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Database: GrunfeldDefenceD80 (1,636 games)  
Report: 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 (1561 games)  
ECO: D80 [Grünfeld Defence]  
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1. STATISTICS AND HISTORY  
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1.1 Statistics

	Games	1-0	==	0-1	Score
All report games	1561	532	600	429	53.2%

1.2 Oldest games

- 1: 1-0(46) Szekely 2375 - Mueller 2395, ? 1932
- 2: 1-0(34) Chekhover 2457 - Alatortsev 2480, Leningrad RUS 1934 [21]
- 3: ==(41) Kan 2650 - Riumin 2620, ? 1936 [37]
- 4: ==(21) Kamishov 2420 - Lilienthal 2650, ? 1938 [37]
- 5: 0-1(18) Alatortsev 2655 - Flohr 2710, ? 1939 [50]

1.3 Newest games

- 1: ==(32) Akobian 2624 - Ponomariov 2739, 0:00.10-0:25.09 2009.11.24 [48]
- 2: ==(25) Fier 2653 - Khalifman 2612, 0:38.47-0:33.31 2009.11.21 [46]
- 3: 1-0(59) Aronian 2786 - Mamedyarov 2719, Moscow RUS 2009.11.18 [85]
- 4: 0-1(33) Aronian 2786 - Carlsen 2801, Moscow RUS 2009.11.18 [46]
- 5: 0-1(38) Eljanov 2729 - Kurnosov 2666, AUT 2009.11.08 [46]

1.4 Current popularity

Year	1800-99	1900-49	1950-69	1970-79	1980-89	1990-99	2000-09
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: 16 1989-2007 59% 2380 Kahn, Evarth [113]
- 2: 11 2005-2009 59% 2584 Arutinian, David [45,48,62,81,101,108,112]
- 3: 11 2004-2008 77% 2520 Cebalo, Miso [8,10,11,13]
- 4: 11 2001-2008 73% 2324 Suto, Gabor
- 5: 10 1984-2009 65% 2639 Finegold, Benjamin [30,31,50]
- 6: 10 1984-2005 60% 2512 Sorin, Ariel [40,41,52,120]

1.6 Most frequent players (Black)

1:	24	1991-2009	56%	2765	Svidler, Peter [1,17,19,20,39,40,41,46,...]
2:	12	1994-2008	50%	2632	Mikhalevski, Victor [1,25,34,62,99,108,114]
3:	10	1992-2003	50%	2545	Yandemirov, Valeri [18,38,40,46]
4:	10	1971-1988	60%	2475	Schmidt, Wlodzimierz [1,77]
5:	9	1980-2009	28%	2595	Dvoirys, Semen I [17,50,63,85,91,99]
6:	9	1991-2008	39%	2482	Fogarasi, Tibor [60,81,85]

## 2. RATINGS AND PERFORMANCE

### 2.1 Average ratings and performance

White rating: 2395 (1561 games); White performance: 2412 (53% vs 2391)  
 Black rating: 2391 (1561 games); Black performance: 2374 (47% vs 2395)

### 2.2 Games with highest average rating

1:	0-1(33)	Aronian 2786 - Carlsen 2801, Moscow RUS 2009 [46]
2:	1-0(38)	Aronian 2752 - Svidler 2765, 23 2006 [78]
3:	1-0(59)	Aronian 2786 - Mamedyarov 2719, Moscow RUS 2009 [85]
4:	0-1(52)	Aronian 2761 - Svidler 2742, Dortmund GER 2006 [112]
5:	1-0(25)	Ivanchuk 2729 - Svidler 2765, Morelia/Linares 2006 [108]
6:	0-1(24)	Aronian 2741 - Svidler 2750, Moscow 2006 [112]
7:	===(21)	Bareev 2679 - Kasparov 2812, Sarajevo BIH 1999 [61]
8:	===(48)	Wang 2739 - Dominguez Perez 2717, ? 2009 [103]

## 3. RESULT TRENDS

### 3.1 Result lengths and frequencies

	Score	Game length			Frequency		
		1-0	==	0-1	1-0	==	0-1
Report games	53.2%	39	35	41	34.0%	38.4%	27.4%
All games	52.9%	40	35	41	33.7%	38.4%	27.8%

### 3.2 Shortest wins (White)

1:	1-0(11)	Burmakin 2574 - Wittmann 2332, Graz 2002
2:	1-0(12)	Gligoric 2600 - Langeweg 2425, Amsterdam NED 1971 [71]
3:	1-0(13)	Furman 2257 - Hermansson 2461, Pardubice CZE 2006
4:	1-0(16)	Kraidman 2365 - Moberg 2405, Gausdal NOR 1996
5:	1-0(16)	Jedynak 2431 - Toma 2238, Warsaw POL 2005

### 3.3 Shortest wins (Black)

1:	0-1(13)	Barwinski 2226 - Bobras 2563, Warsaw POL 2005
2:	0-1(13)	Hajenius 2180 - Martinovsky 2330, St Martin 1991
3:	0-1(15)	Blasko 2336 - Howell 2561, Winterthur 2008
4:	0-1(15)	Engqvist Th 2355 - Svidler P 2480, ? 1991
5:	0-1(16)	Sasikiran 2694 - Svidler 2727, Almaty KAZ 2008 [92]

## 4. MOVES AND THEMES

#### 4.1 Move orders reaching the report position

There were 8 move orders reaching this position:

- 1: 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 (1503)
- 2: 1.c4 Nf6 2.d4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 (19)
- 3: 1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 d5 3.d4 g6 (12)
- 4: 1.d4 g6 2.c4 Nf6 3.Nc3 d5 (11)
- 5: 1.c4 Nf6 2.Nc3 g6 3.d4 d5 (6)
- 6: 1.c4 g6 2.d4 Nf6 3.Nc3 d5 (6)
- 7: 1.d4 d5 2.c4 Nf6 3.Nc3 g6 (3)
- 8: 1.c4 g6 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.d4 d5 (1)

#### 4.2 Moves from the report position

Move	ECO	Frequency	Score	AvElo	Perf	AvYear	%Draws
1: Bg5	D80	1117: 71.5%	53.6%	2403	2427	1997	39%
2: e3	D80	133: 8.5%	51.1%	2408	2412	1995	41%
3: h4	D80	126: 8.0%	61.1%	2349	2412	2004	35%
4: f3	D80	74: 4.7%	47.2%	2348	2327	1997	30%
5: Nf3	D90	65: 4.1%	47.6%	2411	2402	2000	46%
6: g4	D80	17: 1.0%	32.3%	2245	2151	1998	29%
7: Qa4+		15: 0.9%	50.0%	2416	2429	1994	33%
8: e4		6: 0.3%	50.0%			2005	33%
9: Bd2		3: 0.1%	66.6%			2007	67%
10: cxd5	D85a	1: 0.0%	100.0%			2004	0%
11: f4		1: 0.0%	100.0%			2002	0%
12: b4		1: 0.0%	0.0%			1998	0%
13: h3		1: 0.0%	50.0%			1996	100%
14: a4		1: 0.0%	100.0%			1996	0%
TOTAL:		1561:100.0%	53.2%	2395	2412	1998	38%

#### 4.3 Positional Themes

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

Same-side castling:	51%	White Isolated Queen Pawn:	7%
Opposite castling:	5%	Black Isolated Queen Pawn:	4%
Kingside pawn storm:	36%	White Pawn on 5/6/7th rank:	50%
Queens exchanged:	35%	Black Pawn on 2/3/4th rank:	39%
Only one side has Bishop pair:	4%	Open c/d/e file:	64%

#### 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	2%	11%	11%	36%	1%	3%	4%	31%
All games	2%	11%	11%	36%	1%	3%	4%	31%

#### 5. THEORY TABLE

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 1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5: +532 =600 -429 (832/1561: 53%)  
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4            5            6            7            8            9            10            11

1	f3 [1] Bg7 [2]	e4 de4 [3]	fe4 e5 [4]	d5 OO [5]	Nf3 c6	Be2 [6] b5	dc6 Qd1	Bd1 bc4 [7]	23: 46%
2	h4 c6 [8]	cd5 [9] cd5	Bf4 Bg7 [10]	e3 Nc6 [11]	Nf3 [12] OO	Qb3 [13] a6	Ne5 Ng4	Ng4 Bg4 [14]	21: 67%
3	Nf3 Bg7	Bg5 Ne4	Bf4 Nc3	bc3 c5 [15]	e3 [16] OO [17]	cd5 [18] cd4 [19]	cd4 Qd5	Be2 Nc6 [20]	23: 57%
4	e3 Bg7 [21]	Qb3 [22] e6 [23]	Qa3 b6 [24]	Nf3 Bb7	cd5 [25] ed5 [26]	Ne5 [27] Nfd7 [28]	Nd7 Nd7	g3 c6 [29]	27: 59%
5	...	...	...	Nf3 Ne7 [30]	Be2 [31] OO	OO [32] b6	cd5 [33] Ned5 [34]	Nd5 [35] Qd5 [36]	21: 48%
6	Bg5 Bg7 [37]	e3 [38] c5 [39]	dc5 [40] Qa5	Qd2 [41] dc4	Bc4 [42] Nbd7 [43]	Rc1 OO	Nf3 Nc5	OO Be6 [44]	22: 57%
7	...	Bf6 Bf6	cd5 c6 [45]	Rc1 [46] OO [47]	dc6 Bd4 [48]	c7 Bc3	Rc3 Qd1	Kd1 Nc6 [49]	36: 61%
8	...	Bf4 [50] Nc3 [51]	bc3 dc4 [52]	e3 [53] Bg7 [54]	Bc4 c5	Nf3 OO [55]	OO Nc6	Rb1 Bf5 [56]	29: 41%
9	...	...	...	e3 [57] OO [58]	Nf3 c5	cd5 [59] cd4 [60]	cd4 Qd5	Be2 Qa5 [61]	23: 48%
10	...	...	...	...	Nf3 [62] OO [63]	cd5 [64] cd4	cd4 Qd5	Be2 [65] Nc6 [66]	24: 56%
11	...	Bh4 c5 [67]	e3 [68] Qa5 [69]	Qb3 [70] cd4 [71]	ed4 Bh6	Rd1 OO [72]	Qb5 [73] Qb5	Nb5 Na6 [74]	26: 46%
12	...	...	cd5 Nc3	bc3 Qd5	e3 cd4 [75]	Qd4 Qd4	cd4 [76] e6	Rb1 [77] Be7 [78]	36: 47%
13	...	...	bc3 c5	cd5 [79] Qd5	e3 [80] cd4 [81]	Qd4 Qd4	cd4 e6 [82]	Rb1 [83] Be7 [84]	23: 48%
14	...	...	...	e3 [85] c5 [86]	cd5 [87] Qd5 [88]	Qf3 [89] Qd8 [90]	Bb5 Nd7	Ne2 cd4 [91]	28: 73%
15	...	...	...	Qa4 Qd7 [92]	Qc4 b6 [93]	Bg3 [94] c5 [95]	Be5 [96] Ba6 [97]	Qb3 f6 [98]	29: 62%
16	...	...	...	e3 Be6 [99]	Nf3 c6 [100]	Ng5 [101] Bd5	e4 h6	ed5 hg5 [102]	23: 48%
17	...	...	...	...	Be2 Bg7 [103]	Nf3 OO [104]	OO [105] c5 [106]	Ng5 Bd5 [107]	16: 66%
18	...	...	...	...	Qb1 Qd5 [108]	Nf3 [109] Nd7 [110]	Be2 Bf5 [111]	Qb2 Bg7 [112]	34: 49%
19	...	...	...	...	Rb1 Nd7 [113]	Nf3 [114] Nb6	a4 [115] a5	Ng5 [116] Bd5 [117]	11: 41%

20	...	...	...	...	...	Nf3[118]	Nd2[120]	Qf3[121]	25:
	...	...	...	...	b6	Bg7[119]	OO	Bd5[122]	58%

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Generated from the 500 highest-rated games.

[\*1\*] 4.Qa4+ Bd7 5.Qb3 dxc4 6.Qxc4 Bg7 7.e4 OO 8.e5 Be6 9.exf6 Bxc4 10.fxg7 Kxg7 11.Bxc4 Qxd4 12.Be2 Nc6 ==(22) Lev 2457 - Huzman 2575, Tel Aviv ISR 1999;  
9.Qb5 Nd5 10.Qxb7 Nb6 11.Qe4 Bf5 12.Qh4 Nc6 0-1(32) Chekhov 2440 - Schmidt 2475, Polanica Zdroj 1981;  
8...Ne8 9.h4 c5 10.Qxc5 Nc6 11.Be3 Nc7 12.Rd1 Rc8 1-0(36) Aleksandrov 2616 - Olszewski 2559, Warsaw POL 2009;  
6...Bc6 7.Bg5 Bg7 8.Rd1 OO 9.Nf3 h6 10.Bh4 Bxf3 11.gxf3 c6 12.e4 Qb6 ==(48) Mamedyarov 2721 - Sanikidze 2600, Novi Sad, Serbia 2009;  
5...Nc6 6.Nf3 Na5 7.Qb4 Nc6 8.Qb3 Na5 9.Qc2 dxc4 10.e4 Bg7 11.e5 Ng4 12.h3 Nh6 0-1(53) Lev 2448 - Mikhalevski 2499, Ramat Aviv 2000;  
== Kavalek Lubomir 2525 - Byrne Robert E 2430, ? 1970;  
7.Qc2 dxc4 8.e4 c6 9.b4 cxb3 10.axb3 b6 11.b4 Nb7 12.Ba6 Qb8 1-0(53) Vallejo Pons 2686 - Svidler 2735, Monte Carlo 2005.  
4.e4 dxe4 5.Bg5 Bg7 6.Nge2 OO 7.Ng3 h6 8.Be3 c5 9.d5 e6 10.Bxc5 Re8 11.Be2 exd5 12.cxd5 Nbd7 ==(83) Nakamura 2651 - Abbasov 2444, Internet ICC 2007;  
6...Bf5 7.Ng3 h6 8.Bxf6 Bxf6 9.d5 Bxc3+ 10.bxc3 e6 11.Qd2 exd5 12.cxd5 c6 1-0(28) Lautier 2680 - Harika 2368, playchess.com INT 2004.  
4.Bd2 dxc4 5.e3 Be6 6.Nf3 c6 7.Ng5 Bd5 8.e4 h6 9.exd5 hxg5 10.dxc6 Nxc6 11.Bxg5 Bg7 12.Bxc4 Nxd4 1-0(76) Ivanchuk 2762 - Sutovsky 2656, Montreal CAN 2007;  
4...Bg7 5.Rc1 OO 6.cxd5 Nxd5 7.e4 Nb6 8.Be3 e5 9.dxe5 Bxe5 10.Nf3 Bg7 11.Bb5 Qxd1+ 12.Rxd1 c6 ==(31) Gajewski 2556 - Bobras 2558, Ustron 2007.  
4.g4 Bxg4 5.Qb3 Bc8 6.cxd5 Bg7 7.Bg2 OO 8.Nf3 c6 9.e4 cxd5 10.e5 Ne4 11.Qxd5 Nxc3 12.Qxd8 Rxd8 0-1(29) Plaskett 2475 - Fedorowicz 2520, London ENG 1987.

[\*2\*] 4...c5 5.dxc5 d4 6.Nb5 e5 7.Bg5 Nbd7 8.e3 dxe3 9.Nd6+ Bxd6 10.Qxd6 Ne4 11.Bxd8 Nxd6 12.cxd6 Kxd8 1-0(29) Conquest 2495 - Stohl 2560, Ostrava 1994;  
6...Nc6 7.e3 a6 8.Nxd4 Qa5+ 9.Bd2 Qxc5 10.Nb3 Qa7 11.c5 Be6 12.Qc2 Bh6 0-1(36) Pomes Marcet 2420 - Djuric 2560, Barcelona 1996;  
5.cxd5 Nxd5 6.Na4 Bg7 7.Nxc5 Nc6 8.Nb3 Nb6 9.e3 OO 10.f4 Bf5 11.Bd2 Nd5 12.Nf3 Ncb4 ==(34) Botvinnik 2443 - Greenfeld 2574, ISR 2002.  
4...c6 5.e4 dxe4 6.fxe4 e5 7.Bg5 h6 8.Bh4 exd4 9.e5 g5 10.exf6 Qxf6 11.Qe2+ Qe6 12.OOO dxc3 0-1(24) Ghitecu 2400 - Smejkal 2550, Warsaw 1979.

[\*3\*] 5...e6 6.e5 Nfd7 7.f4 dxc4 8.Bxc4 c5 9.dxc5 Bxe5 10.Ne4 OO 11.Nf3 Bg7 12.OO b6 0-1(41) Pomes Marcet 2410 - Tukmakov 2600, Barcelona 1993;  
0-1(39) Pomes 2410 - Tukmakov 2605, ? 1993.

[\*4\*] 6...OO 7.Be2 c5 8.d5 Nbd7 9.Bf4 Qa5 10.Qc2 Nxe4 11.Rc1 Nxc3 12.bxc3 Nf6 0-1(21) Kubala 2400 - Oral 2565, ? 2004.

[\*5\*] 7...c6 8.Bg5 OO 9.Nf3 Nbd7 10.Bd3 Qb6 11.Na4 Qa5+ 12.Bd2 Qd8 ==(41) Lutikov 2510 - Geller 2540, ? 1955.  
7...Na6 8.Qe2 OO 9.Bg5 h6 10.Bh4 c6 11.Nf3 cxd5 12.cxd5 Bd7 1-0(26) Levitt 2438 - Summerscale 2506, Southend ENG 2001.

[\*6\*] 9.Bd3 Qb6 10.Na4 Qc7 11.OO b5 12.Nc3 bxc4 ==(28) Lalic 2520 - Wohl 2461, Millfield ENG 2000.

[\*7\*] 12.Ba4 Be6 ===(35) Crouch 2425 - Gurevich 2575, Hastings ENG 1993.

[\*8\*] 4...c5 5.dxc5 d4 6.Nb5 Nc6 7.e3 e5 8.exd4 Nxd4 9.b4 a5 10.Bg5 Be7 11.Nf3 h6 12.Bxf6 Bxf6 ===(29) Gmuer 2487 - Hugentobler 2457, SFSV 2004;

11.Nxd4 exd4 12.b5 h6 1-0(74) Cebalo 2482 - Sebenik 2440, Pula (CRO) 2004;

9...Bf5 10.Nxd4 Qxd4 11.Qxd4 exd4 12.Ne2 OOO 1-0(60) Meins 2441 - Zezulkin 2494, Germany 2006;

6...e5 7.e3 Bxc5 8.exd4 exd4 9.Nf3 OO 10.Be2 Nc6 11.Bf4 Bf5 12.Bd3 Bxd3 0-1(24) Cebalo 2476 - Riazantsev 2647, Biel SUI 2009;

6...a6 7.Nxd4 e5 8.Nc2 Qxd1+ 9.Kxd1 Nc6 10.g3 Ng4 11.Be3 Nxe3+ 12.Nxe3 Bxc5 0-1(42) Thejkumar 2467 - Gupta 2584, Kolkata IND 2009;

5.cxd5 Nxd5 6.dxc5 Nxc3 7.Qxd8+ Kxd8 8.bxc3 Bg7 9.Kd2 Bf5 10.f3 Nd7 11.e4 Be6 12.c6 bxc6 1-0(44) Zaitsev 2430 - Smyslov 2595, ? 1963.

4...dxc4 5.e4 c5 6.d5 b5 7.e5 b4 8.exf6 bxc3 9.Bxc4 Qa5 10.Ne2 Ba6 11.b3 Nd7 12.Bxa6 Qxa6 1-0(37) Cebalo 2511 - Dvoirys S 2589, ? 2005;

5...e5 6.Bxc4 exd4 7.e5 Qe7 8.Qxd4 Nc6 9.Bb5 Bd7 10.Bxc6 Bxc6 11.Bg5 Qd7 12.Nge2 Ne4 1-0(23) Cebalo 2512 - Rade 2408, Sibenik 2005.

4...Bg7 5.h5 OO 6.hxg6 hxg6 7.Bg5 c5 8.dxc5 Qa5 9.Qd2 d4 10.Bxf6 dxc3 11.Bxc3 Bxc3 12.Qxc3 Qxc3+ 1-0(32) Azmaiparashvili 2632 - Belov 2600, playchess.com INT 2007.

[\*9\*] 5.Nf3 Bg7 6.cxd5 cxd5 7.Bf4 Nc6 8.e3 OO 9.Ne5 Qb6 10.Qb3 Bf5 11.Be2 h5 12.OO Rfc8 1-0(29) Sadorra 2431 - Gopal 2548, Beijing 2008.

5.e3 Bg7 6.Bd2 OO 7.Rc1 Nbd7 8.cxd5 cxd5 9.Nf3 a6 10.Qb3 e6 11.a4 Re8 12.Be2 Nb8 1-0(45) Kruppa 2535 - Aronian 2435, Linares ESP 1998.

[\*10\*] 6...Nc6 7.e3 Bg7 8.Nf3 OO 9.Be2 Bg4 10.OO Qa5 11.Qb3 Qb4 12.Qxb4 Nxb4 ===(46) Cebalo 2506 - Areshchenko 2660, ? 2006;

8.Bd3 Nh5 9.Bh2 OO 10.Be2 Nf6 11.h5 Qb6 12.hxg6 fxg6 ===(48) Schramm 2477 - Sermer 2559, ICCF 2007;

8.Be2 OO 9.h5 Ne4 10.Nf3 Bg4 11.hxg6 hxg6 12.Rc1 Nxc3 ===(54) Cebalo 2506 - Stojanovic 2492, Djakovo CRO 2006;

7...a6 8.Be2 Bg7 9.h5 Ne4 10.Nf3 Nxc3 11.bxc3 OO 12.Rb1 Qa5 1-0(41) Milanovic 2519 - Shishkin 2474, ? 2007.

[\*11\*] 7...OO 8.Be2 Nc6 9.h5 Qb6 10.hxg6 hxg6 11.a3 Ne4 12.Nf3 Bg4 ===(27) Cebalo 2507 - Brkic 2477, Djakovo CRO 2005;

8.h5 Nxh5 9.Rxh5 gxh5 10.Qxh5 f5 11.Bd3 e6 12.g4 Nd7 1-0(33) Cebalo 2519 - Brkic 2458, Nova Gorica SLO 2005.

[\*12\*] 8.h5 OO 9.hxg6 hxg6 10.Nf3 Qb6 11.a3 Bg4 12.Na4 Qa5+ 0-1(38) Bosboom 2430 - Sokolov 2635, Leeuwarden NED 1997.

8.Be2 OO 9.h5 Qb6 10.hxg6 hxg6 11.a3 Ne4 12.Nf3 Nxc3 ===(30) Neuer 2435 - Petrolo 2522, ICCF 2008.

[\*13\*] 9.Be2 Ne4 10.Rc1 Bg4 11.Qb3 Nxc3 12.Rxc3 Qd7 ===(34) Cebalo 2507 - Predojevic 2549, Djakovo CRO 2005.

[\*14\*] 12.Qxd5 Qb6 ===(69) Stull 2602 - Cardelli 2538, ICCF Email 2004.

[\*15\*] 7...OO 8.e3 c5 9.cxd5 cxd4 10.cxd4 Qxd5 11.Be2 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Nc6 ===(23) Dydyshko 2572 - Krasenkow 2660, Ustron 2007.

[\*16\*] 8.cxd5 Qxd5 9.e3 cxd4 10.cxd4 Nc6 11.Be2 OO 12.OO Bf5 ===(52) Spassov 2433 - Delchev 2648, Donostia-San Sebastián 2009;

0-1(56) Boensch 2545 - Holzke 2471, Alemania, GER 2004;  
11...Qa5+ 12.Qd2 OO 1-0(85) Van Wely 2632 - Shirov 2726, Monte Carlo MNC 1999;  
9...OO 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 Nc6 12.OO Bf5 ===(73) Kantsler 2519 - Smirin 2702, ? 2002.

[\*17\*] 8...Nc6 9.cxd5 Qxd5 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 OO 12.OO Bf5 ===(38) Vallejo Pons 2664 - Svidler 2727, Dresden GER 2008;  
===(40) Boensch 2545 - Sokolov 2635, ? 2000;  
12...b6 1-0(41) Ruban 2535 - Dvoirys 2580, Elista 1995;  
11...Qa5+ 12.Qd2 OO ===(15) Garcia Ilundain 2550 - De la Villa Garcia 2525, San Roque 1996.

[\*18\*] 9.Be2 dxc4 10.Bxc4 Qa5 11.OO Qxc3 12.Rc1 Qa5 1-0(71) Guliev 2490 - Yandemirov 2535, Kstovo 1994.

[\*19\*] 9...Qxd5 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 Nc6 12.OO Bf5 ===(20) Eljanov 2720 - Svidler 2727, Germany 2009;  
11...Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Nc6 1-0(49) Boensch 2547 - Shirov 2751, Dresden GER 2000.

[\*20\*] 12.OO Bf5 0-1(73) Eljanov 2693 - Svidler 2726, Nalchik 2009;  
0-1(85) Spassov 2433 - Lopez Martinez 2557, Salou 2009;  
1-0(55) Volkov 2607 - Shcherbakov 2500, Izhevsk RUS 2009;  
===(38) Volkov 2616 - Maslak 2551, Ulan Ude RUS 2009;  
===(19) Volkov 2554 - Leko 2743, New Delhi IND 2000;  
===(25) Milov 2626 - Svidler 2689, Biel 2000;  
===(34) Milov 2626 - Svidler 2689, Biel SUI 2000;  
12...Rd8 1-0(29) Milov 2626 - Eriksson 2369, Torshavn FAI 2000.  
11...Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Nc6 ===(20) Hertneck 2605 - Rotsagov 2460, Moscow RUS 1994;  
===(60) Milov 2626 - Van Wely 2643, Biel SUI 2000;  
===(Drozdovskij Yuri 2450 - Neverov Valeriy 2583, ? 2003.

[\*21\*] 4...e6 5.Bd3 Bg7 6.Nf3 OO 7.OO b6 8.cxd5 Nxd5 9.Nxd5 Qxd5 10.Qc2 Ba6 11.Be4 Qb5 12.Re1 c6 1-0(34) Chekhover 2457 - Alatortsev 2480, Leningrad RUS 1934.

[\*22\*] 5.cxd5 Nxd5 6.Bc4 Nxc3 7.bxc3 OO 8.Ba3 Nd7 9.Ne2 c5 10.OO Qc7 11.Rc1 b6 12.f4 e6 ===(50) Agdestein 2600 - Pelletier 2440, Yerevan ARM 1996;  
8.Ne2 Nc6 9.OO b6 10.Ba3 Na5 11.Bd3 Qd7 12.Qc2 Bb7 0-1(33) Simkin Y 2355 - Tukmakov Vladimir B 2560, ? 1966.  
5.Bd2 OO 6.Rc1 c5 7.dxc5 Na6 8.Nxd5 Ne4 9.f3 Nxd2 10.Qxd2 e6 11.Nc3 Qa5 12.a3 Rd8 ===(64) Aleksandrov 2654 - Ivanchuk 2711, Halkidiki 2002;  
11...Qh4+ 12.g3 Qf6 1-0(42) Aleksandrov 2574 - Mikkelsen 2430, Vladimir 2008.  
5.Ne4 Nh5 6.Qc2 Kd7 7.Nf6+ exf6 8.Qe2 Qg8 9.Qd3 Qd8 10.Qd1 Rg8 ===(Piket 2410 - Smejkal 2550, ? 1986.  
5.b4 OO 6.Qb3 a5 7.b5 e5 8.dxe5 Ne4 9.Nf3 Nd7 10.Bb2 Nxe5 11.Rd1 Nxf3+ 12.gxf3 Ng5 0-1(32) Bern 2395 - Khenkin 2530, Gausdal 1992.

[\*23\*] 5...c6 6.cxd5 cxd5 7.Nge2 OO 8.Nf4 e6 9.Be2 Nc6 10.OO Ne8 11.Qc2 Nd6 12.b3 Nb4 1-0(50) Ehlvest 2600 - Orlov 2350, St Petersburg 1994;  
8...Nc6 9.Be2 Na5 10.Qb4 g5 11.Nd3 Nc4 12.h4 h6 ===(34) Kotov 2565 - Goldberg 2365, ? 1957;  
6.Bd2 OO 7.Rc1 dxc4 8.Bxc4 b5 9.Be2 Be6 10.Qc2 a5 11.Nf3 Na6 12.OO Qb6 1-0(41) Aleksandrov 2574 - Nechepurenko 2476, Zvenigorod, Russia 2008.

[\*24\*] 6...c6 7.Nf3 a5 8.b3 Na6 9.Be2 Ne4 10.Na4 Nb4 11.Qb2 c5 12.OO OO ===(42) Korchnoi 2659 - Krasenkow 2661, Lviv UKR 2000;  
10...Bd7 11.c5 OO 12.Bb2 Nc7 1-0(31) Gabriel 2553 - Moor 2391, Switzerland 2005;  
9.c5 Nd7 10.Bxa6 Rxa6 11.Na4 OO 12.Bb2 Qe7 ===(60) Kortschnoj 2629 - Kurnosov 2580, Chelyabinsk 2007;  
8.cxd5 exd5 9.Bd3 Na6 10.OO Nb4 11.Bb1 b6 12.Qa4 OO ===(15) Gulko 2595 - Hansen 2560, ? 1988;  
7...Nbd7 8.Bd3 dxc4 9.Bxc4 b5 10.Be2 a5 11.Qb3 OO 12.OO Ba6 ===(53) Rakhmanov 2543 - Nepomniachtchi 2624, Dagomys 2009.  
6...a5 7.Nf3 c6 8.b3 Na6 9.c5 Nd7 10.Bxa6 Rxa6 11.Na4 g5 12.OO g4 0-1(40) Kortschnoj 2632 - Van Wely 2643, Istanbul TUR 2000;  
9.Bd2 Nb4 10.Qb2 OO 11.a3 Na6 12.Be2 b6 1-0(37) Ibragimov 2566 - Roiz 2512, Internet Chess Club INT 2003;  
== Khenkin 2633 - Van Wely 2629, Polanica Zdroj POL 1999.  
6...Bf8 7.Qb3 Bg7 8.Qa3 Bf8 9.Qb3 == Savchenko 2558 - Brodsky 2572, St Petersburg 2008.  
6...dxc4 7.Bxc4 Bf8 8.Qb3 Bg7 9.Nf3 OO 10.e4 Nc6 11.e5 Na5 12.Qa4 Nxc4 0-1(41) Drozdovskij 2550 - Rakhmanov 2442, Moscow 2006.

[\*25\*] 8.Bd2 Nbd7 9.cxd5 exd5 10.Ba6 Bxa6 11.Qxa6 OO 12.OO c5 1-0(49) Belozarov 2548 - Coenen 2389, Izmir 2004;  
9...Nxd5 10.Rc1 a6 11.Be2 c5 12.dxc5 Nxc5 ===(29) Zagorskis 2450 - Mikhalevski 2460, Berlin GER 1994.

[\*26\*] 8...Nxd5 9.Bd2 Nd7 10.Rc1 a6 11.Be2 c5 12.Ne4 Bf8 1-0(62) Andreikin 2555 - Gopal 2520, Yerevan ARM 2007;  
10...Nxc3 11.Bxc3 Qe7 12.Bb4 c5 1-0(52) M S 2420 - Sergey 2521, Bhubaneswar IND 2009.

[\*27\*] 9.Bb5+ c6 10.Bd3 Nbd7 11.e4 c5 12.Bg5 dxe4 ===(41) Ivkov 2530 - Timman 2600, Bugojno BIH 1980.

[\*28\*] 9...a6 10.Be2 Nbd7 11.Nxd7 Qxd7 12.OO Bf8 ===(28) Knezevic 2490 - Tukmakov 2560, Erevan ARM 1980.

[\*29\*] 12.Bg2 a5 ===(39) Aleksandrov 2659 - Areshchenko 2542, Rethymnon GRE 2003.

[\*30\*] 7...a5 8.Bd2 Nb4 9.Qb3 c5 10.a3 Nc6 11.cxd5 exd5 12.dxc5 OO 0-1(47) Suba 2535 - Shirov 2706, Cala Galdana ESP 2001;  
9.Qa4+ Bd7 10.Qb3 dxc4 11.Bxc4 Bc6 12.Be2 OO ===(17) Farago 2507 - Ftacnik 2579, Hambourg 2004;  
9.Rc1 OO 10.cxd5 exd5 11.Nb5 Nc6 12.Be2 Ne4 1-0(29) Finegold 2580 - Antal 2486, Chicago 2009;  
8.Be2 Nb4 9.Qa4+ Bd7 10.Qd1 dxc4 11.Bxc4 c5 12.OO cxd4 ===(13) Eingorn 2580 - Ehlvest 2615, Calcutta 1992.  
7...a6 8.Be2 Bd7 9.cxd5 exd5 10.OO Ne7 11.Bd2 OO 12.Qb3 Rb8 ===(87) Eingorn 2575 - Khenkin 2470, Metz 1991;  
11.Na4 Ne4 12.Nc5 Nxc5 ===(63) Javakhishvili 2667 - Melia 2292, Tbilisi 2002;  
8.Bd2 Qe7 9.Qxe7+ Nxe7 10.Rc1 Ne4 11.Bd3 Nxd2 12.Kxd2 Bd7 ===(47) Finegold 2551 - Lein 2402, Seattle USA 2003.  
7...Qe7 8.Qxe7+ Nxe7 9.Nb5 Kd8 10.Ne5 Rf8 11.b3 a6 12.Nc3 Nd7 1-0(38) Polak 2538 - Konopka 2447, Havlickuv Brod 2008.



7...Bd7 8.cxd5 exd5 9.Be2 Ne7 10.b4 OO 11.Qb3 Be6 12.Ne5 Ne4 1-0(36)  
Finegold 2445 - Palac 2505, Prague 1990.

[\*31\*] 8.Qa4+ c6 9.Be2 OO 10.OO Qc7 11.c5 Nd7 12.e4 dxe4 0-1(50) Knezevic 2440  
- Ftacnik 2560, Trnava 1983;

9.Qc2 OO 10.Be2 c5 11.dxc5 Qa5 12.b4 Qxb4 ===(27) Farago 2485 - Jansa  
2475, Baile Herculane 1982.

8.Bd3 OO 9.OO b6 10.Rd1 Bb7 11.cxd5 Nexd5 12.Bd2 Nxc3 ===(19) Malaniuk 2610  
- Stohl 2560, Moscow RUS 1994;

10.Bd2 Bb7 11.cxd5 Nexd5 12.Ba6 Qc8 ===(22) Finegold 2465 - Gurevich  
2475, New York, NY USA 1992.

[\*32\*] 9.Bd2 b6 10.OO Bb7 11.cxd5 exd5 12.Ba6 Bxa6 ===(49) Jovanic 2473 -  
Predojevic 2566, Kusadasi / Turkey 2006.

[\*33\*] 10.Bd2 dxc4 11.Bxc4 Bb7 12.Ba6 Bxa6 0-1(47) Klinger 2520 - Ftacnik 2550,  
Novi Sad YUG 1990;

10...Bb7 11.cxd5 Nexd5 12.Rac1 Qd6 0-1(54) Mozharov 2475 - Rakhmanov  
2543, Sochi RUS 2009.

10.Rd1 Ne4 11.Bd2 Nxd2 12.Nxd2 c6 0-1(35) Kogan 2485 - Avrukh 2565, Paris  
1998.

[\*34\*] 10...exd5 11.b4 Bb7 12.Qb3 c6 1-0(52) Kogan 2465 - Mikhalevski 2525,  
Rishon Le Ziyon 1995.

[\*35\*] 11.Rd1 Bb7 12.Bd2 Qd6 1-0(40) Ehlvest 2610 - Fernandez Garcia 2455,  
Seville 1994.

[\*36\*] 12.Nd2 Qd6 ===(22) GABRIEL 2562 - FTACNIK 2603, ST. Veit 2003.

11...exd5 12.b4 Ne4 0-1(60) Khenkin 2555 - Alterman 2595, Tel Aviv/Ramat-  
Gan ISR 1994.

[\*37\*] 4...dxc4 5.e4 Bg7 6.Bxc4 OO 7.Nge2 c5 8.d5 Nbd7 9.f3 Ne5 10.Bb3 c4  
11.Bc2 Qb6 12.Rb1 e6 ===(41) Kan 2650 - Riumin 2620, ? 1936;

5.e3 Bg7 6.Bxc4 OO 7.Nf3 c5 8.OO cxd4 9.Qxd4 Qxd4 10.Nxd4 Nbd7 11.Nd5  
Nxd5 12.Bxd5 Nf6 ===(21) Kamishov 2420 - Lilienthal 2650, ? 1938.

[\*38\*] 5.Nf3 Ne4 6.Bf4 Nxc3 7.bxc3 c5 8.e3 OO 9.cxd5 cxd4 10.cxd4 Qxd5 11.Be2  
Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Nc6 1-0(43) Ivanchuk 2700 - Shipov 2655, ? 1999;

===(20) Zakharevich 2530 - Shipov 2620, Maikop RUS 1998;

1-0(45) Ivanchuk 2702 - Shipov 2658, ? 1999;

1-0(37) Ivancsics 2702 - Shipov 2658, Las Vegas 1999;

9...Qxd5 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Nc6 == Sretenskiy 2445 -  
Yandemirov 2545, Moscow 1998.

[\*39\*] 5...Ne4 6.Bf4 Nxc3 7.bxc3 OO 8.Nf3 c5 9.cxd5 Qxd5 10.Qb3 Be6 11.Qxd5  
Bxd5 12.Be2 cxd4 0-1(26) Aseev 2525 - Svidler 2710, St Petersburg 1998.

[\*40\*] 6.Nf3 Ne4 7.Bh4 Qa5 8.Qb3 Nxc3 9.Qxc3 Qxc3+ 10.bxc3 e6 11.Bd3 Nc6 12.Ke2  
dxc4 ===(55) Gupta 2565 - Melkumyan 2530, Kavala GRE 2009;

7.cxd5 Nxg5 8.Nxg5 cxd4 9.exd4 Qb6 10.Bb5+ Bd7 11.Qe2 OO 12.OO Bxb5 ==  
=(73) Fominyh 2520 - Yandemirov 2525, Minsk 1995;

6...cxd4 7.Bxf6 Bxf6 8.Nxd5 dxe3 9.Nxf6+ exf6 10.Qxd8+ Kxd8 11.fxe3 Nd7  
12.Rd1 Ke7 ===(33) Sorin 2501 - Panno 2454, Buenos Aires ARG 1999.

6.Bxf6 Bxf6 7.cxd5 cxd4 8.exd4 OO 9.Bc4 Qb6 10.Nge2 Qxb2 11.Rb1 Qa3 12.OO  
Nd7 ===(26) Krasenkow 2660 - Svidler 2690, Madrid ESP 1998;

8...Qb6 9.Nf3 Qxb2 10.Qc1 Qb6 11.Rb1 Qd8 12.Qh6 Qc7 1-0(24) Tunik 2505 - Yandemirov 2502, ? 2002.

[\*41\*] 7.Bxf6 Bxf6 8.Rc1 dxc4 9.Bxc4 OO 10.Nf3 Qxc5 11.Qe2 Bg4 12.OO Bxf3 ===(15) Sorin 2460 - Sorokin 2555, Villa Gisell ARG 1998;

12.Nd5 Bxf3 1-0(46) Sorin 2512 - Pierrot 2433, Buenos Aires 2003;  
10...Nc6 11.OO Qxc5 12.Qe2 Qh5 ===(39) Schandorff 2521 - Atakisi 2419, Turin ITA 2006;

8...Na6 9.cxd5 Nxc5 10.Bb5+ Kf8 11.Ne2 Qb4 12.OO a6 ===(33) Moskalenko 2555 - Svidler 2495, St Petersburg 1993.

[\*42\*] 8.Nf3 OO 9.Ne4 Nc6 10.Nxf6+ exf6 11.Qxa5 Nxa5 12.Bf4 f5 0-1(39) Zakharov 2426 - San Segundo Carrillo 2497, Ubeda ESP 2000.

[\*43\*] 8...OO 9.Bxf6 exf6 10.Ne4 Qxd2+ 11.Nxd2 Nd7 12.Nb3 f5 ===(31) Jobava 2640 - Belov 2582, playchess.com INT 2005.

8...Qxc5 9.Bxf6 Bxf6 10.Nd5 Qd6 11.Nxf6+ Qxf6 12.Ne2 == Sharif 2500 - Rowson 2415, Schaan LIE 1996.

[\*44\*] 12.Bxe6 Nxe6 ===(22) Moskalenko 2535 - Adorjan 2565, Alushta 1994;  
===(45) Moskalenko 2535 - Adorjan 2565, Alushta-2 1994.

[\*45\*] 6...OO 7.e3 e5 8.dxe6 Bxe6 9.Nge2 c5 10.d5 Bg4 11.Qd2 Re8 12.h3 Bc8 1-0(43) Arutinian 2576 - Pereira 2423, Cappelle la Grande 2008;

7...Nd7 8.Nf3 Nb6 9.Be2 Nxd5 10.OO == Miladinovic 2509 - Skembris 2464, Skopje MKD 2002.

[\*46\*] 7.e4 Qb6 8.e5 Qxb2 9.Nge2 Bg7 10.g3 OO 11.Bg2 cxd5 12.Rb1 Qa3 1-0(36) Sokolov 2647 - Ristic 2464, Neum 2002;

0-1(38) Eljanov 2729 - Kurnosov 2666, AUT 2009;

10.Rb1 Qa3 11.Qd2 OO 12.g3 f6 1-0(56) Chernyshov 2483 - Oral 2541, Pardubice CZE 1999;

8.Nge2 Qxb2 9.Rb1 Qa3 10.g3 OO 11.Bg2 Bg7 12.Qd2 Qa5 ===(46)

Mchedlishvili 2518 - Sasikiran 2666, Vlissingen NED 2004;

10.Qd2 OO 11.g3 Rd8 12.Bg2 e5 ===(23) Gretarsson 2521 - Kalod 2440, Pardubice 1999;

7...cxd5 8.Nxd5 Bg7 9.Bb5+ Bd7 10.Rc1 Bxb5 11.Nc7+ Kf8 12.Nxb5 a6 1-0(26) Gretarsson 2521 - Olafsson 2494, Copenhagen 1999;

10...OO 11.Ne2 Bxb5 12.Nc7 a6 1-0(19) Gretarsson Helgi Ass ISL 2520 - Olafsson Helgi ISL 2490, ? 1999;

7...OO 8.Bc4 cxd5 9.exd5 Qb6 10.Nge2 Qxb2 11.Rb1 Qa3 12.OO Nd7 0-1(33) Aronian 2786 - Carlsen 2801, Moscow RUS 2009.

7.e3 cxd5 8.Bb5+ Kf8 9.Nge2 Kg7 10.Nf4 e6 11.OO a6 12.Be2 Qd6 ===(47)

Goldin 2585 - Svidler 2505, St Petersburg 1994;

11...Qd6 12.Rc1 a6 ===(32) Karasev 2405 - Svidler 2585, St Petersburg 1995;

10.Qb3 e6 11.OO a6 12.Bd3 Nc6 0-1(58) Nakamura 2571 - McShane 2651, playchess.com INT 2004;

10.Rc1 e6 11.Nf4 Bd7 12.Bd3 Qb6 1-0(24) Chernyshov 2549 - Slaby 2364, Budapest HUN 2002;

8...Nc6 9.Nf3 OO 10.OO Na5 11.b4 a6 12.Be2 Nc6 ===(86) Dreev 2689 - Sakaev 2665, Tripoli 2004;

8...Bd7 9.Bxd7+ Qxd7 10.Qf3 OO 11.Qxd5 Rd8 12.Qxd7 Nxd7 1-0(51)

Groszpeter 2495 - Adorjan 2535, Hungary 1992;

8.Nf3 OO 9.Be2 Nc6 10.OO e6 11.Qd2 Bd7 12.Rfd1 Rc8 0-1(74) Peker 2385 - Golod 2566, Ramat Aviv 2000;

== Dokutchayev 2415 - Yandemirov 2535, Moscow 1994.

7.dxc6 Bxd4 8.cxb7 Bxb7 9.Qb3 Qc7 10.e3 == Shishkin 2485 - Zontakh 2529, Kazimierz Dolny POL 2001;

9...Qb6 10.e3 Bxc3+ 11.bxc3 OO 12.Nf3 Nd7 == (35) Chernyshov 2480 - Kalod 2440, Rymarov 1999.

7.Nf3 cxd5 8.Qb3 e6 9.e4 OO 10.e5 Bg7 11.Be2 Nc6 12.OO Bd7 == (25) Fier 2653 - Khalifman 2612, 0:38.47-0:33.31 2009;

8.e3 OO 9.Be2 b6 10.OO e6 11.Rc1 Bb7 12.Qa4 Nc6 == (31) Zvjaginsev 2585 - Leko 2555, Wijk aan Zee 1995.

[\*47\*] 7...Qb6 8.e3 Qxb2 9.Bc4 Qb4 10.Qb3 Qxb3 11.Bxb3 OO 12.Nf3 Rd8 == (64) Mchedlishvili 2549 - Najer 2614, ? 2005;

9...OO 10.Nge2 Qb4 11.Qb3 Qa5 12.OO Bg7 0-1(33) Iljin 2510 - Nepomniachtchi 2506, Cheboksary RUS 2006;

9.Nf3 OO 10.Bc4 Bg4 11.OO Qb4 12.Ne4 Bg7 1-0(40) Jianu 2502 - Shishkin 2484, Bucharest 2006.

7...cxd5 8.Nxd5 Qxd5 9.Rxc8+ Kd7 10.Rc5 Qxa2 11.e4 Nc6 12.Bb5 Rhd8 1-0(23) Chatalbashev 2579 - Fercec 2481, Zadar CRO 2008;

10.Rc3 Rc8 11.e3 Qxa2 12.Qc1 Rxc3 == (27) Marcelin 2481 - Marzolo 2440, Besancon 2006.

[\*48\*] 8...Qxd4 9.Qxd4 Bxd4 10.Nf3 Bxc3+ 11.Rxc3 Nxc6 12.e3 Bg4 == (32) Akobian 2624 - Ponomariov 2739, 0:00.10-0:25.09 2009;

10.c7 Nc6 11.Nf3 Bb6 12.e3 Bxc7 == (30) Wang Yue 2626 - Berkes 2601, Taiyuan 2006;

10.cxb7 Bxb7 11.Nf3 Bf6 12.e3 Nd7 == (15) Arutinian 2576 - Margvelashvili 2455, Tbilisi 2008.

[\*49\*] 12.e4 Bd7 1-0(50) Kovalenko Igor (UKR) 2465 - Yandemirov Valeri (RUS) 2504, Alushta (Ukraine) 2009;

1-0(52) Kacheishvili 2605 - Atakisi 2419, Turin ITA 2006;

==(45) Kacheishvili 2605 - Deng 2423, Las Vegas 2006;

1-0(39) Jobava 2601 - Miton 2636, Skanderborg 2005;

12...Bg4+ 1-0(44) Azmaiparashvili 2672 - Sutovsky 2674, Saint Vincent ITA 2005.

12.g3 Be6 == (24) Dreev 2689 - Sakaev 2665, Tripoli LBA 2004.

[\*50\*] 5.Nxe4 dxe4 6.Qd2 Bg7 7.e3 c5 8.Ne2 h6 9.Bh4 f5 10.d5 OO 11.Nc3 Nd7 12.Be2 Nf6 1-0(47) Heberla 2500 - Roganovic 2475, Marianske Lazne 2009;

8.d5 Nd7 9.Ne2 Ne5 10.Nc3 f5 11.Be2 h6 12.Bf4 Bd7 0-1(32) Bangiev 2400 - Dvoiry 2560, Budapest 1991;

7.OO h6 8.Bf4 c5 9.dxc5 Qxd2+ 10.Bxd2 Be6 11.e3 Nd7 12.f3 Nxc5 0-1(18) Alatortsev 2655 - Flohr 2710, ? 1939;

7...c5 8.d5 h6 9.Bf4 Qb6 10.e3 Na6 11.Ne2 Nb4 12.Nc3 g5 0-1(18) Schuett 2547 - Zugrav 2535, Switzerland 2002;

6...c6 7.f3 Bg7 8.OO Be6 9.fxe4 Bxc4 10.Kb1 Nd7 11.Nf3 Nf6 12.Bxf6 exf6 1-0(45) Chernyshov 2483 - Votava 2497, Presov SVK 1999;

6...h6 7.Bh4 Bg7 8.OO Nc6 9.e3 g5 10.Bg3 e5 11.d5 Ne7 12.f3 Bf5 1-0(34) Chernyshov 2536 - Pribyl 2376, Prague CZE 2001;

6.e3 c5 7.Qd2 Bg7 8.d5 Qb6 9.OO Na6 10.f3 Nb4 11.Kb1 Bf5 12.g4 Bd7 0-1(57) Bogoljubov 2680 - Szabo 2665, ? 1939;

7.d5 Bg7 8.Qd2 Qb6 9.OO a5 10.Ne2 Bg4 11.h3 Bxe2 12.Bxe2 Na6 0-1(20) Le Roux Jean-Pierre (FRA) 2497 - Fluvia Poyatos Joan (ESP) 2454, Szeged (Hungary) 1994;

6.Qa4+ c6 7.e3 Nd7 8.OO Bg7 9.Qa3 Nb6 10.Qa5 Be6 11.b3 Qc8 12.Ne2 Nd7 0-1(21) Kremenetsky 2391 - Belov 2608, Moscow RUS 2006.

5.cxd5 Nxg5 6.h4 Ne4 7.Nxe4 Qxd5 8.Nc3 Qa5 9.e3 c5 10.Bb5+ Bd7 11.Bxd7+ Nxd7 12.Qf3 Bg7 == (38) Yakhin 2560 - Faibisovich 2560, Leningrad 1962;

9.Qa4+ Qxa4 10.Nxa4 Nc6 11.Nf3 e5 12.Nxe5 Nxd4 0-1(29) Meduna 2435 - Votava 2540, Lazne Bohdanec 1996;

9.h5 Bg7 10.Qd2 c5 11.dxc5 Nc6 12.e4 Be6 0-1(24) Finegold 2455 - Malisauskas 2495, Groningen 1991.

5.Qc1 Bg7 6.cxd5 Nxc3 7.bxc3 Qxd5 8.Bh6 OO 9.Bxg7 Kxg7 10.Nf3 c5 11.e3 b6 12.Be2 cxd4 0-1(51) Vokac 2487 - Navara 2543, Ostrava CZE 2002;

9.Nf3 c5 10.h4 cxd4 11.h5 gxh5 12.cxd4 Nc6 1-0(42) Vokac 2502 - Votava 2511, Czechia 2003;

6...Nxg5 7.Qxg5 Bxd4 8.Nf3 Bg7 9.e4 OO 10.Bc4 a6 11.OO b5 12.Bb3 c5 == (52) Vokac 2502 - Sasikiran 2650, Pardubice CZE 2002.

[\*51\*] 5...c6 6.e3 Bg7 7.Bd3 Nxc3 8.bxc3 Qa5 9.Ne2 dxc4 10.Bxc4 Nd7 11.OO OO 12.e4 e5 == (57) Jussupow Artur M 2655 - Timman Jan H 2620, ? 1992;

== (56) Yusupov 2655 - Timman Jan H 2620, ? 1992.

[\*52\*] 6...c5 7.e3 Bg7 8.Nf3 Nc6 9.cxd5 Qxd5 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 OO 12.OO Bf5 == (16) Jojua 2463 - Kurnosov 2593, Plovdiv 2008;

8.cxd5 cxd4 9.cxd4 Qxd5 10.Nf3 Nc6 11.Be2 OO 12.OO Bf5 0-1(41) Beinoras 2422 - Cmilyte 2498, Vilnius 2009;

7.cxd5 Qxd5 8.e3 Bg7 9.Nf3 OO 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 Nc6 12.OO b6 == (31) Sorin 2512 - Sanchez Almeyra 2440, Rosario ARG 2001.

[\*53\*] 7.Qa4+ c6 8.Qxc4 Bg7 9.Nf3 Nd7 10.e3 c5 11.Be2 OO 12.OO Qa5 0-1(66) Nikolaidis 2530 - Epishin 2667, Bolzano ITA 2000;

10...OO 11.Be2 Nb6 12.Qc5 Nd5 == (14) Varga 2420 - Sax 2508, Hungary 2008;

7...Nc6 8.e3 Bg7 9.Nf3 OO 10.Bxc4 Qe8 11.Qb5 e5 12.Nxe5 Nxe5 == (53) Ionov 2500 - Tseitlin 2440, St Petersburg 1992.

7.e4 c5 8.Bxc4 Bg7 9.Ne2 Nc6 10.d5 Na5 11.Bd3 OO 12.Bg5 Qc7 1-0(37) Shirov 2610 - Leko 2385, London 1991;

7...Bg7 8.Bxc4 OO 9.Ne2 Nc6 10.Rc1 e5 11.Be3 Qh4 12.Ng3 Na5 1-0(30) Groszpeter 2495 - Gyorkos 2450, Hungary 1992.

[\*54\*] 7...Be6 8.Rb1 b6 9.Nf3 Bg7 10.Ng5 Bd5 11.e4 h6 12.exd5 hxg5 0-1(34) Vyzmanavin 2540 - Tukmakov 2570, Simferopol UKR 1986;

10.h4 h6 11.e4 Nd7 12.Qa4 OO == (44) Grigorian 2430 - Tukmakov 2565, Leningrad 1971.

[\*55\*] 9...Nc6 10.OO OO 11.Rc1 Bf5 12.Re1 cxd4 1-0(59) Christiansen 2595 - Epishin 2620, Ter Apel 1992.

[\*56\*] 12.Rb5 cxd4 == (34) Shirov 2610 - Epishin 2615, Brno 1991.

[\*57\*] 7.Nf3 c5 8.e3 OO 9.Be2 dxc4 10.Bxc4 Qa5 11.OO Qxc3 12.Rc1 Qa5 0-1(39) Anastasian 2520 - Khachiyan 2440, Yerevan 1996;

9.Rc1 Nc6 10.Be2 dxc4 11.Bxc4 cxd4 12.cxd4 Qa5+ 0-1(42) Anastasian 2520 - Mirumian 2425, Yerevan 1996.

7.Qa4+ Bd7 8.Qa5 e5 9.Bxe5 Nc6 10.Qxd5 Nxe5 11.dxe5 Qe7 12.Nf3 Bc6 == (31) Anastasian 2574 - Wu Wenjin 2535, Dubai UAE 2005.

[\*58\*] 7...dxc4 8.Bxc4 OO 9.h4 Nc6 10.h5 e5 11.hxg6 hxg6 12.Bh6 Bxh6 0-1(43) Efimov 2460 - Djuric 2460, Formia 1995.

7...c6 8.Nf3 OO 9.Be2 Qa5 10.Qb3 Nd7 11.OO e5 12.Bg3 dxc4 1-0(28) Malaniuk 2615 - Markowski 2305, Koszalin POL 1997.

[\*59\*] 9.Be2 dxc4 10.Bxc4 Qa5 11.OO Nd7 12.Qb3 Nb6 == (23) Gofshtein 2560 - Kozul 2550, Zagreb 1993;

==(25) Gofshtein 2540 - Kozul 2550, Zagreb 1993;  
 9...Qa5 10.OO dxc4 11.Bxc4 Qxc3 12.Rc1 Qa3 0-1(38) Schlosser 2485 - Tolnai 2490, Kecskemet 1992.  
 9.Rc1 cxd4 10.cxd4 Nc6 11.cxd5 Qxd5 12.Qd2 Bg4 ==(14) Groszpeter 2495 - Ernst 2535, Dortmund 1992.  
 9.Rb1 cxd4 10.cxd4 Nc6 11.Be2 dxc4 12.Bxc4 Qa5+ ==(26) Petursson 2560 - Hauchard 2450, Reykjavik 1993.

[\*60\*] 9...Qxd5 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Nc6 0-1(58) Khenkin 2575 - Ftacnik 2585, Ischia ITA 1996;  
 12...Qxd2+ ==(18) Zvjaginsev 2455 - Rogozenko 2500, Stockerau 1993;  
 11...Nc6 12.OO Bf5 ==(27) Javakhishvili 2470 - Ushenina 2484, Istanbul 2008;  
 == Maksimenko 2501 - Fogarasi 2482, Scanno ITA 2005;  
 10...Nc6 11.OO Rd8 12.Re1 h6 1-0(37) Hort 2525 - Arakhamia-Grant 2420, Roquebrune FRA 1998;  
 == Arutinian 2526 - Kovchan 2554, Dresden GER 2009.  
 == Wu 2530 - Ni Hua 2530, ? 2003.

[\*61\*] 12.Qd2 Qxd2+ 1-0(33) Zvjaginsev 2545 - Karasev 2405, St Petersburg 1994;  
 1-0(39) Zvjaginsev 2545 - Karasev 2405, ? 1994;  
 12...Nc6 ==(32) Goldin 2580 - Shmuter 2480, Rishon Le Ziyon 1995.  
 11...Nc6 12.OO Bf5 ==(35) Mchedlishvili 2635 - Safarli 2524, Azerbaijan 2008;  
 ==(21) Bareev 2679 - Kasparov 2812, Sarajevo BIH 1999.  
 11...b6 12.OO Bb7 ==(38) Moskalenko 2555 - Tseshkovsky 2540, Oviedo ESP 1993.

[\*62\*] 8.cxd5 cxd4 9.cxd4 Qxd5 10.Nf3 OO 11.Be2 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Nc6 ==(35) Kuzubov 2545 - Van Wely 2674, Dresden / Germany 2007;  
 == Kuzubov 2582 - Mikhalevski 2584, Calvia 2007;  
 11...b6 12.OO Bb7 ==(47) Lutz 2540 - Smejkal 2535, Germany 1992;  
 11...Nc6 12.OO Bf5 1-0(73) Gofshtein 2580 - Casella 2362, Internet Chess Club INT 2000;  
 10...Nc6 11.Be2 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 OO 0-1(39) Ehlvest 2635 - Neverov 2490, Helsinki 1992;  
 11...OO 12.OO Bf5 0-1(49) Arutinian 2576 - Margvelashvili 2455, Tbilisi 2008;  
 8...Qxd5 9.Nf3 Nc6 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 OO 12.OO b6 1-0(31) Khenkin 2555 - Zagorskis 2520, Weilburg 1995;  
 9...cxd4 10.cxd4 Nc6 11.Be2 OO 12.OO Bf5 ==(32) Jeremic 2490 - Ruck 2556, Topola 2004.

[\*63\*] 8...cxd4 9.cxd4 Nc6 10.cxd5 Qxd5 11.Be2 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 OO 0-1(69) Lutz 2550 - Alterman 2600, Groningen NED 1993;  
 11...b6 12.OO Bb7 1-0(40) Schlosser 2520 - Van Mil 2435, Bad Woerishofen 1993;  
 9...Qa5+ 10.Qd2 Qxd2+ 11.Kxd2 dxc4 12.Bxc4 Nc6 1-0(59) Moskalenko 2555 - Karasev 2395, St Petersburg 1993.  
 8...Nc6 9.cxd5 Qxd5 10.Be2 cxd4 11.cxd4 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 OO 0-1(40) Steingrimsson 2420 - Kouatly 2505, Reykjavik 1993;  
 1-0(31) Jussupow 2645 - Smejkal 2500, Germany 1993;  
 11...OO 12.OO b6 ==(14) Jojua 2484 - Dvoirys 2547, Cappelle la Grande 2009.

[\*64\*] 9.Rb1 b6 10.Be2 dxc4 11.Bxc4 Nc6 12.OO Na5 1-0(39) Bareev 2680 - Gavrikov 2585, Biel 1991;

9...cxd4 10.cxd4 Nc6 11.Qa4 Bd7 12.Qa3 Bg4 ===(26) Bareev 2635 - Beliaevsky 2620, Linares 1992.

9.Be5 Bxe5 10.Nxe5 Nc6 11.Nxc6 bxc6 12.Qa4 Qb6 ===(51) Wu Wenjin 2548 - Huzman 2597, Moscow 2004.

[\*65\*] 11.Qd2 Bg4 12.Be2 Nd7 ===(27) Gretařsson 2520 - Oral 2540, Czechia 1999.

[\*66\*] 12.OO Bf5 ===(49) SANIKIDZE 2486 - NEGI 2529, Gaziantep 2008;  
0-1(27) Van der Sterren 2490 - Huzman 2510, Wijk aan Zee NED 1993;  
1-0(40) Anand 2710 - Wolff 2580, New York 1993;  
1-0(25) Hertneck 2615 - Anand 2715, Munich 1994;  
12...Bd7 ===(26) Olafsson 2495 - Hellers 2500, Osterson SWE 1992.

11...Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Qxd2+ ===(57) Arencibia 2520 - Bruzon 2488, Havana CUB 1999.

[\*67\*] 5...Bg7 6.cxd5 Nxc3 7.bxc3 Qxd5 8.e3 c5 9.Qf3 Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Nc6 11.Rb1 OO 12.Bd3 Re8 ===(19) Dreev 2695 - Timofeev 2610, ? 2004;

===(20) Dreev 2698 - Timofeev 2611, Moscow 2004;

9...Qd8 10.Bc4 OO 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Nc6 ===(31) Bareev 2709 - Ivanchuk 2711, Monte Carlo 2005;

10.Bb5+ Nd7 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 OO ===(25) Vasiukov 2570 - Gufeld 2520, Novosibirsk RUS 1971;

8...Qa5 9.Qb3 Be6 10.Bc4 Bxc4 11.Qxc4 Nd7 12.Nf3 c6 1-0(68) Prusikin 2564 - Votava 2545, Germany 2006;

9.Qd2 c5 10.Nf3 Nc6 11.Rb1 a6 12.Bc4 OO 1-0(38) Ravi 2408 - Ganguly 2573, Pune 2006;

6.e3 c5 7.cxd5 Nxc3 8.bxc3 Qxd5 9.Qf3 Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Nc6 11.Bb5 Bd7 12.OO Rc8 ===(28) Hort Vlastimil (GER) 2605 - Pribyl Josef (CZE) 2435, Havirov (Czech Republic) 1970;

6...Nxc3 7.bxc3 OO 8.cxd5 Qxd5 9.Bxe7 Re8 10.Ba3 Nc6 11.Qb3 Qa5 12.Be2 Bxd4 1-0(62) Ravi 2408 - Ganguly 2573, Pune 2006.

5...c6 6.e3 Bg7 7.Nf3 OO 8.Bd3 Nxc3 9.bxc3 Nd7 10.OO Nf6 11.cxd5 cxd5 12.c4 b6 0-1(61) Polgar 2430 - Korchnoi 2630, Brussels 1985;

8.Be2 Nd7 9.cxd5 Nxc3 10.bxc3 cxd5 11.Qb3 Nf6 12.OO b6 ===(39) Genov 2479 - Ivanovic 2444, Herceg Novi MNE 2006.

[\*68\*] 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.cxd5 Nxc3 8.bxc3 Qxd5 9.e3 cxd4 10.exd4 Bg7 11.Be2 OO 12.OO e5 0-1(42) Boensch 2490 - Gavrikov 2535, ? 1989.

[\*69\*] 6...Nxc3 7.bxc3 Bg7 8.cxd5 cxd4 9.exd4 Qxd5 10.Nf3 Nc6 11.Be2 OO 12.OO b6 ===(14) Keene 2480 - Portisch 2630, Palma de Majorca ESP 1971;

12...e5 ===(61) Bukic 2465 - Smejkal 2515, Vrnjacka Banja 1972;

8...Qxd5 9.Qf3 Be6 10.Bb5+ Nc6 11.e4 Qh5 12.Qxh5 gxh5 0-1(43) Taimanov 2470 - Kortschnoj Viktor 2635, ? 1971.

6...Nc6 7.cxd5 Nxc3 8.bxc3 Qxd5 9.Nf3 cxd4 10.cxd4 e5 11.a3 Qa5+ 12.Nd2 Bg7 0-1(41) Forintos 2490 - Beliaevsky 2500, Moscow 1975;

0-1(40) Forintos Gyozo V 2490 - Beliaevsky 2500, ? 1975;

10.exd4 Qa5 11.Qd2 Bg4 12.Rb1 Bxf3 1-0(33) Markos 2565 - Beikert 2449, ? 2007.

6...Bg7 7.cxd5 Nxc3 8.bxc3 cxd4 9.exd4 Qxd5 10.Nf3 Nc6 11.Be2 OO 12.OO Bf5 1-0(58) Gligoric 2600 - Dueball 2420, Berlin GER 1971.

[\*70\*] 7.cxd5 Nxc3 8.Qd2 cxd4 9.Ne2 dxe3 10.fxe3 Qb4 11.Qxc3 Na6 12.Nd4 Qxc3+ ===(41) Szabo 2555 - Smejkal 2570, Sochi RUS 1973.

7.Rc1 Nc6 8.Nf3 cxd4 9.Nxd4 Bg7 10.Be2 Nxd4 11.exd4 dxc4 12.OO Nd6 0-1(61) Boensch 2490 - Krasenkow 2525, Budapest 1989.

[\*71\*] 7...Nc6 8.Nf3 cxd4 9.exd4 Bg7 10.cxd5 Nxc3 11.bxc3 Bxd4 12.Rc1 1-0  
Gligoric 2600 - Langeweg 2425, Amsterdam NED 1971.

[\*72\*] 9...Nxc3 10.Qxc3 Qxc3+ 11.bxc3 Bf5 12.cxd5 Nd7 0-1(49) Carlsen 2641 -  
Cipolli 2623, ICCF 2007;  
10.bxc3 Be6 11.Nf3 Oo 12.Be2 dxc4 0-1(61) Lerner 2530 - Mikhalchishin  
2475, Palma de Mallorca 1989.  
9...dxc4 10.Bxc4 Nd6 11.Nf3 Nc6 12.d5 Nb4 1-0(22) Hansen 2618 - Krasenkow  
2585, Esbjerg 2003.

[\*73\*] 10.cxd5 Nd7 11.Bd3 Nxc3 12.bxc3 Nb6 == (33) Wright John (CAN) 2510 -  
Martinovsky Dr Eugene Simeon 2438, ? 1978.

[\*74\*] 12.cxd5 Bd7 0-1(30) Kozma 2380 - Tukmakov 2570, Leipzig GER 1975.

[\*75\*] 8...Nc6 9.Qf3 Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Bg7 11.Rb1 Oo 12.Bd3 e5 1-0(36) Iljushin 2564  
- Leniart 2360, Budva 2009;  
1-0(78) Radjabov 2656 - Shirov 2736, Linares ESP 2004;  
11.Bb5 Bd7 12.Rb1 cxd4 1-0(38) Izoria 2541 - Pantsulaia 2461, Batumi  
2003;  
10...cxd4 11.cxd4 Bg7 12.Rb1 e5 == (38) Mchedlishvili 2566 - Ftacnik  
2598, Rethymnon GRE 2003;  
9...Qf5 10.Bb5 Bd7 11.Qxf5 gxf5 12.Nf3 e6 == (34) Grigorov 2465 -  
Zinchenko 2523, Bucharest 2008;  
== (42) Wang Yue 2689 - Navara 2672, Baku 2008;  
10.Qxf5 Bxf5 11.Nf3 Bg7 12.Rc1 Rc8 0-1(39) Laznicka 2634 - Zhigalko  
2601, Ohrid MKD 2009;  
9.Nf3 cxd4 10.exd4 Bg7 11.Be2 Oo 12.Oo e5 == (26) Berdichesky Ruben  
(ARG) 2485 - Dorner Joaquin (GUA) 2555, ? 1994;  
12...Bf5 == (13) Sanguinetti 2505 - Razuvaev 2510, Sao Paulo BRA 1977;  
9.Qb3 Qxb3 10.axb3 Bg7 11.Bb5 Bd7 12.Ne2 cxd4 0-1(39) Kallai 2420 -  
Horvath 2525, Budapest 1990.  
8...Bg7 9.Qf3 Qd8 10.Bb5+ Nd7 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Oo 0-1(42) Jimenez  
Eleazar (CUB) 2410 - Ribli Zoltan (HUN) 2505, Cienfuegos (Cuba) 1972;  
0-1(38) Lein Anatoly (USA) 2383 - Tukmakov Vladimir B (UKR) 2562, Kiev  
(Ukraine) 1970;  
9...Qd7 10.Bc4 Oo 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.cxd4 Nc6 == (24) Taimanov 2515 - Gulko  
2470, URS 1984;  
12.exd4 e6 == (17) Vilela 2455 - Popovic 2460, Polanica Zdroj 1982;  
9.Bb5+ Bd7 10.Qf3 Qxf3 11.Bxd7+ Kxd7 12.Nxf3 Nc6 == (17) Azmaiparashvili  
2658 - Ivanchuk 2748, Beer Sheva ISR 2005.

[\*76\*] 10.exd4 e6 11.Rb1 Be7 12.Bg3 Nc6 == (15) Taimanov 2565 - Hort 2545, ?  
1970.

[\*77\*] 11.Nf3 Be7 12.Bxe7 Kxe7 == (81) Jobava 2646 - Macieja 2584, Kusadasi /  
Turkey 2006;  
== (57) Sargissian 2630 - Bobras 2501, Warsaw POL 2005;  
11...Bb4+ 12.Nd2 Oo 0-1(47) Jobava 2605 - Krasenkow 2597, Plovdiv BUL  
2003;  
0-1(46) Golcman 2605 - Golcman 2595, ? 2003;  
11...Nc6 12.Bb5 Bd7 == (14) Izoria 2593 - Krasenkow 2632, Aghia Pelagia,  
Creta 2004.  
11.Bd3 Be7 12.Bg3 Nc6 1-0(44) Forintos 2490 - Ree 2425, ? 1974;  
== (52) Evans 2555 - Garcia Palermo 2380, Lone Pine 1977;  
12.Bxe7 Kxe7 == (14) Bareev 2470 - Ivanchuk 2475, Irkutsk 1986;

11...Nc6 12.Nf3 Be7 ===(28) Gurevich 2672 - Krasenkow 2609, Justiniano Hotel Belek, Turke 2004.

11.Bb5+ Bd7 12.Bxd7+ Nxd7 ===(19) Garcia Palermo 2505 - Bronstein 2415, La Carlota 1995;

===(16) Uhlmann 2555 - Malich 2530, Halle GER 1976;

12.Rb1 Be7 0-1(41) Molo Rene Angel (ARG) 2414 - Clarizza Jorge Enrique (ARG) 2503, ? 1975.

11.Rd1 Be7 12.Bb5+ Bd7 ===(19) Bagirov 2510 - Schmidt 2450, Baja 1971.

[\*78\*] 12.Bxe7 Kxe7 ===(62) Rustemov 2573 - Yuferov 2417, Moscow 2006;

===(18) Ogaard 2490 - Spiridonov 2490, Pernik 1976;

1-0(38) Aronian 2752 - Svidler 2765, 23 2006.

12.Bb5+ Bd7 ===(18) Rashkovsky 2500 - Tseshkovsky 2560, Minsk 1979.

12.Bg3 Nc6 ===(40) Gheorghiu 2520 - Tatai 2460, Siegen 1970.

11...Nc6 12.Bb5 Bd7 ===(31) Birnboim 2440 - Liberzon 2550, Netanya 1977;

===(30) Ftacnik 2533 - Krasenkow 2676, Calvia ESP 2004.

[\*79\*] 7.e3 Nc6 8.Qb3 Be6 9.Qxb7 Rc8 10.Nf3 Bg7 11.Ng5 OO 12.Nxe6 fxe6 0-1(23) Rohde 2467 - Rogers 2545, Philadelphia, PA USA 1982;

7...Bg7 8.cxd5 Qxd5 9.Qf3 Qd8 10.Bb5+ Nd7 11.Ne2 a6 12.Bd3 Ne5 0-1(77) Mititelu 2410 - Hort 2600, Luhacovice CZE 1971.

[\*80\*] 8.Nf3 cxd4 9.Qxd4 Qxd4 10.cxd4 e6 11.Rb1 Be7 12.Bxe7 Kxe7 ===(37) Chatalbashev 2605 - Groszpeter 2539, Zalakaros 2008.

[\*81\*] 8...Nc6 9.Qf3 Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Bf5 11.Bb5 Bg7 12.OO a6 1-0(22) Sargissian 2667 - Hammer 2583, Helsingor DEN 2009;

10...Bg7 11.Rb1 Na5 12.Bb5+ Bd7 ===(39) Bellegotti 2457 - Kiss 2515, ICCF 2007;

10...cxd4 11.cxd4 e6 12.Bd3 Be7 ===(34) Arutinian 2423 - Vokarev 2494, Moscow 2005;

9...Be6 10.Qxd5 Bxd5 11.Nf3 Bg7 12.Be2 cxd4 0-1(29) Hoi 2390 - Ftacnik 2535, Esbjerg DEN 1982;

0-1(29) Hoi Carsten 2390 - Ftacnik Lubomir 2535, ? 1982;

9.Be2 cxd4 10.cxd4 Qa5+ 11.Qd2 Qxd2+ 12.Kxd2 e5 ===(38) Lputian 2634 - Harikrishna 2612, Calvia ESP 2004.

8...Bg7 9.Qf3 Qd6 10.Bb5+ Nd7 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 OO ===(25) Prohaszka 2486 - Fogarasi 2425, Budapest 2007;

===(38) Radjabov 2704 - Van Wely 2648, Khanty Mansiysk 2005;

9...Qe6 10.Bb5+ Bd7 11.Qxb7 OO 12.Nf3 Nc6 1-0(26) Sokolov 2684 - Malisauskas 2521, Bled SLO 2002;

9...Qd7 10.Bc4 OO 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Nc6 ===(31) Conquest 2530 - Oral 2508, Granada ESP 2006;

9...Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Nc6 11.Rb1 b6 12.Bb5 Bd7 1-0(37) Atalik 2541 - Langheinrich 2395, Augsburg 2004.

[\*82\*] 10...Nc6 11.Nf3 Bg7 12.Rb1 OO 1-0(39) Prusikin 2560 - Braun 2525, Deutschland 2007.

[\*83\*] 11.Bd3 Be7 12.Bxe7 Kxe7 ===(58) Avrukh 2668 - Ruck 2548, Novi Sad, Serbia 2009.

11.Nf3 Bb4+ 12.Nd2 Nc6 ===(41) Jobava 2637 - Lupulescu 2546, Warsaw POL 2005.

11.Bc4 Be7 12.Bxe7 Kxe7 ===(49) Moiseev Viktor (RUS) 2370 - Averbakh Yuri L (RUS) 2550, Riga (Latvia) 1970.

[\*84\*] 12.Bb5+ Bd7 ===(40) Ungureanu 2400 - Gheorghiu 2540, Bucharest ROM 1971;



==(26) Bobotsov 2455 - Hort 2600, Skopje YUG 1972;  
 ==(17) Bagirov 2480 - Tseshkovsky 2590, Baku AZE 1977.  
 11...Nc6 12.Bb5 Bd7 ==(14) Jianu 2493 - Lupulescu 2566, Amara 2007;  
 0-1(54) Nei 2500 - Smejkal 2510, Tallinn EST 1971.

[\*85\*] 7.cxd5 Qxd5 8.e3 c5 9.Qf3 Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Nc6 11.Rb1 OO 12.Bb5 Bf5 1-0(34) Rodshtein 2517 - Kuzubov 2559, ? 2006;  
 12.Bd3 Re8 ==(41) Perelshteyn 2522 - Kriventsov 2449, San Diego USA 2006;  
 11.Be2 cxd4 12.cxd4 e5 1-0(25) Rodshtein 2494 - Fogarasi 2435, Budapest HUN 2006;  
 9...Qd8 10.Bc4 OO 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Qc7 1-0(34) Sokolov 2690 - Nijboer 2578, Leeuwarden 2004;  
 1-0(76) Krasenkov 2661 - Qin 2475, Shanghai 2000;  
 10.Bb5+ Nd7 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 OO ==(34) Galliamova 2477 - Dvoirys 2595, Moscow 2005;  
 9...Qd6 10.Bc4 OO 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Nc6 ==(24) Gurevich 2669 - Sasikiran 2652, Sant Lluís ESP 2005;  
 9...Be6 10.Bb5+ Nc6 11.e4 Qh5 12.Qxh5 gxh5 0-1(72) Drozdovskij 2550 - Grigorian 2393, Internet 2006;  
 9...Qd7 10.Bc4 OO 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Nc6 1-0(23) Hellsten 2554 - Rojas 2379, Santiago de Chile CHI 2005;  
 9.Be2 Nc6 10.Bf3 Qd6 11.Ne2 OO 12.Qb3 cxd4 1-0(59) Aronian 2786 - Mamedyarov 2719, Moscow RUS 2009;  
 8...Qa5 9.Qd2 c5 10.Rb1 a6 11.Nf3 Nc6 12.Rc1 Bg4 ==(54) Sorokin 2559 - Katalymov 2390, Tomsk 2006;  
 11.Bd3 Nc6 12.Ne2 e6 1-0(41) Boensch 2560 - Yin 2350, ? 1995;  
 10.Nf3 Nc6 11.Rb1 a6 12.Bd3 e5 ==(53) Turov 2582 - Demianjuk 2330, Belorechensk 2009;  
 9.Qb3 c5 10.Bc4 cxd4 11.exd4 OO 12.Nf3 Nc6 1-0(35) Sokolov 2677 - Nijboer 2567, Amsterdam NED 2002.

[\*86\*] 7...dxc4 8.Bxc4 c5 9.Nf3 OO 10.OO Nc6 11.Rb1 cxd4 12.cxd4 Na5 1-0(36) Vallejo Pons 2662 - Mamedyarov 2595, Benidorm 2003;  
 11.a4 Bf5 12.Qe2 Rc8 1-0(33) Bagirov Vladimir (LAT) 2510 - Petkevich Jusefs (LAT) 2420, Vitebsk (Belarus) 1970.  
 7...OO 8.cxd5 Qxd5 9.Bxe7 Re8 10.Ba3 c5 11.Qf3 Qe6 12.Bxc5 Nd7 1-0(35) Segal 2400 - Lein 2535, Sao Paulo BRA 1979.

[\*87\*] 8.Qb3 cxd4 9.exd4 dxc4 10.Bxc4 OO 11.Nf3 Nc6 12.Be2 b6 0-1(40) Clarizza Jorge Enrique (ARG) 2503 - Molo Rene Angel (ARG) 2414, ? 1975.

[\*88\*] 8...cxd4 9.cxd4 Qxd5 10.Be2 e5 11.dxe5 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Qxd2+ ==(34) Vallejo Pons 2663 - Svidler 2747, Monte Carlo 2004;  
 9.Bb5+ Bd7 10.Bxd7+ Nxd7 11.cxd4 Qa5+ 12.Qd2 Qxd5 ==(31) Averbakh Yuri L (RUS) 2550 - Antoshin Vladimir S (RUS) 2510, Riga (Latvia) 1970.

[\*89\*] 9.Be2 Nc6 10.Bf3 Qd6 11.Ne2 OO 12.OO Re8 1-0(51) Ernst 2539 - Kolbus 2386, Germany 2008.

[\*90\*] 9...Qd7 10.Bc4 OO 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Nc6 ==(30) Zhou Jianchao 2635 - Li 2643, Beijing 2009;  
 11...Nc6 12.OO Na5 1-0(36) Kogan 2543 - Sasikiran 2654, Internet Chess Club INT 2004.  
 9...Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Nc6 11.Rb1 b6 12.Bb5 Bd7 1-0(48) Harikrishna 2659 - Arlandi 2425, Beijing 2008.

9...Be6 10.Bb5+ Nd7 11.e4 Qh5 12.Qxh5 gxh5 0-1(29) Azmaiparashvili 2632 - Abbasov 2444, Internet ICC 2007.

9...Qd6 10.Bc4 Oo 11.Ne2 cxd4 12.exd4 Nc6 1-0(71) Petkov 2475 - Khamrakulov 2515, Ortigueira 2005.

[\*91\*] 12.exd4 Oo 1-0(31) Taimanov 2510 - Dvoirys 2500, Tallinn 1980;  
 ==(51) Zagorovsky Mikhail Pavlovich 2390 - Dubinin Piotr Vasilyevich (RU 2625, ICCF 1972).

[\*92\*] 7...Nd7 8.e3 Bg7 9.Bxc4 Oo 10.Qa3 Bf6 11.Bg3 e5 12.Nf3 exd4 1-0(28) Iljushin 2552 - Karavaev 2474, Saratov 2008;  
 10...c5 11.Nf3 Qc7 12.Rc1 e6 1-0(52) Malakhatko 2612 - Kanter 2349, Zvenigorod, Russia 2008;  
 9...c5 10.Nf3 Oo 11.Qa3 Qc7 12.Bb5 Nf6 1-0(50) GEORGIEV 2645 - MELKUMYAN 2530, Benasque (Huesca) 2009;  
 8...c6 9.Qxc4 Qa5 10.Nf3 Nb6 11.Qb4 Qxb4 12.cxb4 e5 == (21) Raceanu 2407 - Lupulescu 2553, Cluj 2008;  
 8.Nf3 Bg7 9.Qxc4 Oo 10.e3 c5 11.Be2 cxd4 12.Nxd4 Nf6 0-1(39) Mikenas Vladas I (LTU) 2410 - Tukmakov Vladimir B (UKR) 2565, Riga (Latvia) 1970.  
 7...c6 8.Qxc4 Qa5 9.e3 Be6 10.Qd3 Bg7 11.Nf3 Nd7 12.Qd2 Nc5 == (44) Wang Yue 2704 - Kamsky 2723, Sochi 2008;  
 9.Nf3 Be6 10.Qd3 Bg7 11.e3 Nd7 12.Be2 Nc5 0-1(16) Sasikiran 2694 - Svidler 2727, Almaty KAZ 2008.

[\*93\*] 8...Bg7 9.Bg3 Nc6 10.Nf3 Oo 11.e3 b6 12.Be2 Bb7 1-0(42) Le Quang 2583 - Sasikiran 2694, Beijing 2008;  
 9.e3 b6 10.Qb3 Bb7 11.Nf3 Oo 12.Be2 c5 1-0(32) Gulko 2559 - Kaufman 2365, Tulsa USA 2008.  
 8...Qc6 9.Qxc6+ Nxc6 10.Bg3 Bf5 11.Nf3 Ooo 12.e3 Bg7 1-0(64) Malakhatko 2598 - Jerez Perez 2413, Lugo ESP 2007.

[\*94\*] 9.Nf3 Ba6 10.Qb3 Bg7 11.e4 Bxf1 12.Kxf1 Nc6 == (24) Gonzalez Garcia 2541 - Lalic 2500, El Sauzal 2007;  
 11.e3 Bxf1 12.Rxf1 Oo == (21) Sorin 2509 - Predojevic 2509, Calvia ESP 2004.  
 9.Qd3 Bg7 10.e3 Oo 11.Be2 Bb7 12.Nf3 c5 == (63) Bernasek 2446 - Jansa 2521, Brno CZE 2006.

[\*95\*] 9...Nc6 10.Nf3 Bg7 11.e3 Oo 12.Be2 Bb7 1-0(48) Wang Yue 2689 - Svidler 2746, Baku 2008;  
 11...Bb7 12.Be2 Oo 1-0(69) Shabalov 2633 - Kaufman 2365, Tulsa USA 2008;  
 10.d5 Na5 11.Qd4 f6 12.Nf3 c5 == (18) Postny 2598 - Jaracz 2518, Bad Wiessee 2007.  
 9...c6 10.Be5 f6 11.Bg3 Ba6 12.Qb3 Qd5 == (59) Friedel 2477 - Nakamura 2648, Las Vegas 2007.

[\*96\*] 10.Nf3 Ba6 11.Qb3 Bg7 12.Qa3 Qb7 == (24) Mareco 2477 - Valerga 2502, Villa Martelli 2008.

[\*97\*] 10...f6 11.Bxb8 Rxb8 12.a4 cxd4 0-1(29) Marcelin 2494 - Berkes 2645, Germany 2008;  
 12.e3 Bb7 == (68) Hillarp Persson 2543 - Grandelius 2464, Stockholm 2009;  
 11...b5 12.Qb3 c4 == (39) Postny 2598 - Kurnosov 2579, Evora 2007.  
 10...b5 11.Qb3 f6 12.Bg3 cxd4 1-0(23) Malakhatko 2603 - Blasko 2325, Winterthur 2007.

[\*98\*] 12.Bxb8 Rxb8 ===(67) Malakhatko 2600 - Harika 2455, Gibraltar 2008;  
 ===(27) Valerga 2523 - Fusco 2419, Villa Martelli ARG 2009;  
 ===(38) Genov 2474 - Berkes 2618, Neum, BIH 2008;  
 0-1(24) Marcelin 2510 - Miton 2609, Evry 2008;  
 1-0(37) Akobian 2626 - Hammer 2583, Lubuck USA 2009;  
 1-0(40) Wang Yue 2626 - Timofeev 2657, Taiyuan 2006;  
 ===(31) Dreev 2662 - Najer 2681, Ulan Ude RUS 2009.

[\*99\*] 7...Qd5 8.Be2 Qa5 9.Nf3 Qxc3+ 10.Nd2 c6 11.OO Qa5 12.Nxc4 Qd8 1-0(24) Moiseenko 2632 - Dvoirys 2553, Fuegen 2006;  
 9.Qc1 Be6 10.Nf3 Nd7 11.OO Nb6 12.e4 f6 0-1(35) Gostisa 2410 - Kozul 2575, Portoroz 1994;  
 8...Nd7 9.Nf3 Nb6 10.Nd2 Qxg2 11.Bf3 Qh3 12.Bg3 c6 0-1(25) Melkumyan 2406 - Petrosian 2580, Dubai 2007;  
 9...Bh6 10.OO Nb6 11.Nd2 c6 12.a4 Qa5 0-1(58) Harika 2474 - Rajlich 2465, Ningbo CHN 2009;  
 8...Bg7 9.Nf3 Nd7 10.OO Nb6 11.a4 a5 12.Nd2 Qc6 0-1(56) Jobava 2651 - Svidler 2742, Dortmund 2006;  
 8...Nc6 9.Nf3 Bg7 10.OO Bf5 11.Nd2 Bd3 12.Bf3 Qa5 1-0(49) Ponkratov 2469 - Dvoirys 2534, Chelyabinsk 2007;  
 8...c5 9.Qa4+ Bd7 10.Qxc4 Qxc4 11.Bxc4 Nc6 12.Nf3 cxd4 ===(68) Grooten 2387 - Dvoirys 2553, Hoogeveen NED 2006;  
 8.Nf3 Bg7 9.Be2 Qa5 10.OO Qxc3 11.Nd2 Qa5 12.Nxc4 Qd5 1-0(38) Izoria 2602 - Mikhalevski 2572, Minneapolis USA 2005;  
 8...b5 9.a4 a6 10.Be2 Bb7 11.OO Bg7 12.Qb1 Nd7 ===(29) Gustafsson 2614 - Braun 2491, Pulvermuehle GER 2006.  
 7...Bg7 8.Bxc4 OO 9.Nf3 c5 10.OO Nc6 11.Rb1 a6 12.a4 Na5 0-1(61) Kacheishvili 2590 - Sakaev 2660, ? 2003;  
 0-1(61) Kacheishvili 2592 - Sakaev 2664, Istanbul (Turkey) 2003;  
 11.Qa4 Bd7 12.Qa3 Qa5 ===(86) Huzman Alexander 2581 - Shmuter Leonid 2468, ? 1990;  
 8...c5 9.Nf3 OO 10.OO Nc6 11.a4 Bf5 12.Nd2 Na5 1-0(56) Postny 2652 - Evdokimov 2545, Budva 2009.

[\*100\*] 8...Bh6 9.Rb1 b6 10.Ne5 OO 11.Qf3 c6 12.Bxc4 Bxc4 0-1(31) Jobava 2646 - Djuric 2457, ? 2006.  
 8...c5 9.Be2 Bg7 10.OO OO 11.Ng5 Bd5 12.e4 h6 1-0(43) Jianu 2533 - Shishkin 2498, Baia Sprie 2009.

[\*101\*] 9.Be2 b5 10.a4 Bg7 11.OO OO 12.Ng5 Bd7 0-1(37) Jobava 2651 - Ni Hua 2607, Taiyuan CHN 2006;  
 11.Ng5 Bd5 12.e4 h6 0-1(32) Leitao 2598 - Jerez Perez 2383, Figueres 2006;  
 9...Nd7 10.a4 Qa5 11.Qc2 Bf5 12.Qb2 Nb6 1-0(56) Arutinian 2584 - Sulypa 2484, Legnica 2008;  
 9...Bh6 10.a4 b5 11.axb5 cxb5 12.e4 OO 1-0(51) Leitao 2575 - Rojas 2423, Santiago 2006.

[\*102\*] 12.dxc6 Nxc6 ===(24) Petkov 2529 - Brkic 2500, Zadar CRO 2005;  
 ===(22) Wang Yue 2626 - Berkes 2601, Paks 2006;  
 ===(51) Leitao 2586 - Vallejo Pons 2674, Khanty Mansiysk 2005;  
 1-0(46) Sokolov 2694 - Sutovsky 2654, Hoogeveen 2005.

[\*103\*] 8...c6 9.Nf3 b5 10.OO Bg7 11.a4 a6 12.Ng5 Bd5 1-0(57) Gupta 2569 - Howell 2622, Wijk aan Zee NED 2009;  
 10.a4 Bg7 11.OO f6 12.e4 a6 0-1(39) Henrichs 2463 - Krasenkow 2631, Vlissingen NED 2009;

9...Bh6 10.00 b5 11.a4 a6 12.e4 OO ===(48) Wang 2739 - Dominguez Perez 2717, ? 2009;

9...Nd7 10.00 Bh6 11.e4 Qa5 12.Rb1 Nb6 0-1(43) Cruz 2544 - Fluvia Poyatos 2442, Montcada i Reixac ESP 2009;

9...Bg7 10.00 b5 11.a4 a6 12.Qc2 f5 0-1(39) Zhao Xue (CHN) 2542 - Ju Wenjun (CHN) 2443, Nanjing (China) 2009.

[\*104\*] 9...c5 10.00 OO 11.Ng5 Bd5 12.e4 h6 1-0(27) Harikrishna 2659 - Svidler 2727, Dresden GER 2008;

11...Bf5 12.Bxc4 Nc6 1-0(38) Harikrishna 2673 - Avrukh 2645, Gibraltar 2009;

11.Rb1 Qc7 12.Qa4 Bf5 ===(15) Iljushin 2549 - Maslak 2510, Moscu RUS 2008;

10...cxd4 11.Nxd4 Bd7 12.Bxc4 Nc6 1-0(45) Damljanovic 2551 - Bok 2360, Andorra 2009.

9...b6 10.00 c5 11.Ng5 Bd5 12.e4 h6 1-0(41) Gurevich 2624 - Cmilyte 2497, Gibraltar ENG 2009.

[\*105\*] 10.Ng5 Bd5 11.e4 h6 12.exd5 hxg5 0-1(29) Ivanisevic 2588 - Sutovsky 2624, playchess.com INT 2006.

[\*106\*] 10...Nd7 11.e4 Nb6 12.a4 a5 1-0(38) Kazhgaleyev 2626 - Smirin 2641, Chalons en Champagne FRA 2009;

11.Ng5 Bd5 12.e4 h6 1-0(38) David 2565 - Bernard 2361, Coubertin FRA 2009.

[\*107\*] 12.e4 Bc6 1-0(26) Ivanisevic 2542 - Popovic Petar SCG 2508, ? 2005;

1-0(52) Ivanisevic 2542 - Popovic 2508, Herceg Novi SCG 2005;

12...h6 ===(17) Banikas 2582 - Rodshtein 2650, Budva MNE 2009.

[\*108\*] 8...b6 9.Nh3 Bh6 10.Bg5 Bxg5 11.Nxg5 Qd5 12.Nxe6 Qxe6 ===(49) Shulman 2576 - Mikhalevski 2566, Schaumburg USA 2006;

===(55) Macieja 2593 - Navara 2663, Ermioni Argolidas 2005;

1-0(69) Markos 2526 - Meszaros 2420, Banska Stiavnica 2006;

12...fxe6 0-1(40) Goldin 2620 - Kudrin 2528, San Diego, CA USA 2004;

12.h4 c6 ===(46) Sanikidze 2426 - Atalik 2584, Dresden / Germany 2007;

12...Nd7 ===(29) Arutinian 2552 - Ajrapetjan 2406, Pardubice 2006;

10...Bg7 11.Nf4 Bf5 12.e4 h6 1-0(36) Pashikian 2527 - Nechepurenko 2479, Erevan ARM 2006;

10.Ng5 Bxg5 11.Bxg5 Qd5 12.Bh4 Nc6 0-1(32) Kacheishvili 2599 - Vallejo Pons 2678, Calvia ESP 2004;

9.Nf3 Bh6 10.Bg5 Bxg5 11.Nxg5 Qd5 12.Nxe6 Qxe6 ===(41) Halkias 2549 - Timofeev 2622, Warsaw POL 2005;

10.Be2 Nc6 11.OO OO 12.Ng5 Bxg5 1-0(66) Akobian 2567 - Mikhalevski 2571, Bellevue 2006;

9...Bg7 10.Ng5 Bd5 11.e4 Bb7 12.Bxc4 OO 0-1(74) Raceanu 2398 - Lupulescu 2571, Predeal ROM 2006;

10...Qd7 11.Nxe6 Qxe6 12.Qb5+ c6 ===(61) Grooten 2393 - Nijboer 2540, Rotterdam NED 2000.

8...c5 9.Qxb7 Bd5 10.Qb5+ Qd7 11.Rb1 Qxb5 12.Rxb5 Nd7 0-1(30) Arutinian 2544 - Pashikian 2538, Martuni 2007;

0-1(48) Sanikidze 2458 - Rodshtein 2626, Plovdiv BUL 2008;

===(42) Sargissian 2667 - Naiditsch 2676, Germany 2006;

10...Nd7 11.Nf3 Rb8 12.Qa4 cxd4 1-0(25) Ivanchuk 2729 - Svidler 2765, Morelia/Linares 2006;

9.Qb5+ Nc6 10.Qxc5 Qb6 11.Qxb6 axb6 12.Nh3 b5 0-1(49) Iljushin 2528 - Dominguez 2683, Khanty-Mansiysk RUS 2007;

0-1(27) Iljushin 2528 - Dominguez 2683, Khanty-Mansiysk 2007.

8...Qc8 9.Nf3 Bg7 10.Ng5 Bf6 11.Nxe6 Bxb4 12.Nc5 b6 1-0(26) Maslak 2558 - Mingachev 2406, St Petersburg RUS 2006.

[\*109\*] 9.Ne2 Bc8 10.a4 Bh6 11.Bg3 == Dreev 2704 - Avrukh 2629, Caleta ENG 2005;  
 == Dreev 2698 - Grischuk 2704, Moscow RUS 2004;  
 9...Bh6 10.e4 Qd8 11.Qxb7 Nd7 12.d5 Ne5 0-1(20) Kobalia 2654 - Sutovsky 2624, playchess.com INT 2006;  
 9...Bf5 10.Nf4 Qc6 11.d5 Qb6 12.Qxb6 axb6 1-0(47) Shengelia 2523 - Horvath 2539, Austria 2007.  
 9.Be2 Qa5 10.Qc2 c5 11.Nf3 Nc6 12.OO Bg7 ==(46) Sanikidze 2474 - Howell 2527, Yerevan ARM 2007;  
 9...Bf5 10.Bf3 Qxf3 11.Nxf3 Bxb1 12.Rxb1 b6 1-0(45) Dydyshko 2562 - Pinter 2410, Slovakia 2007.  
 9.a4 Nc6 10.Nf3 Bh6 11.Be2 g5 12.Bg3 g4 1-0(43) Nakamura 2648 - Fluvia Poyatos 2508, Barcelona 2007.

[\*110\*] 9...Qa5 10.Qb2 Nd7 11.Be2 Nb6 12.OO Bg7 ==(37) Sargissian 2612 - Vachier Lagrave 2576, Turin ITA 2006;  
 12...Na4 ==(31) Atalik 2558 - Predojevic 2503, Sarajevo 2004.  
 9...Bf5 10.Qb2 Nd7 11.Be2 Nb6 12.a4 a5 ==(47) Radjabov 2728 - Sutovsky 2607, Rishon Le Ziyon 2006.

[\*111\*] 10...Nb6 11.a4 Qa5 12.OO Bg7 ==(72) Delchev 2591 - Gupta 2472, Balaguer ESP 2007.

[\*112\*] 12.OO e5 1-0(59) Arutinian 2544 - Vovk 2523, Martuni 2007;  
 0-1(52) Aronian 2761 - Svidler 2742, Dortmund GER 2006;  
 12...Nb6 0-1(24) Aronian 2741 - Svidler 2750, Moscow 2006.  
 12.Qb4 c5 ==(22) Arutinian 2552 - Maslak 2537, Olomouc 2006.

[\*113\*] 8...Bg7 9.Rxb7 OO 10.Ne2 Bd5 11.Rb2 Bh6 12.Bg3 Nc6 0-1(24) Gladyshev 2455 - Ni Hua 2632, Cappelle la Grande 2007;  
 10.Nf3 Bd5 11.Rb5 c6 12.Rb1 Qa5 ==(60) Kahn 2325 - Sakaev 2645, Dos Hermanas 2003;  
 9...Bd5 10.Rb1 c5 11.Qa4+ Nd7 12.Nf3 OO 1-0(79) Rivas Pastor 2505 - Garcia 2430, Salamanca ESP 1989.

[\*114\*] 9.Qa4 Bd5 10.Bxc4 Bxg2 11.Qb3 Bh6 12.Bxf7+ Kf8 ==(49) Lund 2403 - Nielsen 2625, Silkeborg 2008;  
 0-1(33) Hillarp Persson 2535 - Mikhalevski 2632, Reykjavik 2008;  
 ==(46) Hillarp Persson 2543 - Avrukh 2657, Dresden GER 2008.

[\*115\*] 10.Qc2 Bg7 11.Be2 Qd7 12.OO Qa4 ==(33) Tomashevsky 2646 - Sutovsky 2651, HALKIDIKI 2008.  
 10.e4 Bg7 11.Be2 c5 12.OO OO 1-0(52) Halkias 2551 - L'Ami 2586, Amsterdam NED 2006.

[\*116\*] 11.Be2 Bg7 12.OO OO 0-1(63) Akobian 2585 - Roiz 2644, Khanty-Mansiysk 2007.

[\*117\*] 12.e4 h6 0-1(32) Hillarp Persson 2524 - Sutovsky 2628, Turin ITA 2006;  
 ==(19) Banikas 2567 - Smirin 2649, Athens 2007.

[\*118\*] 9.Be2 Bg7 10.Nf3 OO 11.OO Bd5 12.Nd2 Nd7 1-0(58) Gurevich 2644 - Holzke 2492, Germany 2005;

12...c5 ===(28) Lerner 2535 - Huzman 2480, Moscow 1989;  
11.Nd2 Qd7 12.OO c5 1-0(51) Mecking 2557 - Nevednichy 2552, Calvia ESP  
2004;  
11...Bd5 12.OO Nd7 ===(21) Rajkovic 2495 - Kudrin 2555, Bern 1988;  
10...Bd5 11.OO OO 12.Nd2 c5 0-1(37) Lerner 2545 - Pastircak 2375, Nimes  
1991;  
===(28) Martz 2405 - Kortschnoj 2645, Chicago 1982;  
9...Bh6 10.Nf3 c6 11.Ne5 Bg7 12.f4 Bd5 0-1(47) Taimanov 2620 - Fischer  
2740, Vancouver 1971.  
9.Nh3 Bh6 10.e4 OO 11.Ng5 Bxg5 12.Bxg5 c6 1-0(48) Sargissian 2612 - L'ami  
2565, Turin ITA 2006;  
10...Bxh3 11.gxh3 OO 12.Bxc4 Qd7 1-0(45) Dobrov 2510 - Sedlak 2592,  
Budva 2009.

[\*119\*] 9...c6 10.a4 a6 11.e4 b5 12.Be2 Bg7 ===(22) Dreev 2704 - Svidler 2735,  
Poikovsky 2005;  
10...Bg7 11.Nd2 OO 12.Be2 a6 1-0(46) Kasimdzhanov 2687 - Vallejo Pons  
2702, Wijk aan Zee NED 2009;  
10.e4 b5 11.Be2 Bh6 12.OO a6 ===(46) Gurevich 2634 - McShane 2614,  
Vandoeuvre FRA 2005.  
9...Bd5 10.Be2 Bg7 11.OO Nc6 12.Nd2 Na5 ===(17) Fernandes 2431 - Nevednichy  
2552, Calvia ESP 2004;  
11...OO 12.Nd2 c5 ===(40) Bellegotti 2448 - Vaclav 2489, ICCF 2005.  
9...Bh6 10.Bg5 Bxg5 11.Nxg5 Bd5 12.e4 h6 ===(25) Kurnosov Igor (RUS) 2556 -  
Dvoiryys Semen I (RUS) 2553, Satka (Russia) 2006.

[\*120\*] 10.Be2 c6 11.OO OO 12.e4 b5 1-0(48) Moiseenko 2653 - Jerez Perez 2434,  
Sanxenxo ESP 2004;  
11.e4 b5 12.OO OO 1-0(40) Malakhatko 2556 - Khmelniker 2447, Vlissingen  
NED 2005;  
10...OO 11.Nd2 Bd5 12.OO c5 1-0(42) Sorin 2496 - Alonso 2459, Buenos  
Aires ARG 2005;  
11.e4 h6 12.OO c6 ===(31) Khmelniker 2430 - Kurnosov 2523, Stockholm SWE  
2006.  
10.Ng5 Bd5 11.e4 h6 12.exd5 hxg5 ===(25) Flores 2548 - Valerga 2482,  
Mendoza ARG 2008.

[\*121\*] 11.Be2 f5 12.OO Nd7 1-0(42) Akobian 2574 - Howell 2518, Philadelphia  
2007.  
11.Nxc4 c5 12.Be2 Nc6 ===(33) Ravisekhar 2390 - Tukmakov 2560, New Delhi  
1986.

[\*122\*] 12.e4 Bb7 0-1(40) Hillarp Persson 2524 - Izoria 2647, Kusadasi / Turkey  
2006;  
0-1(19) Kovacevic 2468 - Iordachescu 2601, Kusadasi / Turkey 2006;  
0-1(29) Costa 2425 - Tukmakov 2600, Lucerne SUI 1993.