OPENING REPORT

Database: SemiSlavD44 (2,539 games)

Report: 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3 c6 5.Bq5 dxc4 (2539 games)

ECO: D44a [Semi-Slav: Botvinnik Accepted] Generated by Scid 3.6.25, 2009.02.22

1. STATISTICS AND HISTORY

1.1 Statistics

	Games	1-0	=-=	0-1	Score
All report games	2539	1006	860	673	56.5%

1.2 Oldest games

- 1: 0-1(51) Von Scheve 2465 Cohn 2480, ? 1907
- 2: =-=(63) Orbach 2360 Saemisch 2570, ? 1928
- 3: 0-1(55) Lichtenstein 2395 Fuss 2340, ? 1935
- 4: 1-0(29) Kashdan 2730 Jaffe 2445, ? 1938 [16]
- 5: =-=(70) Lilienthal 2640 Alatortsev 2655, ? 1939 [43]

1.3 Newest games

- 1: 1-0(22) Cruz 2545 Panelo 2425, Sabadell ESP 2009.02.06
- 2: =-=(29) Hauchard 2497 Karim 2407, Caleta ENG 2009.02.05
- 3: 1-0(28) Del Rio De Angelis 2532 Karim 2407, Gibraltar ENG 2009.02.03
- 4: =-=(30) Van Wely 2625 Smeets 2601, Wijk aan Zee NED 2009.01.19 [58]
- 5: 0-1(39) Ivanchuk 2779 Smeets 2601, Wijk aan Zee NED 2009.01.17 [9]

1.4 Current popularity

1800-99 1900-49 1950-69 1970-79 1980-89 1990-99 2000-09 Year Once every X games --- 1 1 1 1 1 1

Frequency in all years: once every 1 games

In the 10 years to today: once every 1 games (no change from all years)

In the 5 years to today: once every 1 games (no change from all years)

In the 1 year to today: once every 1 games (no change from all years)

1.5 Most frequent players (White)

- 1: 20 1981-2007 55% 2690 Beliavsky, Alexander G
- [47,50,54,55,57,58,62,63,...]

 - 2: 16 1987-2008 69% 2570 Cebalo, Miso [2,6,9,16,51] 3: 15 1980-2008 70% 2674 Nikolic, Predrag [46,51,54,55,58,63,65,69]
 - 4: 14 1984-2008 68% 2660 Yermolinsky, Alex [13,25,39,47,68]
 - 5: 13 1993-2009 58% 2695 Van Wely, Loek [50,54,55,57,58,69]
 - 6: 13 1986-2006 65% 2598 Novikov, Igor A [63,69]

1.6 Most frequent players (Black)

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1: 35 1995-2008 60% 2657 Korneev, Oleg [3,5,6,18,20,32,46,57,...]
2: 27 1982-1999 74% 2515 Lukacs, Peter [55,58]
3: 26 1989-2005 50% 2740 Shirov, Alexei [9,42,56,58,65,66,69]
4: 23 1983-2007 59% 2671 Shabalov, Alexander [7,39,40,50,58,60,67]
5: 23 1985-2004 46% 2574 Ivanov, Sergey [58,59,69]
6: 18 1981-2007 64% 2640 Kaidanov, Gregory S [9,56,62,65,68]
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2. RATINGS AND PERFORMANCE

2.1 Average ratings and performance

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White rating: 2472 (2000 games); White performance: 2501 (57% vs 2451) Black rating: 2451 (2000 games); Black performance: 2422 (43% vs 2472)
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2.2 Games with highest average rating

1: 0-1(31) Kramnik 2805 - Shirov 2715, Monaco 2002 [65]
2: =-=(35) Kasparov 2805 - Kramnik 2710, New York 1994 [58]
3: 1-0(39) Kasparov 2805 - Ivanchuk 2710, Linares 1994 [57]
4: =-=(40) Kamsky 2735 - Kramnik 2775, ? 1996 [58]
5: =-=(55) Kamsky 2735 - Kramnik 2775, Dos Hermanas ESP 1996 [58]
6: 1-0(25) Kramnik 2765 - Ivanchuk 2730, Novgorod RUS 1996 [68]
7: 1-0(28) Kramnik 2765 - Ivanchuk 2730, ? 1996 [68]
8: =-=(29) Topalov 2700 - Kramnik 2775, ? 1996 [58]

3. RESULT TRENDS

3.1 Result lengths and frequencies

	Score	Game length]	Frequency	У
		1-0	=-=	0 - 1	1-0	=-=	0-1
Report games	56.5%	37	35	37	39.6%	33.8%	26.5%
All games	56.5%	37	36	37	39.6%	33.8%	26.5%

3.2 Shortest wins (White)

- 1: 1-0(10) Lorentzen 2494 Haveland 2314, ? 2004 2: 1-0(11) IM Lorentzen 2494 - Haveland 2314, ? 2004
- 3: 1-0(14) Molo 2330 Espindola 2420, corr CAPA 1994
- 4: 1-0(14) Frank 2350 Rey Saravia 2365, ? 1995
- 5: 1-0(15) Koskela Taisto (FIN) 2472 Koskinen Erkki (FIN) 2321, ? 1970

3.3 Shortest wins (Black)

- 1: 0-1(15) Berdichesky 2473 Alvarez 2563, email IECG 2000 [59]
- 2: 0-1(15) Wornath 2387 Knaak 2480, playchess.com INT 2003
- 3: 0-1(15) Kohlweyer Bernd 2420 Borst Johan 2275, ? 1996
- 4: 0-1(16) Beliavsky 2650 Illescas 2590, ? 1994 [55]
- 5: 0-1(16) Kiselev S 2510 Ristovic N 2315, ? 1991

4. MOVES AND THEMES

4.1 Move orders reaching the report position

There were 111 move orders reaching this position. The top 10 are:

- 1: 1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.Nc3 e6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (878)
- 2: 1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3 e6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (255)
- 3: 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 c6 4.Nf3 Nf6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (227)
- 4: 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 d5 4.Nc3 c6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (154)
- 5: 1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.c4 c6 4.Nc3 e6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (129)
- 6: 1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.Nc3 c6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (115)
- 7: 1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.c4 e6 4.Nc3 c6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (72)
- 8: 1.Nf3 d5 2.d4 Nf6 3.c4 c6 4.Nc3 e6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (61)
- 9: 1.d4 d5 2.Nf3 c6 3.c4 Nf6 4.Nc3 e6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (37)
- 10: 1.Nf3 d5 2.d4 Nf6 3.c4 e6 4.Nc3 c6 5.Bg5 dxc4 (34)

4.2 Moves from the report position

	Move	ECO	Frequency	y Score	AvElo	Perf	AvYear	%Draws
1:	e4	D44c	2254: 88.	7% 57.1%	2434	2465	1996	34%
2:	a4	D44b	238: 9.3	3% 55.4%	2436	2449	1995	34%
3:	e3		37: 1.4	4% 28.3%	2367	2202	1988	24%
4:	g3		9: 0.3	3% 50.0%			1994	33%
5:	Ne5		1: 0.0	0.0%			1996	0%
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4.3 Positional Themes

Frequency of themes in the first 20 moves of each game:

Same-side castling:	12%	White Isolated Queen Pawn:	75%
Opposite castling:	39%	Black Isolated Queen Pawn:	0%
Kingside pawn storm:	10%	White Pawn on 5/6/7th rank:	93%
Queens exchanged:	46%	Black Pawn on 2/3/4th rank:	100%
Only one side has Bishop pair:	5%	Open c/d/e file:	60%

4.4 Endgames

Material at the end of each game:

	P	BN	R	R,BN	Q	Q,BN	Q,R Q	,R,BN
Report games	1%	6%	10%	27%	1%	4%	6%	45%
All games	1%	6%	10%	2.7%	1 %	4%	6%	4.5%

5. THEORY TABLE

1.d4 d5 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Nf6 4.Nf3 c6 5.Bg5 dxc4: +1006 =860 -673 (1436/2539: 57%)

	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
1	a4[1] b5[2]	ab5[3] cb5	Nb5 Qb6[4]	Nc3[5] Qb2	Bd2 Nd5	Nd5[6] ed5	Rb1 Qa3	e4 Bd6[7]	17: 21%
2		e4[8]	Bc4[10]	Nd4[11]	Be3[12]	00[14]	Qf3	Rad1	34:

	Bb4	c5[9]	cd4	h6	Ne4[13]	Nf6	00	Qe7[15]	46%
3	e4 b5[16]	a4[17] Qb6[18]	Bf6[19] gf6	Be2 Bb7[20]	00 a6[21]	b3[22] cb3[23]	Qb3 Nd7	d5 Nc5[24]	29: 47%
4		 Bb7	ab5[25] cb5	Nb5 Be4[26]	Bc4[27] Bb4	Nc3 00[28]	00 Bb7[29]	Ne5 a5[30]	16: 59%
5		e5 h6	Bh4[31] g5	ef6[32] gh4	Ne5[33] Qf6	g3[34] Nd7[35]	Qe2[36] c5[37]	Nc6 Bb7[38]	18: 53%
6						a4 Bb7[39]	ab5[40] cb5[41]	Bc4 a6[42]	24: 56%
7				Ng5 Nd5	Nf7[43] Qh4	Nh8 Bb4	Rc1[44] c5[45]	dc5 Nd7[46]	19: 71%
8				hg5	Bg5 Be7	ef6 Bf6	Bf6[47] Qf6	g3 Na6[48]	15: 53%
9					Nbd7	ef6[49] Bb7[50]	g3[51] Qb6[52]	Bg2 c5[53]	19: 53%
10								000[54]	16: 81%
11							 c5	d5 Qc7[55]	19: 55%
12								 Bh6[56]	22 : 45%
13								 Nf6[57]	31: 56%
14								 Qb6[58]	58: 61%
15						g3 Qa5[59]	ef6 b4	Ne4 Ba6[60]	20: 78%
16							 Ваб	a3[61] 000[62]	16: 63%
17						Rg8	h4[63] Bb7	Bg2 Rg5[64]	12: 54%
18							Rg5	hg5 Nd5[65]	33 : 56%
19						 Bb7	Bg2[66] Qb6[67]	ef6 c5[68]	30: 72%
20								000[69]	52 : 54%

- [*1*] 6.e3 b5 7.a4 Bb4 8.Be2 Bb7 9.00 a6 10.Ne5 Nbd7 11.Bf3 Nxe5 12.dxe5 Qxd1 13.Rfxd1 Bxc3 14.axb5 axb5 15.Rxa8+ Bxa8 16.bxc3 Nd7 17.Rd6 h6 18.Bh4 g5 19.Bxc6 Bxc6 20.Rxc6 Ke7 21.Bg3 Ra8 22.f4 Ra1+ 23.Kf2 Rc1 0-1(27) Geller 2620 Sveshnikov 2510, Moscow RUS 1976;
- 8...Nbd7 9.00 Qb6 10.Qc2 00 11.e4 Bb7 12.Rad1 a6 13.Ne5 Qc7 14.f4 c5 15.Nxd7 Nxd7 16.d5 Bxc3 17.Qxc3 exd5 18.exd5 Qd6 19.f5 f6 20.Bf4 Ne5 21.Rfe1 Rae8 22.Bf1 Bxd5 23.axb5 axb5 0-1(35) Siebrecht 2431 Stellwagen 2631, Netherlands NED 2008;
- 8.Nd2 Bb7 9.Qf3 a6 10.axb5 axb5 11.Rb1 Nbd7 12.Be2 h6 13.Bf4 Nd5 14.Nde4 N7f6 15.00 Nxf4 16.Qxf4 Nd5 17.Qe5 00 18.Nc5 Bxc3 19.Nxb7 Qb8 20.e4 Qxe5 21.dxe5 Nf4 22.Bxc4 Bxe5 23.Bb3 Rfb8 0-1(26) Molnar 2560 Szily 2560, ? 1950.
- 6.g3 Nbd7 7.Bg2 Be7 8.00 00 9.Qc2 Nd5 10.Bxe7 Qxe7 11.Ne5 Nxe5 12.dxe5 Qc7 13.Qe4 b5 14.Qd4 Nxc3 15.bxc3 c5 16.Qe3 Rb8 17.Rfd1 Rb6 18.a4 b4 19.a5 Ra6 20.cxb4 cxb4 21.Ra4 Rxa5 22.Rxb4 Rc5 23.f4 c3 =-=(61) Hebden Mark L 2520 Kaidanov Gregory S 2535, ? 1989.
- [*2*] 6...c5 7.e4 cxd4 8.Nxd4 Bc5 9.Ndb5 Qa5 10.Bxf6 gxf6 11.Nd6+ Ke7 12.Nxc4 Qb4 13.Bd3 Bd4 14.00 Rd8 15.Ra3 Qc5 16.Qe2 Nc6 17.Nd2 Bd7 18.Nb3 Qb4 19.Nxd4 Nxd4 20.Qh5 Nc6 21.Bc2 Qa5 22.Nb5 b6 23.Qh4 Ne5 0-1(35) Nanu 2515 Potkin 2617, Plovdiv 2008;
- 7.e3 Nc6 8.Bxc4 cxd4 9.exd4 Be7 10.00 00 11.Re1 h6 12.Bh4 b6 13.Qd2 Bb7 =-= Cebalo 2527 Horvath 2546, Rabac 2004.
- [*3*] 7.e4 Qb6 8.Bxf6 gxf6 9.Be2 a6 10.00 Nd7 11.d5 Bc5 12.b3 b4 13.a5 Qa7 14.Na4 c3 15.Bc4 cxd5 16.exd5 e5 17.Nh4 Rg8 18.Qf3 Bb7 19.Nf5 000 20.Nxc5 Qxc5 21.Qe2 Rg5 22.Ne3 f5 23.h4 Rg6 0-1(31) Sasikiran 2652 Korneev 2594, Corsica 2005.
- [*4*] =-= Lalic 2533 Pavasovic 2597, Sibenik CRO 2008.
- [*5*] 9.Na3 Ne4 10.Nxc4 Qb4+ 11.Ncd2 Nxg5 12.Nxg5 Qxd4 13.e3 Qd5 14.Be2 Bb7 15.Bf3 Qb5 16.Qe2 Qxe2+ 17.Kxe2 Bxf3+ 18.Ngxf3 Bb4 19.Rhc1 OO 20.Rc4 Be7 21.Rc7 Bf6 22.Nc4 a5 23.Nfe5 Ra6 1-0(66) Postny 2661 Pavasovic 2597, Sibenik CRO 2008;
- 13...Qd7 14.Qb3 Bb7 15.Bb5 Bc6 16.Bxc6 Nxc6 17.00 h6 18.Ngf3 Be7 19.Rfc1 Nb4 20.Rc4 Rb8 21.Rd4 Qb5 22.Rxa7 Bc5 23.Rxf7 Kxf7 =-=(31) Argandona Rivero 2396 Korneev 2657, Elgoibar ESP 2006;
- 9...Bxa3 10.Qa4+ Nc6 11.Qxa3 Ne4 12.e3 Ba6 13.Be2 Nb4 14.00 f6 15.Bf4 Kf7 16.Rfc1 Rhc8 17.h3 g5 18.Bh2 Nd3 19.Rc2 Nb4 20.Rcc1 Nd3 21.Bxd3 cxd3 22.Bc7 Rxc7 23.Rxc7+ Qxc7 =-=(41) Halkias 2546 Mastrovasilis 2512, Thessaloniki 2003.
- [*6*] 11.Na4 Qb3 12.e4 Nb4 13.Rc1 Bd7 14.Nc3 Qxd1+ 15.Kxd1 Nd3 16.Bxd3 cxd3 17.Ne5 Nc6 18.Nb5 Rc8 19.Nxc6 Rxc6 20.Nc7+ Kd8 21.Ba5 Kc8 22.Kd2 Bd6 23.Rxc6 Bxc6 0-1(26) Balinov 2516 Buhmann 2547, Austria 2007;
- 13.Qxb3 cxb3 14.Bb5+ Bd7 15.Bxd7+ Nxd7 16.Bxb4 Bxb4+ 17.Ke2 Rc8 18.Rhb1 Rc2+ 19.Ke3 a5 20.Rxb3 00 21.Ne1 Bxe1 22.Rxe1 f5 23.e5 f4+ 0-1(46) Cebalo 2475 Korneev 2566, Nova Gorica SLO 2004.
- [*7*] 14.e5 Bc7 15.Be2 Nc6 16.00 00 17.Rb5 Be6 18.Rc5 Qa6 19.Bxc4 dxc4 20.d5 Bb6 21.Rxc6 Bxd5 22.Rd6 Rfd8 23.Qe2 Qb7 0-1(32) Petursson 2550 Shabalov 2590, ? 1994;
 - 23.Bc3 Qb7 0-1(32) Petursson 2550 Shabalov 2590, Reykjavik ISL 1994.

- 14.Rb5 00 15.Rxd5 c3 16.Bc1 Qb4 17.Bd3 c2+ 18.Qd2 Ba6 19.Ke2 Rc8 20.Qxb4 Bxd3+ 21.Kxd3 Bxb4 22.Bd2 Ba3 23.Bc1 Bf8 0-1(65) Goldin 2580 Shabalov 2570, Chicago, IL USA 1995;
- 15.Ra5 Qb2 16.Rxd5 Bb4 17.Bxc4 Bg4 18.Rb5 Bxd2+ 19.Nxd2 Qxb5 20.Qxg4 Qb2 21.Bd5 Nc6 22.00 Qxd2 23.Bxc6 Rab8 0-1(87) Banusz 2463 Buhmann 2581, Dresden 2007.
- [*8*] 7.e3 b5 8.Be2 Bb7 9.00 a6 10.Qc2 Nbd7 11.e4 h6 12.Bh4 Qb6 13.Rfd1 00 14.Ne5 Qc7 15.Nxd7 Nxd7 16.Na2 Ba5 17.Bg3 Qd8 18.b3 cxb3 19.Qxb3 Nb6 20.axb5 cxb5 21.Nc1 Nd7 22.d5 exd5 23.exd5 Re8 =-=(40) Makarov Marat 2525 Kharlov Andrei 2613, ? 1990;
- 13.Rad1 00 14.Ne5 Rae8 15.Kh1 Bc8 16.f4 Bxc3 17.bxc3 c5 18.Nxd7 Nxd7 19.d5 e5 20.d6 exf4 21.Be7 Rxe7 22.dxe7 Re8 23.axb5 axb5 0-1(54) Sasikiran 2679 Echavarria 2351, Dos Hermanas 2004.
- 7.g3 c5 8.dxc5 Qxd1+ 9.Rxd1 Nbd7 10.Bg2 Nxc5 11.Nd2 Bd7 12.00 Bxc3 13.bxc3 Bxa4 14.Ra1 00 15.Be3 Nfd7 16.Bxb7 Nxb7 17.Rxa4 Nd6 18.Rb1 a6 19.Nxc4 Nb5 20.Rb3 Rfc8 21.Kf1 Rab8 22.Ke1 Rc6 23.Nb6 Rbxb6 0-1(42) Topalov 2801 Van Wely 2647, Monte Carlo 2006.
- [*9*] 7...Bxc3+ 8.bxc3 Qa5 9.e5 Ne4 10.Bd2 Qd5 11.a5 Nd7 12.Be2 00 13.00 c5 14.Qc2 Nxd2 15.Qxd2 cxd4 16.cxd4 b5 17.axb6 Nxb6 18.Ng5 Bb7 19.Bf3 Qd7 20.Qc2 g6 21.Bxb7 Qxb7 22.Ne4 Rfd8 23.Rfd1 Rac8 =-=(47) Monclus Domingo 2570 Carless 2545, ? 1995;
 - =-=(47) Cebalo 2570 Palac 2545, Slavonski Brod CRO 1995;
- 12...b5 13.axb6 Nxb6 14.00 h6 15.Qc2 Bb7 16.Be3 00 17.Ra2 c5 18.Ra5 Qd8 19.Rfa1 cxd4 20.Bxd4 Ng5 21.Nd2 Nd5 22.Nxc4 Nf4 23.Ne3 Rc8 1-0(34) Kiselev 2510 Yakovich 2560, Moscow 1991;
- 11...c5 12.Qa4+ Bd7 13.Qxc4 Qxc4 14.Bxc4 Bc6 15.Ke2 Na6 16.Rhb1 Nc7 17.Be1 000 18.Rb2 f6 19.Rc1 Ng5 20.Nxg5 fxg5 21.Bd2 g4 22.Kf1 a6 23.dxc5 Nd5 =- (24) Khalifman 2669 Shirov 2726, Drammen 2004;
- 11.Qc2 c5 12.Be3 cxd4 13.cxd4 Qa5+ 14.Nd2 Nxd2 15.Bxd2 Qd5 16.Qxc4 Qxc4 17.Bxc4 Nc6 18.Bc3 Ne7 19.a5 Bd7 20.Bb4 Rc8 21.Be2 Nc6 22.Bc5 Nxe5 23.Rb1 Nc6 0-1(40) Ivanchuk 2779 Smeets 2601, ? 0;
 - 0-1(39) Ivanchuk 2779 Smeets 2601, Wijk aan Zee NED 2009;
- 11.Be2 c5 12.00 Nc6 13.a5 00 14.Ra4 cxd4 15.Bxc4 Qd7 16.Bb5 dxc3 17.Rxe4 cxd2 18.Qb1 Qe7 19.a6 h6 20.Nxd2 Rd8 21.Qb2 Nb8 22.Nc4 bxa6 23.Ba4 Bb7 0-1(62) Cebalo 2500 Pinter 2575, Smederevska Palanka 1987;
- 10...c5 11.Bxc4 cxd4 12.cxd4 Nxd2 13.Nxd2 Nc6 14.Bb5 00 15.Bxc6 bxc6 16.00 Qd5 17.Qc2 Ba6 18.Rfd1 Be2 19.Re1 Bh5 20.Qc3 Rfd8 21.Nb3 Rab8 22.Na5 Rb6 23.Rec1 Qxd4 1-0(33) Lputian S 2565 Kaidanov G 2640, ? 1993;
 - 1-0(32) Lputian 2565 Kaidanov 2640, Lucerne SUI 1993;
- 11...Nxd2 12.Qxd2 cxd4 13.cxd4 Nc6 14.Rb1 Ke7 15.Bb5 =-= Sasikiran 2611 Harikrishna 2504, Lausanne SUI 2001;
- 11...Nc6 12.d5 Nxd2 13.Qxd2 exd5 14.Bxd5 00 15.00 Bf5 16.Qf4 Bg6 17.c4 Qc7 18.Rad1 Rae8 19.Rfe1 Re7 20.h4 Rfe8 21.Rd2 b6 22.g4 h5 23.Rde2 Bd3 0-1(37) McCambridge 2475 Kaidanov 2620, Las Vegas 1993;
- 10.Rc1 Qd5 11.Be3 c5 12.Be2 Nc6 13.00 00 14.Qc2 cxd4 15.cxd4 c3 16.Bd3 Nb4 17.Bxe4 Nxc2 18.Bxd5 Nxe3 19.fxe3 exd5 20.Rxc3 Bd7 21.Rc7 Bxa4 22.Rxb7 Bc6 23.Rc7 Bb5 =-=(71) Petursson 2555 Kuijf 2490, Wijk aan Zee NED 1990.
- 7...b5 8.e5 h6 9.exf6 hxg5 10.fxg7 Rg8 11.h4 gxh4 12.Rxh4 Qf6 13.g3 Nd7 14.Bg2 Bb7 15.Kf1 Bxc3 16.bxc3 c5 17.axb5 Qxg7 18.dxc5 Nxc5 19.Rxc4 Rd8 20.Qe2 Nb3 21.Rd1 Qf6 22.Rc7 Be4 23.b6 axb6 1-0(27) Hansen Curt 2630 Hansen Sune_Berg 2460, ? 1995;
- 16...a6 17.Ne5 Nxe5 18.dxe5 Qxe5 19.axb5 Rd8 20.Rd4 Rxd4 21.cxd4 Qxg7 22.bxa6 Ba8 23.a7 Ke7 1-0(31) Komarov 2582 Perez 2457, Yucatan 1999;

- 11.g3 Bb7 12.Bg2 c5 13.00 g4 14.Nh4 Bxg2 15.Nxg2 cxd4 16.Nxb5 Nc6 17.Qxg4 a6 18.Qe4 Rc8 19.Rfd1 Bc5 20.Qh7 Kd7 21.Na3 Bxa3 22.Rxa3 Qg5 23.Ne3 Rxg7 1-0(40) Jussupow 2655 Van Wely 2560, ? 1994.
- 7...Qa5 8.Bd2 00 9.Bxc4 c5 10.dxc5 Qxc5 11.Qe2 e5 12.00 Bg4 13.Be3 Bxf3 14.gxf3 Qa5 15.Nd5 Nxd5 16.Bxd5 Nc6 17.f4 Bc5 18.Qb5 Bxe3 19.Qxa5 Nxa5 20.fxe3 Nc6 21.Rac1 exf4 22.exf4 Rfd8 23.Rc5 Kf8 =-=(85) Harikrishna 2668 Haba 2525, Germany 2008.
- [*10*] 8.e5 cxd4 9.exf6 gxf6 10.Bh4 Nc6 11.Nxd4 Nxd4 12.Bxc4 Ke7 13.Qd2 Nf5 14.Bxf6+ Kxf6 15.Ne4+ Kg7 16.Qxb4 Qd4 17.Ng3 Qe5+ 18.Be2 Rd8 19.Ra3 a5 20.Qg4+ Kh8 21.00 Qxb2 22.Nxf5 exf5 23.Qh4 Be6 =-=(38) Lin Weiguo CHN 2545 Kaidanov 2640, Lucerne SUI 1993.
- [*11*] 9.Bb5+ Nc6 10.Nxd4 Bd7 11.00 h6 12.Bxf6 Qxf6 13.Bxc6 Bxc6 14.Nxc6 bxc6 15.Rc1 00 16.Qe2 Rfd8 17.Na2 Rd2 18.Qc4 Ba5 19.Nb4 Bb6 20.Rc2 Rad8 21.Nxc6 Rxf2 22.Rcxf2 Rd2 23.a5 Bxf2+ 0-1(33) Lputian 2590 Akopian 2605, Erevan ARM 1994;
- 12.Be3 00 13.f3 Ne5 14.Nc2 Bxc3 15.bxc3 Qc7 16.Bd4 Rfd8 17.Ne3 a6 18.Be2 Bc6 19.Qb3 Ng6 20.Bb6 Qf4 21.g3 Qg5 22.f4 Nxf4 23.Rxf4 Nxe4 =-=(36) Hansen 2630 Tisdall 2470, ? 1995;
- 12.Bh4 Qb6 13.Nxc6 bxc6 14.Bc4 Bxc3 15.bxc3 Nxe4 16.Qg4 Ng5 17.Bxg5 hxg5 18.Qxg5 Qd8 19.Qxg7 Qh4 20.h3 Ke7 21.Rfd1 Qxc4 22.Rd4 Qc5 23.Rxd7+ Kxd7 1-0(31) Danielian 2460 Sherbakov 2580, Balatonbereny 1993;
- 11.Nxc6 Bxc6 12.Qxd8+ Rxd8 13.Bxc6+ bxc6 14.f3 Rb8 15.Kd2 Nd7 16.Kc2 f6 17.Be3 Bc5 18.Rhe1 Bxe3 19.Rxe3 Ne5 20.b3 g5 21.Ne2 Ke7 22.Rc3 Rhd8 23.h4 gxh4 =-=(43) Ikonnikov 2564 Ninov 2501, Selestat 2008;
- 11...bxc6 12.Bc4 h6 13.Bh4 Qa5 14.00 Qh5 15.Qxh5 Nxh5 16.f3 Nf4 17.Rfd1 Bc5+ 18.Bf2 Bxf2+ 19.Kxf2 g5 20.a5 Ng6 21.Na4 Rb8 22.Rd2 Ke7 23.Nc5 Bc8 =-=(36) Lastin 2525 Hansen 2505, ? 2000;
- 10...00 11.Nxc6 Qxd1+ 12.Kxd1 bxc6 13.Bxc6 Rb8 14.Bxf6 gxf6 15.Kc2 Ba6 16.Bb5 Bb7 17.f3 Bd6 18.Rad1 Be5 19.Rd3 Rfc8 20.b3 Bc6 21.Bc4 Rb4 22.Rhd1 Kg7 23.Rd8 Rc7 =-=(33) Ikonnikov 2587 Smeets 2525, Hoogeveen 2006.
- [*12*] 10.Bxf6 Qxf6 11.Bb5+ Nd7 12.00 00 13.Nde2 Qe7 14.Rc1 a6 15.Bd3 Rd8 16.Bb1 Ne5 17.Qc2 Bd7 18.Rcd1 Bc6 19.Nd4 Be8 20.Nde2 Rac8 21.Rxd8 Qxd8 22.Rd1 Qa5 23.Ba2 b5 0-1(33) Bencheikh 2500 Bencheikh 2630, ? 2000;
 - 0-1(33) Hauchard 2513 Lautier 2632, Paris FRA 2000.
- 10.Bb5+ Bd7 11.Bxf6 Qxf6 12.Bxd7+ Nxd7 13.Ne2 Qe7 14.00 00 15.Qb3 Ne5 16.Na2 Bc5 17.Qc3 Nc6 18.Rac1 Bb6 19.g3 Rfd8 20.Rfd1 Rxd1+ 21.Rxd1 Rd8 22.Rxd8+ Qxd8 23.Qc2 Qf6 0-1(40) Bareev 2670 Ivanchuk 2730, ? 1985;
- 10...Nbd7 11.Bxf6 Qxf6 12.Ne2 a6 13.Bxd7+ Bxd7 14.00 Bc6 15.Qb3 Bd6 16.Rad1 Rd8 17.Kh1 00 18.f4 Bc5 19.Qc4 Qe7 20.h3 Rc8 21.f5 b5 22.axb5 axb5 23.Nxb5 exf5 0-1(35) Kiselev 2530 Dreev 2590, Helsinki 1992.
- 10.Bf4 Qe7 11.e5 Nd5 12.Bxd5 exd5 13.Nb5 a6 14.00 axb5 15.Nxd5 Qd8 16.e6 00 17.Bc7 Qg5 18.e7 Re8 19.Nxb4 Bg4 20.Qd4 bxa4 21.h4 Qg6 22.Ra3 Nc6 23.Nxc6 Qxc6 =-=(45) Vallejo Pons 2664 Ivanisevic 2658, Kallithea GRE 2008.
- [*13*] 10...00 11.f3 Qe7 12.00 Nc6 13.Nxc6 bxc6 14.Qe2 a5 15.e5 Nd5 16.Ne4 Nxe3 17.Qxe3 Rd8 18.Rad1 Ba6 19.Rxd8+ Qxd8 20.b3 Bxc4 21.bxc4 Qc7 22.f4 Rd8 23.Nf2 Bd2 =-=(37) Yermolinsky 2560 Atalik 2525, Hastings ENG 1995.
- [*14*] 11.Nb5 Nd7 12.00 Bxc3 13.bxc3 00 14.Qd4 Ndf6 15.Qxd8 Rxd8 16.Nc7 Bd7 17.Nxa8 Rxa8 18.Rfc1 a6 19.Be2 Nd5 20.Bd4 Rc8 21.c4 Nf4 22.Bf1 Bc6 23.f3 Ng5 1-0(68) Postny 2598 Solodovnichenko 2582, Zlatibor 2007.
- [*15*] 14.Rfe1 Nc6 15.Qg3 Kh8 16.Nxc6 bxc6 17.Bd4 Rd8 18.Rd3 Bb7 19.Ree3 Rxd4 20.Rxd4 Bc5 21.Rd1 Bxe3 22.Qxe3 =-= Bronstein 2520 Botvinnik 2700, ? 1951.

- [*16*] 6...Qb6 7.Qc2 Nbd7 8.Bxc4 h6 9.Be3 Be7 10.00 00 11.a3 Qc7 12.e5 Nd5 13.Bd2 Nxc3 14.bxc3 c5 15.Qe4 cxd4 16.Bd3 g6 17.cxd4 Kg7 18.Nh4 Bxh4 19.Qxh4 Rh8 20.Rfc1 Qb8 21.Rc3 g5 22.Qg3 Nb6 23.Bxg5 Kf8 1-0(29) Kashdan 2730 Jaffe 2445, ? 1938.
- 6...h6 7.Bxf6 Qxf6 8.Bxc4 Nd7 9.e5 Qd8 10.00 Nb6 11.Bb3 a5 12.a3 Be7 13.Ne4 Nd5 14.Qc2 00 15.Rad1 b6 16.Rfe1 Ba6 17.Ba2 Rc8 18.Bb1 g6 19.g3 Kg7 20.h4 Rh8 21.Kg2 Bb7 22.Qe2 c5 23.dxc5 Bxc5 1-0(45) Cebalo 2520 Jankovic 2528, Zagreb CRO 2008.
- [*17*] 7.Qc2 Nbd7 8.Be2 h6 9.Bh4 Be7 10.00 00 11.Rfd1 Bb7 12.Bg3 Qb6 13.h3 Rfd8 14.a4 a6 15.Rd2 Rac8 16.Rad1 b4 17.e5 bxc3 18.exf6 Nxf6 19.bxc3 c5 20.dxc5 Qxc5 21.Rd4 Rxd4 22.Rxd4 Qa3 23.Rxc4 Rxc4 0-1(51) Spraggett 2560 Nogueiras 2545, Taxco MEX 1985.
- [*18*] 7...b4 8.Nb1 Ba6 9.Qc1 c3 10.bxc3 Bxf1 11.Kxf1 Nbd7 12.Nbd2 c5 13.d5 Be7 14.dxe6 fxe6 15.cxb4 cxb4 16.Qc6 Rc8 17.Qxe6 Nc5 18.Qc4 Ncd7 19.Qa6 OO 20.e5 Nd5 21.Qe6+ Kh8 22.Qxd5 Bxg5 23.e6 Bxd2 =-=(36) Lerner 2550 Sveshnikov 2535, Kujbyshev 1986;
- 16...00 17.Qxe6+ Kh8 18.e5 Nd5 19.Qxd5 Bxg5 20.Ne4 Be7 21.Ke2 Qe8 22.Rhd1 Nb6 23.Qb3 =-= Dizdar 2545 Sveshnikov 2540, Bled 1999;
- 13...Qb6 14.c4 Bd6 15.Bxf6 gxf6 16.g3 Ke7 17.Kg2 Rag8 18.Rd1 h5 19.Ra2 h4 20.Nb3 hxg3 21.hxg3 Bxg3 22.fxg3 Qd6 23.Rf2 Rxg3+ 0-1(36) Dizdar 2563 Wells 2492, Austria 1999;
- 13.cxb4 cxb4 14.g3 Rc8 15.Qb2 h6 16.Bxf6 Nxf6 17.Kg2 Be7 18.Rhc1 00 19.Ne5 Qb6 20.f3 Rfd8 21.Nb3 Qa6 22.Kf2 Bd6 23.Qe2 Qxe2+ 0-1(36) Dizdar 2570 Sveshnikov 2575, Bled SLO 1998;
- 13.Bxf6 gxf6 14.d5 Rc8 15.cxb4 cxb4 16.Qb2 Qb6 17.g3 Bg7 18.Kg2 OO 19.dxe6 fxe6 20.a5 Qb5 21.Rab1 f5 22.Qa2 Kh8 23.Ng5 Nc5 1-0(57) Comas Fabrego 2465 Korneev 2590, Spain 1997;
- 12...a5 13.d5 Be7 14.dxe6 fxe6 15.cxb4 axb4 16.Qxc6 OO 17.e5 Nd5 18.Qxe6+ Kh8 19.Qxd5 Bxg5 20.Ne4 Be7 21.Ke2 Qe8 22.Rhd1 Nb6 23.Qb3 =-= Dizdar 2549 Sveshnikov 2541, Bled SLO 1999;
- 12.g3 c5 13.Kg2 Rc8 14.cxb4 cxb4 15.Qb2 h6 16.Bxf6 Nxf6 17.Nbd2 Be7 18.Rhc1 00 19.Ne5 Qb6 20.f3 Qa6 21.Nb3 Rxc1 22.Rxc1 Qxa4 23.Ra1 Qb5 =-=(45) Comas Fabrego 2465 Korneev 2590, Linares open 1997;
- 8...Be7 9.e5 Nd5 10.Bxe7 Qxe7 11.Bxc4 a5 12.Nbd2 00 13.00 Ba6 14.Rc1 Rc8 15.Re1 Nb6 16.Ba2 N8d7 17.Ne4 h6 18.h4 Rc7 19.h5 Bb7 20.Bb1 Nf8 21.Nd6 Bc8 22.Nd2 f5 23.N2c4 Nd5 =-=(64) Tukmakov 2565 Pinter 2565, Szirak 1985;
- 8.Ne2 Ba6 9.Ng3 Qa5 10.Be2 c5 11.d5 Nbd7 12.dxe6 fxe6 13.00 Qc7 14.Qc2 000 15.Bxc4 Bxc4 16.Qxc4 Re8 17.a5 Ng4 18.Rfd1 Nge5 19.Nxe5 Nxe5 20.Qe2 Qc6 21.Be3 Be7 22.f4 Nd7 23.Rac1 Nb8 0-1(51) Ivanisevic 2530 Korneev 2619, Elgoibar 2000.
- 7...Bb4 8.e5 h6 9.exf6 hxg5 10.fxg7 Rg8 11.g3 Nd7 12.Bg2 Bb7 13.h4 g4 14.Nd2 a6 15.Qxg4 Qf6 16.axb5 axb5 17.Rxa8+ Bxa8 18.00 Rxg7 19.Qf4 Qxf4 20.gxf4 c5 21.f3 cxd4 22.Nxb5 Bxd2 23.Nc7+ Ke7 0-1(27) Gyimesi 2602 Naumann 2532, playchess.com INT 2006;
- 11.h4 g4 12.Ne5 Rxg7 13.Be2 Bb7 14.Bxg4 Nd7 15.Bf3 Qc7 16.Qe2 a6 17.00 Bxc3 18.bxc3 Nxe5 19.Qxe5 Qxe5 20.dxe5 000 21.Rfd1 Rxd1+ 22.Rxd1 c5 23.Bxb7+ Kxb7 =-=(26) Ramirez 2483 Becerra Rivero 2559, Internet Chess Club INT 2005;
- 8.axb5 cxb5 9.e5 h6 10.Bh4 g5 11.Nxg5 hxg5 12.Bxg5 Nbd7 13.Qf3 Rb8 14.exf6 Bb7 15.Qg3 Rg8 16.Be2 Qb6 17.00 Bd6 18.Qh4 b4 19.Nd1 Qb5 20.f4 Qd5 21.Bf3 Qxd4+ 22.Kh1 Nc5 23.Qh7 Rf8 1-0(34) Tal 2625 Mihalcisin 2460, Tbilisi GEO 1978.
- 7...Be7 8.axb5 cxb5 9.Bxf6 gxf6 10.Nxb5 Rg8 11.g3 Qb6 12.Bxc4 a6 13.Na3 Qxb2 14.00 Bxa3 15.Qa4+ Bd7 16.Qxa3 Qxa3 17.Rxa3 Ke7 18.d5 Rc8 19.Bd3 a5 20.Rb1 a4 21.Nd2 Ra5 22.Nc4 Rb5 23.Rxb5 Bxb5 =-=(80) Halkias 2546 Mastrovasilis 2512, Aspropyrgos GRE 2003.

- [*19*] 8.Qc2 Nbd7 9.Be2 Bb7 10.00 a6 11.Rfd1 h6 12.Be3 Ng4 13.Bf4 Ngf6 14.b3 cxb3 15.Qxb3 Be7 16.e5 Nd5 17.Nxd5 cxd5 18.axb5 OO 19.Rab1 axb5 20.Bxb5 Bc6 21.Bxc6 Qxc6 22.Rdc1 Qa6 23.Qb7 Qxb7 =-=(58) Azmaiparashvili 2625 Wojtkiewicz 2555, Tilburg NED 1994.
- [*20*] 9...a6 10.00 Bb7 11.b3 b4 12.a5 Qc7 13.Na4 c3 14.Nb6 Ra7 15.d5 cxd5 16.exd5 e5 17.Nh4 Nd7 18.Nc4 Qc5 19.Qc2 Bxd5 20.Rad1 Be6 21.Nf5 Rg8 22.Kh1 Rg5 23.Nfe3 Be7 1-0(45) Gyimesi 2624 Acs 2518, Hungary HUN 2005;
- 15.Bc4 Nd7 16.d5 cxd5 17.exd5 e5 18.Qe2 Bd6 19.Na4 Nc5 20.Nb6 Nd7 21.Na4 Nc5 22.Nb6 =-= Comas Fabrego 2510 Korneev 2615, Cala Galdana ESP 1999.
- 9...Bb4 10.00 Bb7 11.Qd2 a6 12.Qh6 Nd7 13.Rfd1 000 14.Qh5 Rdf8 15.Bf1 Kb8 16.d5 Nc5 17.dxc6 Bxc6 18.axb5 axb5 19.Nd4 Rhg8 20.g3 Rg5 21.Qh6 Nb3 22.Nxb3 cxb3 23.Qxf6 Rfg8 1-0(27) Tarnowiecki Dr Harald (AUT) 2580 Sorensen Bent (DEN) 2565, ? 1995.
- [*21*] 10...Nd7 11.d5 a6 12.Nd4 Rd8 13.Nxe6 Rc8 14.dxc6 Bxc6 15.Nd4 Bc5 16.Nxc6 Qxc6 17.axb5 axb5 18.Bg4 Rd8 19.Bxd7+ Rxd7 20.Nd5 Kf8 21.Qh5 h6 22.Nxf6 Rd2 23.e5 Be7 =-=(45) Gelashvili 2573 Graf 2661, Aghia Pelagia, Creta 2004;
- 11...cxd5 12.exd5 b4 13.a5 Qa6 14.dxe6 fxe6 15.Na4 Rg8 16.Qc2 000 17.Rfc1 Kb8 18.Ne1 Ne5 19.Qxh7 Bd6 20.Qh3 Qc6 21.f4 Ng6 0-1 Eingorn 2530 Dolmatov 2540, Kharkov 1985;
- 11.axb5 cxb5 12.b3 Bb4 13.Na2 a5 14.bxc4 bxc4 15.Bxc4 Bxe4 16.Nxb4 Qxb4 17.Nd2 Bg6 18.d5 e5 19.Ra4 Qb6 20.Be2 OO 21.Nc4 Qc5 22.h4 Rfc8 23.h5 Be4 =-=(33) Stocek 2567 Ehlvest 2640, Philadelphia 2007;
- 11.a5 Qc7 12.a6 Bc8 13.d5 b4 14.dxe6 fxe6 15.Nb1 Nc5 16.Bxc4 Be7 17.Nd4 OO 18.Nd2 Kh8 19.Qh5 Bd7 20.N2b3 e5 21.Nxc5 Bxc5 22.Nf3 Be8 23.Qh3 Rd8 =-=(38) Hillarp Persson 2529 Agrest 2602, Goteborg SWE 2004.
- [*22*] 11.d5 Bc5 12.dxe6 fxe6 13.e5 Nd7 14.exf6 000 =-= Lputian 2580 Ribli 2590, ? 1985;
- 11...Nd7 12.b3 cxd5 13.exd5 b4 14.a5 Qd6 15.dxe6 fxe6 16.Na4 c3 17.Bc4 Qxd1 18.Rfxd1 Bxf3 19.gxf3 Bh6 20.Bxe6 Ne5 21.Bd5 Rc8 22.f4 Bxf4 23.Rd4 Bd2 0-1(38) Gyimesi 2618 Horvath 2546, Budapest 2004.
- [*23*] 11...Qa5 12.Qc1 b4 13.Nd1 c3 14.Qf4 Nd7 15.Ne3 000 16.Qh4 Rg8 17.Rfd1 Rg6 18.d5 Qc7 19.Qxh7 cxd5 20.Qxf7 Rg7 21.Qxe6 dxe4 22.Nd4 Kb8 23.Ndf5 Nc5 0-1(60) Halkias 2590 Bruno 2445, Bad Wiessee 2007.
- [*24*] 14.Qb1 Be7 15.dxc6 =-= Zakharevich 2530 Savchenko 2595, Maikop RUS 1998.
 - =-= Farago 2512 Pavasovic 2527, Bled 2005.
- [*25*] 8.e5 h6 9.Bh4 g5 10.exf6 gxh4 11.Ne5 Qxf6 12.axb5 c5 13.Be2 Bg7 14.Nxc4 OO 15.dxc5 Bxg2 16.Rg1 h3 17.c6 Qf4 18.Qd6 Qxd6 19.Nxd6 Be5 20.000 Kh8 21.Bf1 Bxh2 22.Rxg2 hxg2 23.Bxg2 Nxc6 1-0(28) Azmaiparashvili 2673 Chernin 2572, Neum BIH 2000;
- 11...Nd7 12.Qh5 Qxf6 13.Nxd7 Kxd7 14.axb5 cxb5 15.Qxb5+ Bc6 16.Qxc4 Bd6 17.Ra6 Rhc8 18.Rxc6 Rxc6 19.Qa4 Qg5 20.Bb5 Qxg2 21.d5 Qxh1+ 22.Ke2 Kd8 23.Bxc6 Rb8 0-1(45) Van Wely 2560 Kramnik 2590, Manila PHI 1992;
- 11.Be2 c5 12.dxc5 Nd7 13.c6 Bxc6 14.Nd4 Bxg2 15.Rg1 Bh3 16.Qd2 b4 17.Ne4 Nxf6 18.Bxc4 Be7 19.Qe3 Nxe4 20.Qxe4 Rc8 21.Nxe6 Rxc4 22.Ng7+ Kf8 23.Qxc4 Rg8 0-1(32) Dokhoian 2575 Kuijf 2485, Wijk aan Zee NED 1989.
- 8.Be2 b4 9.Na2 c5 10.Bxc4 Be7 11.dxc5 Qxd1+ 12.Rxd1 Nxe4 13.Bb5+ Kf8 =-= Vaganian 2645 Ribli 2585, London 1986;
- 8...Nbd7 9.00 b4 10.Nb1 h6 11.Bxf6 Nxf6 12.e5 Nd5 13.Bxc4 Be7 14.Nbd2 c5 15.Bb5+ Kf8 16.dxc5 Bxc5 17.Nb3 Be7 18.Nfd4 g6 19.Rc1 Kg7 20.Bc6 Bxc6 21.Rxc6

- Qd7 22.Qc2 Rhc8 23.Rc1 Rxc6 1-0(44) Yermolinsky 2620 Finegold 2475, Key West, FL USA 1994.
- [*26*] 9...Bb4+ 10.Nc3 Bxe4 11.Bxc4 Nc6 12.00 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Nxd4 14.Qe3 Nc2 15.Bb5+ Kf8 16.Bxf6 Nxe3 17.Bxd8 Nxf1 18.Bg5 f6 19.Bc1 Nxh2 20.Kxh2 a5 21.Bc4 Ke7 22.Na4 Rhd8 23.Be3 Rac8 1-0(42) Hulak 2545 Piket 2670, Wijk aan Zee NED 1995.
- [*27*] 10.Qa4 Nc6 11.Ne5 Bb4+ 12.Nc3 Rc8 13.f3 00 14.fxe4 Qxd4 15.Nxc6 Qxe4+ 16.Be2 Bxc3+ 17.bxc3 Qxg2 18.Ne7+ Kh8 19.Rf1 Qxg5 20.Nxc8 Ne4 21.Rf3 Qh4+ 22.Kd1 Qd8+ 23.Ke1 =-= Halkias 2584 Timofeev 2664, Plovdiv BUL 2008;
- 22...Rd8+ 23.Kc2 Rd2+ =-=(32) Sokolov 2611 Vera 2584, Barcelona ESP 2000.
- 10.Bxf6 Bb4+ 11.Nc3 Qxf6 12.Be2 OO 13.OO Bb7 14.Ne5 Rd8 15.Qa4 Qe7 16.Bxc4 Rxd4 17.Rad1 Rxd1 18.Rxd1 Bd6 19.Nxf7 Kxf7 20.Re1 Bc6 21.Qd1 Nd7 22.Qh5+ Kf8 23.Rxe6 Nf6 =-=(25) Comas Fabrego 2490 Illescas Cordoba 2595, Spain 1995.
- [*28*] 11...Nbd7 12.00 Bxc3 13.bxc3 00 14.Bd3 Qc7 15.c4 a5 16.Re1 Bxd3 17.Qxd3 Rfb8 18.Ra3 Rb7 19.Rea1 Rba7 20.h3 h6 21.Bxf6 Nxf6 22.Ra4 Nd7 23.Qc3 Ra6 1-0(49) Gyimesi 2605 Vera Gonzalez 2557, Yerevan ARM 2001;
- 15...Rfe8 16.Bxf6 Nxf6 17.Bxe4 Nxe4 18.Qd3 Nf6 19.Ra4 Red8 20.Qe3 Nd7 21.c5 h6 22.Rfa1 Nb8 23.Ne5 Nc6 =-=(76) Ribli 2585 Inkiov 2480, Dubai UAE 1986.
- [*29*] 12...Bxc3 13.bxc3 Qc7 14.Bxf6 Qxc4 15.Nd2 Qc6 16.Nxe4 Qxe4 17.Re1 Qf5 18.Be7 Rc8 19.Re5 Qg6 20.Rg5 Qe4 21.Bf6 g6 22.Qa4 a6 23.Rc5 Qb7 =-=(37) Sokolov 2625 Pinter 2550, Lyon tt 1994;
 - 13...Nbd7 14.Bd3 Qc7 =-= Gyimesi 2518 Mueller 2527, Hamburg GER 2000.
- [*30*] 14.Rc1 Nc6 15.Bxf6 gxf6 16.Nxc6 Bxc6 17.d5 Bxc3 18.Rxc3 Bxd5 19.Rd3 Qc7 20.Bxd5 exd5 21.Rh3 f5 22.Qxd5 Qf4 23.Qd1 Ra6 =-=(50) Ribli 2590 Chernin 2595, HUN 1996;
 - =-=(31) Ribli 2590 Chernin 2595, ? 1996.
- 13...Be7 14.Qb3 Qb6 15.Qxb6 axb6 16.Rxa8 Bxa8 17.Ra1 Bd5 18.Bb5 Rd8 19.Ra7 Kf8 20.f3 h6 21.Be3 Ne8 22.Nxd5 Rxd5 23.Be2 Nf6 1-0(40) Knaak 2555 Mueller 2550, Porz GER 1998.
- [*31*] 8.Bf4 g5 9.Nxg5 hxg5 10.Bxg5 Nbd7 11.exf6 Bb7 12.g3 Qb6 13.Bg2 000 14.00 Ne5 15.Qe2 Qxd4 16.Be3 Qd3 17.Rfd1 Qxe2 18.Rxd8+ Kxd8 19.Nxe2 Nd3 20.b3 Kc7 21.bxc4 bxc4 22.Bxa7 c5 23.Rb1 Bxg2 =-=(41) Smyslov Vassily (RUS) 2494 Botvinnik 2630, Moscow (Russia) 1954;
- 12...c5 13.d5 Bh6 14.Bxh6 Rxh6 15.Qd2 Qxf6 16.Ne4 Qf3 17.Nd6+ Ke7 18.Nxb7 Rh5 19.Rg1 Rxd5 20.Bg2 Rxd2 21.Bxf3 Rxb2 22.000 Rxa2 23.Kb1 Ra3 0-1(43) Zontakh 2532 Popov 2545, Bydgoszcz POL 2001.
- [*32*] 9.Bg3 Nd5 10.Nd2 Nd7 11.a4 b4 12.Nce4 c3 13.Nc4 cxb2 14.Nxb2 b3 15.Bd3 Bb4+ 16.Kf1 a5 17.Qxb3 Rb8 18.Qc2 Bb7 19.h4 g4 20.h5 Qb6 21.Nc4 Qxd4 22.Rd1 Kf8 23.Be2 Qa7 =-=(39) Nakamura 2686 Andriasian 2533, ICC INT 2008;
- 11.Be2 Bb7 12.00 Qb6 13.a4 a6 14.Nde4 c5 15.Nxd5 Bxd5 16.Nc3 cxd4 17.Nxd5 exd5 18.Bh5 Bg7 19.e6 00 20.exd7 Rad8 21.axb5 axb5 22.Qf3 Rxd7 23.Bg4 Rdd8 0-1(45) Del Rio Angelis 2506 Korneev 2565, Evora 2007;
- 10...Bb7 11.Be2 Nd7 12.OO Qb6 13.a4 a6 14.Nde4 Be7 15.Qd2 h5 16.Nxd5 exd5 17.Nxg5 c5 18.Rae1 h4 19.Bf4 Nf8 20.e6 Nxe6 21.Bg4 Bxg5 22.Bxg5 cxd4 23.Qb4 1-0 Radjabov 2673 Mastrovasilis 2562, Warsaw POL 2005;
- 11...Qb6 12.Nde4 Nd7 13.00 c5 14.Nxd5 Bxd5 15.Nc3 cxd4 16.Nxd5 exd5 17.Bh5 Be7 18.a4 b4 19.a5 Qe6 20.f4 gxf4 21.Rxf4 Rf8 22.Rxd4 Bc5 23.Kh1 Bxd4 =- (28) Butnorius 2605 Riccio 2514, ICCF 2007;

- 10...Be7 11.Be2 Bb7 12.Nde4 Nd7 13.h4 c5 14.hxg5 Nxc3 15.Nxc3 cxd4 16.Qxd4 Bxg5 17.00 Nb6 18.Qxd8+ Rxd8 19.Nxb5 Rd2 20.Nd6+ Kd7 21.Rfe1 Bd5 22.Nxf7 Rc8 23.Nxg5 hxg5 1-0(49) Hillarp Persson 2549 Hector 2508, Goteborg SWE 2006;
- 10...h5 11.h4 g4 12.Be2 Nd7 13.a4 Bb7 14.00 a6 15.Nde4 Qb6 16.Qd2 Be7 17.Nd6+ Bxd6 18.exd6 000 19.Nxd5 cxd5 20.axb5 axb5 21.b3 Nf6 22.Qf4 Ne4 23.d7+ Kxd7 1-0(56) Kogan 2507 Dgebuadze 2539, Utrecht NED 1999.
- [*33*] 10.a4 Bb7 11.Ne5 Qxf6 12.Be2 Bg7 13.Bf3 Qe7 14.axb5 cxb5 15.Nxb5 00 16.00 Rd8 17.Re1 a6 18.Nc3 Ra7 19.d5 Qg5 20.Nxc4 Bxd5 21.Nxd5 exd5 22.Ra5 dxc4 23.Rxg5 Rxd1 =-=(45) Azmaiparashvili 2585 Morovic Fernandez 2535, Ponferrada 1991.
- [*34*] 11.Be2 Nd7 12.00 Nxe5 13.dxe5 Qxe5 14.Bf3 Bb7 15.Re1 Qd6 16.Nxb5 cxb5 17.Bxb7 Qxd1 18.Raxd1 Rd8 19.Bc6+ Ke7 20.Rxd8 Kxd8 21.Bxb5 Bd6 22.Bxc4 Bf4 23.Re4 Bg5 =-=(32) Stahlberg 2560 Foltys 2560, ? 1949;
 - 11...Bg7 =-= Williams 2473 Kazhgaleyev 2606, Port Erin 2006.
- [*35*] 11...a6 12.Bg2 Ra7 13.00 Rc7 14.Re1 hxg3 15.hxg3 Qd8 16.d5 cxd5 17.Nxd5 Rb7 18.Nxc4 bxc4 19.Qd4 Rb5 20.Rad1 Rxd5 21.Bxd5 Rg8 22.Bxe6 Qxd4 23.Bxc8+ Kd8 1-0(37) Pashikian 2532 Kotanjian 2524, Yerevan ARM 2007.
- [*36*] 12.f4 Bb7 13.Bg2 Nxe5 14.fxe5 Qe7 15.00 000 16.Qh5 Rxd4 17.Rxf7 Qg5 18.Qxg5 hxg5 19.Ne4 h3 20.Bh1 Rd5 21.Raf1 Bb4 22.a3 Ba5 23.Bf3 Bc7 0-1(39) Portisch 2475 Ribli 2595, Warsaw 1979.
- [*37*] 12...Nxe5 13.dxe5 Qe7 14.Bg2 Bb7 15.000 Bg7 16.f4 00 17.Rd6 Rad8 18.Rhd1 Rxd6 19.exd6 Qd8 20.Ne4 Qb6 21.gxh4 Rd8 22.Bf3 c3 23.Kb1 c5 =-=(44) Agrest 2591 Ivanisevic 2588, Gonfreville FRA 2006;
- 20...Qa5 21.Kb1 Qb6 22.Qg4 f5 23.Qg6 c5 0-1(50) Bronstein 2432 Botvinnik 2630, Moscow (Russia) 1951.
- [*38*] 14.Nd5 Bxc6 15.Nxf6+ Nxf6 16.d5 Nxd5 17.Bg2 Bg7 18.a4 00 19.axb5 Bxb5 20.00 a6 21.Qh5 hxg3 22.fxg3 Rad8 23.Rf2 Ne3 1-0(36) Jobava 2614 Cheparinov 2625, Wijk aan Zee 2006;
- 21...c3 22.bxc3 Bxf1 23.Rxf1 hxg3 1-0(81) Vitiugov 2573 Geller 2505, Cheboksary RUS 2006.
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- 15...Nb6 16.Qxa7 Bc5 17.axb5 Rg8 18.g3 Bxf2+ 19.Kxf2 hxg3+ 20.Ke1 g2 21.Kd2 Qf4+ 22.Kc2 Qf5+ 23.Kd2 Qg5+ =-=(49) San Segundo Carrillo 2536 Illescas Cordoba 2598, Ayamonte, Huelva (ESP) 2007;
- 15...Bc5 16.axb5 Rg8 17.g3 Bxf2+ 18.Kxf2 hxg3+ 19.Ke1 g2 20.Kd2 Qf4+ 21.Kc2 Qf5+ 22.Kd2 Qg5+ 23.Kc2 Qg6+ =-=(48) San Segundo Carrillo Pablo (E 2536 Illescas Cordoba Miguel (ESP) 2598, Ayamonte (Spain) 2007;
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- 12.Ng4 Qe7 13.axb5 Bb7 14.dxc5 Qxc5 15.Ra4 Qd6 16.Nf6+ Kd8 17.Qh5 Qe7 18.Nfe4 f5 19.Nd2 Nd7 20.Rxc4 Bg7 21.Be2 Nb6 22.Rxh4 Bxg2 23.Rg1 Bf6 =-=(53) Rusev 2541 Stanojoski 2502, Zadar CRO 2008.
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- 12...c5 13.Nxb5 Na6 14.00 Rg8 15.Bf3 Bxf3 16.Nxf3 cxd4 17.Rc1 Rc8 18.Nfxd4 Rc5 19.f4 Nb4 20.f5 e5 21.Qf3 Be7 22.Nb3 Rc8 23.Nd2 h3 1-0(60) Seirawan 2595 Pinter 2575, Zagreb CRO 1987;
- 13.Bh5 Bg7 14.Bxf7+ Ke7 15.f4 Rd8 16.00 b4 17.Nb5 Nc6 18.Qe2 Nxd4 19.Qxc4 Rac8 20.Nxd4 Rxd4 21.Qb5 Rc7 22.Rad1 Qxf7 23.Nxf7 Kxf7 1-0(31) Meleghegyi 2600 Bryson 2565, ? 1990;
- 12...Nd7 13.Nxd7 Kxd7 14.00 a6 15.Bf3 Rg8 16.Ne4 Qf4 17.b3 cxb3 18.Qxb3 Kc7 19.Rac1 Kb8 20.Rfe1 Ra7 21.g3 b4 22.Bg2 Qc7 23.d5 Be7 1-0(37) Vescovi 2645 Abreu Delgado 2436, Bermuda 2005.
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- 13...cxd4 14.Qxd4 Bg7 15.f4 00 16.00 Qd8 17.Rfd1 Qxd4+ 18.Rxd4 a6 19.Bf3 Bxf3 20.gxf3 Ra7 21.Ne4 f6 22.Ng6 f5 23.Rxc4 Rd8 0-1(42) Gozzoli 2453 Ivanisevic 2602, France 2007;
- 13.Bxc4 Bd6 14.Ng4 Qf4 15.d5 Nd7 16.dxe6 fxe6 17.Bxe6 Ne5 18.Ne3 c4 19.Qh5+ Kd8 20.000 Kc7 21.Nb1 Qg5 22.Qxg5 hxg5 23.b6+ 1-0 Korobov 2573 Ionov 2546, Sochi 2008.
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- 18...Qxd4 19.Qxa8 Bb4+ 20.Ke2 Qg4+ 21.Qf3 Qxf3+ 22.Kxf3 Rg8 23.Ne5 Ke7 =-=(39) Gustafsson 2606 Berczes 2430, Germany GER 2008;
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- 14...Bb4+ 15.Nc3 Bxc3+ 16.bxc3 Bxg2 17.Rg1 h3 18.Qa4+ Kf8 19.Rb1 Qf4 20.Bd3 Kg7 21.Rb7 Rf8 22.Qd1 Nc6 23.Nxc6 Rac8 =-=(35) Hervet 2488 Karacsony 2578, ICCF 2005.

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- 14.Be2 Bb7 15.Ng6 Qg5 16.Qxg5 hxg5 17.Rc1 Nxc5 18.00 Bxc3 19.bxc3 Kf7 20.Bh5 Kg7 21.f4 Nd3 22.fxg5 Nxc1 23.Rxc1 a5 =-=(39) Maksimenko 2515 Mikhalchishin 2552, ? 1999;
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- 13.000 cxd4 14.Qxd4 Qxd4 15.Rxd4 Nxc3 16.bxc3 Bxc3 17.Rg4 Nc6 18.Rg8+ Kd7 19.Rg7+ Ke8 20.f4 Kf8 21.Rg3 Be1 22.Rg6 c3 23.Bd3 Bd2+ 1-0(38) Azmaiparashvili 2620 Stanojoski 2425, Struga 1995.
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- 16...Bxc5 17.Ng6 Nxg6 18.Rxc4 Ndf4 19.Rxc5 Rd8 20.Nd6+ Rxd6 21.Bb5+ Kf7 22.Qxd6 Qg4 23.Qc7+ Kg8 1-0(26) Nielsen 2500 Sveshnikov 2580, Kemerovo 1995; 16.Bh5+ Ke7 17.Qe2 Rg8 18.Qxe5 Rxg2+ 19.Kh1 Nf4 20.Ng6+ Rxg6+ 21.f3 Nxh5 22.Qc7+ Kf8 23.Qb8+ Kg7 1-0(31) San Segundo Carrillo 2523 Vera 2544, Benidorm ESP 2002;
- 17.Nxd5+ Bxd5 18.f4 Bxc5+ 19.Kh1 Rg8 20.Rc2 Nd3 21.Ng6+ Rxg6 22.Bxg6 Nxf4 23.Rxf4 Qxf4 0-1(45) Zagorskis 2510 Vera Gonzalez 2530, Elista RUS 1998;
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- 13...b4 14.Ne4 c5 15.Nxc5 Bd5 16.Rc1 Rg8 17.Bxc4 Rxg2 18.Qh5 Bxc4 19.Rxc4 Qd5 20.Qxd5 exd5 21.Rc2 Nc6 22.Na6 Kd7 23.Rc5 Re8 =-=(61) Nogueiras 2570 Rogers 2515, Dubai UAE 1986;
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- 18.Nc3 b4 19.Ne2 Nc5 20.Qc2 Nb3 21.Rad1 Ba6 22.Rfe1 Kb8 23.Nf4 Nxd4 =- (41) Bartholomew 2440 Becerra Rivero 2598, Philadelphia 2008;
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- 16.Bg2 cxd4 17.Bxd4 Ne5 18.Bxe5 Qxe5 19.00 Rd3 20.Qg4 Bh6 21.Rad1 Rhd8 22.Rxd3 cxd3 23.f4 Qd4+ 0-1(46) Beliavsky 2653 Stellwagen 2631, Amsterdam 2007;
- 15.Be2 Qd5 16.00 c5 17.dxc5 Nxc5 18.Nxc5 Bxc5 19.Rfd1 Qxg5 20.Qc6+ Kb8 21.Rxd8+ Rxd8 22.Qxa6 Qxf6 23.Rf1 c3 1-0(40) Hansen 2595 Murshed 2510, Yerevan ARM 1996;
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- 14...Bd6 15.h4 c5 16.dxc5 Bb8 17.Rd1 Qc7 18.Bf3 Bxf3 19.gxf3 Qh2+ 20.Kf1 Ne5 21.Qe3 Rd3 22.Qe4 Rxf3 23.Rd2 Qh1+ 0-1(37) Agdestein 2600 Hector 2540, Reykjavik ISL 1995.
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- 19.Be3 Nc5 20.Qg4+ Rd7 21.Nxc5 Bxc5 22.Bxc5 Qxc5 23.Rfe1 Rd8 =-=(43) Kasimdzhanov 2672 Ragger 2518, Dresden GER 2008;
- 17...Nb8 18.axb4 cxb4 19.Qd4 Nc6 20.dxc6 Rxd4 21.cxb7+ Kc7 22.Be3 e5 23.Nc3 bxc3 1-0(36) Salov 2660 Illescas Cordoba 2615, ? 1993;
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- 16.Rb1 Qa6 17.dxe6 Bxg2 18.e7 Bxf1 19.Kxf1 Bxe7 20.fxe7 Rdg8 21.Ne4 c3+ 22.Kg1 Rxg5 23.Nxg5 Qg6 1-0(32) Atakisi 2529 Gilimshin 2607, ICCF Server 2004;
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- 23.Nxd5 Bxd5 =-=(37) Piket 2590 Kaidanov 2640, Tilburg NED 1993;
- 16...Bxd5 17.Nxd5 exd5 18.Bg2 Nb6 19.Qe3+ Kf8 20.Qxc5+ Kg8 21.Qd4 Re8
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- 22.Rae1 Nd3 23.Re2 Rd8 =-=(30) Ruck 2534 Ivanisevic 2614, Vogosca BIH 2007;
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- 22.Be2 Rxe2+ 23.Qxe2 Qxc3+ 1-0(57) Hansen 2626 Mueller 2402, Germany 2002;
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20.Nxc4 Qa6 21.Rfc1 Rq8 22.Bxb7 Qxb7 23.Qd6+ Kf6 =-=(27) Ruck 2561 - Pavasovic
2597, Sibenik CRO 2007;
         =-=(39) Jobava 2644 - Rodshtein 2615, Pamplona ESP 2007;
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        21.Bxb7 Nh3+ 22.Kq2 Qxb7+ 23.f3 Rd8 = -= (24) Ehlvest 2610 - Onischuk
2535, Philadelphia 1994;
        =-=(30) Potkin 2629 - Yakovich 2566, Novokuznetsk 2008;
        21.Ne3 Rd8 22.Qc2 Ne2+ 23.Kh1 Rh5 0-1(47) Naumann 2480 - Mueller 2558,
Germany 1999;
        20...Qc7 21.f3 Nxg2 22.Qg5+ Kf8 23.gxh4 Nf4 1-0(29) Oll 2595 - Topalov
2670, ? 1993;
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        19...Rd4 20.Qg5+ Nf6 21.Bxb7 Rg8 22.Qe5 Nd7 23.Qe2 Qxb7 1-0(46) Van Wely
2585 - Kramnik 2710, ? 1993;
        18...c3 19.Rb1 cxb2 20.Nc4 Qc7 21.Rxb2 Nb6 22.Bxb7 Nxc4 23.Bxa8 Nxb2 =-
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        19.Nc4 Qc7 20.bxc3 Nxc3 21.Qd2 Bxg2 22.Kxg2 Ne4 23.Qe3 Nf6 1-0(44) Van
Wely 2560 - Dreev 2570, Bern SUI 1993;
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23.b3 Rd8 =-=(39) Aronian 2757 - Van Wely 2618, Dresden GER 2008;
       19.bxc3 Rxb7 20.Qe5 f6 21.Qxc5+ Qd6 22.Qe3 Qd3 23.Qc1 Qf3 =-=(44)
Onischuk 2652 - Smeets 2475, Wijk aan Zee NED 2005;
       17...Qd7 18.Bxd5 Bxd5 19.Qe5 b4 20.Nxd5+ Qxd5 21.Qc7+ Kf6 22.Rad1 Qe5
23.Qxe5+ Kxe5 =-=(42) Pashikian 2556 - Kotanjian 2545, Yerevan ARM 2008;
        14...Bh6 15.Bxf6 Qxf6 16.00 000 17.Nxb5 a6 18.Nc3 exd5 19.Re1 Kb8 20.Na4
Bf8 21.Rc1 Bc6 22.b3 Bh6 23.Rc2 Qd4 1-0(29) Onischuk 2650 - Van Wely 2680, Biel
2007;
        21.Qd2 Qh6 22.Qa5 Qxh2+ 23.Kf1 Rc8 =-=(34) Naumann 2541 - Pavasovic
2601, Graz 2008;
        21.Qc2 Bd6 22.b3 Be5 23.Rab1 c3 =-=(27) Jacot 2529 - Ohtake 2558, ICCF
2008;
        20...Qd6 21.b3 c3 22.Nxc3 d4 23.Na4 Bxg2 =-=(43) Ruck 2574 - Ivanisevic
2658, Murska Sobota SLO 2008;
        19.Qc2 Qg6 20.Qxg6 fxg6 21.Rae1 Bg7 22.Re6 g5 23.Rd1 Kb8 =-=(36)
Rattinger 2643 - Riccio 2537, ICCF 2008;
        21.Na4 Bf8 22.Rfe1 Bc6 23.Nc3 Rd6 =-=(37) Haugen 2556 - Raykin 2523,
ICCF 2008;
       19.Na4 Bf8 20.Rc1 Kb8 21.b3 Ka7 22.Qc2 Bd6 23.bxc4 Rh4 1-0(26) RODSHTEIN
2605 - BRKIC 2530, Gaziantep 2008;
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Be7 1-0(39) Kasparov 2805 - Ivanchuk 2710, Linares 1994;
        19...Qa6 20.a4 Bg5 21.Qf3 Qh6 22.h4 Bxh4 23.gxh4 Rdg8 =-=(38) Williams
2452 - Ivanisevic 2588, Reykjavik 2006;
        15.Bxh6 Rxh6 16.00 Bxd5 17.Nxb5 Ke7 18.Qc1 Bxg2 19.Rd1 Qh8 20.Qxc4 Rc8
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GER 2001;
        14...Be7 15.Rq1 Qb6 16.exf7+ Kxf7 17.h4 Rad8 18.Qc2 Qe6+ 19.Qe2 Ne4
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2570, ? 1993.
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Leiden 1995;
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Smejkal 2560 - Sveshnikov 2505, Sarajevo BIH 1983;
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Ivanchuk 2735 - Shirov 2690, ? 1996;
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2736, Monte Carlo 2004;
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Chandler 2505, Belgrade 1982;
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2640 - Dokhoian 2505, ? 1992;
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Aseev 2565 - Ivanov 2570, St Petersburg RUS 1998;
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- Wang Lei 2495, Shanghai CHN 2000;
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         1-0(37) Tait 2420 - Balabaev 2679, ICCF 2002;
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Shirov 2655 - Oll 2600, Tilburg NED 1992;
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        22.Qxc4 Rd1+ 23.Kg2 Qxc4 0-1(40) Van Wely Loek 2560 - Shabalov 2575, ?
1993;
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22.Rxa5 Qxa5 23.Ne4 Nd3 =-=(47) Atakisi 2518 - Sakai Kiyotaka JPN 2571, ? 2002;
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         0-1(28) Lutz Ch 2580 - Piket Je 2640, ? 1994;
         0-1(37) Izoria 2646 - Cheparinov 2618, Pamplona ESP 2005;
        21...Qc6 22.Nxd5 Qxd5 23.f3 Bc5+ 1-0(49) Ivanchuk 2695 - Shirov 2740, ?
1994;
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        19...cxb4 20.Qe2 Qb5 21.Rfd1 Ne5 22.Nb6+ Qxb6 23.Rxd8+ Qxd8 =-=(48)
Nikolic 2635 - Timman 2635, Rotterdam NED 1998;
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22.Bf4 Qxa4 23.Bxe5+ Kb6 1-0(45) Shirov 2710 - Piket 2670, Aruba NED 1995;
        16.Rb1 Qa6 17.dxe6 Bxq2 18.e7 Bxf1 19.Qd5 Bh6 20.Bxh6 Bd3 21.Qa8+ Nb8
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Madrid ESP 1996;
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Kasparov 2805 - Kramnik 2710, New York 1994;
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Kramnik 2775, ? 1996;
        19.Kxf1 Bxe7 20.fxe7 Rdg8 21.Ne4 Qc6 22.Nd6+ Kb8 23.Bf4 Rxh2 =-=(55)
Kamsky 2735 - Kramnik 2775, Dos Hermanas ESP 1996;
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        21...Rxg5 22.Nxg5 Re8 23.Qe2 Qg6 =-=(30) Van Wely 2625 - Smeets 2601,
Wijk aan Zee NED 2009;
       19...Qc6 20.exd8Q+ Kxd8 21.Nd5 Rxh2 22.Kq1 Rh8 23.Qf3 Ne5 0-1(43) Van
Wely 2679 - Shirov 2713, Monte Carlo MNC 2005;
        23.Bf4 Kc8 =-=(53) Hefka 2574 - Schoen 2664, ICCF 2006;
        18...Ba8 19.exd8Q+ Kxd8 20.Ne2 Qe6 21.Nf4 Qf5 22.Qd2 Kc8 23.Rbd1 Bc6 =-
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        =-=(76) Solak 2564 - Ivanisevic 2596, Vrsac 2006;
        18...Bb7 19.exd8Q+ Kxd8 20.Ne2 Bf3 21.Re1 Bd6 22.Qd2 Ba8 23.f3 Ne5 1-
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        16...Bh6 17.Bxh6 Rxh6 18.b3 bxc3 19.bxc4 Qa6 20.Rxb7 Qxb7 21.dxe6 Qb2
22.e7 Re8 23.Bc6 Qd2 1-0(26) Khalifman 2660 - Galkin 2565, ? 1998;
        21.Qc1 Rxf6 22.dxe6 Qb2 23.exd7+ Kxd7 =-=(54) Mikhalevski 2545 - Ivanov
2570, Beersheba 1998;
        18...cxb3 19.Na4 Qb5 20.axb3 exd5 21.Rc1 Kb8 22.Re1 Rxf6 23.Re7 Qc6 1-
0(53) Piket 2670 - Illescas Cordoba 2595, ? 1995;
        17.Qc1 Bxg5 18.Qxg5 Nf8 19.Qg4 Qa6 20.dxe6 Nxe6 21.Bxb7+ Qxb7 22.Ne4 Rd4
23.Rfe1 Qd5 1-0(61) Uhlmann 2515 - Marjanovic 2515, Sarajevo BIH 1982;
        14...b4 15.00 000 16.Rb1 Qa6 17.dxe6 Bxq2 18.e7 Bxf1 19.Kxf1 Qc6
20.exd8Q+ Kxd8 21.Nd5 Rxh2 22.Kq1 Rh8 23.Bf4 Qe6 1-0(46) Nikolic 2655 - Shirov
2690, ? 1997;
         1-0(44) Nikolic 2655 - Shirov 2690, Linares ESP 1997;
        1-0 Nikolic 2655 - Shirov 2690, ? 1997;
        19.Qd5 Bh6 20.Bxh6 Bd3 21.Ne4 Bxe4 22.Qxe4 Rde8 23.Bg7 Rh5 =-=(40)
Beliavsky 2650 - Shirov 2695, Ljubljana 1995;
        16.Na4 Qb5 17.a3 exd5 18.axb4 d4 19.Bxb7+ Kxb7 20.Nc3 dxc3 21.Qd5+ Kb6
22.Bf4 Rh5 23.Qxh5 cxb2 =-=(37) Aseev 2530 - Ivanov 2515, St Petersburg 1997;
        =-=(38) Aseev 2530 - Ivanov 2515, ? 1997;
        17...Nb8 18.axb4 cxb4 19.Be3 Bxd5 20.Bxd5 Rxd5 21.Qe2 Nc6 22.Rfc1 Ne5
23.Bxa7 Kb7 0-1(30) Goldenberg Richard (FRA) 2541 - Meleghegyi Csaba (HUN) 2616,
? 1984;
        15...bxc3 16.bxc3 e5 17.Rb1 Qa6 18.Rxb7 Qxb7 19.d6 Qc8 20.f4 e4 21.Re1
Rb8 22.Bxe4 Kd8 23.Qd5 Qa6 =-=(41) Babula 2555 - Lukacs 2515, Zalakaros 1998;
        15.Na4 =-= Palac 2575 - Ninov 2501, FRA 2008.
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 - 1-0(33) Sakaev 2570 Ivanov 2545, Kazan 1995;
- 13.Bg2 Bb7 14.d5 000 15.00 b4 16.Na4 Qb5 17.dxe6 Bxg2 18.Kxg2 Qc6+ 19.Qf3 Rxh2+ 20.Kxh2 Qxf3 21.exd7+ Kxd7 22.Rad1+ Bd6 0-1 Aseev 2560 Bagirov 2500, Helsinki FIN 1992;
- 12...Bb7 13.Bg2 000 14.00 c5 15.d5 b4 0-1 Berdichesky 2473 Alvarez 2563, email IECG 2000;
- 14...Bh6 15.Bxh6 Rxh6 16.b3 cxb3 17.axb3 Nxf6 18.Ne2 e5 19.Qc1 Rdh8 20.h4 exd4 21.Rdl c5 22.Nxd4 Bxg2 23.Kxg2 Rh5 =-=(107) Del Rio Angelis 2472 Dominguez 2565, Ubeda 2001.
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- 11...Qc7 12.exf6 c5 13.Bg2 Bb7 14.00 Bxg2 15.Kxg2 000 16.dxc5 Qc6+ 17.f3 Nxc5 18.Qe2 Bh6 19.Bxh6 Rxh6 20.Rad1 Rxd1 21.Rxd1 Rxf6 22.Ne4 Nxe4 23.Qxe4 Qxe4 1-0(41) Riazantsev 2556 Ivanov 2546, Sochi 2004.
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- 19...Ra4 20.Bf1 Bb7 21.Bg2 Rxa2 22.Rd1 Ba6 23.Bf1 Rxb2 0-1(26) Berkes 2619 D'Amore 2463, Gothenburg SWE 2005;
- 15...Nb6 16.00 Rxd4 17.Be3 Rd7 18.Rfc1 Nd5 19.a3 bxa3 20.Bd2 Qc7 21.bxa3 Qe5 22.Bf1 Qf5 23.Qxf5 exf5 1-0(29) Timman 2650 Ribli 2615, Zagreb CRO 1985;
- 15.b3 Qd5 16.Rd1 Nb6 17.bxc4 Bxc4 18.Bxc4 Qxc4 19.Rc1 Qb5 20.Qe2 Kb7 21.Qxb5 cxb5 22.Be3 Nc4 23.h4 Kc6 1-0(35) Vladimirov 2550 Neverov 2480, Soviet Union 1985;
- 14...Qd5 15.Rd1 Nb6 16.h4 Na4 17.b3 Nb2 18.bxc4 Bxc4 19.Bxc4 Nxc4 20.Rc1 Na3 21.Nd2 Nb5 22.Rxc6 Nxd4 23.Qxd5 exd5 1-0(48) Langeveld 2560 Raykin 2590, corr 2005;
- 14...Rd8 15.Be2 Nb6 16.Nc5 Rd5 17.Nxa6 Qxa6 18.Be3 b3 19.00 bxa2 20.b3 Kd7 21.bxc4 Rf5 22.Qe4 Qa4 23.Rfc1 Ra5 1-0(25) Krush 2464 Shabalov 2606, Las Vegas 2007.
- 14.b3 c3 15.Qf3 Bxf1 16.Kxf1 Qd5 17.Kg2 c5 18.dxc5 Nxc5 19.Nxc5 Bxc5 20.Rad1 Qxf3+ 21.Kxf3 a5 22.h4 00 23.Rhe1 Rfd8 =-=(36) Shchekachev 2573 Firman 2485, Moscow RUS 2002;
- 14...Qf5 15.f3 000 16.Bxc4 Bxc4 17.bxc4 Nc5 18.g4 Qg6 19.dxc5 Rxd1+ 20.Rxd1 Bh6 21.Bxh6 Qxh6 22.Ke2 Qh3 23.Rdg1 Kc7 1-0(34) Knaak 2520 Giorgadze 2525, Halle GER 1978.
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- 16...Qh3 17.Bh4 Rxh4 18.gxh4 Qxh4 19.f3 Nb6 20.Rad1 Bh6 21.Kh1 Be3 22.b3 Bxd4 23.Bxc4 Nxc4 1-0(64) Rombaldoni 2418 Korneev 2631, Bratto 2008.
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- 16...000 17.00 Qf5 18.h4 c5 19.Nxc5 Nxc5 20.Qxf5 exf5 21.dxc5 Bxc5 22.Rac1 Bb4 23.Bf4 Rhe8 1-0(58) Timman 2600 Dolmatov 2535, Amsterdam NED 1980.

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 - =-=(45) Sokolov 2570 Kamsky 2640, ? 1991;
- 16.d5 exd5 17.Qf5 dxe4 18.000 Rc7 19.Bg4 Bb5 20.Qxe4+ Kd8 21.Bxd7 Bxd7 22.Rhe1 Bh6 23.Qa8+ Rc8 1-0(27) Kramnik 2715 Ehlvest 2615, ? 1995;
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- 13...b4 14.Ne4 000 15.h4 Nc5 16.Nxc5 Bxc5 17.00 Bxd4 18.Qc2 Qd5 19.Rac1 Rdg8 20.Rfd1 Rxg5 21.Rxd4 Qxd4 22.hxg5 Qd5 23.f3 Qxg5 0-1(57) Fedorowicz 2555 Novikov 2545, New York 1991.
- 13.Be3 000 14.Qf3 Bb7 15.Bg2 Ba3 16.Bc1 Bb4 17.00 Nb6 18.Ne4 Rxd4 19.a3 Bf8 20.Be3 Rd7 21.Rfd1 0-1 Khenkin 2495 Kaidanov Grigory S 2555, ? 1991.
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- 17...Rd7 18.Qe3 Qb6 19.Ne2 c5 20.dxc5 Bxc5 21.Bxb7+ Qxb7 22.Rxd7 Qxd7 23.Qe4 Qb7 =-=(71) Savchenko 2570 Wells 2490, London 1994;
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- 20...Rd2 21.Bc6+ Ke7 22.Bxb5 Bc5 23.Rhf1 Rb8 =-=(34) Nikolic 2625 Khenkin 2570, Elenite 1993;
- 15...000 16.Nxa7+ Kc7 17.00 Ra8 18.Nxc6 Bxc6 19.Bxc6 Kxc6 20.Qe2 Kd7 21.Qxc4 Ra5 22.d5 Rxd5 23.Qa4+ Ke7 =-=(25) Beliavsky 2645 Piket 2470, ? 1988; =-=(24) Beliavsky 2665 Piket 2495, Thessaloniki GRE 1988;
- 15.a4 000 16.axb5 cxb5 17.Bxb7+ Kxb7 18.Nxb5 Bb4+ 19.Kf1 a5 20.Kg2 Rg5 21.Qa4 e5 22.Na3 e4 23.Rhf1 Qf3+ 0-1(46) Novikov 2540 Dreev 2560, Bern SUI 1993;
- 19.Nc3 Rxd4 20.Rxa7+ Kb8 21.Ra8+ Kb7 22.Ra7+ =-= Rubinas 2562 Raykin 2530, ICCF 2008;
- 13...Bb7 14.Bg2 Qb6 15.00 000 16.Qh5 Rg6 17.Ne4 Rxd4 18.Qh7 Qc7 19.h4 c5 20.Rfe1 Rd8 21.Rad1 Bd5 22.Nc3 Bxg2 23.Kxg2 Qb7+ 1-0(27) Korchnoi 2650 Bellon Lopez 2415, Las Palmas 1981.
- 12.Bh4 Bb7 13.Bg2 Qc7 14.exf6 000 15.Qf3 b4 16.Ne2 Nb6 17.00 c5 18.Qxb7+ Qxb7 19.Bxb7+ Kxb7 20.Rfd1 Na4 21.Rab1 Kc6 22.Kf1 Rd5 23.Rdc1 Kb5 0-1(30) Magerramov 2565 Savchenko 2535, Rostov on Don 1993;

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13...Qb6 14.exf6 000 15.00 Ne5 16.Qh5 Rxg5 17.hxg5 Rxd4 18.Rae1 Bd6 19.Rxe5 Bxe5 20.Qxf7 Qc5 21.g6 1-0 Komarov 2568 - Ivanovic 2502, Niksic YUG 2000.

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2601 - Shulman 2616, Khanty-Mansiysk 2007;

19.Bxd5 cxd5 20.Qg6 Qb6 21.000 Qa6 22.Kb1 b4 23.Ne2 Rb8 =-=(55) Soberano

2587 - Ohtake 2596, ICCF 2002;

18...N7b6 19.a3 Qe7 20.Rh7 Qg5 21.Rh8 Qg7 22.Qh7 Qxh7 23.Rxh7 Bd7 =- (37) Mráz 2549 - Hiltunen 2503, ICCF 2007;

18.00 N7b6 19.Ne4 Bd7 20.Ng5 Kc7 21.Nxe6+ Bxe6 22.Qxe6 Qxb2 23.a4 bxa4 =-=(36) Collas 2424 - Korneev 2606, Cutro 2003;

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19.a4 Nf8 20.Qg4 b4 21.Nb5 a6 22.Nd6 a5 23.Qh5 Ra6 =-=(116) Jakovenko 2627 - Yevseev 2537, Kazan 2005;

19.Qg4 Nf8 20.Nxb5 Rb8 21.Nd6 Rxb2 22.Qf3 Rb6 23.Qa3 Rxd6 =-=(39) Sulypa 2490 - Korneev 2605, Istanbul 2003;

18...Rb8 19.Rh7 Qe8 20.Qxe8+ Kxe8 21.f4 b4 22.Ne2 Ba6 23.g4 c3 1-0(38) Bacrot 2650 - Fressinet 2615, Val d'Isere 2002;

16...Qf7 17.Be4 Ne7 18.Rh8 Qf5 19.Qxf5 gxf5 20.Bd5 Kf7 21.Rh7+ Bg7 22.Rh2 Kg6 23.Ke2 a5 1-0(24) Shirov 2715 - Morovic 2605, ? 1994;

18...Ba6 19.a4 b4 20.Nb5 Bxb5 21.axb5 Nb6 22.bxc6 a5 23.c7 Ra7 1-0(39) Eingorn 2570 - Onischuk 2535, Cuxhaven 1994;

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16...Ba6 17.Qxg6+ Qf7 18.Qxf7+ Kxf7 19.f4 Rc8 20.f5 exf5 21.Rh7+ Bg7 22.Bxd5+ cxd5 23.e6+ Kg6 =-=(32) Xu Jun 2646 - Harikrishna 2522, Calcutta IND 2001;

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16...Bg7 17.Qxg6+ Qf7 18.Qg4 Nf8 19.Ne4 Qe7 20.Rh5 a5 21.a4 Kd8 22.Nd6 Bd7 23.Rg5 Bh6 1-0(38) Dautov 2630 - Gabriel 2545, Altensteig 1994;

16...N7b6 17.Be4 Kd8 18.Qxg6 Qb4 19.Bxd5 Qxb2 20.Bxc6 Qxa1+ 21.Ke2 Qxc3 22.Qe8+ Kc7 23.Rh7+ Nd7 =-=(28) Bokar 2559 - Raykin 2529, ICCF 2007;

16...Nxc3 17.bxc3 Rb8 18.Be4 Kd8 19.Qxg6 b4 20.Rh7 Qe8 21.Qxe8+ Kxe8 22.g4 bxc3 23.g5 c5 =-=(28) Krush 2464 - Kaidanov 2595, Stillwater 2007;

- 16.Qxg6+Qf7 17.Qxf7+Kxf7 18.Bg2 Nxc3 19.bxc3 Rb8 20.f4 b4 21.Kd2 a5 22.Bxc6 Nb6 23.g4 Bb7 =-=(50) Bareev 2685 San Segundo 2470, ? 1994;
- 21...c5 22.d5 Nb6 23.dxe6+ Bxe6 1-0(44) Mecking 2575 San Segundo Carrillo 2480, Linares ESP 1995;
- 20.Kd2 a5 21.Bxc6 Nb6 22.g4 Bb7 23.Bxb7 Rxb7 =-=(30) Bareev 2685 San Segundo 2470, ? 1994;
- 18.Ne4 Bb4+ 19.Ke2 c3 20.bxc3 Nxc3+ 21.Nxc3 Bxc3 22.Rd1 b4 23.Bg2 Ba6+ 0-1(41) Lobron Eric 2575 Shirov 2670, ? 1993;
 - 0-1(41) Lobron 2575 Shirov 2685, Germany 1994;
- 16.Rh8 Nxc3 17.bxc3 Kd8 18.Rd1 Qb4 19.Qxe6 Qa3 20.Rh7 b4 1-0 Khalifman 2645 Shirov 2740, ? 1994;
- 17...Qa3 18.Qxg6+ Kd8 19.Rd1 Qxc3+ 20.Ke2 Qb2+ 21.Rd2 Qb4 22.Qxe6 c3 23.a3 Qxa3 1-0(29) Khalifman 2660 Shirov 2715, CZE 1994;
- 17...Qf7 18.Bg2 Bb7 19.Be4 000 20.Bxg6 Qe7 21.a4 a6 22.Rh7 Bg7 23.Be4 Rg8 =-=(45) Kamsky 2655 Serper 2600, Groningen NED 1993;
 - 1-0 Khalifman A 2645 Shirov 2740, ? 1994;
- 14...Qa5 15.gxf7+ Kd8 16.Rh8 Nxc3 17.Qd2 b4 18.bxc3 bxc3 19.Qc2 Rb8 20.Rc1 Kc7 21.Rxf8 Nxf8 22.Bxc4 Kd7 23.Qxc3 Qxc3+ 0-1(57) Belov 2608 Ivanisevic 2588, playchess.com INT 2006.
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- 21.Nxc5 Bxc5 22.Qg7 Rhd8 23.Bxc5 Qxc5 0-1(42) Almiron 2608 Toro Solis de Ovando 2611, ICCF 2005;
- 17.dxe6 Bxg2 18.e7 Bxf1 19.exd8Q+ Kxd8 20.Kxf1 Rxh2 21.Kg1 Rh8 22.Qd5 Bh6 23.Qa8+ Kc7 1-0(55) Frederiksen Erik DEN 2537 Kramer Svend Erik DEN 2518, ? 1980.
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- 18...Qc6 19.h4 Nb6 20.h5 Na4 21.b3 cxb3 22.Bh4 c4 23.Kh2 Bxe4 1-0(27) Kaidanov Gregory S USA 2603 Hillarp Persson Tiger SWE 2524, ? 2006;
- 18.Qe2 Bxd6 19.f4 Qc6 20.h4 Nb6 21.h5 Bc7 22.g4 Na4 23.Rae1 b3 =-=(26) Sakaev 2665 Mastrovasilis 2533, Tripoli 2004;
- 16...000 17.00 Bd5 18.Qe2 Qc6 19.b3 Nb6 20.Bf4 Bh6 21.Be5 Bd2 22.f4 c3 23.Nxd2 cxd2 1-0(45) Sharavdorj 2529 Shabalov 2575, Las Vegas 2006;
- 14...Qe5+ 15.Qe2 000 16.dxe6 Qxe2+ 17.Kxe2 Bxg2 18.e7 Bxe7 19.fxe7 Rdg8 20.Nxb5 Rxg5 21.Nd6+ Kc7 22.e8Q Rxe8+ 23.Nxe8+ Kd8 1-0(56) Stigar Petter (NOR) 2515 Sorensen Bent (DEN) 2565, ? 1995;
- 14.00 Bxg2 15.Kxg2 Qb7+ 16.f3 000 17.dxc5 Nxc5 18.Qe2 Nd3 19.Ne4 Qc6 20.b3 Ba3 21.bxc4 bxc4 22.Rab1 Rd5 23.Be3 Rg8 1-0(34) Zakharevich 2490 Kornev 2578, ? 2005;
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        20.exd8R+ Kxd8 21.Nd5 Rxh2 22.Kq1 Rh8 23.Rc1 Bd6 =-=(50) Schoen 2663 -
Cinca 2453, ICCF 2005;
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2445 - Korneev 2615, Dos Hermanas 2000;
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22.Qb3 Nc5 23.Qc2 Qa4 1-0(66) Gomez Esteban 2475 - Korneev 2615, Elgoibar 1999;
        15.dxc5 Nxc5 16.Qe2 Bxg2 17.Kxg2 Bh6 18.h4 Bxg5 19.hxg5 Qc6+ 20.f3 Rh5
21.a4 b4 22.Nb5 Kb7 23.Rad1 Nd3 1-0(39) Timman 2640 - Tal 2610, Hilversum NED
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2005;
        14...Bh6 15.Bxh6 Rxh6 16.b3 cxb3 17.Ne4 Nxf6 18.Nc5 b2 19.Rb1 e5 20.Qd2
Rh5 21.Qxb2 exd4 22.Nxb7 Kxb7 23.a4 a6 0-1(51) Sasikiran 2690 - Van Wely 2674,
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- 16...Rg6 17.a4 Nxf6 18.Rfd1 b4 19.Ne4 Nxe4 20.Bxe4 f5 21.Bg2 Rg4 22.f4 c5 23.a5 Qa6 =-=(54) Oms Pallise 2450 Korneev 2590, Spain 1997;
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- 15.Be3 c5 16.dxc5 Nxc5 17.Bxc5 Qxc5 18.Bxb7+ Kxb7 19.Qf3+ Qc6 20.Ne4 Rd4 21.Rfe1 Rhd8 22.h4 R8d5 23.Re2 a5 1-0(49) Ivanchuk 2714 Piket 2609, Wijk aan Zee NED 1999;
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- 15...Nxf6 16.Qf3 Bxe3 17.fxe3 Rh6 18.a4 a6 19.Qf4 Rdh8 20.g4 Rg6 21.h3 Rhg8 22.Rf2 R8g7 23.Raf1 c5 1-0(46) Kramnik 2751 Lautier 2613, Internet ICC 1999;
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