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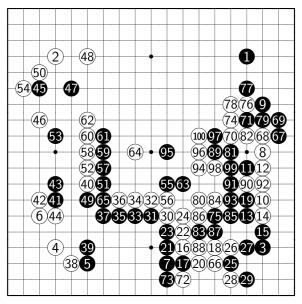


Diagram. 1 (Moves: 1-100)

April 14 2010, Tokyo, Japan: 23rd Fujitsu Cup Quarter Finals

Gu Li 9d (black) vs Lee Sedol 9d

The opening up to **25** was popular at the time.

- 28 was a nice move to take sente.
- (50) and (52) were Lee's fighting style of play, and Black started to attack both White's bottom and right side.
- 6 and 8 were severe attack, but White managed the situation well up to 94.

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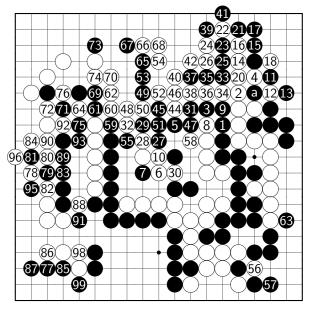


Diagram. 2 (Moves: 101-200) 11 at a, 13 at 122, 19 at 164 19 at 171, 200 at 164. was a sharp tesuji, but was and were a good combination to escape.

(18) and (20) were good sequence, and there was bad aji left in the top right corner.

Cutting at 33 was severe, but White managed to save his group up to 44.

Black went all out with (59), but (158) was a good move to take sente, and the game was practically decided with (164).

(178) was questionable, and Black caught up with (185).

However, White was still leading the game with the ko from (19).

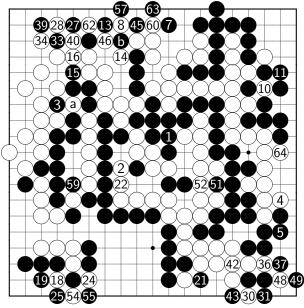


Diagram. 3
(Moves: 201-264)

206 at a, 209 at 203, 212 at a
211 at 203, 220 at a, 223 at 203
226 at a, 224 at 203, 232 at a
235 at 203, 238 at a, 244 at 203
244 at a, 247 at 203, 250 at a
253 at 203, 256 at a, 258 at 203
264 at b.

Some more comments

Eventually, White had more ke threats, and Black couldn't have any chances to catch up.

264 moves: White won by resignation.