd5+=] 4...Qb4 [4...Qb6 5.Nc4+ fork; 4...Qd8 5.Rc8+-] 5.Nc4+! [5.Rc6? Qf4+ 6.Kg2 Qg4+ 7.Kf2 Qf4+ 8.Ke1 Qb4+! 9.Kd1 Qa4+ 10.Kd2 Qxc6 11.b8Q Qd5+ 12.Ke1 Qh1+ 13.Kd2 Qd5+=; 5.Rc3+? Kb2! 6.Rc8 Qf4+ 7.Kg2 Qg4+=] 5...Ka2 6.Rc2+! [6.Rc3? Qxc3! 7.b8Q Qxc4=] 6...Ka1 [6...Kb1 7.Rb2+-] 7.Rc3!! [7.Rb2 Qe1+ 8.Kxe1= stalemate; 7.Na5? Qf4+ 8.Ke1 Qb4+ 9.Rd2 Qh4+ 10.Kd1 Qa4+ 11.Kc1 Qc4+ 12.Nxc4 stalemate] 7...Qb1+ [7...Qxc3 8.b8Q Qxc4 9.Qe5+! Ka2 10.Kf2 Qf7+ 11.Kg3 Qg8+ 12.Kf4 Qf8+ 13.Qf5+-] 8.Kf2 Qxb7 9.Ra3+ Kb1 10.Rb3+! Qxb3 11.Nd2+- fork

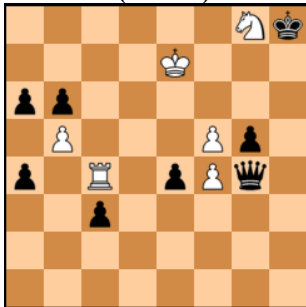
(5) Andrzej Jasik (Poland)

1.Nf7! [1.Nc6? Qg7=; 1.Nxe6?? Qe5+-] 1...Qg7 [1...Qa1 2.Nh6+ Kh8 3.Rf8+ Kg7 4.Rg8#] 2.Rf6! zz 2...d4 [2...Qf8 3.Nh6+ Kg7 4.Rxf8+-] 3.Rxe6 Qf8 [3...Kf8 4.Nd6! Qd7 5.Re8+ Qxe8 6.Nxe8 Kxe8 7.Kh6+-] 4.Nh6+ Kh8 5.Nf5 Qa8! 6.Re2! [Thematic Try : 6.Re7? Qg2+ 7.Kf6 Qc6+ 8.Re6 Qa8 9.g7+ Kh7=] 6...Kg8! [6...Qc6 7.Rh2+ Kg8 8.Ne7+-; 6...d3 7.Rh2+ Kg8 8.Ne7+ Kg7 9.Rh7+ Kf8 10.Rh8+ Kxe7 11.Rxa8+-] 7.Re7! Qg2+ 8.Kf6 Qc6+ 9.Re6! Qa8 10.Nh6+ /e7 10...Kh8 11.g7+ Kh7 12.g8Q+-

(6) Oleg Pervakov (Russia)

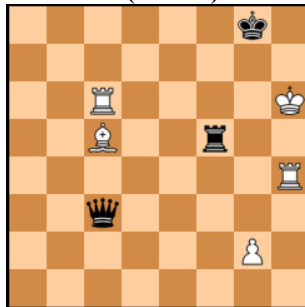
1.Nc5! [1.Rg8+? Kxd7 2.Rxa8 Ke6=] 1...Qc8! [1...Qb8 2.Rg8+ Kc7 3.Na6+ , fork] 2.Rh7! [2.Nb7+? Ke8 3.Nd6+ Kf8 4.Rf7+ Kg8+-] 2...g3! [2...Qf5 3.Nb7+ Ke8 4.Nd6+ , fork; 2...Qc7 3.Ne6+ , fork] 3.Nb7+ Ke8 [3...Qxb7 4.Rxb7 g2 5.Rg7+-] 4.Nd6+ Kf8 5.Rh8+ [5.Nxc8? g2+-] 5...Kg7 [5...Ke7 6.Nxc8+-] 6.Rxc8 g2 7.Nf5+! [7.Ne8+? Kg8 8.Nf6+ Kf7 9.Rg8 Kxf6 10.Rxg2 Kf5=] 7...Kf6 [7...Kf7 8.Nh6+! Kg6 9.Rg8+ Kxh6 10.Rxg2+-] 8.Rf8+ Ke5 [8...Ke6 9.Nd4+ Ke7 10.Rg8+-] 9.Nh4! g1Q 10.Nf3+- Final fork on another queen

N°7 Oleg Pervakov
(Russia)



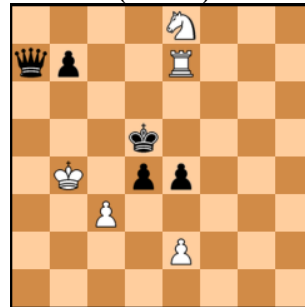
Win

N°8 Valery Kalashnikov
(Russia)



Win

N°9 Pavel Arestov
(Russia)



Win

(7) Oleg Pervakov (Russia)

1.Nf6! [1.f6? Qxf4 2.f7 Qe5+ 3.Kd7 Qf5+--+] **1...Qxf5** [1...Qxf4 2.Rc8+ Kg7 3.Rg8+ Kh6 4.Rg6#] **2.Kf7 axb5 3.Rc7!** [3.Rxc3? gxf4 zz 4.Rc7 Qh3 5.Re7 Qb3+ 6.Ke8 Qh3 7.Kf7 Qb3+= positional draw 1; 3.Rc6? g4!+-; 3.Rd4? Qc8 4.fxc5 c2 5.g6 Qc7+ 6.Rd7 Qc4+ 7.Rd5 Qc7+ 8.Nd7 Qf4+ 9.Nf6 Qc7+= positional draw 2] **3...gxf4** [3...g4 4.Re7 Qc8 5.Kg6!+-] **4.Rxc3!** zz [4.Ra7? Qxf6+ 5.Kxf6 Kg8=] **4...b4** [Main : 4...a3 5.Rxa3 Qc8 6.Kg6 e3 7.Ra2! e2 8.Rxe2+-; Main : 4...f3 5.Rc1! Qh3 6.Rd1!+-] **5.Rc1! Qxf6+** [Main : 5...Qh3 6.Rg1! Qb3+ 7.Kf8!+-] **6.Kxf6 Kg8 7.Rc8+!** [7.Kf5? b3 8.Kxe4 b2=] **7...Kh7 8.Rc7+ Kh6** [8...Kg8 9.Rg7+ Kf8 10.Ra7!+-] **9.Rc4! f3** [Main : 9...a3 10.Rxb4 a2 11.Ra4 e3 12.Rxa2 Kh5 13.Kf5+-; Main : 9...e3 10.Rxf4! Kh5 11.Rxb4 a3 12.Kf5 a2 13.Rb2+-; Main : 9...b3 10.Rxa4! f3 11.Ra1!+-; 9...Kh5 10.Kf5+-] **10.Rxe4! Kh5 11.Rxb4 a3** [11...f2 12.Rf4+-] **12.Kf5 a2 13.Rb2 Kh4 14.Kf4 f2 15.Rxf2 a1Q 16.Rh2#**

(8) Valery Kalashnikov (Russia)

1.Rg4+! [1.Rc8+? Kf7 2.Rf8+ Ke6 3.Re4+ Kd5 4.Rxf5+ Kxe4=] **1...Kf7 2.Rc7+ Ke6 3.Rg6+!** [3.Re4+? Kd5 4.Rd4+ Ke5! 5.Bd6+ Kxd4 6.Rxc3 Kxc3=] **3...Kd5** [3...Ke5 4.Bd6+ battery attack] **4.Rd6+** [4.Rd7+?! Kc4!]=] **4...Ke4 5.Re7+ Re5** [5...Kf4 6.Rd4+ Kg3 7.Rg7+ Kh2 8.Rh4+-+] **6.Rxe5+ Qxe5** [6...Kxe5 7.Bd4+ double attack] **7.Rd4+ Kf5** [7...Ke3 8.Rd5+ battery attack] **8.g4+ Kf6 9.Rd6+ Kf7** [9...Ke7 10.Rd5+ battery attack] **10.Rd7+ Kg8** [10...Ke8 11.Re7+ double attack; 10...Kf6 11.Bd4 pin] **11.Rd8+ Kf7 12.Rf8+ Ke6 13.Re8+-**

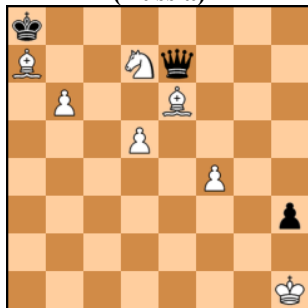
(9) Pavel Arestov (Russia)

1.c4+! Kc6 2.Rc7+ Kb6 3.c5+ Ka6 4.Re7!! switchback [4.Nd6? Qb8 /a8 (4...d3? 5.Rh7! dxe2 6.Rh1) 5.Rc8 Qxc8 6.Nxc8 d3 7.exd3 exd3 8.Kc3 Kb5=] **4...Qb8 5.Nc7+ Ka7 6.Nb5+ Ka8!** [6...Ka6 7.Re6+ b6 8.Nxd4 Qh8 9.Rxb6+ Ka7 10.Nc6+-+] **7.Rxe4!** [7.Re8? Qxe8 8.Nc7+ Kb8 9.Nxe8 d3 10.exd3 exd3 11.Kc3 Kc8 12.Kxd3 Kd7 13.Nf6+ Kc6 14.Kc4 b6=] **7...d3** [7...Qh2 8.Re8+-+] **8.exd3 Qh8 9.Re8+!** [9.Nc7+? Ka7 10.Nb5+ Kb8!]=] **9...Qxe8 10.Nc7+-**

Section B - Free Theme

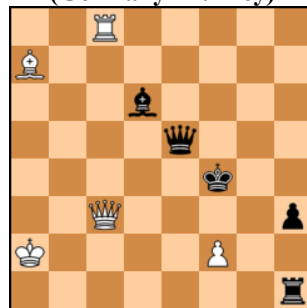
B.1. STUDIES – WIN

Nº1 P. Arestov & A. Zhukov (Russia)



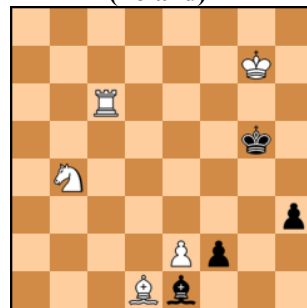
Win

Nº2 M. Minski & Ali O. Pandar (Germany- Turkey)



Win

Nº3 Andrzej Jasik (Poland)



Win

(1) Pavel Arestov & Alexander Zhukov (Russia)

1.d6! [1.Kh2? Qa3! 2.Bxh3 Qb2+! 3.Bg2 no check! 3...Qh8+ 4.Kg1 Qa1+=; 1.Bxh3? Qe1+ 2.Kh2 Qf2+ 3.Bg2 no check! 3...Qxf4+=] **1...Qxd6** [1...Qxe6 2.b7+ Kxb7 3.Nc5+ fork] **2.Bxh3 Qh6!** [2...Qd1+ 3.Kh2! Qd2+ 4.Bg2+- check!] **3.Kg2!** [3.Kh2? Qxf4+=] **3...Qxf4 4.Bb8!** [4.Be6? Qe4+=] **4...Qxb8!** [4...Qd2+ 5.Kg1 Qd1+ 6.Kh2 Kb7 7.Bc7! Qd2+ 8.Bg2+-+] **5.Kg1!!** [5.Nxb8? Kxb8=; 5.Kh1? Qh8=; 5.Kf2? Qf4+=] **5...Qg3+ /g8/b7** [5...Qxb6+? 6.Nxb6+-; 5...Qd8 6.Bg2#] **6.Bg2+ Qxg2+ 7.Kxg2 Kb7 8.Kf3 Kc6 9.Ke4 Kxd7 10.Kd5 Kc8** [10...Kd8 11.Kd6 Kc8 12.Kc6+-] **11.Kc6 Kb8 12.b7 Ka7 13.Kc7+-**

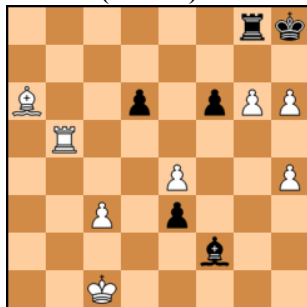
(2) Martin Minski & Ali Okan Pandar (Germany- Turkey)

1.Rf8+! [1.Rc4+? Kf5 2.Qf3+ Ke6 3.Qxh1 Qa5+ /Qe2+=; 1.Qg3+? Kf5 2.Qf3+ Qf4 3.Qxh1 Qd2+=]
1...Bxf8 2.Bb8! Ra1+! 3.Kxa1 [3.Qxa1? Qxb8] 3...Bg7! 4.Ka2! switchback [4.Kb1?? Qxb8+]=]
4...Qxb8 5.Qg3+- skewer

(3) Andrzej Jasik (Poland)

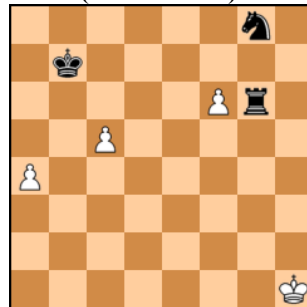
1.Rg6+! [1.Rc5+? Kh4 2.Rf5 h2=] 1...Kh4 2.e3! [Thematy Try: 2.e4? Bc3+! 3.Kh7 f1Q! 4.Rg4+ Kh5
5.Rg1+ Qxd1 6.Rxd1 Bxb4 7.Rd5+ Kg4=] 2...Bc3+ [2...f1Q 3.Rg4+ Kh5 4.Rf4+++] 3.Kh7 f1Q 4.Rg4+
Kh5 5.Rg1+ Qxd1 6.Rxd1 Bxb4 7.Rd5+ Kg4 8.Rd4+ Kg3 9.Rxb4+-

N°4 Andrzej Jasik
(Poland)



Win

N°5 Harrie Grondijs
(Netherlands)



Win

N°6 J.Timman & M.García
(Netherlands -Argentina)



Win

(4) Andrzej Jasik (Poland)

1.Ne3+! [1.Nxe1+? Kg8 2.Qb8 Qf1#] 1...Nc2! [1...Kg8 2.Qb8 Qf3+ 3.Kg1 Qc6 4.Qxe8+ Qxe8 5.Nd5+-;
1...Nd3 2.Qxd3+ Kg8 3.Qb5 Qe1+ 4.Qf1+]=] 2.Qxc2+ Kg8 3.Qd1! [3.Qc8? Qe1+]=; 3.Qd3? exf4=]
3...exf4 4.Qg4! Qe1+ 5.Qg1 Qh4! [5...Qxg1+ 6.Kxg1 fxe3 7.dxe3+-] 6.Nf5 Qh5 7.h7+! Qxh7 8.Qg4!
[Thematic Try : 8.Qg5? Qg6! 9.Qh4 Qg2#] 8...d5 9.d4! zz [9.d3? d4! zz 10.Qxf4 Qh5=] 9...Qg6 [9...f6
10.Kg1!+- Win(10.Qxf4 Qh5=)] 10.Qxh3+- Win

(5) Harrie Grondijs (Netherlands)

1.f7 Rh6+ 2.Kg2 Rg6+ 3.Kh3 Rh6+ [3...Nf6 4.c6+! (4.f8Q? Nd7 5.Qf7 Rh6+ 6.Kg3 Kc8 7.Qc4 Rc6 8.a5
Nb8=) 4...Kxc6 5.f8Q Nd5 6.a5 Kb5 7.Qb8+++] 4.Kg3! [4.Kg4? Rh8+]=] 4...Rg6+ 5.Kh4 Rh6+ 6.Kg5
Nf6 7.Kxh6 Nd7 8.a5! Kc7 [or 8...Kc8 9.a6 Nf8 10.Kg7 Ne6+ 11.Kf6 Nf8 12.a7 Kb7 13.c6+ Kxa7 14.c7
Kb7 15.Ke7+-] 9.a6 Kc6 10.a7 Kb7 11.c6+-

(6) Jan Timman & Mario Garcia (Netherlands -Argentina)

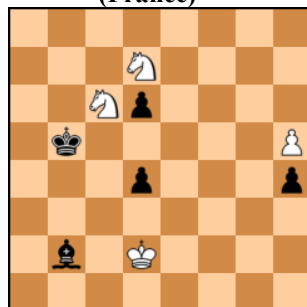
Themes: Promotion of knights - Culmination in mate 1.Ne2! [1.c8N+? Kb8! 2.a7+ Ka8 3.Nb6+ Kxa7
4.Ndc8+ Kb8= 5.Rc4] 1...Bc1+! 2.Kxc1 dxe2 3.Rg4!! hgx4 [3...Kb6 4.d8Q! (4.c8Q? hxg4 5.d8Q+ Rxd8
6.Bf2+ Ka5 7.Qc7+ Ka4 8.Kd2 Rgf8 9.Kxe2 Bd3+ 10.Ke1 g3 11.Bd4; 4.Rxg2 Rxg2 5.Kd2 e1Q+ 6.Kxe1
Bd3=) 4...Rxd8 5.cxd8Q+ Rxd8 6.Bxd8+-] 4.Bf2+! Rxf2 [4...Ka8 5.Kd2!+-] 5.Nc8+ Ka8 6.Nb6+ Ka7
7.c8N+ Rxc8 [MAIN : 7...Kb8 8.a7+ Kc7 9.a8N+ Kb8 (9...Kd8 10.c7# mate) 10.c7+ Kb7 11.d8N+ Rxd8
12.cxd8N+ Kb8 13.Nc6+ Kb7 14.Nd6# mate] 8.dxc8N+ Kb8 9.a7+ Kc7 10.Nd5+ Kd8 [10...Kxc8
11.a8Q# mate] 11.c7+ Kd7 [11...Ke8 12.Nd6+ Kd7 13.c8Q+++] 12.Ncb6+ Kd6 13.Nc4+ Kc5 [13...Kxd5
14.a8Q+++] 14.c8Q+ Kd4 15.Qxg4+ Be4 [15...Kc5 16.Kd2!+-] 16.Kd2! [Try : 16.Qg7+ Kxc4 17.Ne3+
(17.Nb6+ Kd3 18.Qg3+ (18.Qd7+ Ke3 19.Nc4+ Kf4 20.Qc7+ Kg4!)=) 18...Rf3 19.Qd6+ Ke3 20.Nc4+
Kf2 21.Qc5+ Kg3!)=] 17...Kd3 18.Nxg2 Rf1+ 19.Kb2 Bxg2 20.Qxg2 Rb1+! 21.Kxb1 e1Q+= jaques
continuos] 16...e1Q+ 17.Kxe1 Rf1+ 18.Ke2! [Try : 18.Kd2? g1Q 19.Qxg1+ Rxg1 20.a8Q Rg2+ 21.Ke1
Bxd5 22.Qa6 Kxc4 23.b6+ Kc3 24.Qc8+ Kb3!]=] 18...g1Q 19.Qxg1+ Rxg1 20.a8Q Rg2+! [20...Bxd5
21.Qa7+++] 21.Kf1! Bxd5 22.Qa6! [22.Qc8? Rg8 23.Qd7 Kxc4=] 22...Kxc4 23.b6+ Kc3 [23...Kc5 24.b7
Bxb7 25.Qxb7 Rd2 26.Qe4+-] 24.Qc8+! Kd4 [24...Kb3 25.Qh3+ Kc4 (25...Kc2 26.Qf5+++)] 26.Qxg2
Bxg2+ 27.Kxg2 b3 28.b7 b2 29.b8Q+-] 25.b7+- wins In solution two coronations of Knights - In main
line four coronations of Knights

N°7 I.Aliev & M. Minski
(Azerbaijan-Germany)



Win

N°8 Marc Gelly
(France)



Win

N°9 Steffen S. Nielsen
(Denmark)



Win

(7) Ilham Aliev & Martin Minski

1.Rh1+! [1.Rdd5? Qxg7 2.Rb5 Qg2+ 3.Ke3 Qg1+ 4.Ke4 Qh1+! (4...Qg2+? 5.Kd3!+-) 5.Ke5 (5.Kd3 Qd1+=) 5...Qc6 6.Kd4 Kg2 7.b7 Qd6+= 8.Rfd5 Qb8 9.Rg5+ Kf2=; 1.Rg5? Qe4+ /Qf5+/Qh5+! 2.Kxe4 stalemate] **1...Kxh1 2.Rg5 h2!** [2...Qg8 3.b7 h2 4.b8Q see mainline] **3.b7!** [3.g8Q? Qe4+! 4.Kxe4 h3 5.Rg2 hxc2 6.Qd5 g1Q 7.Ke5+ Qg2 8.b7 Qxd5+ 9.Kxd5 Kg2 10.b8Q h1Q 11.e4 (11.Qg8+ Kh3+! 12.e4 Qd1+ 13.Ke5 Qa1+ 14.Kf5 Qf1+ 15.Ke5 Qa1+=) 11...Qd1+ 12.Ke6 Qg4+ 13.Kd5 Qd1+ 14.Ke6 Qg4+=] **3...Qg8** [3...h3 4.Rb5!+-] **4.b8Q Qxb8 5.g8Q Qg3+!** play for stalemate [5...h3 6.Qd5!+- (6.Qxb8? stalemate)] **6.Rxg3 h3! 7.Rg2! hxc2 8.Qxc2#**

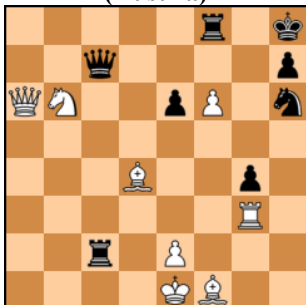
(8) Marc Nelly (France)

1.h6! [1.Kd3? h3+-; 1.Ne7? h3 2.Nf5 h2 3.Ng3 d3! 4.Kxd3 Kc6 5.Nf8 d5 6.h6 Kd6 7.h7 Ke7 8.Ng6+ Kf7=] **1...d3!** [1...Kxc6 2.Kd3! Kxd7 3.h7+-] **2.Nde5!!** [2.Ne7? h3 3.Nf5 Kc6 4.Nf8 Kd5 5.Kxd3 h2 6.Ng3 Ke5 7.h7 Kf4 8.Nh1 Kg5=; 2.Nce5? dxe5 3.Nf6 e4 4.Nxe4 Kc4=] **2...dxe5 3.Nd4+!!** [3.Kxd3? e4+ 4.Kxe4 Kxc6=] **3...Bxd4** [3...Kc4 4.h7 Bc3+ 5.Kd1 Bxd4 6.h8Q h3 (6...e4 7.Qxh4 e3 8.Qe4 Kc3 9.Qd5 e2+ 10.Ke1+-) 7.Qxh3+-] **4.Kxd3 h3 5.h7 Kc5 6.Ke4! h2 7.h8Q+-**

(9) Steffen S Nielsen (Denmark)

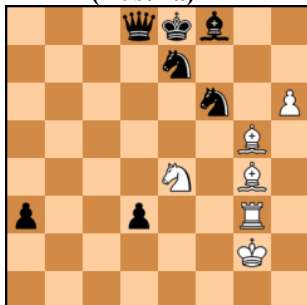
1.Qe7+ [1.Nb3+? Kb4=] **1...Kxc4 2.Bxa2+** [2.Bd3+? Nxd3+-] **2...Kc3+** [2...Kd4+ 3.Ne2+- (3.Nb5+-)] **3.Nb5+!!** Unblock of square a7. [Logical try 3.Ne2+? Bxe2+ 4.Kxe2 f1Q+ 5.Kxf1 g2+ 6.Kf2 g1Q+ 7.Kxg1 Nf3+ 8.Kf1 Nd2+ 9.Ke1 Nf3+ 10.Kd1 Rd2+ 11.Kc1 Rc2+ 12.Kb1 Nd2+ 13.Ka1 Rc1+ 14.Bb1 Rxb1+ 15.Ka2 Rb2+ 16.Ka3 Nc4+ 17.Ka4 Nb6+ 18.Ka5 Nc4+ 19.Ka4= (19.Ka6? Position X with Na7 19...Rb6#)] **3...Bxb5+ 4.Ne2+ Bxe2+ 5.Kxe2 f1Q+ 6.Kxf1 g2+ 7.Kf2 g1Q+** [7...Nd3+ 8.Kg1] **8.Kxg1 Nf3+ 9.Kf1 Nd2+ 10.Ke1 Nf3+ 11.Kd1 Rd2+** [11...Rh1+ 12.Ke2+-] **12.Kc1 Rc2+** [12...Rxa2 eg 13.Qc5+-] **13.Kb1 Nd2+ 14.Ka1 Rc1+ 15.Bb1 Rxb1+ 16.Ka2 Rb2+ 17.Ka3** [17.Ka1?? Nb3#] **17...Nc4+ 18.Ka4 Nb6+** [18...Ra2+ 19.Kb5 Ra5+ 20.Kc6+-] **19.Ka5** [19.Ka3? Nc4+ 20.Ka4 waste of time] **19...Nc4+ 20.Ka6 Rb6+** Position X without Na7 **21.Ka7+-**

N°10 Peter S. Krug
(Austria)



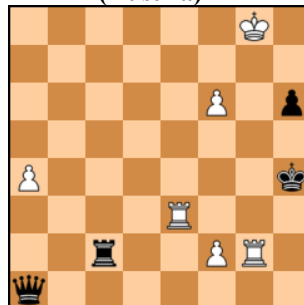
Win

N°11 Peter S. Krug
(Austria)



Win

N°12 Peter S. Krug
(Austria)



Win

(10) Peter S. Krug (Austria)

1.f7+ e5 2.Nc4 Qxf7 3.Rf3! [3...Bxe5+? Kg8 4.Ne3 Rc1+=] 3...gxf3 [3...Nf5 4.Nxe5 Qd5 5.Nf7+ Kg8 6.Rxf5 Rc1+ 7.Kd2 Qxd4+ 8.Kxc1 Rxf7 9.Rg5+ Kf8 10.Qa3+ Ke8 11.Rg8+ Kd7 12.Bg2; 3...exd4 4.Rxf7 Rxf7 5.Bg2+-] 4.Nxe5 Qg7 5.Qxh6! Rxe2+! [5...Qxh6 6.Nf7+ Kg8 7.Nxh6#] 6.Bxe2 [6.Kd1? Rf6 7.Qh4 h6=] 6...f2+ 7.Kd1 f1Q+ 8.Bxf1 Rxf1+ 9.Ke2 Qg2+ 10.Kd3! [10...Ke3 Qf2+ 11.Ke4 Qf5+=] 10...Rd1+ 11.Kc3 Rxd4 12.Qf8+ Qg8 13.Nf7#

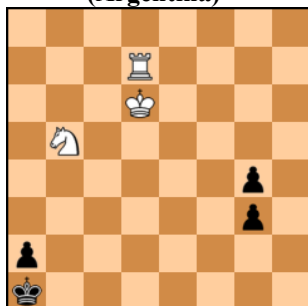
(11) Peter S. Krug (Austria)

1.h7! Bg7 [1...Ng6 2.Nxf6+ Kf7 3.Rf3 Qa8 (3...Qa5 4.Nh5+ Ke8 5.Re3+ Be7 (5...Kf7 6.Be6+ Ke8 7.Bf5+-) 6.Rxe7+ Kf8 7.Re6 Qd5+ 8.Kg1 Qd4+ 9.Kf1 Qxg4 10.Rxg6 Qe2+ 11.Kg1 Qe1+ 12.Kg2+-) 4.Nh5+ Ke8 5.Bf5 Nh8 6.Nf6+ Ke7 (6...Kf7 7.Be4+-) 7.Ne4+ Ke8 8.Bf6+-] 2.Bxf6 Bxf6 3.Bh5+! [try 3.Be6? Ng6! 4.Rxg6 Bb2! 5.Rg8+ Ke7 6.Rxd8 Kxd8 7.Kf3 Ke7 8.Bg8 Kf8 9.Ke3 Kg7=] 3...Ng6 4.Rxg6 Bh8! 5.Rg7+! [5.Rd6+? Ke7 6.Rxd8 Kxd8=] 5...Kf8 6.Rf7+ Ke8 7.Nf6+ Bxf6 8.Rg7+ Kf8 9.h8Q#

(12) Peter S. Krug (Austria)

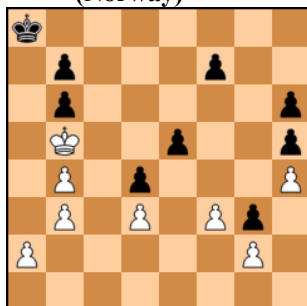
1.Re4+! [Try : 1.f7? Rxf2 2.Rh2+ Rxh2 3.Re4+ Kg3!!=; 1.Rh2+? Kg5 2.f7 Qa2 3.f4+ Kxf4! (3...Kf6? 4.Re6+!! Kxe6 5.Rxc2 Qxc2 6.f8Q+-) 4.Rxc2 Qxc2 5.f8Q+ Kxe3 6.Qxh6+=] 1...Kh5 2.f7 Rxf2 3.Rh2+ Rxh2 4.f8Q Rg2+ 5.Kh7 Qf6 6.Qe8+! Qg6+ 7.Qxg6+ Rxg6 8.Rh4+! [8.Re5+? Rg5 9.Rb5 Kh4! 10.Kxh6 Rg8 11.Rb4+ Kg3 12.Kh7 Ra8!]=] 8...Kg5 9.Rg4+! Kxg4 10.Kxg6 h5 11.a5+-

N° 13 Zoilo R. Caputto
(Argentina)



Win

N°14 Geir S.Tallaksen Ostmo N°15 M.García & B. Buyannemekh
(Norway) (Argentina-Mongolia)



Win



Win

(13) Zoilo R. Caputto (Argentina)

1.Ke5! [Try: 1.Kc5? g2! 2.Rd1+ Kb2 3.Rd2+ Kc1! (no 3...Kb3? 4.Nd4+ Kc3 5.Rc2+ (5.Rxg2? a1Q 6.Rg3+ Kb2=) 5...Kd3 6.Rc1!+-) 4.Rxg2 a1Q 5.Rg1+ Kb2=; or 1.Nc3? Kb2=] **1...g2** [1...Kb2 2.Rd2+ Kb3 3.Nd4+-] **2.Rd1+ Kb2 3.Rd2+ Kb3** [3...Kc1 4.Rxa2 g1Q 5.Ra1+-] **4.Nd4+ Kc3** [4...Ka3 5.Nc2+!+-] **5.Rc2+ Kd3 6.Rc1! Ke3 7.Ra1!+- wins** [7.Rg1? Kf2! 8.Ne2 a1Q+ 9.Rxa1 Kxe2 10.Kf4 Kf2! =; 7.Nf5+? Kf2 8.Rc2+ Ke1 9.Rxa2 g1Q 10.Ra1+ Kf2=]

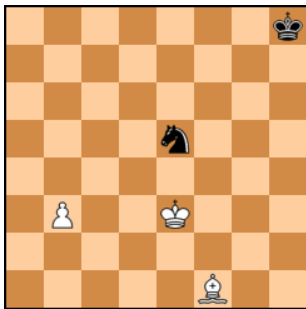
(14) Geir Sune Tallaksen, Ostmoe (Norway)

1.Kc4! [1.Kxb6? f5 2.Kc5 e4 3.fxe4 f4! wins, as White cannot prevent ...f3.] **1...f5! 2.b5!** [2.Kd5? e4 3.fxe4 f4! 4.e5 f3 5.e6 fxg2 6.e7 g1Q 7.e8Q+ Ka7 draws.] **2...Kb8 3.b4 Kc7 4.Kb3!** White can never play Kd5, so the only way to win is to go backwards to d1. **4...Kd6 5.Kc2 Kd5 6.Kd1!** Now White is threatening 7.f4. [6.Kd2? gives Black an important tempo because an upcoming ...e3 will be with check: 6...e4 7.dxe4+ fxe4 8.f4? (8.fxe4+ draws) 8...Kc4 9.f5 e3+! 10.Ke2 d3+ 11.Kxe3 Kc3 wins.] **6...e4** [The other way to prevent 7.f4 is to play 6...f4, but now that ...e4 is no longer possible, White can go back to d5: 7.Kc2 Kd6 8.Kb3 Kd5 9.a4 Kd6 10.Kc4 Ke6 11.a5 bxa5 12.bxa5 Kd6 13.a6 bxa6 14.bxa6 Kc6 15.a7 Kb7 16.Kd5 wins.] **7.dxe4+ fxe4 8.f4!** Now Black cannot stop both the f-pawn and the a-pawn. [8.fxe4+? Kxe4 9.Kd2 d3 10.a4 Kd4 11.a5 bxa5 12.bxa5 Kc5=] **8...e3 9.f5 d3 10.f6 Ke6 11.a4 Kxf6 12.a5 bxa5 13.bxa5 Ke5 14.a6 bxa6 15.bxa6 Kd4 16.a7 e2+ 17.Kd2 wins.**

(15) Mario Garcia & Bizya, Buyannemekh (Argentina-Mongolia)

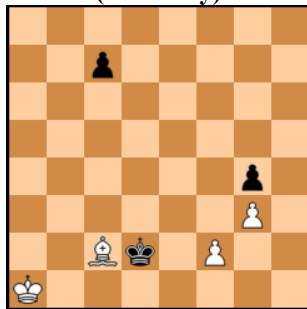
1.Rd6! [1.Nd6+? Kd7! 2.Nf5+ Bxd5=] **1...Bxh3** [1...Rb2+ 2.Kc1 Bxh3 3.Bxh3+ Kxb7 4.Rd7+ Kb6 5.Kxb2+-] **2.Bxh3+ Kb8** [main: 2...Kxb7 3.Rd7+ Kb6 (3...Kc6 4.Rxg7 Rb3 5.Bf5 /g4 5...h3 6.Rh7 h2 7.Bd7+! Kd5 8.e6 Kd6 9.Kc2 Ra3 10.Kb2 Rb3+ 11.Ka2 Re3 12.Rxh2+-) 4.Rxg7 Rb2+ 5.Kd1! Rb3 6.Bd7! Re3 7.e6 Kc7 8.Bb5+! Kb6 9.Bxc4!+-] **3.Na5 Bxe5** [3...c3+ 4.Kd3+-] **4.Rd8+ Kc7** [4...Ka7 5.Nc6+- fork] **5.Rc8+ Kd6** [5...Kb6 6.Nxc4+ Kb7 7.Nxe5+-] **6.Rc6+ Kd5** [6...Ke7 7.Re6+ Kf7 8.Rxe5+-] **7.Bg2+ Kd4 8.Rxc4+ Rxc4 9.Nb3# mate ideal with 2 self -block**

**N°16 P. Arestov & M.García
V. Tarasiuk**



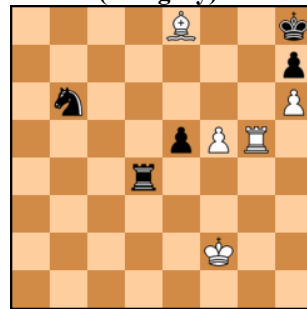
Win

**N°17 Martin Minski
(Germany)**



Win

**N°18 János Mikitovics
(Hungary)**



Win

(16) Pavel Arestov & Mario Garcia & Vladislav Tarasiuk (Russia-Argentina-Ukraine)

1.Kc2! [1.b4? Nb7 2.Bg2 Nd6 /d8=] **1...e5!** [1...Nc6 2.Kc3 Kg6 3.Bg2! Nd8 4.Bh3! Kf6 5.Kd4!+-; 1...Nb7 2.Kc3 /Bh3+-] **2.fxe5 Nc6! 3.Kd3!** [Try: 3.Kc3 Nxe5 4.Kd4 Nf3+! 5.Ke3 Ne1! 6.Bd3! Ng2+! 7.Ke4! Kg7!! (But, no 7...Kg5? 8.Ke5!+-) 8.Bb1 Kf6! 9.b4 Ke6=; Try : 3.e6? Nd4+ fork 4.Kc3 Nxe6 5.b4 Kg6 6.b5 Nc7! 7.b6 Nd5+ fork=] **3...Nxe5+ 4.Ke4! Nc6 5.Kd5 Nb4+ 6.Kc4 Na2 7.Bd3! Kg5** [7...Kg7 8.Bb1 Nc1 9.b4+-] **8.Bb1 Nc1 9.b4 Kf6! 10.Bd3! Ke6** [10...Nxd3 11.Kxd3 Ke5 12.Kc4 Kd6 13.Kb5+-] **11.Bf1! Kd6 12.b5!+- domination to knight 12...Na2 13.Kb3+-**

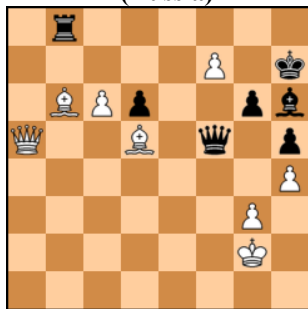
(17) Martin Minski (Germany)

1.Ba4! [try: 1.Be4? Ke2 2.f4 gxf3 3.g4 f2 4.Bg2 c5 5.Kb2 Kd2 6.Bf1 c4! 7.Bxc4 Ke3 8.g5 Kd4 9.Kb3 Ke5=] **1...Ke2** [1...c5 2.Bb5+-] **2.f4 gxf3 3.g4 Kd3** [3...c5 4.Bb5+ c4 5.Bxc4+ Ke3 6.g5 Kd4 7.g6! Kxc4 8.g7 f2 9.g8Q+ Kd3 10.Qg2 Ke2 11.Kb2 /Kb1+-] **4.g5** [4.Bb5+? Kd4 5.Bc6 f2=] **4...c5 5.Be6!** [5.Bd7? c4!]=] **5...f2 6.Bg2 c4 7.Bf1+! Kd4** [7...Kd2 8.Bxc4+-] **8.g6+**-

(18) Janos Mikitovics (Hungary)

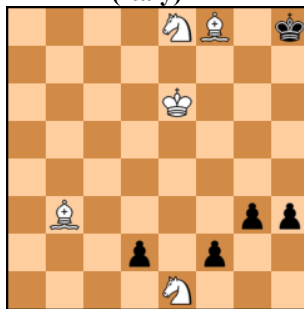
1.Rg7!! (A1) [Thematic try 1.Bf7?! (B) 1...Rd8! (1...Rd2+? 2.Ke3! (2.Kf3? Rd8=) 2...Rd8 3.Rg1 Nd7 4.Rd1+-) 2.Rg7 (A) 2...Nd7! (2...e4? 3.Be6) 3.Be6 (C) 3...Nf6=] **1...Nd5!** [1...Rd6 2.Bf7 Rd8 3.Be6+-; 1...Rd2+ 2.Ke1! (2.Kg3? Rd8=) 2...Rd8 3.f6 Rxe8 4.Re7+-] **2.Ra7!!** (A2) the rook passes through the f7-intersection. [2.Rb7? Rb4=] **2...Kg8** [2...Nf6 3.Ra8+-] **3.Bf7+** (B) the bishop closes the line of rook [3.Bd7? Kf7! (3...Kf8? 4.Be6 main) 4.Be6+ Kf6!=; 3.Bg6? hxg6 4.fxg6 Nb6 5.Rg7+ Kh8! 6.Rh7+ Kg8 7.Rg7+ Kh8 positional draw; 3.Bh5? Rf4+ (3...Kf8? 4.Rxh7 Rf4+ 5.Ke1!! Rxf5 6.Bg6 Rg5 7.Rh8+ Ke7 8.Re8+ Kf6 9.h7+-) 4.Kg3 Rxf5=] **3...Kf8 4.Be6!!** (C) the bishop opens the line of rook **4...e4** [4...Ke8 5.Ke1!! (5.Bf7+? Kf8 6.Be6 loss of time; 5.Rxh7? Nf6=) 5...Nf6 6.Rf7 Nd7 7.Rxh7 Nf6 8.Rf7+-] **5.Rxh7!** [5.Ke1? e3 6.Rf7+ Ke8 7.Rxh7 Nc3= (7...Nf6? 8.Rf7+-)] **5...e3+ 6.Ke2** [6.Kf3? Rf4+ 7.Ke2 Rf2+=] **6...Rd2+ 7.Kf3 e2** [7...Rf2+ 8.Kg3 Nc3 (8...Nf4 9.Rh8+ (9.Bc4? Nh5+=; 9.Rf7+? Kg8 10.Ra7+ Kh8=) 9...Ke7 10.h7 (10.Bc4? Nh5+=) 10...Nh5+ 11.Kh3 Nf4+ 12.Kg4 Rh2 (12...Nxe6 13.Re8+ Kxe8 14.h8Q+-) 13.Bc4+-) 9.Rh8+ Ke7 10.h7 Ne4+ 11.Kh3! Ng5+ 12.Kg4! (12.Kh4? Ne4 13.Kh3 loss of time) 12...Rg2+ 13.Kf4! (13.Kh5? Nxe6 14.Re8+ Kf6 15.h8Q+ Ng7+ 16.Kh4 Rh2+=) 13...Rh2 14.Kxg5 e2 15.f6+ Kxe6 16.Re8+ Kf7 17.Rxe2 Rxh7 18.Re7+-] **8.Rf7+ Kg8** [8...Ke8 9.h7 e1N+ 10.Ke4+-] **9.Kf2!** [9.Re7+? Kf8 10.Rf7+ loss of time; 9.Rd7+? Kh8 10.Kf2 Rd1 11.Kxe2 Nc3+=] **9...Kh8 10.Ke1!!** [10.f6? Rd4 11.Rf8+ Kh7 12.f7 Rf4+ 13.Kxe2 Ne7=; 10.Rf8+? Kh7 11.Rd8 Rd1!]=] **10...Rd4** [10...Rd1+ 11.Kxe2 Nc3+ (11...Rd4 12.Kf3 Nf4 13.Bd7 Nd3 (13...Rb4 14.Kg4 Ne6+ 15.Kh5 Nf4+ 16.Kg5 Nh3+ 17.Kf6+-) 14.Ke3+-) 12.Kf3+-] **11.Kxe2 Nf4+ 12.Ke3!** [12.Kf3? Rb4 13.Ke3 Ng2+ 14.Kf3 Nf4 15.Re7 Nh5 16.Bf7 Rf4+ 17.Ke3 Rxf5=] **12...Rb4 13.Ba2!!** [13.Ra7? Ng2+ 14.Kf3 Nf4 15.Ke3 Ng2+ 16.Kf3 Nf4=] **13...Ng2+ 14.Kd3!!** [14.Kf3? Nh4+ 15.Kg3 Nxf5+ 16.Rxf5 Rb6=] **14...Nf4+** [14...Rh4 15.f6+- (15.Rf8+? Kh7 16.f6 Nf4+ 17.Ke3 Ng6=)] **15.Kc3!** [15.Ke3? Ng2+ 16.Kd3 loss of time] **15...Rb6** [15...Rb8 16.Kd4+- a) 16.Bc4? Rd8 17.f6 Ng6 18.Ba2 (18.Rg7 Ne5=) 18...Rf8 19.Kd4 Rxf7 20.Bxf7 Nf8=; b) 16.f6? Ne2+ 17.Kc4 (17.Kd3 Nc1+=) 17...Ng3! 18.Kd5 Nf5 19.Ke6 Nxe6=;] **16.f6!** [16.Kd4? Rxh6 (16...Ra6? 17.Bb1 Rb6 18.Bc2 Nh5 19.Rf8+ Kh7 20.f6+ Kxh6 21.Rh8+-) 17.f6 Rh2! (17...Rh1? 18.Ke4 Ng6 19.Kf5+-) 18.Rf8+ Kh7 19.Bb1+ Ng6! selfpin 20.Rb8 Rf2! (20...Rd2+? 21.Bd3! selfpin 21...Rf2 22.Rb6 Rf4+ 23.Ke3 Rg4 24.Bf5 Rg3+ 25.Ke4 Kg8 26.Rb7+-) 21.Rb6 Kh6 22.Ke3 Rf1 23.Bd3 Re1+ 24.Kd2 Ne5 25.Kxe1 (25.f7+ Kg7 26.Rf6 Kf8=) 25...Nxd3+ 26.Kd2 Ne5 27.Re6 Nf7 28.Ke3 Kg5 29.Ke4 Nd8 30.Kd5 (30.Ke5 Nf7+ 31.Kd5 (31.Ke4)) 30...Kf5 31.Ra6 Nf7=] **16...Ne6** [16...Ng6 17.Kd4+-; 16...Nh5 17.Rf8+ Kh7 18.f7+-] **17.Bxe6** [17.Rg7? Rc6+ (17...Nd8? 18.Rg6 Rd6 19.Bg8 Nc6 20.f7+-) 18.Kb4 Rb6+ 19.Kc3 Rc6+=] **17...Rxe6 18.Kd4 Kg8** [18...Ra6 19.Ke5+-] **19.Rg7+** [19.h7+? Kh8=] **19...Kh8 20.Rg6! Ra6** [20...Kh7 21.f7+-] **21.f7+**-

N°19 Alexander Shpakovsky (Russia)



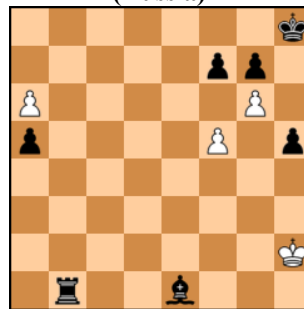
Win

N°20 Daniele Gatti (Italy)



Win

N°21 L.Katsnelson & V. Katsnelson (Russia)



Win

(19) Alexander Shpakovsky (Russia)

1.c7! Rxb6! [1...Rc8 2.Qa2 Rf8 3.Qc4! Bg7 (3...Qe5 4.Bd4+-) 4.Be6+-; 1...Qc2+ 2.Kh3 Rf8 (2...Qf5+ 3.Kh2 Qc2+ 4.Bg2 Rf8 5.Qd5+-) 3.Qa2! Qxa2 4.Bxa2+-] **2.f8N+** [2.f8Q? Rb2+!-; 2.Qxb6? Qxd5+!-] **2...Bxf8 3.Bg8+ Kxg8 4.Qxf5 gxf5** [4...Rb2+ 5.Qf2+-] **5.c8Q d5 6.Qxf5+-**

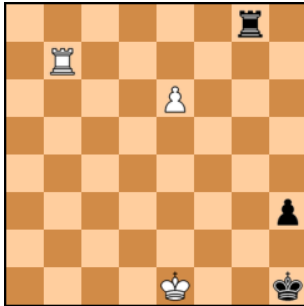
(20) Daniele Gatti (Italy)

1.Bg7+! [1.Kf7? f1Q+ 2.Nf6 Qxf6+ 3.Kxf6 dxe1Q=] **1...Kh7 2.Kf7 f1Q+ 3.Nf3!** [3.Nf6+? Qxf6+ 4.Kxf6 dxe1Q 5.Bc2+ Kg8 6.Bb3+ Kh7=] **3...Qxf3+ 4.Nf6+ Qxf6+ 5.Kxf6!** [5.Bxf6? Kh6 6.Bd1 g2=] **5...g2 6.Kf7 d1Q** [6...g1Q 7.Bc2+ Qg6+ 8.Bxg6#] **7.Bxd1 g1Q 8.Bc2+ Qg6+ 9.Bxg6#**

(21) Leonard Katsnelson & Vladimir Katsnelson (Russia)

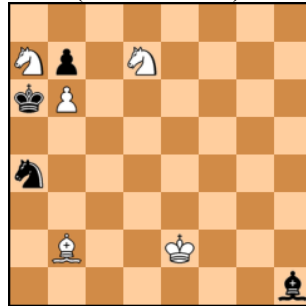
1.a7 fxg6 [1...Rb2+ 2.Kh1 fxg6 3.fxg6 Bg3 4.a8Q+ Rb8 5.Qf3 h4 6.Qh5+ Kg8 7.Qh7+ Kf8 8.Qh8+ Ke7 9.Qxb8+-] **2.fxg6** [2.a8Q+? Kh7 3.fxg6+ Kh6 4.Qh8+ Kxg6 5.Qe8+ Kf5 6.Qf7+ Ke5 7.Qa2 Rb4 8.Qa1+ Kf5 9.Qxe1 g6=] **2...Bg3+ 3.Kxg3 Rg1+ 4.Kh4!** [4.Kh3? Rxg6 5.a8Q+ Kh7 6.Qe4 Kh6=] **4...Rh1+ 5.Kg5 Rg1+ 6.Kxh5 Rh1+ 7.Kg4 Rg1+ 8.Kh3!** [8.Kh4? Rh1+ 9.Kg3 Rg1+ 10.Kh2 Rxg6 11.a8Q+ Kh7 12.Qe4 a4 13.Kh3 a3 14.Kh4 a2=] **8...Rxc6 9.a8Q+ Kh7 10.Qe4 a4 11.Kh4 Kh6 12.Qf5 Rf6 13.Qh5#**

**N°22 Leonard Katsnelson
Vladimir Katsnelson**



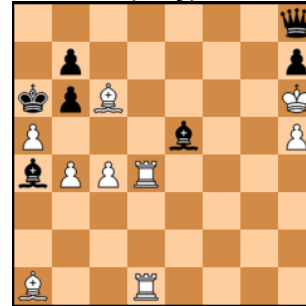
Win

**N°23 E. Melnichenko
(New Zealand)**



Win

**N°24 Daniele Gatti
(Italy)**



Win

(22) Leonard Katsnelson & Vladimir Katsnelson (Russia)

1.Kf2 Rg2+ 2.Kf3 Rg6 3.e7 Re6 4.Kg3 [4.Rb1+? Kh2 5.Rb2+ Kg1 6.Re2 h2 7.Rg2+ Kh1 8.Re2 Kg1=] **4...Re3+ 5.Kf2 Re6 6.Rb3 Kh2 7.Re3+-**

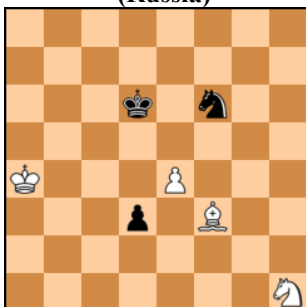
(23) Emil Melnichenko (New Zealand)

1.Bd4 Nxb6 [1...Bc6 2.Nb8+ Ka5 3.Nbxc6+ Ka6 4.Nb4+ Ka5 5.Nd5+-; 1...Bg2 2.Nc5+ Nxc5 3.Bxc5 Ka5 4.Kd3 Ka4 5.Be3 Kb4 6.Kd4 Bh1 7.Ke5 Bg2 8.Kd6 Ka5 9.Nc8 Ka6 10.Kc7 Be4 11.Nd6 Bg2 12.Nc4 Kb5 13.Ne5 Bd5 14.Nd7 Ka6 15.Nc5+-] **2.Bxb6** [2.Nb8+? Kxa7=; 2.Nc5+? Kxa7=] **2...Bf3+ [2...Bc6 3.Nxc6+-] 3.Kd3** [3.Ke3? Bg4 4.Kd4 Be6=] **3...Bg4 4.Kc4** [4.Kd4? Be6=] **4...Be6+ [4...Bxd7 5.Kc5+-; 4...Bh3 5.Kd5+-] 5.Kd4** [5.Kc5? Bxd7=] **5...Bf5** [5...Bxd7 6.Kc5+-] **6.Kd5 Be6+ [6...Bh3 7.Kd6+-] 7.Kd6!** [7.Kxe6 stalemate] **7...Bxd7** [7...Bh3 8.Nc8+-] **8.Kc5 Bg4** [8...Ba4 9.Nc8 Bc6 10.Nd6 Bd7 11.Nc4 Bc6 12.Ne5 Bb5 13.Nf3 Bd7 14.Nd4 Ba4 15.Ne6 Bc6 16.Nc7#] **9.Nb5 Be6 10.Nc7#**

(24) Daniele Gatti (Italy)

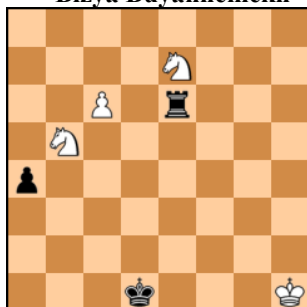
1.Bb5+! [1.b5+? Ka7 2.axb6+ Kxb6 3.c5+ Kxc5 4.Rd5+ Kb6 5.Bxe5 Qf8+ 6.Bg7 Qf4+ 7.Kxh7 Bxd1 8.Bd4+ Ka5=] **1...Bxb5** [1...Ka7 2.axb6+ Kxb6 3.Rd6+ Ka7 4.Bxe5 Qxe5 5.Bxa4+-] **2.exb5+ Ka7 [2...Kxb5 3.Rd5+ Ka4 4.Bxe5+-] 3.axb6+ Ka8** [3...Kxb6 4.Rd6+-] **4.Rd8+ Bb8 5.Bg7!!** [5.Rxh8? stalemate; 5.Rxb8+ Qxb8=] **5...Qxd8 6.Ra1+ Ba7 7.Rxa7+ Kb8 8.Be5+ Kc8 9.Ra8+-**

N°25 Valery Kalashnikov
(Russia)



Win

N°26 Pavel Arestov
Bizya Buyannemekh



Win

N°27 Daniele Gatti
(Italy)



Win

(25) Valery Kalashnikov (Russia)

1.Nf2! [Try 1.Kb3? Ke5! 2.Nf2 Kf4 3.Bh1 Ke3 4.e5 Nd7 5.e6 Nc5+=] 1...d2 [1...Ke5 2.Nxd3+ Kd4 3.e5 Nd7 4.e6 Nc5+ 5.Nxc5+-] 2.Kb3 Ke5 3.Kc2 Kf4 4.Bh1 [4.Bg2? Kg3 5.e5 Ng8 6.Be4 Kxf2 7.Kxd2=] 4...Ke3 5.e5! Ng8 6.Ne4 [6.e6? Kxf2 7.Kxd2=] 6...Ne7 [6...Kf4 7.Nf6 Ne7 8.Nd7 Kf5 9.Bg2 Ng6 10.Bh3+ Kf4 11.e6+-] 7.Nxd2 Kf4! 8.Nf3! [Try 8.Nc4? Ng6 9.e6 Kf5 10.Bd5 Kf6 11.Nb6 Nf4 12.Nd7+ Ke7=] 8...Nc6 9.e6 Kf5 10.Nh4+ White pawn will be seized, but catching black Knight

(26) Pavel Arestov & Bizya Byannemekh (Russia-Mongolia)

1.Nc3+! [1.c7? Re1+ 2.Kg2 Re2+ 3.Kf3 Rc2=] 1...Ke1 [1...Kd2 2.c7 Rh6+ 3.Kg2 Rh8 4.Nxa4!+-] 2.c7 Kf2! 3.Nd1+ [3.c8Q? Rh6+-] 3...Kf1 [3...Kg3 4.Nf5+ Kh3 5.Nf2#] 4.Ne3+! [Try : 4.Kh2? Rh6+ 5.Kg3 Rh8 6.Ne3+ Ke2 7.Nc4 Kd3! 8.Na3 Kc3!= (8...Rf8? 9.c8Q Rxc8 10.Nxc8 win by position Troiski)] 4...Kf2! [4...Rxe3 5.c8Q Rh3+ 6.Qxh3+-] 5.Ng4+! [5.Nd1+? Kf1 is loss of time] 5...Kg3 6.Nf5+! [6.c8Q? Re1#] 6...Kh3 [6...Kxg4 7.c8Q+-] 7.Nf2#

(27) Daniele Gatti (Italy)

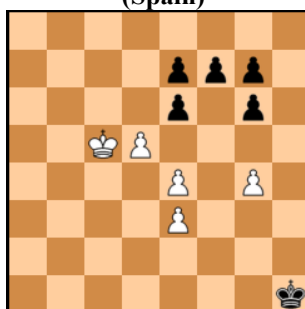
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N°28 Peter S. Krug
(Austria)



Win

N°29 Luis Miguel González
(Spain)



Win

(28) Peter S. Krug (Austria)

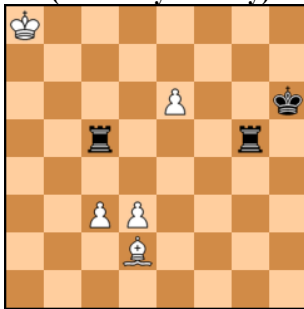
in memory Roger Missiaen 1.0-0-0! [1.Bxc7+? Ke8!]=] 1...Ke8! 2.Nbxd5 Nxd5 3.Qb5+! [try 3.Qa4+? Qd7 4.Nxd5 Rc8+ 5.Nc7+ Rxc7+ 6.Bxc7 Bh6+ 7.f4 Bxf4+=] 3...Qd7 4.Nxd5 Rc8+ 5.Nc7+ Rxc7+ 6.Bxc7 Bh6+ 7.f4 Bxf4+ 8.Kc2 Bh7+ 9.Kc3 Be5+ 10.Qxe5 Qxd1 [10...Qc6+ 11.Kb4+-] 11.Qh8+ Kd7 12.Qd8+ Kc6 13.Qxd1+-

(29) Luis Miguel González (Spain)

1.Kc6! [1.dxe6? fxe6 2.e5 Kg2! 3.Kc6 Kf3 4.Kd7 Ke4! 5.Kxe6 g5! zz 6.Kxe7 Kxe5 7.Kf7 Ke4 8.Kxg7 Kf3!]=] **1...g5!** [1...f5 2.gxf5 gxf5 3.dxe6 fxe4 4.Kd7 g5 5.Kxe7 g4 6.Kd6 g3 7.e7 g2 8.e8Q g1Q 9.Qxe4+;; 1...exd5 2.exd5 g5 3.e4!+-] **2.dxe6!** [2.Kd7? exd5 3.exd5 f5! 4.gxf5 g4 5.Kxe7 g3 6.d6 g2 7.d7 g1Q 8.d8Q Qg5+! 9.Ke8 Qxf5=; 2.e5? exd5! 3.Kd7 f5 4.gxf5 g4 5.Kxe7 g3 6.Kf7 g2=] **2...fxe6 3.e5!** [3.Kd7? e5! 4.Kxe7 Kg2 5.Ke6 Kg3 6.Kxe5 Kxg4 7.Kd5 Kf3! 8.e5 g4 9.e6 g3 10.e7 g2 11.e8Q g1Q 12.Qe4+ Kf2 13.Qc2+ Kf3!]=] **3...Kg2 4.Kd7 Kf3 5.Kxe7!** [5.Kxe6? Ke4! = zz] **5...Kxg4 6.Kxe6 Kf3! 7.Kf7!** [7.Kf5? g4 8.e6 g6+ 9.Ke5 g3 10.e7 g2 11.e8Q g1Q 12.Qc6+ Kf2 13.Qc2+ Kf3!]=] **7...g4 8.e6 g3 9.e7 g2 10.e8Q g1Q 11.Qc6+! Kf2 12.Qc2+!** [12.e4? Qg4 13.Qc5+ Kf3! 14.e5 Qf5+ 15.Kxg7 Ke4=] **12...Kf3! 13.Qf5+ Ke2 14.e4 g5!** [14...Qa7+ 15.Kf8 Qd4 16.e5! g6 17.Qg5 Qc5+ 18.Kg7+-; 14...g6 15.Qb5+ Kf3 16.e5+-] **15.e5!** [15.Qb5+? Kd2! 16.e5 g4! 17.e6 g3! 18.e7 g2 19.Qb2+ Kd3 20.e8Q Qf1+ 21.Ke7 Qe1+!]=] **15...Qf2!** [15...g4 16.Qc2+! Kf3 17.e6+-] **16.Kg6!+-** [16.Ke6? Qh4! 17.Kf7 g4! 18.e6 Qf2! 19.Kg6 (19.Qxf2+ Kxf2 20.e7 g3 21.e8Q g2=) 19...Qxf5+ 20.Kxf5 g3 21.e7 g2 22.e8Q+ Kf2!]=]

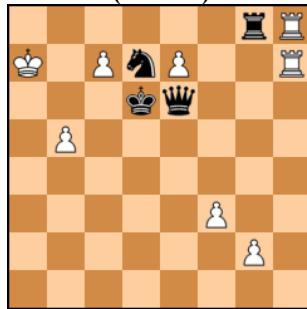
B. 2. STUDIES - DRAW

Nº1 M. Minski & Ali O.Pandar (Germany-Turkey)



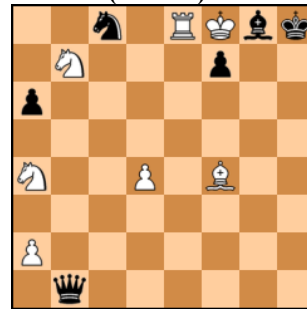
Draw

Nº2 Andrzej Jasik (Poland)



Draw

Nº3 Andrzej Jasik (Poland)



Draw

(1) Martin Minski & Ali Okan, Pandar (Germany-Turkey)

1.d4 Ra5+ [1...Kg6 2.dxc5=] **2.Kb7** [2.Kb8? Kg7+-] **2...Kg7! 3.c4** [3.Bxg5? Rxg5 4.Kc6 Kf8! 5.Kd6 (5.d5 Ke7+-; 5.Kd7 Rd5+ 6.Kc6 Rd8+-) 5...Ke8 6.c4 Rg4!+-] **3...Kf6 4.e7!** [4.d5? Rg7+! 5.Kb6 Ra3!+-; 4.Bxg5+? Rxg5+-; 4.Bxa5? Rxa5+-] **4...Kxe7 5.d5!** [5.c5? Rb5+ 6.Kc6 Rg2+-] **5...Rg7** [5...Rgxd5 6.cxd5=] **6.Bxa5=** [6.Bc3? Kf8+-]

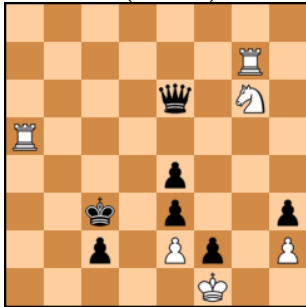
(2) Andrzej Jasik (Poland)

1.c8N+! [1.Rh6 Rxh8 2.Rxe6+ Kxe6 3.Kb7 Nc5+;; 1.c8Q? Qe3+ 2.Ka8 Nb6+ 3.Kb7 Nxc8 4.Rxg8 Qa7+ 5.Kxc8 Qc7#] **1...Kc7!** [1...Rxc8 2.Rxc8 Qe3+ 3.Ka8 Nb6+ 4.Kb7 Nxc8 5.Kxc8=] **2.b6+!** [2.Rxg8? Qa2#] **2...Kxc8** [2...Kc6?? 3.Rh6+-] **3.Rxg8+ Qxg8 4.b7+ Kc7 5.e8N+!** [5.e8Q? Qa2#] **5...Kc6** [5...Qxe8 6.Rxd7+ Qxd7 7.b8Q+=] **6.b8N+!** [6.Rh6+? Kc5+-] **6...Nxb8 7.Rc7+ Kb5 8.Nd6+ Ka4 9.Rc4+!** [9.Rc8? Qe6 10.Rxb8 Qxd6+-] **9...Kb3 10.Rc8! Qe6 11.Rxb8+=**

(3) Andrzej Jasik (Poland)

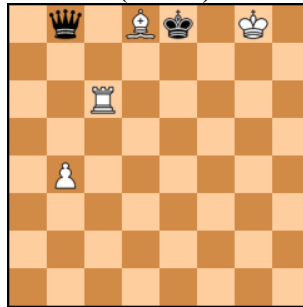
1.Re2! [1.Re3? Qf5-+] **1...Qg6** [1...Qf5? 2.Rh2+ Bh7 3.Nd8+-] **2.Rh2+!** [2.Be5+? f6 3.Rh2+ Bh7 4.Rg2 Qh6+-+] **2...Bh7 3.Rg2! Qe6!** [3...Qxg2? 4.Be5+-+] **4.Re2! Be4 5.Rh2+ Bh7 6.Re2 Qf5 7.Be5+** [7.Rf2? f6 8.Nd8 Bg6 9.Nc5 Bh5 10.Nf7+ Kh7 11.Rg2 Bg4 12.Rh2+ Bh3 13.Nd6 Nxd6 14.Bxd6 Kg6 15.Ke7 Bg4-+] **7...f6 8.Nd8 Bg6 9.Rh2+ Bh5 10.Nf7+ Kh7 11.Rg2! Bxf7** [11...Bg4? 12.Bxf6 Qxf6 13.Rh2+ Kg6 14.Rh6+=] **12.Rg7+ Kh6 13.Rxf7 Kh5 14.Nc5! Nb6 15.Rxf6=** [15.Bxf6? Kg6! 16.Rg7+ Kh6 17.Rf7 Qc8+-+]]

N°4 P. Arestov & A. Zhukov (Russia)



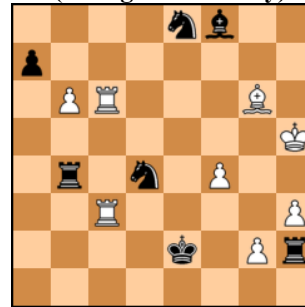
Draw

N°5 P. Arestov & A. Zhukov (Russia)



Draw

N°6 D.Gurgenidze & M.Minski (Georgia- Germany)



Draw

(4) Pavel Arestov & Alexander Zhukov (Russia)

1.Rc5+! [1.Rc7+? Kb4! 2.Rac5 Qd6! 3.Rxc2 Qd1#] **1...Kb4** [1...Kb2 2.Rb7+ Kc1 3.Rbc7=] **2.Rxc2 Qg4!** **3.Rc4+!** [3.Rb7+? Ka3! 4.Rc3+ Ka4 5.Rc4+ Ka5 6.Rc5+ Ka6-+] **3...Kb5!** [3...Kxc4?? 4.Ne5+-+; 3...Kb3 4.Rb7+ Ka3 5.Ra7+ Kb3 6.Rb7+ positional draw Nro1 with moves white Ra7,Rb7] **4.Rc5+!!** [4.Rb7+? Ka6-+] **4...Kxc5** [4...Kb6 5.Rc6+! Kb5 6.Rc5+=] **5.Nf8!!** [5.Nf4? Qh4!= (5...Qxf4? 6.Rc7+ Kb6 7.Rb7+ Kxb7 stalemate)] **5...Qh4!** [5...Qxg7 6.Ne6+=; 5...Qc8 6.Rc7+! Qxc7 7.Ne6+ Kd6 8.Nxc7 Kxc7 stalemate; 5...Qf5?? 6.Rg5 Qxg5 7.Ne6+-+] **6.Rh7! Qg4** [6...Qd8 /f6?? 7.Ne6+-+; 6...Qf6?? 7.Nd7+-+ - positional draw Nro2 with moves white Rg7,Rh7.] **7.Rg7=**

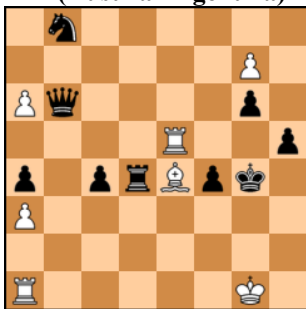
(5) Pavel Arestov & Alexander,Zhukov (Russia)

1.Bc7! With two lines A) [1.Bf6? Kd7+-+] **1...Qc8** [1...Qb7 2.b5! (2.Rc5? Qxb4 3.Bd6 Qg4+ 4.Kh7 Qd7+-+) 2...Qxb5 3.Rg6! (3.Rf6? Qg5+-+) 3...Qc4+ 4.Kh8! (4.Kh7 Qxc7+-+) 4...Qxc7 (4...Qc3+ 5.Rg7=) 5.Rg8+ Kd7 6.Rg7+=] **2.Rf6!! Qg4+ 3.Kh7! Qd7+ 4.Kg8! Qe7** [4...Qxc7 5.Rf8+=] **5.Bd8!!** switchback [5.Rf4? Qg5+ 6.Kh7 Ke7 7.b5 Qxb5-+] **5...Kxd8 6.Rf8+ Kd7 7.Rf7=**

(6) David Gurgenidze & Martin Minski (Georgia-Germany)

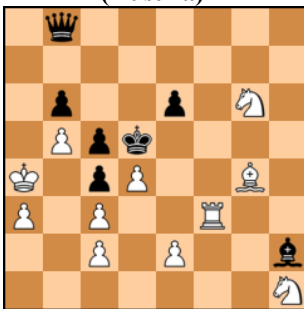
1.bxa7 [1.Bd3+? Kf2 2.bxa7 Ra4 3.Ra6 Rxa6 4.Bxa6 Rxc2 5.a8Q Nf6+ 6.Kh4 Nf5#] **1...Ng7+** [1...Ra4 2.Rb6!=] **2.Kh4!** [2.Kg5? Ra4! 3.Rb6 Ba3! 4.g3 Rxa7 5.Rxa3 Rxa3 6.Rb2+ Ke3 7.Rxh2 Nf3+ 8.Kf6 Ne8+ /Nh5+ 9.Bxe8 Nxb2-+] **2...Rxc2** [2...Ra4 3.Rb6! Ndf5+ (3...Ba3 4.Kg3) 4.Bxf5 Nxf5+ 5.Kg5 Nd6 6.Rb2+ Kd1 7.Rc7=] **3.Rc2+! Kf3!** [3...Nxc2 4.Rxc2+ Ke3 5.Rxc2=] **4.a8Q** [4.Rf6? Ra4! 5.Rxc2 Be7!-+] **4...Ndf5+** [4...Kxf4 5.Qxf8+=] **5.Bxf5 Be7+ 6.Rf6+ Kxf4 7.Rc4+! Rxc4 8.Qf3+!!** [8.Qb8+? Ke3+! 9.Bg4 Bxf6#] **8...Kxf3+ 9.Be4+ Ke3** model double pin stalemate

N°7 P. Krug & M. Garcia
(Austria-Argentina)



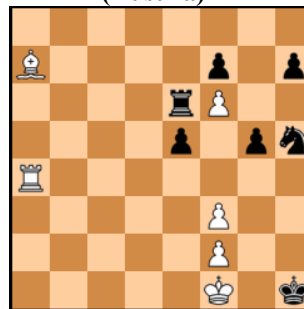
Draw

N°8 Peter S. Krug
(Austria)



Draw

N°9 Peter S. Krug
(Austria)



Draw

(7) Peter S. Krug & Mario G. Garcia (Austria-Argentina)

little better with king move **1.Kh1! Rxe4 2.Rg1+!** [2.Rxe4? Qd8 3.Rg1+ Kf3! 4.Rxg6 (4.Rxf4+ Kxf4 5.Rxg6+)] 4...Kxe4+] **2...Kh3 3.Rxh5+ gxh5 4.g8Q Re2** [4...Qf2 5.Qc8+=] **5.Qc8+ Nd7!** [5...Kh4 6.a7 Qf2 7.Qd8+ Kh3 8.Qc8+=] **6.Qxd7+ Qe6 7.Qxe6+ Rxe6 8.a7 Re8 9.a8Q** [or 9.a8R] **9...Rxa8 10.Rg8! Ra7** [10...Rxg8 stalemate] **11.Rg7 Ra6 12.Rg6 Ra5 13.Rg5 f3!** [13...Rxg5 stalemate] **14.Rxa5 f2 15.Rxh5+ Kg3** [15...Kg4 16.Kg2=] **16.Rh3+!** [16.Rg5+? Kf4!+] **16...Kxh3=** stalemate [16...Kg4 17.Kg2! (17.Rg3+? Kf4 18.Kg2 f1Q+ 19.Kxf1 Kxg3 20.Ke2 Kf4+)] 17...f1Q+ 18.Kxf1= Positional Draw]

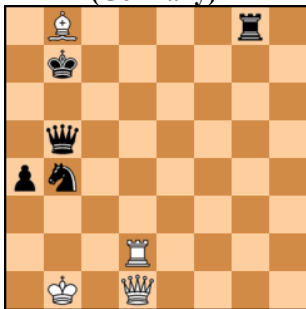
(8) Peter S. Krug (Austria)

based on J. Krejci, 1956 **1.e4+! Kxe4 2.Nf2+ Kd5 3.Ne7+!** [3.Bxe6+? Kxe6 4.Nf8+ Ke7 5.Ng6+ Kd7 6.Rf7+ Ke6 7.Re7+ Kf5 8.dxc5 Qa8+] **3...Kd6 4.Nc8+!** [4.dxc5+? Kxe7 5.Kb4 Qe5+] **4...Qxc8 5.Ne4+ Kd5 6.Nf6+ Kd6 7.Ne4+ Ke7 8.Rf7+ Kxf7 9.Nd6+ Bxd6 10.Bxe6+ Qxe6** [10...Kxe6 11.d5+ Kxd5= stalemate] **11.d5 Qe2** stalemate

(9) Peter S. Krug (Austria)

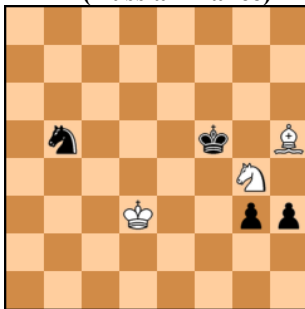
1.Be3! Nf4 [1...h6 2.Bxg5! hxg5 3.Ra8 Rb6 4.Rh8=] **2.Bxf4 exf4 3.Ra5!** [3.Rxf4? Re1+! 4.Kxe1 gxf4+] **3...h6 4.Rxg5! Re1+!** [4...hxg5 stalemate] **5.Kxe1 hxg5 6.Kd1!** [6.Kd2? Kh2 7.Ke2 Kg2+] **6...Kh2 7.Kd2 Kh3 8.Kd3 Kg2 9.Ke2 Kh1 10.Kd1! =**

N°10 M. Minski & H. Waelzel
(Germany)



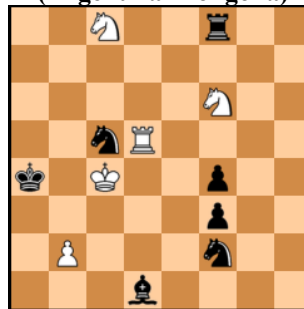
Draw

N°11 P.Arestov & D. Keith
(Russia- France)



Draw

N°12 M.Garcia & B.Buyannemekh
(Argentina-Mongolia)



Draw

(10) Martin Minski & Helmut Waelzel (Germany)

mutual queen sacrifices **1.Bd6** [1.Qf3+? Kxb8+] **1...Nc2+! 2.Kc1!** [2.Kxc2? Rc8+ 3.Bc7 Rxc7#] **2...Na1! 3.Rb2 Nb3+ 4.Kb1 Qd3+!! 5.Qxd3 Rg1+ 6.Qf1!!** [6.Kc2? Rc1# model mate with two self-blocks; 6.Ka2? Ra1# model mate with self-block; 6.Qd1? Rxd1+ 7.Kc2 Rxd6+] **6...Rxf1+ 7.Kc2 Rc1+ 8.Kd3 Rd1+ 9.Kc4 /Kc3 9...Rxd6 10.Kb4** [10.Ra2? Nd2+ 11.Kb4 Rb6+ 12.Kc3 Ne4+ 13.Kd4 Rb4+] **10...Ra6 11.Ra2 Rb6+ 12.Kc4** [12.Kxa4? Nc5+ 13.Ka3 Rb3# model mate with self-block] **12...Ra6 13.Kb4 Rb6+ 14.Kc4 Na5+ 15.Kc5 Nb3+ 16.Kc4** positional draw

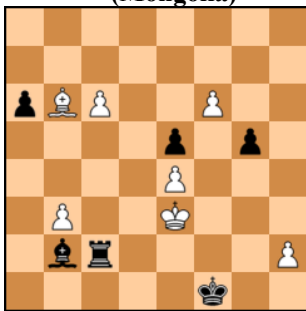
(11) Pavel Arestov & Daniel Keith (Russia-France)

1.Ke2! [1.Ke3? Nd4-+; 1.Nf2? h2 2.Bf3 Kf4-+; 1.Ne3+? Kf4-+] **1...Kg5!** [1...Kf4 2.Kf1 Nd6 (2...Nc3 3.Nf6! g2+ (3...Kg5 4.Bg4) 4.Kf2) 3.Nf6! Kg5 4.Ne8=; 1...h2 2.Nxh2 gxh2 3.Bf3 Nd4+ 4.Kf2 Nxf3 5.Kg2 Kg4 6.Kh1 Kg3 stalemate] **2.Nf2! Kh4** [2...Nd4+ 3.Kf1 main] **3.Kf1 Nd4 4.Bd1! h2 5.Nh1! Kh3 6.Bg4+ Kxg4 7.Kg2 Nf5 8.Nxg3=**

(12) Mario G. García & Bizya Buyannemekh (Argentina –Mongolia)

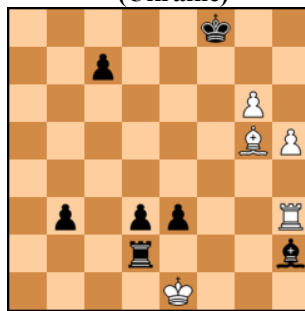
1.Nb6+! Ka5 2.Kxc5 [2.Rxc5+? Kxb6 3.Nd7+ Kb7 4.Nxf8 Nh3-+; 2.b4+? Kxb6 3.bxc5+ Kb7-+] **2...Rxf6** [2...Be2 3.b4+ Ka6 4.Nbd7 Nd3+ 5.Kd6 Nxb4 6.Rd4 Nd3 7.Ne4= positional draw; 2...Bb3 3.Nc4+ Bxc4 4.Kxc4+=] **3.b4+ Ka6 4.b5+ Ka5** [4...Ka7 5.Rd7+ Kb8 6.Rd8+ Kc7 7.Rd7+ Kb8 8.Rd8+ Ka7 9.Rd7+ positional draw] **5.Nc4+ Ka4 6.Nb2+ Kb3 7.Nxd1 Ne4+ 8.Kd4 f2 9.Nxf2 Nxf2 10.b6!** [10.Rg5? Nd1-+] **10...Rxb6 11.Rb5+ Rxb5 stalemate ideal**

N°13 Bizya Buyannemekh (Mongolia)



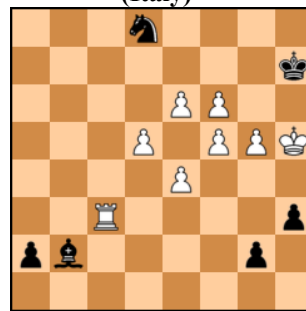
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N°14 Vladislav Tarasiuk (Ukraine)



Draw

N°15 Marco Campioli (Italy)



BTM Draw

(13) Bizya Buyannemekh (Mongolia)

correction **1.f7!** [1.c7? Rc3+ 2.Kd2 Rc6 3.Kd1 g4-+] **1...Ba3 2.Bc5!** [2.c7! Rc3+ 3.Kd2 Rc6-+] **2...Bxc5+ 3.Kd3 Rxh2** [3...Rc1 4.Kd2 Ba3 5.b4!] **4.f8Q+ Bxf8 5.c7 Rh3+ 6.Kc2!** [6.Kc4? Bb4 7.Kxb4 Rh8-+] **6...Bb4 7.c8Q Rc3+ 8.Kd1 Rxc8 stalemate**

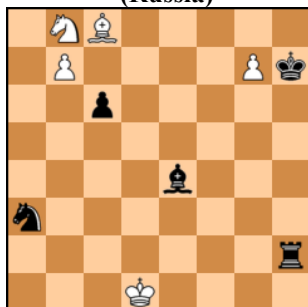
(14) Vladislav Tarasiuk (Ukraine)

1.h6 Bg3+! [1...Re2+ 2.Kd1 Be5 3.g7+ Bxg7 4.hxg7+ Kxg7 5.Rxe3 b2 6.Rxd3 b1Q+ 7.Kxe2=; 1...Be5 2.g7+ Bxg7 3.hxg7+ Kxg7 4.Bxe3 Re2+ 5.Kf1 Kg6 6.Bd4=] **2.Rxg3 Re2+!** [2...b2 3.Rf3+ Ke8 (3...Kg8 4.h7+ Kg7 5.Bf6+=) 4.Rxe3+] **3.Kd1!** [3.Kf1? b2 4.Rf3+ Ke8!-+] **3...b2 4.g7+ Kg8 5.h7+ Kxh7 6.g8Q+! Kxg8 7.Bf6+ Kf7 8.Bxb2 Rd2+!** [8...Rxb2 9.Rxe3=] **9.Ke1!** [9.Kc1? Rc2+ 10.Kd1 e2+ 11.Ke1 Rxb2 12.Rxd3 Ke6-+] **9...Rxb2 10.Rf3+!** [Try 10.Rxe3? Re2+ 11.Rxe2 dxe2 12.Kxe2 Ke6! 13.Kd3 Kd5-+] **10...Kg6 11.Rxe3 Re2+ 12.Rxe2 dxe2 13.Kxe2 Kf5 14.Kd3!** [14.Ke3? Ke5!-+] **14...Ke5 15.Kc4 Kd6 16.Kd4 c6 17.Kc4=**

(15) Marco Campioli (Italy)

1...h2! [1...Bxc3!? 2.g6+ Kg8 3.e7 Bxf6 4.e8Q+ Kg7 5.Qd7+ Kf8 6.g7+ Kg8 7.Qe8+ Kxg7 8.Qg6+ Kf8 9.Qxf6+ Nf7 10.Qd4 h2 11.Qb4+ Kg8 12.Qb8+ Kh7 13.Qxh2 a1Q 14.Qxg2=] **2.Rc7+!** [2.g6+? Kg8 3.f7+ Kf8 4.g7+ Kxg7 5.Rg3+ Kh7 6.f8N+ Kh8 7.Ng6+ Kg7! 8.e7 g1Q-+] **2...Kh8! 3.Kg6 h1Q! 4.Re7!** [4.Rd7? Bxf6 5.Kxf6 a1Q+ 6.e5 Qa8 7.e7 Nb7-+] **4...Qh5+! 5.Kxh5 Bxf6!** [5...a1Q?? 6.Re8++-] **6.gxf6** [6.Re8+? Kg7! 7.e5 Bxg5! 8.f6+ Bxf6 9.exf6+ Kxf6-+] **6...a1Q!** [6...g1Q! 7.Re8+ Kh7 8.Re7+ Kg8 9.Re8+ Kh7 10.Re7+ Nf7 11.exf7!]=] **7.Re8+ Kh7 8.Re7+ Kg8 9.Re8+!** [9.Rg7+? Kh8! 10.Rxg2 Qh1+ 11.Kg4 Qxg2+-+] **9...Kh7 10.Re7+ Nf7! 11.Rxf7+!** [11.exf7? Qh1+-+] **11...Kh8 12.Rf8+!** [12.Rg7? Qh1+-+] **12...Kh7 13.Rf7+ Kg8 14.Rg7+ Kh8!** [14...Kf8?? 15.e7+-+] **15.Rxg2** [15.Rg3? Qh1+ 16.Kg6 Qh7+ 17.Kg5 Qg8+ 18.Kf4 Qxg3+-+; 15.e7? Qh1+ 16.Kg6 g1Q+ 17.Kf7 Qa7! 18.Rg6 Kh7 19.Rg7+ Kh6! 20.Rg6+ Kh5 21.Kf8 Qxe4 22.e8Q Qc5+! 23.Kf7 Qcxd5+-+] **15...Qh1+ 16.Kg6 Qxg2+** [16...Qh7+ 17.Kg5 Qg8+ 18.Kf4 Qxg2 19.e7!] **17.Kf7 Qxe4 18.d6!** [18.e7? Qxd5+-+] **18...Qxf5 19.d7!** [19.e7? Qd7 20.Kf8 Qxd6 21.f7 Qc5 22.Ke8 Qc8#]

N°16 Valery Kalashnikov
(Russia)



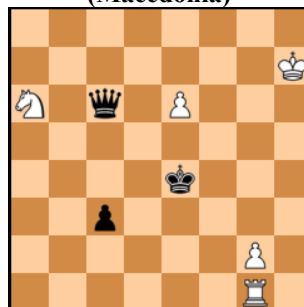
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N° 17 Franco Bertoli
(Italy)



Draw

N°18 Bosko Miloskeski
(Macedonia)



Draw

(16) Valery Kalashnikov (Russia)

1.Bf5+! [1.g8Q+? Kxg8 2.Be6+ Kh8 3.Bb3 Rh7 4.Nd7 Rxd7+--+] **1...Bxf5 2.g8Q+!** [2.Nxc6? Bg4+ 3.Ke1 Nc2+ 4.Kf1 Ne3+ 5.Kg1 Rg2+ 6.Kh1 Bf3 7.g8Q+ Rxc8+--+] **2...Kxg8 3.Nxc6 Bg4+** [3...Rb2 4.b8Q+ Rxb8 5.Nxb8=] **4.Ke1** [4.Kc1? Rc2#] **4...Nc2+** [4...Re2+ 5.Kf1 Re8 6.b8Q Be2+ 7.Ke1 Rxb8 8.Nxb8 Bb5 9.Kd2 Kf7 10.Kc3 Bf1 11.Nc6=] **5.Kf1 Ne3+** **6.Kg1** [6.Ke1? Re2#] **6...Rg2+** **7.Kh1 Bf3 8.b8Q+ Kh7 9.Qa7+ Rg7+ 10.Kh2 Nf1+ 11.Kh3 Bxc6 12.Qd4! Bd7+ 13.Kh4 Rg4+ 14.Qxg4=**

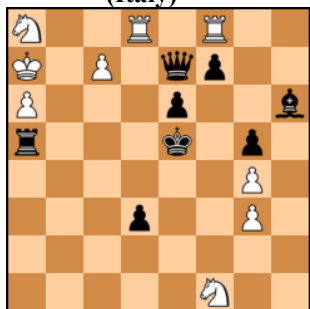
(17) Franco Bertoli (Italy)

1.0-0 Rxa2 [1...Ra8 2.Rxf3 Rxc8 (2...c2 3.Rf1) 3.Kg2 c2 4.Rf1 Kd6 5.Rc1] **2.Rxf3 Ra1+** **3.Kg2 c2 4.Rf7 Rg1+** **5.Kh3 Kb4 6.Rc7 =**

(18) Bosko Miloskeski (Macedonia)

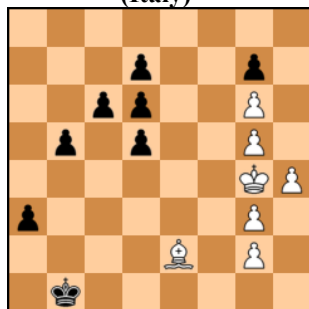
1.Re1+! [Try : 1.e7? Kf5 2.g4+ (2.Rf1+ Kg5 3.Kg7 c2 4.Nc5 c1Q 5.Rxc1 Qf6+ 6.Kg8 Qxe7 7.Rc3 Kg4+ 2...Kg5! (no 2...Kf6? 3.Re1 c2 4.Nc5! see solution in (1)) 3.Re1 Qg6+ 4.Kh8 c2 5.e8Q Qxe8+ 6.Rxe8 c1Q-+] **1...Kf5 2.g4+!** [2.Nb4? Qc4 3.e7 Qh4+ 4.Kg7 Qxe1 5.Kf8 Qh4 6.e8Q Qxb4+--+] **2...Kf6 3.e7 c2** [3...Qe8 4.g5+!= (4.Rf1+? Kg5 5.Re1 c2 6.Nc7 Qf7+--+)] **4.Nc5!** (1) [4.g5+? Kxg5 5.Nc5 Qg6+ 6.Kh8 Qe8+ 7.Kg7 c1Q-+] **4...Qxc5** [4...Qe8 5.Ne4+=] **5.g5+!** [5.e8Q? Qc7+ /a7 6.Kh6 Qg7+--+] **5...Qxg5** [5...Kxg5 6.e8Q=] **6.e8N+!** Phönix **6...Kf5!** [6...Kf7?? 7.Nd6+ Kf8 8.Re8#] **7.Ng7+!** **Kg4 8.Rg1+ Kh4** [8...Kf3 9.Rxg5=] **9.Rh1+ Kg4 10.Rg1+= positional draw**

N°19 Daniele Gatti
(Italy)



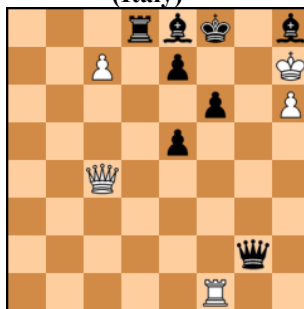
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N°20 Daniele Gatti
(Italy)



Draw

N°21 Daniele Gatti
(Italy)



Draw

(19) Daniele Gatti (Italy)

1.Rxf7 Qxf7 [1...Qc5+? 2.Nb6+-] **2.Kb6 Ra3 3.c8Q Rb3+ 4.Ka5 Qf2 5.Qc7+!** [5.Qc4? Qa2+ 6.Qa4 Ra3 7.Nb6 Rxa4+ 8.Nxa4 Qf2 9.Rxd3 Qxf1 10.Re3+ Kd4 11.Rb3 (11.a7 Kxe3 12.a8Q Qc4 13.Qg8 Kf3 14.Qh8 Qd5+ 15.Kb4 Qd6+ 16.Kb3 Bf8 17.Qh1+ Kxg3 18.Qg1+ Kf3 19.Nc3 Qb4+ 20.Kc2 Qc4 21.Qd1+ Kf4 22.Qd2+ Kxg4+-) 11...Qe1+ 12.Kb6 Bf8 13.a7 Qd1 14.a8Q Qxb3+ 15.Kc7 Qxg3+ 16.Kc8 Qxg4+-] **5...Kf6 6.Qc4 Qa2+** [6...Ra3+ 7.Kb5 Qb2+ 8.Kc6 Rc3 9.Ne3 Rxc4+ 10.Nxc4 Qg2+ 11.Kb5 Ke7 12.a7 Kxd8 13.Nab6 d2 14.Nxd2 Qxd2 15.a8Q+=] **7.Qa4 Ra3 8.Nb6 Rxa4+ 9.Nxa4 Qf2 10.Rxd3 Qxf1 11.Re3!** [11.a7? Qxd3 12.a8Q Qd5+ 13.Qxd5 exd5+-] **11...Qg2 12.a7 Qb7 13.Rxe6+! Kf7** [13...Kg7 14.Re7+ Qxe7 15.a8Q=; 13...Kxe6?? 14.Nc5+!+-] **14.Rxh6 Qxa7+ 15.Ra6 Qc7+ 16.Rb6 Ke7** [16...Qxg3 17.Rb4=] **17.Ka6!** [17.Nb2? Qa7+ 18.Kb5 Qa3 19.Nc4 Qxg3+-] **17...Qc4+ 18.Ka5 Qxg4 19.Rb3=** positional draw

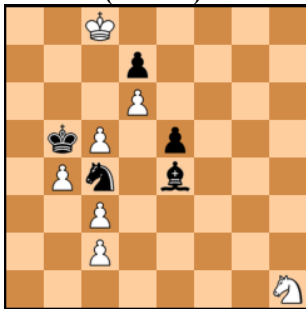
(20) Daniele Gatti (Italy)

1.Bc4! [1.h5? a2! 2.h6 a1Q 3.h7 Qa8+-] **1...d4** [1...bxc4 2.Kh5 a2 3.g4 a1Q 4.g3 c3 stalemate] **2.Bb3 d3 3.h5 a2 4.Bxa2+ Kc2!** [4...Kxa2 5.Kf3 Kb2 6.Ke3 Kc2 7.h6 d2 8.hxg7 d1Q 9.g8Q=] **5.h6 d2 6.hxg7!** [6.h7? d1Q+ 7.Kf4 Qh1+-] **6...d1Q+ 7.Kf5 Qf1+ 8.Kg4 Qe2+ 9.Kh4 Qe4+ 10.Kh5 Qxg2 11.Kg4=**

(21) Daniele Gatti (Italy)

1.Qf7+! [1.Rxf6+? exf6 2.Qc5+ Rd6 3.Qxd6+ Kf7+-; 1.cxd8Q? Qg6+ 2.Kxh8 Qxh6#] **1...Kxf7** [1...Bxf7 2.cxd8Q+ Be8 3.Rxf6+ Bxf6 (3...exf6 4.Qxf6+ Bxf6) 4.Qxe8+ stalemate 4...Kxe8 stalemate] **2.cxd8N+ Kf8 3.Ne6+ Kf7 4.Nd8+=**

N°22 Marc Gelly (France)



Draw

(22) Marc Gelly (France)

1.Ng3! [1.Nf2 Bc6 2.Kd8 Ne3 3.Ke8 Kc4+-] **1...Bc6 2.Nf5!** [2.Nh5 e4 3.Ng3 e3 4.Ne2 Ne5+-] **2...Ka4!** [2...Nd2 3.Ne7 e4 4.Kc7 e3 5.Nxc6=] **3.Ne7!** [3.Kd8? e4 4.Nd4 e3 5.Ke7 Nd2 6.Ne2 Ne4+-; 3.Ng3? Nd2 4.Nf5 e4 5.Ne3 Nb1 6.Nd1 Kb5 7.Kc7 Kc4+-] **3...Bb5 4.Kb8!!** [4.Nd5? e4! 5.Nf4 e3 6.Kc7 Ne5+-] **4...e4!** [4...Ka3 5.c6 Nxd6 6.Kc7=] **5.c6!!** [5.Nd5? e3 6.Nf4 Ka3+-] **5...Nxd6!** [5...Bxc6 6.Nxc6 Nxd6 7.Nd4=; 5...e3 6.c7 Ba6 7.Ka7! e2 8.Kxa6 Nxd6 9.Nf5!! Nc8 10.Kb7=] **6.c7!** [6.cxd7? Bxd7+-] **6...Ba6 7.Nd5** [7.Ng6? e3 8.Nf4 e2+-] **7...Kb5** [7...Nc4 8.c8Q Bxc8 9.Kxc8=; 7...Bb7 8.c4=] **8.Ne3!!** [8.Nf4? e3 9.Ne2 Ka4+-; 8.Ka7! Nc8+! 9.Kb8 d6!+-] **8...Nc8!** [8...Bb7 9.Ka7 Bc8 10.Ka8!! Ba6 11.Kb8 main line; 8...Bc8 9.Ka8! Bb7+ 10.Ka7 position draw; 8...Nc4 9.Nxc4 Kxc4 10.Ka7! Bc8! (10...Kb5?? 11.c4+-) 11.Kb8= position draw] **9.Nf5** [Try: 9.Nd5? d6! 10.Ne3 Ne7! 11.c4+ Kxb4!+-] **9...d6** [9...Ka4 10.Nd4 Nd6 (10...e3 11.b5!)=] 11.Ka7! Bc8 (11...Bb7 12.b5=) 12.Kb8!! e3 13.b5! Ka5 14.c4! Kb6 15.c3 Kc5 (15...Bb7 16.Ne2 Nxc4 17.c8Q Bxc8 18.Kxc8 d5 19.Kd7 Kxb5 20.Nd4+ Kc5 21.Nb3+! Kb6 22.Nc1! Kb5 23.Ke6! Kc6 24.Kf5=) 16.Ne2!=] **10.Nd4+!** [10.Ng3? d5+-] **10...Kb6 11.b5** [11.c4? e3 12.b5 Bb7! 13.Ne2 Ne7!+-] **11...Bb7 12.Nf5!! d5 13.c4!** [13.Ne3 Nd6+-] **13...dxc4 14.c3! Na7** [14...e3 15.Nxe3 Nd6 16.Nxc4+=] **15.Ne3!** [15.Nd6? Bd5!+-] **15...Nxb5 16.Nxc4+ Ka6** [16...Kc5 17.Kxb7 Nxc7=] **17.c8Q** [17.Ne3? Na7 18.c8Q Nxc8+-] **17...Bxc8 18.Kxc8=**

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