

1. Mate in 3

Mate in three moves is a position when a player can do checkmate to the opponent's king in the next three moves. It is more important to find a lot of options in the first few moves rather than calculating the long variations. This checkmate is often performed by using forced moves (Check, Capture, and threat)

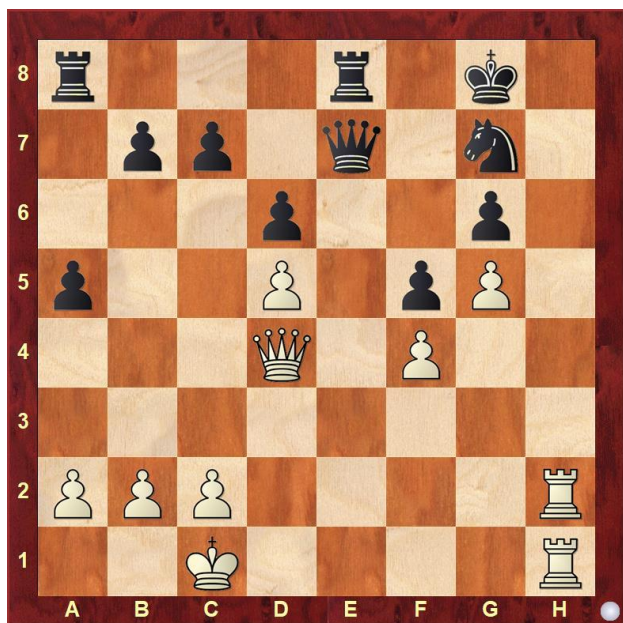


Diagram 1.1



Diagram 1.2

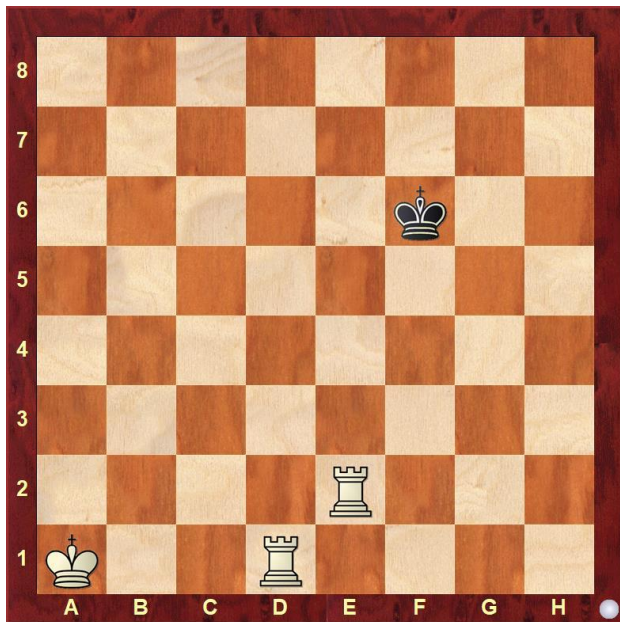
In diagram 1.1, white plays Rh8+ forcing the black to play Kf7, therefore, white plays Qxg7+ again forcing the black to play Kxg7, and later white does the checkmate by playing R1h7#

In diagram 1.2, white plays Rf8+ forcing the black to play Qxf8 therefore white plays Rxf8+ again forcing the black to play Rxf8 and later white does the checkmate by playing Qxg6#

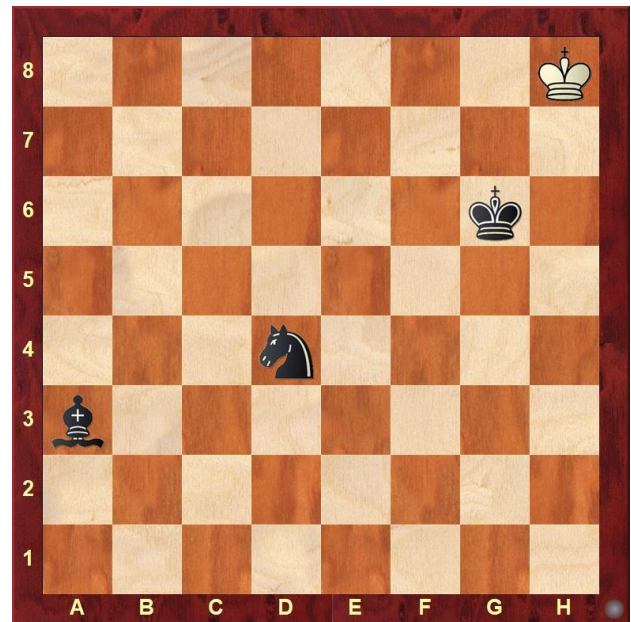
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1. Mate in 3 (Homework)

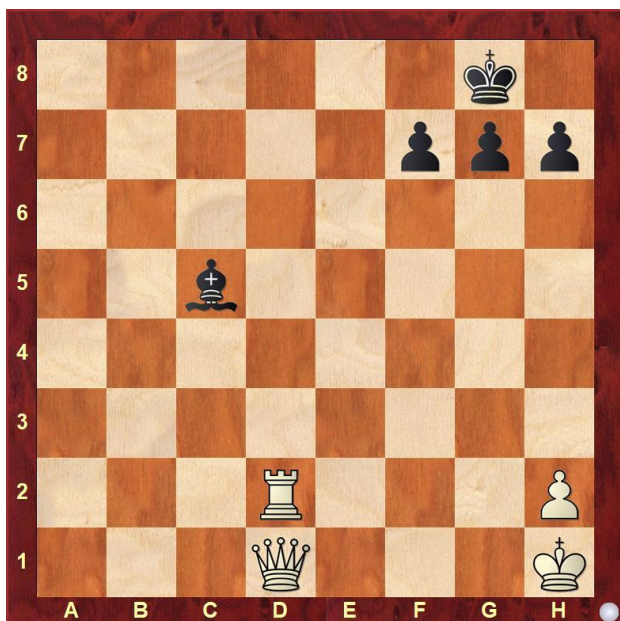
1. White to play mate in three moves



2. Black to play mate in three moves



3. White to play mate in three moves



4. White to play mate in three moves

