

11. Queen against 7th rank pawn (b,d,e,g)

Queen vs pawn on the 7th rank with b, d, e & g files is always win for the one who is having the queen.

Objective: The objective is to get one of the following positions in the game to deliver checkmate. (Refer diagrams 11.1 and 11.2)





Diagram 11.1

Diagram 11.2



11. Queen against 7th rank pawn (b,d,e,g)

Plan

Step 1 - Keep giving check and come closer to the pawn.



Diagram 11.3

Step 2 - Force opponent king to go in front of his pawn



Diagram 11.4



11. Queen against 7th rank pawn (b,d,e,g)

Step 3 - When opponent king is blocking his own pawn bring our king towards the pawn.



Diagram 11.5

Step 4 – Attack the pawn with king and queen both and capture it



Diagram 11.6





11. Queen against 7th rank pawn (b,d,e,g)- (Homework)

1. White to play and mate in one



2. Black to play and mate in one



3. White to play and mate in two



4. Black to play and mate in two







11. Queen against 7th rank pawn (b,d,e,g)- (Homework)

5. Black to play and mate in two



6. Black to play and mate in two



7. White to play and mate in two



8. White to play and mate in two





11. Queen against 7th rank pawn (b,d,e,g)- (Homework)

9. Black to play and mate in two



10. White to play and mate in two

