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## OPENING REPORT

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Database: Scandinavian\_3\_Qd6 (3,190 games)  
Report: 1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Qxd5 3.Nc3 Qd6 (3190 games)  
ECO: B01d [Scandinavian: Schiller Defence]  
Generated by Scid 3.6.25, 2009.02.22

### 1. STATISTICS AND HISTORY

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#### 1.1 Statistics

	Games	1-0	==	0-1	Score
All report games	3190	1198	1181	811	56.0%

#### 1.2 Oldest games

- 1: ==(40) Sznapiak Aleksander (POL) 2330 - Dobosz Henryk (POL) 2385, Bydgoszcz (Poland) 1976
- 2: 1-0(29) Karpov 2705 - Lutikov 2515, URS 1979 [101]
- 3: 1-0(20) Schneider 2435 - Gurevich 2470, Eksjo 1982
- 4: ==(20) Schneider 2455 - Gurevich 2510, ? 1982 [22]
- 5: 1-0(65) Gomez Baillo 2330 - Bianchi 2370, Pehuaj 1983

#### 1.3 Newest games

- 1: ==(35) Amonatov 2647 - Zhigalko 2572, Moscow RUS 2009.02.18 [22]
- 2: 0-1(20) Armbrust 2321 - Tiviakov 2684, Neustadt an der Weinstrasse 2009.02.16 [22]
- 3: 1-0(19) Baklan 2627 - Weisenburger 2149, Neustadt an der Weinstrasse 2009.02.15
- 4: 1-0(45) Petrisor 2242 - Manea 2409, Eforie Nord ROM 2009.02.08
- 5: 0-1(44) Hirneise 2325 - Tabatt 2322, Saarbruecken GER 2009.02.07

#### 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

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: 8 2002-2008 56% 2588 Parligras, Mircea [20,42,52,73,105]
- 2: 8 2001-2006 69% 2556 Zelcic, Robert [54,55,82,112,113,123]
- 3: 6 2002-2008 92% 2726 Shirov, Alexei [1,53,68,94]
- 4: 6 2001-2008 67% 2601 Pavasovic, Dusko [81,108,112,113]
- 5: 6 2002-2007 42% 2567 Brkic, Ante [7,54,111]
- 6: 6 2004-2006 42% 2521 Radulski, Julian [7,57]

## 1.6 Most frequent players (Black)

1:	47	2005-2009	68%	2700	Tiviakov, Sergei [1,6,8,9,18,22,36,42,...]
2:	38	1998-2007	62%	2523	Hasangatin, Ramil [1,8,9,17,31,42,83,93,...]
3:	34	1999-2007	65%	2566	Kurajica, Bojan [1,3,7,23,32,35,46,51,...]
4:	29	1999-2007	64%	2603	Sermek, Drazen [1,22,29,35,43,44,46,87,...]
5:	28	2004-2008	57%	2529	Milanovic, Danilo [1,23,35,43,63,93,94,99,...]
6:	26	2001-2008	50%	2479	Benkovic, Petar [1,17,23,70,102,117,118,123]

## 2. RATINGS AND PERFORMANCE

### 2.1 Average ratings and performance

White rating: 2414 (2000 games); White performance: 2460 (56% vs 2417)  
Black rating: 2417 (2000 games); Black performance: 2371 (44% vs 2414)

### 2.2 Games with highest average rating

1:	0-1(47)	Topalov 2772 - Nisipeanu 2693, Sofia 2007 [4]
2:	== (50)	Anand 2792 - Tiviakov 2669, Wijk aan Zee 2006 [72]
3:	== (27)	Svidler 2743 - Tiviakov 2669, Turin ITA 2006 [117]
4:	1-0(40)	Shirov 2726 - Tiviakov 2686, Benidorm ESP 2008 [68]
5:	1-0(65)	Svidler 2728 - Tiviakov 2667, Wijk aan Zee 2007 [115]
6:	== (39)	Shirov 2699 - Nisipeanu 2693, Foros 2007 [68]
7:	== (26)	Grischuk 2719 - Tiviakov 2669, Sochi 2006 [81]
8:	1-0(48)	Kasparov 2838 - Rogers 2538, Batumi 2001 [35]

## 3. RESULT TRENDS

### 3.1 Result lengths and frequencies

	Score	Game length			Frequency		
		1-0	==	0-1	1-0	==	0-1
Report games	56.0%	39	35	42	37.5%	37.0%	25.4%
All games	56.0%	39	36	43	37.5%	37.0%	25.4%

### 3.2 Shortest wins (White)

1:	1-0(12)	Ostrovskiy 2445 - Miljutin 2167, Odessa 2008
2:	1-0(13)	Freydl 2515 - Solzbacher 2491, ICCF 2007 [81]
3:	1-0(13)	Berescu 2511 - Matovic 2203, Stara Pazova 2007
4:	1-0(13)	Lanka 2521 - Michaelis 2145, Germany 1999
5:	1-0(13)	Berczes 2371 - Papadopolou 2266, Aghia Pelagia 2004

### 3.3 Shortest wins (Black)

1:	0-1(12)	Kovalev Eugeny 2270 - Kazakov Peter (RUS) 2409, ? 2004
2:	0-1(13)	Keserovic 2225 - Lajthajm 2464, Vrnjacka Banja 2006
3:	0-1(15)	Lutz Ch 2585 - Kurajica B 2530, ? 2000 [82]
4:	0-1(15)	Galdunts S 2512 - Gofshtein Z A 2523, ? 2001 [115]
5:	0-1(15)	Landa K 2540 - Hasangatin R 2455, ? 1999 [31]

#### 4. MOVES AND THEMES

##### 4.1 Move orders reaching the report position

There were 4 move orders reaching this position:

- 1: 1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Qxd5 3.Nc3 Qd6 (3177)
- 2: 1.e4 d5 2.Nc3 dxe4 3.Nxe4 Qd5 4.Nc3 Qd6 (10)
- 3: 1.Nc3 d5 2.e4 dxe4 3.Nxe4 Qd5 4.Nc3 Qd6 (2)
- 4: 1.e4 Nf6 2.e5 Ng8 3.Nc3 d5 4.exd6 Qxd6 (1)

##### 4.2 Moves from the report position

Move	ECO	Frequency	Score	AvElo	Perf	AvYear	%Draws
1: d4		2706: 84.8%	56.6%	2350	2399	2004	37%
2: Nf3		212: 6.6%	55.1%	2287	2367	2004	35%
3: g3		131: 4.1%	54.1%	2357	2361	2004	35%
4: Bc4		120: 3.7%	47.9%	2287	2291	2003	36%
5: d3		5: 0.1%	60.0%			2003	40%
6: h3		5: 0.1%	30.0%			2004	20%
7: Ne4		3: 0.0%	50.0%			2004	100%
8: Be2		3: 0.0%	83.3%			2004	33%
9: Bb5+		2: 0.0%	50.0%			2008	100%
10: b3		1: 0.0%	50.0%			2007	100%
11: Nge2		1: 0.0%	0.0%			2006	0%
12: a4		1: 0.0%	100.0%			1999	0%

TOTAL:	3190:100.0%	56.0%	2343	2388	2004	37%
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##### 4.3 Positional Themes

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

Same-side castling:	44%	White Isolated Queen Pawn:	5%
Opposite castling:	23%	Black Isolated Queen Pawn:	1%
Kingside pawn storm:	22%	White Pawn on 5/6/7th rank:	40%
Queens exchanged:	40%	Black Pawn on 2/3/4th rank:	17%
Only one side has Bishop pair:	7%	Open c/d/e file:	51%

##### 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%	10%	11%	29%	3%	3%	5%	38%
All games	2%	10%	11%	29%	3%	3%	5%	38%

#### 5. THEORY TABLE

1.e4 d5 2.exd5 Qxd5 3.Nc3 Qd6: +1198 =1181 -811 (1788.5/3190: 56%)									
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
1	g3[1]	Bg2	Nf3[4]	OO	a4	b3	Qe1	Ne5	34:
	Nf6[2]	c6[3]	Bg4[5]	e6	a5	Be7	Na6	Nb4[6]	49%

2	d4 g6 [7]	Nf3 [8] Bg7	Nb5 [9] Qd8 [10]	Bf4 Na6	Be2 [11] c6	Na3 Nf6	Oo Nc7	Nc4 Oo [12]	15: 57%
3	... c6	Bc4 [13] Nf6 [14]	Nge2 Bf5 [15]	Bf4 [16] Qb4	Bb3 e6 [17]	Oo [18] Nbd7	Bc7 [19] Rc8	a3 Qe7 [20]	30: 50%
4	... ...	Nf3 Bg4 [21]	Be3 [22] Nd7 [23]	h3 Bh5	g4 [24] Bg6	d5 [25] cd5	Qd5 Qd5	Nd5 Ooo [26]	23: 57%
5	... Nf6	g3 [27] Bg4 [28]	f3 [29] Bf5 [30]	g4 [31] Bg6	Nge2 Nc6	g5 Nh5	Ne4 Qd5	c4 Qc4 [32]	44: 49%
6	... ...	Bg5 a6 [33]	Qd2 [34] e5 [35]	de5 Qe5	Be2 Bb4	Nf3 Bc3	bc3 Qe7	Oo Ne4 [36]	13: 46%
7	... ...	Bd3 Nc6 [37]	Nge2 e5 [38]	Oo [39] Nd4	Nd4 Qd4	Nb5 [40] Qb6 [41]	Qe2 e4	Bf4 Bd6 [42]	17: 44%
8	... ...	Bc4 a6 [43]	Bb3 [44] e6 [45]	Nge2 [46] b5	Bf4 Qd8	d5 [47] c5	dc6 Qd1	Rd1 Nc6 [48]	31: 55%
9	... ...	Nf3 g6 [49]	Nb5 [50] Qb6 [51]	c4 [52] c6	Nc3 Bg4 [53]	c5 [54] Qc7	Bc4 Bf3	Qf3 Bg7 [55]	22: 75%
10	... ...	... c6	h3 [56] Bf5 [57]	Bd3 [58] Bd3	Qd3 Nbd7	Bg5 [59] e6 [60]	Ooo Be7	Kb1 Ooo [61]	26: 56%
11	... ...	... ...	g3 Bg4 [62]	Bg2 e6 [63]	Oo [64] Be7 [65]	Bf4 [66] Qd8	h3 Bh5 [67]	g4 Bg6 [68]	20: 50%
12	... ...	... ...	Ne5 Nbd7 [69]	Bf4 [70] Nd5 [71]	Nd5 [72] Qd5 [73]	Nf3 [74] Nf6 [75]	Be2 Bg4 [76]	Oo e6 [77]	23: 59%
13	... ...	... ...	... ...	Nc4 Qc7	Qf3 [78] Nb6	Bf4 [79] Qd8 [80]	Be5 [81] Bg4 [82]	Qg3 h5 [83]	26: 54%
14	... ...	... a6	Ne5 [84] Nc6	Nc6 [85] Qc6	d5 [86] Qb6 [87]	Bc4 Bf5	Oo Ooo	Bb3 e6 [88]	28: 48%
15	... ...	... ...	Be2 Nbd7 [89]	Oo e6 [90]	Re1 [91] Be7	Bg5 b5 [92]	d5 ed5 [93]	Nd4 Nb6 [94]	17: 59%
16	... ...	... ...	Bd3 Bg4 [95]	Oo [96] Nc6 [97]	Ne4 Qd7 [98]	c3 e6	Nf6 [99] gf6	Re1 Ooo [100]	22: 70%
17	... ...	... ...	Be3 Nc6 [101]	Qd2 [102] Bf5 [103]	Nh4 [104] Bd7 [105]	Nf3 Bf5	Bc4 e6	Nh4 Bg6 [106]	22: 55%
18	... ...	... ...	g3 b5 [107]	Bg2 Bb7	Oo e6	Bf4 [108] Qb6 [109]	a4 [110] Bd6	Be3 [111] c5 [112]	30: 65%
19	... ...	... ...	... Bg4	h3 Bh5 [113]	Bg2 [114] Nc6	Oo [115] Ooo	Bf4 [116] Qb4	d5 [117] e6 [118]	25: 60%
20	... ...	... ...	... ...	Bg2 Nc6 [119]	Oo [120] Ooo [121]	d5 [122] Nb4 [123]	h3 [124] Bh5	Bf4 Qc5 [125]	32: 70%

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Generated from the 500 highest-rated games.

[\*1\*] 4.Nf3 Nf6 5.d4 a6 6.Bd3 Nc6 7.OO Bg4 8.h3 Bh5 9.Ne4 Nxe4 10.Bxe4 e6 11.c3 f6 12.Qb3 OOO 13.Re1 Bf7 14.c4 g5 15.c5 Qd7 16.Bxg5 Bg7 17.Bh4 Na5 18.Qc3 Nc6 19.Qb3 Rhe8 20.Rad1 Bg6 21.d5 exd5 1-0(35) Shirov 2699 - Romero Holmes 2524, Ayamonte ESP 2002;

6.Ne5 Nc6 7.Nxc6 Qxc6 8.Bf4 Bg4 9.f3 Be6 10.Qd2 OOO 11.Be5 Bc4 12.Bd3 e6 13.Ne2 Bd6 14.Bxf6 gxf6 15.OO Rhg8 16.Rf2 f5 17.Bxc4 Qxc4 18.b3 Qc6 19.Qd3 Rg6 20.Rd1 Rh6 21.h3 Rg8 ==-(54) Ponomariov 2585 - Hauchard 2500, Belfort FRA 1998;

6.Bc4 Nbd7 7.OO b5 8.Bb3 Bb7 9.Ng5 e6 10.Re1 Be7 11.Nxe6 fxe6 12.Rxe6 Qb4 13.a3 Qa5 14.Bd2 b4 15.axb4 Qf5 16.Qe2 Ng8 17.Ra5 Qf8 18.Nd5 Kd8 19.b5 Bd6 20.bxa6 Bc6 21.Nb4 Nb8 1-0 Ponomariov 2616 - Fressinet 2440, Batumi GEO 1999;

6.Bg5 b5 7.Qd2 Bb7 8.Bf4 Qd8 9.Ne5 e6 10.OOO Bb4 11.Qd3 Nbd7 12.Nxb5 Nd5 13.Nxf7 Nxf4 14.Qg3 Kxf7 15.Qxf4+ Nf6 16.Nxc7 Bd6 17.Qh4 Qxc7 18.Kb1 h6 19.Bd3 Bxg2 20.Rhg1 g5 0-1 Vlassov 2466 - Hasangatin 2501, chessassistantclub.com INT 2004;

5.g3 Bg4 6.Bg2 c6 7.OO e6 8.h3 Bh5 9.b4 Be7 10.Rb1 OO 11.d3 Qc7 12.Bf4 Bd6 13.Bxd6 Qxd6 14.Ne4 Nxe4 15.dxe4 Qc7 16.e5 Bxf3 17.Qxf3 Nd7 18.Rfel Nxe5 19.Qf4 f6 20.b5 Rfd8 21.bxc6 bxc6 0-1(33) Varga 2367 - Tiviakov 2643, Hungary 2008;

6...Nc6 7.h3 Bh5 8.d3 OOO 9.Be3 e5 10.g4 Bg6 11.Nd2 Nd4 12.Nce4 Qa6 13.Nxf6 gxf6 14.Be4 h5 15.Rg1 hxg4 16.hxg4 Kb8 17.a3 f5 18.gxf5 Nxf5 19.Qg4 Nxe3 20.fxe3 Bh5 21.Qg3 Qe6 ==-(33) Alexikov 2427 - Belikov 2564, Alushta 2007;

5...c6 6.Bg2 Bg4 7.OO e6 8.h3 Bh5 9.d3 Qc7 10.Qe1 Bxf3 11.Bxf3 Nbd7 12.Ne4 Nxe4 13.Qxe4 Bd6 14.Bg2 OO 15.Bd2 Rae8 16.a4 e5 17.Qc4 ==- Savic 2536 - Milanovic 2510, Zupanja 2008;

5.h3 g6 6.Bc4 Bg7 7.OO OO 8.d3 Nc6 9.a3 b6 10.Re1 Bb7 11.Bg5 Rae8 12.Qe2 e5 13.Bxf6 Qxf6 14.Bd5 Nd8 15.Bxb7 Nxb7 16.Rad1 Nd6 ==- Galego 2467 - Sulava 2531, Lisboa 2001;

5...c6 6.Bc4 Bf5 7.Qe2 Nbd7 8.d3 e6 9.Bd2 Be7 10.Bb3 Nc5 11.Ne5 h6 12.f4 Nfd7 13.OO a5 14.d4 Nxb3 15.Nc4 Qxd4+ 16.Be3 Qf6 17.axb3 Bb4 18.Rfd1 Qe7 19.Rxd7 Qxd7 20.Nb6 Qd8 21.Rd1 Qb8 0-1(29) Galiana 2291 - Tiviakov 2680, Calvia de Mallorca ESP 2006;

5.Bc4 c6 6.Qe2 Bf5 7.d3 e6 8.Bg5 Nbd7 9.Ne4 Nxe4 10.dxe4 Bg4 11.h3 Bxf3 12.gxf3 Ne5 13.Bb3 Ng6 14.Bd2 a5 15.a3 Qc7 16.OOO Bd6 17.h4 Nf4 18.Qe3 Nh5 19.Rhg1 Bf4 20.Qc5 g6 21.Kb1 Bxd2 1-0(50) Areshchenko 2564 - Mastrovasilis 2475, Moscow 2004;

4...a6 5.d4 b5 6.Ne4 Qd5 7.Bd3 Nf6 8.Qe2 Bb7 9.Nc5 Bc6 10.a4 bxa4 11.c4 Qd6 12.OO e6 13.b4 Be7 14.d5 exd5 15.Re1 dxc4 16.Bxc4 Nd5 17.Bg5 f6 18.Bxd5 fxf6 19.Rad1 Qf6 20.Ne4 Qf8 21.Nfxg5 Bxd5 1-0(24) Kovacevic 2554 - Kurajica 2563, Zadar 2007.

4.Bc4 Nf6 5.Nge2 a6 6.OO b5 7.Bb3 c5 8.d3 Bb7 9.a4 c4 10.dxc4 Qc6 11.f3 bxc4 12.Ba2 Nbd7 13.Ng3 e6 14.Qe2 Rc8 15.Kh1 Be7 16.Rd1 OO 17.Rd4 Nb6 18.Nge4 Nxe4 19.Rxe4 Qd7 20.Rg4 f5 21.Rxc4 Nxc4 0-1(56) Cicak 2532 - Gofshtein 2521, Sants ESP 2006;

6.d4 Qc6 7.Bb3 Qxg2 8.Rg1 Qxh2 9.Bf4 Qh5 10.Bxc7 Bg4 11.Qd3 Nbd7 12.OOO Rc8 13.Bf4 e6 14.f3 Bxf3 15.Rg5 Bxe2 16.Nxe2 Qh4 17.Qf3 Bd6 18.Rxg7 Bxf4+ 19.Nxf4 Qh6 20.Rdg1 Kf8 21.Bxe6 fxe6 1-0(27) Rodriguez 2460 - Giaccio 2515, ? 2002;

6.Ng3 Qc6 7.Bf1 e5 8.Qe2 Be6 9.d3 Nbd7 10.Bd2 Be7 11.OOO OOO 12.Nge4 Nd5 13.Nxd5 Bxd5 14.Nc3 Be6 15.Rg1 Bc5 16.g3 Bd4 17.Bg2 Qb6 18.Na4 Qd6 19.Kb1 h5 20.a3 Bg4 21.Bf3 Qc6 ==-(43) Podlesnik 2403 - Sermek 2545, Bled SLO 1999;

5.d4 a6 6.h3 c5 7.dxc5 Qxc5 8.Bb3 e6 9.Be3 Qa5 10.Ne2 Bc5 11.Qd2 OO 12.OOO Nbd7 13.g4 Bxe3 14.Qxe3 Nc5 15.Ng3 Nxb3+ 16.cxb3 Qc7 17.Kb1 b5 18.Nh5

Nxh5 19.gxh5 f6 20.Rhg1 e5 21.Nd5 Qf7 1-0(34) Sutovsky 2597 - Kudischewitsch 2407, Ramat Aviv 2000;

6.Be2 Nc6 7.Be3 Bf5 8.Nf3 OOO 9.OO e5 10.dxe5 Nxe5 11.Qxd6 Nxf3+ 12.Bxf3 Bxd6 13.Rac1 Be5 14.Ne2 Bg4 15.c3 Bxf3 16.gxf3 Nd5 17.Rcd1 Rhe8 18.Bg5 Bf6 19.Bxf6 Nxf6 20.Rxd8+ Rxd8 21.Nd4 Re8 1-0(56) Djurhuus 2461 - Gausel 2522, Sandnes NOR 2005;

5.Nf3 a6 6.OO b5 7.Bb3 Bb7 8.d3 e6 9.Qe2 Be7 10.a4 b4 11.Ne4 Nxe4 12.dxe4 Nd7 13.Re1 Nc5 14.Nd2 OO 15.f3 Bh4 16.Rf1 Qd4+ 17.Kh1 Qe5 18.Nc4 Qh5 19.g4 Qg6 20.Ne5 Qf6 21.Nd3 Qe7 == (51) Ivanovic 2501 - Benkovic 2469, Subotica YUG 2003.

4.Ne4 Qe6 5.Qe2 Nf6 6.d3 g6 7.g3 Nxe4 8.dxe4 Bd7 9.Nh3 Bg7 10.Nf4 Qd6 11.c3 e5 12.Nd3 Be6 13.Be3 Nd7 14.Bg2 OO 15.Rd1 Qe7 16.b3 a5 17.c4 a4 18.OO == Zhigalko 2587 - Zhigalko 2572, Minsk BLR 2009.

4.h3 Nf6 5.Nf3 a6 6.d4 b5 7.g3 Bb7 8.Bg2 e6 9.OO Be7 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.Re1 OO 12.a3 Nbd7 13.Qe2 Nb6 14.Rad1 Nbd5 15.Nxd5 Bxd5 16.Be5 Qc8 17.Bxf6 Bxf6 18.Ne5 Rd8 19.c3 Qb7 20.Bxd5 Qxd5 21.Ng4 Be7 0-1(43) Galkin 2590 - Milanovic 2519, playchess.com INT 2007.

[\*2\*] 4...c6 5.Bg2 Nf6 6.Nge2 Bf5 7.OO e6 8.d4 Be7 9.Bf4 Qd8 10.b4 Nd5 11.b5 OO 12.Nxd5 cxd5 13.c4 dxc4 14.Bxb7 Nd7 15.Bxa8 Qxa8 16.f3 Nb6 17.Nc3 Rd8 18.Kg2 Bd3 19.Rf2 Rxd4 20.Qe1 Rd7 21.Rd1 h6 0-1(38) Safarli 2438 - Ovetchkin 2543, playchess.com INT 2006;

5...Bf5 6.Nge2 Nf6 7.b4 a6 8.a4 e6 9.Rb1 Be7 10.b5 axb5 11.axb5 OO 12.OO Nbd7 13.d3 Rfc8 14.bxc6 bxc6 15.h3 h6 16.g4 Bh7 17.Bf4 e5 18.Bd2 Nc5 19.Ng3 Ne6 20.Re1 Nf4 21.Bxf4 exf4 == (42) Meshkov 2389 - Belikov 2564, Sochi 2007;

5.d4 Bf5 6.Bg2 e6 7.Nf3 Nf6 8.OO Nbd7 9.Re1 Be7 10.a3 Qc7 11.h3 h6 12.Qe2 OO 13.Bf4 Qd8 14.g4 Bh7 15.Bg3 a5 16.Ne5 Re8 17.Rad1 a4 18.h4 Nf8 19.Qf3 Bxc2 20.g5 Bxd1 21.Rxd1 N8d7 == (39) Harutjunyan 2387 - Belikov 2566, Alushta 2007.

4...Nc6 5.Bg2 Nf6 6.Nge2 Bf5 7.b4 Nxb4 8.d3 c6 9.OO Qd7 10.Rb1 e6 11.Bg5 Nbd5 12.Ne4 h6 13.Bxf6 Nxf6 14.Nxf6+ gxf6 15.Rb3 Rc8 16.Nf4 Be7 17.Qh5 Bd6 18.Qh4 Qe7 19.Nh5 Kf8 20.Be4 Bxe4 21.dxe4 b6 == (46) Bologan 2585 - Hauchard 2500, Belfort FRA 1998;

6...Bg4 7.h3 Bh5 8.d3 OOO 9.OO e5 10.Be3 Kb8 11.Qd2 Nd4 12.g4 Bg6 13.Rfe1 h6 14.a4 Qa6 15.Nb5 Bc5 16.Nexd4 exd4 17.Bf4 Bb6 18.a5 Qxb5 19.axb6 Qxb6 20.Ra4 Nd5 21.Be5 f6 1-0(58) Amonatov 2569 - Zablotsky 2472, Internet 2006.

[\*3\*] 5...Nc6 6.Nge2 Bf5 7.d3 Qd7 8.h3 h5 9.Be3 e5 10.Qd2 a6 11.OOO OOO 12.Kb1 Re8 13.Qc1 Nd4 == Lazic 2528 - Vojinovic 2468, Neum BIH 2008;

6...e5 7.OO Bg4 8.h3 Be6 9.d3 Qd7 10.Kh2 Bc5 11.Be3 Bxe3 12.fxe3 h5 13.d4 Rd8 14.Rxf6 gxf6 15.d5 Nb4 16.dxe6 0-1 Velimirovic 2442 - Lajthajm 2511, Herceg Novi 2007;

6.Nf3 Bg4 7.h3 Bh5 8.OO OOO 9.g4 Bg6 10.Nh4 Nd4 11.d3 e6 12.Be3 Be7 13.a4 c6 14.a5 a6 15.Ra4 Nb5 16.Bb6 Nc7 17.Re1 Nfd5 18.Nxg6 hxg6 19.Qf3 Rdf8 20.Bd4 f6 21.Bb6 g5 1-0(28) Smirin 2649 - Vojinovic 2463, FRA 2007.

5...Bg4 6.Nge2 Nc6 7.h3 Bf5 8.d3 e5 9.OO OOO 10.a3 h5 11.b4 Qd7 12.Bg5 Bxh3 13.Ne4 Bxg2 14.Kxg2 Qf5 15.b5 Nxe4 16.Bxd8 Nxd8 17.dxe4 Qxe4+ 18.f3 Qc4 19.Qd3 Qxd3 20.cxd3 Ne6 21.a4 Bc5 0-1(67) Skripchenko-Lautier 2456 - Gofshtein 2522, playchess.com INT 2004;

7...Bh5 8.OO e6 9.d3 Be7 10.a3 OO 11.g4 Bg6 12.f4 Ne8 13.Be3 Qd7 14.b4 a6 15.Na4 Rd8 16.Nc5 Bxc5 17.bxc5 Nf6 18.Rb1 Qc8 19.Nc3 h6 20.Qe1 Ne8 21.Qg3 f5 1-0(32) Kovchan 2518 - Smirnov 2439, Kharkiv UKR 2006.

5...h5 6.d4 h4 7.Bf4 Qb6 8.Nge2 c6 9.Qd3 Na6 10.a3 hxg3 11.fxg3 Bg4 12.OOO e6 13.h3 Bf5 14.Qf3 Nd5 15.g4 Bh7 16.Bg3 Be7 17.h4 Qa5 18.Be1 Qc7 19.Ne4 b5 20.Bg3 Bxe4 21.Qxe4 Bd6 0-1(65) Smirin 2671 - Kurajica 2541, Solin CRO 1999.

[\*4\*] 6.d4 g6 7.Bf4 Qb4 8.Ne2 Bg7 9.Qc1 OO 10.OO Bg4 11.a3 Qa5 12.h3 Bxe2 13.Nxe2 Nbd7 14.c4 e5 15.b4 Qc7 16.dxe5 Nxe5 17.Qc2 a5 18.Rae1 axb4 19.axb4 Rfe8 20.c5 Nd5 21.Bd2 Nd7 0-1(47) Topalov 2772 - Nisipeanu 2693, Sofia 2007.

6.Nge2 Bg4 7.h3 Bh5 8.d3 e6 9.g4 Bg6 10.Nf4 e5 11.Qe2 Be7 12.Nxg6 hxg6 13.Bd2 Nbd7 14.OOO OOO 15.Be3 Qc7 16.d4 exd4 17.Bxd4 Bc5 18.Kb1 Rhe8 19.Qf3 Bxd4 20.Rxd4 Ne5 21.Rxd8+ Rxd8 0-1(65) Delgado 2541 - Gonzalez 2424, Dos Hermanas 2004.

[\*5\*] 6...Bf5 7.OO e6 8.d4 Be7 9.Ne5 h5 10.h3 Nbd7 11.f4 Nb6 12.g4 hxg4 13.hxg4 Nxg4 14.Nxg4 Bxg4 15.Qxg4 Qxd4+ 16.Rf2 Bh4 17.Ne4 Bxf2+ 18.Nxf2 OOO 19.c3 Qc5 20.Qe2 Qd6 21.Qf3 Nc4 1-0(38) Kharlov 2560 - Vokarev 2485, Moscow RUS 1998.

[\*6\*] 12.Nxg4 Nxg4 13.Qe2 h5 14.Ba3 Qe5 15.Qxe5 Nxe5 16.Bxb4 axb4 17.Ne2 Ra5 18.c4 Nd3 19.Be4 Nc5 20.Bc2 e5 21.d4 exd4 0-1(38) Middelburg 2419 - Tiviakov 2668, Netherlands 2006.

[\*7\*] 4...a6 5.Nf3 Nf6 6.Be2 Nc6 7.Be3 Bg4 8.Qd2 e6 9.h3 Bh5 10.OOO OOO 11.Ne5 Bg6 12.h4 Nxe5 13.dxe5 Qxd2+ 14.Rxd2 Rxd2 15.Bxd2 Ne4 16.h5 Nxc3 17.Bxc3 Be4 18.Rh4 Bc6 19.Bb4 Bxb4 20.Rxb4 Kd7 21.Rg4 g6 0-1(33) Grigoriants 2553 - Galego 2493, Warsaw POL 2005;

5...Bg4 6.Be2 Nc6 7.d5 Bxf3 8.Bxf3 Ne5 9.Be2 Nf6 10.OO OOO 11.Bf4 == Vajda 2576 - Czebe 2466, Bucharest ROM 2003;

5.Ne4 Qe6 6.Qe2 Nc6 7.Nf3 Nf6 8.Nxf6+ Qxf6 9.Bg5 Qg6 10.OOO Bg4 11.Be3 OOO 12.d5 Bxf3 13.gxf3 Ne5 14.Bh3+ Kb8 15.Bf4 Nd7 16.Qc4 Qb6 17.Be6 g5 18.Be3 Ne5 19.Qc3 Qd6 20.Bc5 fxe6 21.Bxd6 exd6 1-0(36) Kurnosov 2617 - Manea 2357, Bucharest ROU 2008;

5.Bc4 Nf6 6.Nge2 Qc6 7.Bb3 Qxg2 8.Rg1 Qh3 9.Bf4 Qd7 10.Qd3 Nc6 11.a3 Na5 12.Ba2 b5 13.OOO Bb7 14.d5 g6 15.Ng3 Bg7 16.Nce4 Nc4 17.Nxf6+ Bxf6 18.Bxc4 bxc4 19.Qxc4 OO 20.Ne4 Bg7 21.Nc5 Qc8 1-0(30) Gormally 2472 - Plaskett 2490, London 2005;

5.g3 Nf6 6.Bf4 Qb6 7.Bg2 Bg4 8.Nge2 e6 9.h3 Bxe2 10.Nxe2 Bd6 11.Be3 Qa5+ 12.Bd2 Qb6 13.c4 c5 14.b4 cxd4 15.c5 Bxc5 16.bxc5 Qxc5 17.Rc1 1-0 Oratovsky 2567 - Rocha 2390, Mondariz 2002.

4...Na6 5.Bc4 g6 6.Qf3 Nf6 7.Nge2 Bg7 8.OO OO 9.h3 Nb4 10.Bf4 Qb6 11.Nb5 Nfd5 12.Bxd5 Nxd5 13.Qxd5 c6 14.Bc7 Qa6 15.Qc5 cxb5 16.Be5 f6 17.Bg3 Bf5 18.Nc3 Bxc2 19.Nxb5 Rac8 20.Nc7 Qd3 21.Rac1 Ba4 1-0(34) Rodriguez Vila 2531 - Larsen 2461, Buenos Aires ARG 2008;

5.Nf3 h5 6.Ne5 Nf6 7.Bf4 Rg8 8.Qd2 Qb6 9.OOO Bf5 10.Nc4 Qe6 11.d5 Qc8 12.Ne5 Nc5 13.Bb5+ Ncd7 14.Nxd7 Nxd7 15.Rhe1 a6 16.Bd3 Bxd3 17.Qxd3 g5 18.Bxc7 Qxc7 19.d6 Qc6 20.dxe7 Bg7 21.Ne4 Be5 1-0(28) Valerga 2502 - Larsen 2461, Buenos Aires ARG 2008.

[\*8\*] 5.Nge2 Nf6 6.Bf4 Qb6 7.Qd2 Bg7 8.OOO OO 9.h4 Rd8 10.Qe3 e5 11.Bxe5 Ng4 12.Qg3 Nxe5 13.dxe5 Rxd1+ 14.Nxd1 Qa5 15.f4 Qxa2 16.Nec3 Qa1+ 17.Nb1 Nc6 18.Bc4 Nd4 19.Qd3 c5 20.Ne3 Be6 21.c3 Nb3+ 1-0(60) Volokitin 2654 - Kurajica 2541, Lugo ESP 2007.

[\*9\*] 6.Ne4 Qe6 7.Bd3 f5 8.Ng5 Qd5 9.Ng3 Qxd4 10.OO Nc6 11.c3 Qf6 12.Bc4 h6 13.Nf7 Rh7 14.Nd8 Nxd8 15.Bxg8 Rh8 16.Bb3 Nc6 17.Bf4 e5 18.Re1 Bd7 19.Bxe5 Nxe5 20.f4 OOO 21.fxe5 Qe7 0-1(57) Rade 2444 - Kurajica 2554, Sibenik CRO 2007.

6.Be3 a6 7.Qd2 Nf6 8.Bf4 Qb6 9.Bc4 OO 10.OO Bg4 11.Ne5 Nc6 12.Nxg4 Nxg4 13.Be2 e5 14.dxe5 Ngxe5 15.Nd5 Qxb2 16.Rab1 Qxa2 17.Rxb7 Rad8 18.Rd1 Nd4 19.Qxd4 Nf3+ 20.Bxf3 Bxd4 21.Rxd4 c6 1-0(26) Kovalevskaya 2457 - Kurajica 2533, Solin CRO 2005.

6.g3 Nf6 7.Bf4 Qb6 8.Qd2 OO 9.OOO c5 10.dxc5 Qxc5 11.Bg2 Nc6 12.Rhe1 Bf5 13.h3 Nb4 14.Nd4 Rad8 15.Qe3 Rxd4 16.Qxd4 Qxd4 17.Rxd4 Nxc2 18.Rdd1 Nxe1 19.Rxe1 Re8 20.g4 == Brkic 2428 - Kurajica 2557, Solin/Spilt 2003.

[\*10\*] 6...Qb6 7.Bf4 Na6 8.a4 Nf6 9.a5 Qc6 10.Be2 Bg4 11.Na3 Qe4 12.Be3 Nd5 13.Qd2 Nxe3 14.Qxe3 Qxe3 15.fxe3 Nb4 16.c3 Nd5 17.Nc4 Oo 18.Nfe5 Be6 19.Kd2 c5 20.Bg4 f5 21.Bf3 Rac8 0-1(74) Zufic 2452 - Kurajica 2554, Sibenik CRO 2007;  
8.Qe2 Bg4 9.a4 Bxf3 10.gxf3 Nf6 11.a5 Qc6 12.Be5 Oo 13.c3 Nh5 14.Bxg7 Kxg7 15.Qe4 Qf6 16.Na3 c5 17.OOo cxd4 18.Qxd4 e5 19.Qe3 Rac8 20.Nc4 Nc5 21.Qxe5 Qxe5 == (42) Saric 2456 - Kurajica 2539, Sibenik CRO 2005.

[\*11\*] 8.Be5 Nf6 9.Nc3 Nb8 10.Bc4 Oo 11.Qe2 a6 12.OOo b5 13.Bb3 Nc6 14.Rhe1 Na5 15.Ne4 Bb7 16.Nc5 Nxb3+ 17.axb3 Qc8 18.Kb1 b4 19.d5 Rd8 20.Bxf6 exf6 21.Qc4 Bf8 0-1(32) Radulski 2501 - Kurajica 2541, Zadar 2004.

[\*12\*] 12.h3 Ncd5 13.Bh2 Bh6 14.Re1 Be6 15.Bf1 c5 16.dxc5 Rc8 17.Nd4 Bd7 18.Nb3 Be6 19.c3 Nd7 20.c6 bxc6 21.Nd4 Nc5 0-1(24) Kovacevic 2556 - Kurajica 2541, Zadar 2004.

[\*13\*] 5.Bg5 Nf6 6.Qd2 Bf5 7.OOo e6 8.Nf3 Nbd7 9.a3 Qc7 10.Ne5 Be7 11.f4 h6 12.Bxf6 Nxf6 13.Bd3 Bxd3 14.Qxd3 Bd6 15.Qf3 Oo 16.Rd3 Kb8 17.Kb1 a6 18.Rhd1 Rhf8 19.g3 Be7 20.Qe2 Nd7 21.Nf3 Rfe8 1-0(41) Svidler 2723 - Cicak 2530, Rethymnon GRE 2003;  
9.Kb1 Qc7 10.Nh4 Bg6 11.Nxg6 hxg6 12.g3 Oo 13.Bg2 Nb6 14.Ne4 Nxe4 15.Bxe4 Be7 16.Bxe7 Qxe7 17.f4 Qf6 18.h4 Kb8 19.Bf3 Rd7 20.c3 c5 21.Qe3 cxd4 == (45) Tirard 2453 - Nevednichy 2576, La Fere (FRA) 2006;  
7...Nbd7 8.Nf3 e6 9.Nh4 Bg6 10.Nxg6 hxg6 11.g3 Qc7 12.a3 Nb6 13.Bg2 Be7 14.h4 Oo 15.Qe2 Rd7 16.Rd3 Rhd8 17.Rhd1 Nbd5 18.Nxd5 Nxd5 19.Bd2 Nb6 20.Ba5 Bf6 21.c3 g5 1-0(94) Smirin 2662 - Nevednichy 2582, Turin ITA 2006;  
8.Nge2 e6 9.Ng3 Bg6 10.h4 h6 11.Bf4 Qb4 12.h5 Bh7 13.a3 Qa5 14.Kb1 Oo 15.Nb5 Qa4 16.Nc3 Qa5 17.Bd3 Nd5 18.Nxd5 Qxd2 19.Rxd2 cxd5 20.Bxh7 Rxh7 21.Rd3 Nb8 1-0(61) Stoeck 2555 - Konopka 2441, Slovakia 2002;  
7.Nf3 e6 8.Nh4 Bg6 9.Nxg6 hxg6 10.g3 Qc7 11.Bg2 Nbd7 12.Ne2 Be7 13.h4 Nb6 14.Qd3 Oo 15.Oo e5 16.a4 Nbd5 17.a5 a6 18.Rfd1 Kb8 19.c4 Nb4 20.Qb3 exd4 21.Bf4 Bd6 1-0(38) Aveskulov 2535 - Nosenko 2496, Alushta 2008;  
5...Bf5 6.Qd2 e6 7.Nf3 Be7 8.OOo Nf6 9.Bd3 Bg4 10.Bxf6 Bxf6 11.Ne4 Qe7 12.Qf4 Bxf3 13.gxf3 Nd7 14.h4 Nb6 15.Nd6+ Kf8 16.Nc4 Nxc4 17.Bxc4 h5 18.Qe4 Rd8 19.c3 Rd6 20.Kb1 Qd8 21.Bb3 g6 0-1(52) Gopal 2423 - Tiviakov 2682, Calicut 2007;  
6.Nf3 e6 7.Bd3 Bxd3 8.Qxd3 Nd7 9.OOo Ngf6 10.Qe2 Be7 11.Ne5 Qc7 12.f4 Nb6 13.Rhe1 Nbd5 14.Nxd5 Nxd5 15.Bxe7 Nxe7 16.Qh5 g6 17.Qh3 Oo 18.Qa3 Kb8 19.g3 Nf5 20.Nf3 Rd7 21.Rd3 Rhd8 1-0(80) Pikula 2532 - Ardelean 2447, Sozina 2004;  
5...h6 6.Bh4 Nf6 7.Qd3 Bg4 8.Nge2 Bxe2 9.Bxe2 e6 10.Bxf6 gxf6 11.Ne4 Qd8 12.Oo f5 13.Ng3 Nd7 14.Rfe1 Nf6 15.Bf3 Be7 16.c4 Kf8 17.Rad1 Qb6 18.Qe2 Re8 19.a3 a5 20.Rd3 Rg8 21.Qd2 Rg5 == (62) Baklan 2601 - Hasangatin 2460, Cappelle la Grande FRA 2006.  
5.Be3 Nf6 6.Qd2 Bf5 7.OOo e6 8.f3 Nd5 9.g4 Bg6 10.Nxd5 cxd5 11.Ne2 Nc6 12.Nf4 Rc8 13.Kb1 Nb4 14.Bb5+ Kd8 15.Nxg6 hxg6 16.c3 Nc6 17.Bf4 Qd7 18.h4 a6 19.Bd3 Bd6 20.h5 gxh5 21.Rxh5 Kc7 == (85) Fedorchuk 2577 - Cicak 2530, Salou ESP 2005;  
8.Nf3 Nbd7 9.Nh4 Bg6 10.Nxg6 hxg6 11.Bf4 Qb4 12.a3 Qa5 13.Kb1 Qd8 14.Bd3 Be7 15.Ne4 Nxe4 16.Bxe4 Nf6 17.Bf3 Bd6 18.h4 Qc7 19.Bxd6 Qxd6 20.Qa5 Oo 21.Qg5 Rfd8 1-0(31) Lindberg 2439 - Cicak 2569, Stockholm 2008;  
7.Nf3 Nbd7 8.OOo e6 9.Nh4 Bg6 10.f3 Qc7 11.Nxg6 hxg6 12.Ne4 Nd5 13.Bf2 b5 14.Kb1 N7b6 15.Bg3 Qd8 16.c3 Be7 17.Bd3 Na4 18.Rhe1 Oo 19.Qc1 f5 20.Nd2 Ba3 21.bxa3 Ndx3+ 0-1(36) Enders 2456 - Cicak 2534, Germany 2005;  
7.Nge2 e6 8.Ng3 Bg6 9.h4 h6 10.h5 Bh7 11.Bd3 Bxd3 12.Qxd3 Nd5 13.Nce4 Qc7 14.Bd2 Nd7 15.OOo Oo 16.Qf3 f5 17.Nc3 Bd6 18.Kb1 Nxc3+ 19.Qxc3 Nf6 20.Ne2 c5 21.dxc5 Qxc5 0-1(40) Pavlovic 2481 - Cicak 2506, Zürich 2000.  
5.h3 Bf5 6.Nf3 Nd7 7.Bd3 Bxd3 8.Qxd3 Ngf6 9.Bg5 e6 == Ivanov 2419 - Belikov 2552, Alushta 2006;



6...e6 7.Ne5 Nd7 8.Nc4 Qc7 9.g3 Nb6 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.g4 Bg6 12.Ne5 Nd5  
13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.f3 Bd6 15.Bc4 Qa5+ 16.c3 Qc7 17.h4 f6 18.Nxg6 hxg6 19.Bxd6 Qxd6  
20.Qe2 Kf7 21.OOO Ne7 == (22) Mokry 2460 - Cicak 2501, Ostrava CZE 2000.

5.g3 Nf6 6.Bg2 Bf5 7.Nge2 e6 8.OO Qd8 9.h3 h5 10.Rb1 Na6 11.a3 Nc7 12.b4  
Ncd5 13.Rb3 b5 14.Re1 Qd7 15.Nb1 Be4 16.Bf1 Nb6 17.Nd2 Bd5 18.Rb1 a5 19.bxa5  
Rxa5 20.Nb3 Ra8 21.Nf4 Bxa3 == (34) Movsesian 2661 - Cicak 2517, CZE 2001;

6...Bg4 7.Qd3 e5 8.dxe5 Qxe5+ 9.Nge2 Bf5 10.Qd4 Nbd7 11.Bf4 Qc5 12.OO  
OOO 13.Qa4 Qb6 14.Nd4 Bg4 15.h3 Nc5 16.Qc4 Ne6 17.Nxc6 bxc6 18.Be3 Bc5 19.Na4  
Qb4 20.Qa6+ Qb7 21.Qxb7+ Kxb7 == (66) Garbisu De Goni 2464 - Varga 2506,  
Bodapest 2008.

5.Nge2 Nf6 6.Bf4 Qd8 7.Qd2 Be6 8.g3 Bc4 9.Bg2 e6 10.a3 Bd6 11.Bxd6 Qxd6  
12.OO OO 13.Rad1 Nbd7 14.Rfe1 Rfd8 15.Nf4 Bd5 16.Qe2 Nb6 17.f3 Bc4 18.Qf2 Ba6  
19.Bf1 Bxf1 20.Qxf1 c5 == Wedberg 2540 - Cicak 2537, Skara SWE 2002;

5...Bf5 6.Ng3 Bg6 7.h4 h6 8.h5 Bh7 9.Bd3 Bxd3 10.Qxd3 Nf6 11.Nce4 Qc7  
12.Nxf6+ gxf6 13.Qf5 Nd7 14.Bf4 Qb6 15.OOO e6 16.Qh3 OOO 17.Ne4 Qa5 18.Kb1 Qd5  
19.Nc3 Qa5 20.Ne4 Qd5 21.Nc3 Qa5 == (22) Berg 2489 - Gausel 2525, Gausdal 2003.

5.d5 Nf6 6.dxc6 Qxd1+ 7.Nxd1 Nxc6 8.Bc4 Bd7 9.Nf3 h6 10.Nc3 OOO 11.Bxf7 Bg4  
12.Bd2 Bxf3 13.gxf3 Nd4 14.OOO e5 15.a3 Bc5 16.Ne4 Rhf8 17.Ba2 Nxe4 18.fxe4 Rxf2  
19.h4 Ne2+ 20.Kb1 Ng3 21.Be6+ Kc7 0-1 (28) WJS 2560 - Schiller 2560, ? 1990.

5.Ne4 Qe6 6.Qe2 Nf6 7.Nxf6+ exf6 8.Bf4 Be7 9.Nf3 Nd7 10.Qxe6 fxe6 11.OOO  
Kf7 12.h4 h5 13.Be2 a5 14.Nd2 c5 15.dxc5 e5 16.Be3 Nxc5 17.Nc4 Bg4 18.Bxg4 hxg4  
19.Nd6+ Bxd6 20.Rxd6 Rac8 21.Bxc5 Rxc5 1-0 (48) Luther 2534 - Nevednichy 2531,  
Predeal 2007.

[\*14\*] 5...Bf5 6.Nge2 e6 7.Bf4 Qb4 8.Bb3 Nf6 9.OO Nbd7 10.Re1 Be7 11.a3 Qa5  
12.Qd2 Qd8 13.d5 cxd5 14.Nd4 Be4 15.f3 Bg6 16.g4 Nc5 17.Ba2 OO 18.h4 h6 19.h5  
Bh7 20.Kg2 Bd6 21.Be3 Re8 0-1 (34) Timoshenko 2536 - Mateuta 2469, Kavala 2004;

6.Nf3 Nd7 7.OO e6 8.Ne2 Ngf6 9.c3 Qc7 10.Bf4 Bd6 11.Bxd6 Qxd6 12.Ng3 Bg6  
13.Qe2 Nd5 14.Ne5 Nxe5 15.dxe5 Qc5 16.Rad1 OOO 17.b4 Qb6 18.Bxd5 Rxd5 19.Rxd5  
cxd5 20.h4 h5 21.a4 Kb8 0-1 (43) Geller 2495 - Hasangatin 2500, Moscow 2006.

5...Nd7 6.Nf3 Ngf6 7.Qe2 Nb6 8.Bb3 e6 9.Ne4 Nxe4 10.Qxe4 Nd5 11.OO Nf6  
12.Qe2 Be7 13.c4 OO 14.Rd1 c5 15.dxc5 Qxc5 16.Be3 Qh5 == Berg 2593 - Tiviakov  
2643, Heraklion GRE 2007.

[\*15\*] 6...e6 7.OO Qc7 8.Bf4 Bd6 9.Bxd6 Qxd6 10.Ng3 Nbd7 11.Qd2 OO 12.Rad1 b6  
13.Nce4 Qc7 14.f4 c5 15.f5 cxd4 16.Qxd4 Nxe4 17.Nxe4 Ne5 18.f6 Ng4 19.Nd6 Nxf6  
20.Rxf6 gxf6 21.Qg4+ Kh8 1-0 (49) Khachiyan 2560 - Cicak 2664, Las Vegas USA  
2008;

7.Bf4 Qb4 8.Bb3 Nbd7 9.OO Qa5 10.Ng3 Be7 11.Qe2 OO 12.Rad1 Qd8 13.Nce4  
b6 14.Be5 Nxe4 15.Nxe4 Nxe5 16.dxe5 Qc7 17.f4 c5 18.Nd6 Bxd6 19.exd6 Qd7 20.Rf3  
Bb7 21.Re3 b5 == (48) HORVATH 2514 - UHLMANN 2440, St. Valentin 2003.

[\*16\*] 7.OO e6 8.Ng3 Bg6 9.f4 Qd7 10.f5 exf5 11.Bg5 Be7 12.Bxf6 Bxf6 13.Qe1+  
Qe7 14.Nxf5 Bxf5 15.Rxf5 Bxd4+ 16.Kh1 f6 17.Ne4 Be5 18.Rd1 Nd7 19.Qa5 g6 20.Rff1  
b5 21.Bb3 f5 0-1 (37) Al Modiahki 2528 - Cicak 2490, Benasque 1999.

[\*17\*] 8...Nbd7 9.Ng3 Bg6 10.a3 Qb6 11.OO h5 12.Re1 h4 13.Nge4 Nxe4 14.Nxe4  
Bxe4 15.Rxe4 Nf6 16.Re3 e6 17.c3 OOO 18.Bg5 h3 19.Qc2 Be7 20.Rxh3 Rxh3 21.gxh3  
Rh8 == (41) Nabours 2560 - Schiller 2560, ? 1990.

[\*18\*] 9.Qd2 Nbd7 10.f3 OOO 11.a3 Qa5 12.OO e5 13.Bg3 Bg6 14.Rad1 exd4 15.Nxd4  
Bc5 16.Kh1 Bb6 17.Ba2 Nh5 18.Bd6 Ndf6 19.b4 Qxa3 20.Ne6 Rxd6 21.Qxd6 Qxc3 ==  
=(27) Hall 2487 - Gausel 2525, Malmo 2003.

[\*19\*] 10.Re1 Be7 11.Bc7 Bd8 12.a3 Qe7 13.Bg3 OO 14.Nf4 Nb6 15.Qf3 Bc7 16.h3  
Rad8 17.Rad1 Rfe8 18.Nfe2 Bxg3 19.Nxg3 Bg6 20.Nce2 Qc7 21.h4 h6 == (53) Jenni  
2544 - Ekstroem 2469, Samnaun 2008.

[\*20\*] 12.Ba5 b6 13.Bb4 Qd8 14.Bxf8 Kxf8 15.Ng3 g6 16.Nce2 Kg7 17.Nf4 Qc7 18.Qd2 Rcd8 19.Nxf5+ exf5 20.f3 Nc5 21.Ba2 Nb7 0-1(56) Al Modiahki 2559 - Predojevic 2615, Dresden GER 2008.

[\*21\*] 5...Nf6 6.Ne5 Nbd7 7.Nc4 Qc7 8.Qf3 Nb6 9.Bf4 Qd8 10.Be5 Bg4 11.Qg3 h5 12.h3 h4 13.Qf4 Be6 14.Ne3 Nfd5 15.Ned1 Nxc3 16.Nxc3 Nd5 17.Qd2 Bf5 18.Bd3 Bxd3 19.Qxd3 Nxc3 20.bxc3 Qd7 21.OO e6 1-0(40) Kotronias 2608 - Ardelean 2465, Kavala 2004;

14.Nxb6 Qxb6 15.OOO OOO 16.Be2 Qa5 17.a3 Nd7 18.d5 Bxd5 19.Nxd5 Nxe5 20.Qxe5 Rxd5 21.Qf4 g6 1-0(45) Kravtsiv 2533 - Nosenko 2496, Alushta 2008;

12.f3 h4 13.Qf4 Be6 14.Nxb6 Qxb6 15.OOO OOO 16.Qe3 Bf5 == Murariu 2501 - Mateuta 2462, Amara 2007;

9...Qd7 10.OOO Qg4 11.Qxg4 Bxg4 12.f3 Be6 13.Nxb6 axb6 14.Bc7 b5 15.d5 Bd7 16.a3 e6 17.dxc6 bxc6 18.Ne4 Nxe4 19.fxe4 Ra7 20.Bb8 Rb7 21.Bg3 c5 == (38) Pavasovic 2598 - Sedlak 2592, Nova Gorica SLO 2009;

9.Ne5 Qd6 10.Be3 Be6 11.a3 g6 12.Bd3 Bg7 13.OO OO 14.Rfe1 Nfd7 15.Nxd7 Qxd7 16.Qf4 Rad8 17.Rad1 Bg4 18.f3 Bf5 == Nevednichy 2581 - Ardelean 2449, Timisoara 2006;

7.f4 Nb6 8.g4 g6 9.g5 Nh5 10.Ne4 Qc7 11.Ng3 Ng7 12.Qe2 Be6 13.a4 Nd7 14.a5 Nxe5 15.dxe5 Bd5 16.Rg1 c5 17.Qb5+ Qc6 18.Be3 e6 19.a6 b6 20.OOO OOO 21.Qxc6+ Bxc6 1-0(62) Istratescu 2629 - Ardelean 2482, Predeal 2007;

6.Be2 Bg4 7.OO Nbd7 8.Re1 e6 9.Bg5 Bf5 10.Nh4 Bg6 11.g3 Be7 12.Bf4 Qb4 13.a3 Qa5 14.b4 Qd8 15.Bf3 OO 16.Nxg6 hxg6 17.Qd3 Nb6 18.Ne2 Nfd5 19.Bd2 Bf6 20.c4 Ne7 21.Rad1 Nf5 0-1(58) Hjartarson 2619 - Nevednichy 2582, Turin ITA 2006.

[\*22\*] 6.h3 Bxf3 7.Qxf3 Qxd4 8.Be3 Qd8 9.Rd1 Qc7 10.Bc4 Nf6 11.g4 h6 12.OO Nbd7 13.Bf4 e5 14.Bg3 Be7 15.h4 Rf8 16.Rfe1 OOO 17.a3 Ne8 18.Ne4 h5 19.g5 f5 20.gxf6 gxf6 21.Qxh5 f5 1-0(41) Maze 2553 - Benkovic 2479, Biel 2008;

9.Bd3 Nd7 10.OOO Ngf6 11.g4 e6 12.Bd4 Qa5 13.Kb1 Bc5 14.Bxf6 Nxf6 15.g5 Nd7 16.Bxh7 Ne5 17.Qe2 Bb4 18.Nd5 cxd5 19.Qxe5 Rxh7 20.g6 Rh6 21.Rhg1 Bf8 0-1(34) Grabarczyk 2439 - Cicak 2527, Germany 2001;

8.Bd2 Qd8 9.OOO Nd7 10.Bf4 Ngf6 11.Bc4 e6 12.Ne4 Nxe4 13.Qxe4 Bc5 14.g4 Qe7 15.g5 Nb6 16.Be5 Qxg5+ 17.f4 Qg6 18.Qe2 Nxc4 19.Qxc4 Be3+ 20.Kb1 OO 21.Rd3 Bb6 0-1(36) Sedlak 2539 - Ardelean 2447, Bar 2004;

7...Nf6 8.Be3 e6 9.OOO Nbd7 10.Bc4 OOO 11.g4 Nb6 12.Bb3 Qd7 13.Bf4 Nfd5 14.Bg3 Nxc3 15.Qxc3 Bd6 16.d5 exd5 17.Qxg7 f5 18.Qxd7+ Kxd7 19.c4 Bxg3 20.fxg3 fxg4 21.cxd5 cxd5 == (54) Zubarev 2515 - Nosenko 2504, Kharkov 2007;

9...Be7 10.Kb1 Nbd7 11.Bd3 OO 12.g4 Qb4 13.h4 Nd5 14.Nxd5 cxd5 15.g5 f5 16.gxf6 Nxf6 17.Qh3 Qd6 18.Rhg1 Rf7 19.h5 Kh8 20.Bg6 Rff8 21.h6 gxh6 1-0(23) Vorobiov 2543 - Hasangatin 2460, Cappelle la Grande FRA 2006;

7...e6 8.Bf4 Qd8 9.OOONf6 10.g4 Be7 11.Kb1 Nbd7 12.Bc1 Qa5 13.g5 Nd5 14.Ne4 b5 15.h4 N7b6 16.h5 Rf8 17.Qb3 Qa4 18.Qxa4 Nxa4 19.Rh3 Nab6 20.b3 b4 21.c4 bxc3 == (44) Rasmussen 2389 - Hansen 2560, Aalborg 2007.

6.Be2 Nd7 7.h3 Bh5 8.Ne4 Qc7 9.Ng3 Bxf3 10.Bxf3 e6 11.Ne4 Ngf6 12.OO Nxe4 13.Bxe4 Nf6 14.Bf3 Bd6 15.g3 OO 16.c3 Rfe8 17.Bg2 Rad8 18.Qb3 e5 19.dxe5 Bxe5 20.Qc2 Rd7 21.Rd1 Rde7 1-0(70) Bologan 2659 - Cicak 2530, Warsaw 2006;

6...Nf6 7.h3 Bxf3 8.Bxf3 e6 9.OO Nbd7 10.Re1 OOO 11.Be3 Qc7 12.Qe2 Bd6 13.Qc4 Nb6 14.Qb3 Bh2+ 15.Kh1 Bf4 16.Ne4 Nxe4 17.Bxe4 g5 18.a4 Nd7 19.a5 a6 20.Ra4 Nf6 21.Bf3 h5 == (65) Gallagher 2514 - Cicak 2543, Germany 2000.

[\*23\*] 6...Nf6 7.h3 Bh5 8.g4 Bg6 9.Ne5 Nbd7 10.Qe2 Nd5 11.Bg2 Nxe3 12.Qxe3 e6 13.OOO Nxe5 14.dxe5 Qc7 15.f4 Bb4 16.a3 Bxc3 17.Qxc3 h5 18.Rhf1 hxg4 19.hxg4 Rd8 20.Rde1 Qe7 21.Kb1 Rh2 1-0(37) Sadvakasov 2615 - Tiviakov 2682, Calicut 2007;

10.Nxg6 hxg6 11.Qf3 e6 12.OOO Qc7 13.Kb1 Bb4 14.Ne4 Nxe4 15.Qxe4 Nf6 16.Qf3 Nd5 17.Bc1 b5 18.h4 OOO 19.h5 gxh5 20.gxh5 Qe7 21.c4 Qf6 == (42) Fressinet 2673 - Bauer 2583, Pau 2008;

7.Qd2 Nbd7 8.OOO e6 9.Bf4 Qb4 10.Bc7 Rc8 11.a3 Qe7 12.Be5 Qd8 13.Qf4 Qa5 14.Ne4 Nxe4 15.Qxe4 Nxe5 16.dxe5 Bf5 17.Qd4 Rd8 18.Qxd8+ Qxd8 19.Rxd8+ Kxd8 20.Bd3 Bc5 21.Bxf5 exf5 == (40) Tukhaev 2466 - Belikov 2552, Alushta 2006.

6...e6 7.h3 Bxf3 8.Qxf3 Nf6 9.OOO Nbd7 10.Bf4 Qb4 11.a3 Qa5 12.Bc4 Be7 13.Rhe1 OO 14.Bb3 Rac8 15.Kb1 b5 16.Ne4 Nxe4 17.Qxe4 Nf6 18.Qe2 Nd5 19.Bc1 Rfd8 20.f4 Bf8 21.Qf3 Qc7 0-1 (46) Jansa 2458 - Cicak 2506, Passau 2000.

[\*24\*] 8.Be2 Ngf6 9.Qd2 e6 10.Bf4 Qb4 11.a3 Qa5 12.OO Be7 13.b4 Qd8 14.Na4 OO 15.Rfd1 Nd5 16.Bg3 b5 17.Nc5 N7b6 18.Re1 Bxf3 19.Bxf3 Nc4 20.Qd3 a5 21.c3 Ra7 == (45) Zelcic 2589 - Cicak 2564, Dresden GER 2008.

[\*25\*] 9.Qd2 e6 10.OOO Ngf6 11.Nh4 Be7 12.Nxg6 hxg6 13.Bf4 Qb4 14.Bg2 OOO 15.g5 Nd5 16.a3 Qa5 17.Nxd5 Qxd2+ 18.Rxd2 cxd5 19.h4 Nb6 20.Rd3 Nc4 21.Rdh3 Bd6 0-1 (47) Jenni 2564 - Ekstroem 2476, Schweiz 2008.

9.Nh4 Ngf6 10.f4 e6 11.Bg2 Be7 12.OO Nb6 13.f5 exf5 14.Nxf5 Bxf5 15.Rxf5 OO 16.Qd3 Rad8 17.Bf2 Rd7 18.a3 Qb8 19.Re1 Qd8 20.Ne2 Ne8 21.c3 Nd6 == (32) Parligras 2539 - Mateuta 2444, Tusnad 2004.

[\*26\*] 12.OOO Ngf6 13.Nc3 Ne4 14.Na4 a6 15.Bg2 Nd6 16.Nb6+ Kb8 17.Nxd7+ Rxd7 18.Ne5 Rc7 19.Rd2 f6 20.Nxg6 hxg6 21.Bb6 Rc8 1-0 (38) Dominguez 2655 - Narciso Dublan 2511, Barcelona ESP 2006.

[\*27\*] 5.Nge2 c6 6.Qd3 g6 7.Bf4 Qb4 8.OOO Bg7 9.h4 Be6 10.Bc7 Bh6+ 11.Kb1 Na6 12.a3 Qc4 13.Qxc4 Bxc4 14.Be5 OO 15.b3 Bxe2 16.Bxe2 Nd5 17.Nxd5 cxd5 18.Bf3 e6 19.c4 Rad8 20.cxd5 exd5 21.Bf6 Rd7 1-0 (52) Fedorchuk 2571 - Jirovsky 2400, Czechia 2004;

6.Bf4 Qb4 7.b3 Bg4 8.f3 Bf5 9.Qd2 e6 10.g4 Bg6 11.Bg2 Nbd7 12.OO Qa5 13.a3 Be7 14.b4 Qd8 15.Ne4 Nb6 16.Nc5 Nc4 17.Qc3 b5 18.Qb3 Nd5 19.Bc1 h5 20.h3 e5 21.dxe5 Bxc5+ 0-1 (59) Ljubcic 2398 - Sedlak 2561, Zupanja CRO 2007;

5...a6 6.Bf4 Qd8 7.g3 Bf5 8.Bg2 c6 9.d5 cxd5 10.Nxd5 Nxd5 11.Qxd5 Qxd5 12.Bxd5 Nc6 13.OOO Bd7 14.Bxf7+ Kxf7 15.Rxd7 b5 16.Rc7 Nd8 17.Nd4 g5 1-0 Sokolov 2594 - Benkovic 2448, Geneve SUI 2008;

7.Ng3 e6 8.Be2 Nc6 9.Be3 Bd6 10.Nge4 Be7 11.OO OO 12.f4 Nd5 13.Bc1 b6 14.Bf3 Bb7 15.Ne2 Na5 16.N2g3 Qd7 17.a3 Rad8 18.Qe1 Bh4 19.Kh1 f5 20.Nf2 Bxg3 21.hxg3 Nf6 == (26) Podlesnik 2385 - Pavasovic 2567, Ljubljana SLO 2002;

5...Bg4 6.Qd3 Nc6 7.Bf4 Qd7 8.OOO OOO 9.f3 Bf5 10.Qc4 e6 11.a3 h5 12.Ng3 Bg6 13.Nge4 Nd5 14.Bd2 Nb6 15.Qa2 Nxd4 16.Be3 e5 17.Bd3 Be7 18.a4 a5 19.Nb5 Kb8 20.c3 Nf5 21.Nc5 Qc6 0-1 (33) Solodovnichenko 2526 - Milanovic 2486, playchess.com INT 2006;

5...Bf5 6.Bf4 Qd7 7.Ng3 Bg6 8.Bd3 e6 9.Nce4 Nc6 10.c3 OOO 11.Qe2 Nd5 12.Bd2 e5 13.Bb5 exd4 14.cxd4 f5 15.f3 fxe4 16.fxe4 Bb4 17.OO Rhe8 18.Bg5 Be7 19.Bd2 Bf6 20.e5 Kb8 21.Qf3 Bh4 0-1 (28) Kanovsky 2409 - Epishin 2574, Pardubice 2008;

5...e6 6.Bf4 Qd8 7.Qd3 Bd7 8.h4 Nc6 9.a3 Ne7 10.h5 Ned5 11.Be5 Bc6 12.Qg3 h6 13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.Nc3 Qd7 15.Bxc7 Qxd4 16.Rh4 Qc5 17.Be5 Nd7 18.Bd4 Qg5 19.Rg4 Qxh5 20.OOO Bd6 21.f4 Rg8 == (47) Weiss 2429 - Horvath 2542, Saint Vincent ITA 2005;

5...g6 6.Bf4 Qb6 7.Qd2 Bg7 8.OOO OO 9.f3 Rd8 10.Bh6 e5 11.Bxg7 Kxg7 12.Qg5 exd4 13.Ne4 c5 14.Nxf6 Qxf6 15.Qxc5 Nc6 16.Ng3 Be6 17.Bc4 b6 18.Qxc6 Rac8 19.Qe4 Bxc4 20.Kb1 h5 21.h4 Qd6 0-1 (27) Kojovic 2407 - Kurajica 2561, BiH 2007;

5...b6 6.Nf4 Bb7 7.Nb5 Qd7 8.c4 e6 9.Be2 Bb4+ 10.Bd2 Be7 11.Be3 Bb4+ 12.Kf1 a6 13.Nc3 Bxc3 14.bxc3 OO 15.Nd3 Nc6 16.f3 Ne8 17.Bc1 Nd6 18.c5 Nc4 19.cxb6 cxb6 20.Rb1 N6a5 21.h4 Rfd8 0-1 (44) Kochetkov 2386 - Belikov 2564, Alushta 2007.

5.Nb5 Qd8 6.c4 c6 7.Nc3 Bf5 8.Nf3 e6 9.Be2 h6 10.OO Be7 11.Bd3 Bxd3 12.Qxd3 Nbd7 13.Bf4 OO 14.Rfe1 Re8 15.Ne4 Nxe4 16.Qxe4 Qb6 17.Qe2 c5 18.Be3 Bf6 19.Red1 Rac8 20.Rac1 a6 21.b3 == Leon Hoyos 2490 - Tiviakov 2635, Lodi ITA 2008;

10.Qb3 b6 11.OO Bd6 12.Ne5 Qc7 13.f4 a6 14.Bf3 OO 15.Be3 Ra7 16.Rae1 Nfd7 17.Ne4 Bxe4 18.Bxe4 c5 19.Kh1 Rc8 20.Bb1 cxd4 21.Bxd4 Bxe5 1-0(47) Kupreichik 2468 - Antoniewski 2523, Germany 2005;

9...Be7 10.OO OO 11.Nh4 Bg6 12.Nxg6 hxg6 13.Bf3 Na6 14.Be3 Bd6 15.Qb3 Qb8 16.g3 Re8 17.Rad1 Nc7 18.Rfe1 Qc8 19.Ne4 Nxe4 20.Bxe4 a5 21.a3 a4 ==-(22) Kurnosov 2593 - Tiviakov 2634, Plovdiv BUL 2008;

8.h3 e6 9.Nf3 Nbd7 10.Be2 Be7 11.OO h6 12.Be3 OO 13.Qd2 Re8 14.Rfe1 Bf8 15.a3 Bh7 16.Bf4 Ne4 17.Nxe4 Bxe4 18.Qe3 Bh7 19.Rad1 Qa5 20.Qb3 Qb6 21.Qc3 Nf6 1-0(33) Wegerle 2712 - Reuber 2442, playchess.com INT 2008;

7...Bg4 8.Be2 Bxe2 9.Ngxe2 Nbd7 10.OO g6 11.Bf4 Bg7 12.Qc2 OO 13.Rad1 Qa5 14.d5 Rac8 15.dxc6 Rxc6 16.b3 a6 17.Qd2 Re8 18.Nd5 Qxd2 19.Nxf6+ Nxf6 20.Bxd2 Ne4 21.Bb4 b5 ==-(41) Najer 2635 - Berg 2593, Khanty-Mansiysk 2007;

8.f3 Bf5 9.g4 Bg6 10.h4 h5 11.g5 Ng8 12.Nh3 Bf5 13.Qb3 Qc8 14.Bf4 e6 15.Nf2 Ne7 16.Nfe4 Ng6 17.Nd6+ Bxd6 18.Bxd6 Qd7 19.Qa3 Na6 20.OOO Nc7 21.d5 exd5 1-0(28) Najer 2634 - Kharitonov 2524, Moscow 2008;

5...Qb6 6.c4 c6 7.Nc3 Bg4 8.Be2 Bxe2 9.Ngxe2 e6 10.OO Be7 11.d5 exd5 12.cxd5 OO 13.Be3 Qc7 14.Rc1 Rd8 15.Qb3 Na6 16.Nb5 Qd7 17.dxc6 bxc6 18.Rfd1 Nd5 19.Nf4 Rab8 20.Nxd5 cxd5 21.a4 Rb7 ==-(35) Amonatov 2647 - Zhigalko 2572, Moscow RUS 2009;

6.d5 e6 7.Be3 Bc5 8.Bxc5 Qxc5 9.d6 Na6 10.dxc7 OO 11.c3 Bd7 12.Nd4 Nxc7 13.Ngxf3 e5 14.Nb3 Qe7 15.Be2 Nfd5 16.OO Nf4 17.Ne1 Rad8 18.Qc2 Qf6 19.Bf3 Bf5 20.Be4 Nh3+ 0-1 Armbrust 2321 - Tiviakov 2684, Neustadt an der Weinstrasse 2009.

5.Be3 a6 6.Qd2 Nc6 7.OOO Bf5 8.Bf4 Qd7 9.Nf3 e6 10.Nh4 Bg4 11.f3 Bh5 12.d5 Nxd5 13.Nxd5 exd5 14.g4 Bg6 15.Nxg6 hxg6 16.Bc4 d4 17.Rhe1+ Be7 18.Bg5 b5 19.Bxe7 Nxe7 20.Qg5 Kf8 21.Rxd4 Qe8 1-0(27) Rause 2565 - Topchy 2445, corr ICCF 1991;

6...b5 7.f3 Bb7 8.Bd3 Nbd7 9.Nge2 e6 10.Ne4 Nxe4 11.fxe4 c5 12.c3 Be7 13.OO OO 14.Rad1 cxd4 15.cxd4 e5 16.Bc2 Rad8 17.Ng3 g6 18.Kh1 exd4 19.Bxd4 Ne5 20.Qh6 f6 21.Bb3+ Kh8 1-0(36) Wedberg 2530 - Fries Nielsen 2444, Stockholm SWE 2003;

6.g3 c6 7.Bg2 Bf5 8.Nf3 e6 9.OO Nbd7 10.Nh4 Bg6 11.Bf4 Qb4 12.a3 Qb6 13.Nxg6 hxg6 14.b4 Rd8 15.Re1 Be7 16.Na4 Qa7 17.c4 OO 18.Nc3 Rfe8 19.Be3 Qb8 20.f4 b5 21.Bxc6 bxc4 ==-(37) Zhang Zhong 2639 - Dreev 2666, ? 2006;

6.Be2 Nc6 7.Bf3 h6 8.Nge2 Bf5 9.Ng3 Bh7 10.Nge4 Nxe4 11.Nxe4 Bxe4 12.Bxe4 g6 13.c3 f5 14.Bf3 OOO 15.Qa4 Bg7 16.OOO g5 17.Rhe1 Bf6 18.g4 fxg4 19.Bxg4+ Kb8 20.h3 Qd5 21.Qb3 Qxb3 1-0(81) Vajda 2447 - Varga 2541, Hungary 2001;

5...c6 6.Nf3 Bf5 7.Bd3 Bxd3 8.Qxd3 Nbd7 9.OO e6 10.Rfe1 Be7 11.a3 OO 12.Rad1 Rfd8 13.Qe2 Qc7 14.h3 Nd5 15.Bd2 Nxc3 16.Bxc3 Nb6 17.Ba5 Rd5 18.b4 Qc8 19.Bxb6 axb6 20.c4 Rd8 21.Rd3 Bf6 ==-(37) Chandler 2537 - Ledger 2438, Birmingham ENG 2005;

6.Qd2 Bf5 7.f3 h5 8.Nge2 h4 9.a3 g6 10.Rg1 Nd5 11.Nxd5 cxd5 12.Bf4 Qd7 13.g4 hxg3 14.hxg3 Nc6 15.g4 Be6 16.Nc1 Bg7 17.Nb3 Qd8 18.Bb5 Qb6 19.Bxc6+ Qxc6 20.OOO b6 21.Rh1 Kd7 1-0(33) Murariu 2503 - Vajda 2456, Predeal 2007;

5...Bf5 6.Qf3 Bc8 7.OOO c6 8.Bf4 Qb4 9.Nge2 Be6 10.Bc7 Na6 11.a3 Qxc3 12.Qxc3 Nxc7 13.Nf4 Bd7 14.Nd3 Ncd5 15.Qb3 b5 16.Ne5 e6 17.g3 Bd6 18.f4 a5 19.Bg2 a4 20.Qd3 b4 21.Rhe1 OO ==-(59) Short 2676 - Sulava 2526, Ohrid MKD 2001;

6.Qd2 Nc6 7.OOO OOO 8.Nf3 e6 9.a3 a6 10.Bc4 Nd5 11.Bg5 f6 12.Bh4 Qd7 13.Bg3 g5 14.Rhe1 h5 15.Bxd5 exd5 16.h4 g4 17.Ng1 Na5 18.Kb1 Nc4 19.Qc1 Qc6 20.Nge2 b5 21.Bf4 a5 1-0(64) Najer 2606 - Gofshtein 2522, playchess.com INT 2004.

5.Be2 c6 6.Bf3 Bf5 7.Nge2 e6 8.Ng3 Bg6 9.Nce4 Nxe4 10.Nxe4 Bxe4 11.Bxe4 Nd7 12.OO Nf6 13.Bf3 Be7 14.c4 OO 15.Re1 Rfd8 16.Be3 Rd7 17.Qc2 Qc7 18.g3 Rad8 19.a3 Qc8 20.b4 a6 21.Rab1 Ne8 ==-(120) Balogh 2616 - Jenni 2543, Dresden GER 2008;

8.OO Be7 9.Ng3 Bg6 10.Nce4 Qd8 11.Nxf6+ Bxf6 12.c3 Nd7 13.Ne4 Bxe4 14.Bxe4 OO 15.Bf4 g6 16.Qb3 Qb6 17.Qxb6 Nxb6 18.a4 Rad8 19.a5 Nd5 20.Bg3 a6 21.Rfd1 Rd7 ==-(51) Balogh 2576 - Sedlak 2564, Teslic 2006;

8.Bf4 Qd8 9.Ng3 Bg6 10.OO Bd6 11.Nce2 Qc7 12.Qd2 Nbd7 13.Rad1 OO 14.c3 e5 15.dxe5 Bxe5 16.Be3 Nb6 17.b3 Rad8 18.Qc1 Rxd1 19.Rxd1 Rd8 20.Rxd8+ Qxd8 21.Nf4 Nbd5 1-0(104) Lupulescu 2534 - Burnoiu 2424, Bucharest ROM 2006;

6.Bg5 Bf5 7.Qd2 Nbd7 8.Nf3 e6 9.OO Qc7 10.Nh4 Bg6 11.Rfe1 Bd6 12.g3 OO 13.Nxg6 hxg6 14.Rad1 Bb4 15.Bf4 Bd6 16.Be3 Nb6 17.Bg5 Nbd5 18.Bf3 Nh7 19.Ne4 Nxg5 20.Qxg5 Be7 21.Qc1 Rad8 0-1(94) Nijboer 2584 - Tiviakov 2669, Hilversum 2006;

5...a6 6.Bf3 Nc6 7.Nge2 e6 8.OO Ne7 9.Ng3 Ng6 10.Bg5 Be7 11.Qd2 OO 12.Rad1 Qd8 13.h4 h6 14.h5 hxg5 15.hxg6 Nd5 16.Rfe1 Nf4 17.gxf7+ Rxf7 18.Bg4 b6 19.Nh5 Nxh5 20.Bxh5 Rf6 21.d5 Rh6 1-0(48) Naiditsch 2641 - Kotsur 2587, Khanty Mansiysk 2005;

6.Be3 Nc6 7.Qd2 Bf5 8.Nf3 OOO 9.a3 e5 10.dxe5 Nxe5 11.OOO Qxd2+ 12.Nxd2 Neg4 13.Bd4 c5 14.Bxf6 Nxf6 15.f3 Be6 16.Bc4 Bxc4 17.Nxc4 Be7 18.Rde1 Rde8 19.a4 Kc7 20.b3 Bd6 21.Rxe8 Rxe8 0-1(95) Toczec 2372 - Gashimov 2608, Warsaw POL 2005;

6.Nf3 Nc6 7.OO Bg4 8.Be3 e6 9.Qd2 Be7 10.Rad1 Bxf3 11.Bxf3 OOO 12.Qe2 Nb4 13.a3 Nbd5 14.Nxd5 exd5 15.c4 dxc4 16.Bf4 Qb6 17.Qxc4 Rd7 18.Be5 Kb8 19.Rd3 Qb5 20.Qc2 Nd5 == Schneider 2455 - Gurevich 2510, ? 1982;

5...Bf5 6.Bf3 Nc6 7.Nge2 OOO 8.OO e5 9.d5 Nb4 10.Bg5 Be7 11.Qd2 Bg6 12.Rfd1 e4 13.Bxf6 exf3 14.Bxe7 Qxe7 15.Nf4 Bxc2 16.Re1 Qg5 17.g3 Kb8 18.Qd4 Na6 19.Rac1 Bf5 20.Nb5 b6 21.Qc4 Rc8 1-0(35) Naiditsch 2657 - Dutreeuw 2383, Belgium BEL 2006.

5.h3 a6 6.Nf3 b5 7.Bd3 Bb7 8.Qe2 e6 9.OO Nbd7 10.a4 b4 11.Ne4 Qc6 12.Nxf6+ gxf6 13.Re1 OOO 14.c4 f5 15.d5 Qd6 16.Bg5 Re8 17.Rad1 h6 18.Bc1 Nf6 19.Qe5 Qxe5 20.Nxe5 Rh7 21.b3 Ne4 == (23) Savic 2536 - Sedlak 2568, Osijek CRO 2008.

5.Bb5+ Bd7 6.Nf3 Nc6 7.OO a6 8.Bxc6 Bxc6 9.Ne5 g6 10.Qe2 Bg7 11.Bf4 Nh5 12.Bg5 h6 13.Nc4 Qd7 14.Be3 Qe6 15.Rad1 Rd8 16.Rfe1 OO 17.Na5 Bd5 18.Qd2 Bxg2 19.Kxg2 Qg4+ 20.Kf1 Qh3+ 21.Kg1 e5 == (55) Horvath 2520 - Utasi 2485, Szirak 1985.

[\*28\*] 5...c6 6.Bg2 Bf5 7.Nf3 e6 8.OO Nbd7 9.Qe2 Be7 10.Rd1 h6 11.h4 Bg4 12.a3 Nb6 13.Ne4 Qd5 14.Nxf6+ Bxf6 15.c3 Qh5 16.Bf4 OOO 17.Rd3 Nd7 18.Qe3 g5 19.Be5 Nxe5 20.Nxe5 Bxe5 21.Qxe5 Bf5 == (28) Slovineanu 2423 - Nevednichy 2576, Predeal 2006.

[\*29\*] 6.Nf3 a6 7.h3 Bh5 8.Bf4 Qb4 9.g4 Bg6 10.Ne5 Nbd7 11.a3 Qxb2 12.Nxg6 Qxc3+ 13.Bd2 Qxd4 14.Nxh8 Qe4+ 15.Qe2 Qxh1 16.OOO e6 17.f3 Qg1 18.Be3 Qg3 19.f4 Bc5 20.Bxc5 Nxc5 21.Kb1 Qxa3 0-1(22) Maciejka 2585 - Gashimov 2625, playchess.com INT 2006;

6...Nc6 7.Bg2 OOO 8.h3 Bh5 9.OO e5 10.g4 exd4 11.Nb5 Qc5 12.Nbxd4 Nxd4 13.Be3 Bg6 14.Nxd4 Qe5 15.g5 Nd5 16.Qf3 c6 17.Rfe1 Bd6 18.Qg4+ Rd7 19.Rad1 f5 20.Qf3 Re8 21.c4 Qh2+ 0-1(53) Sveshnikov 2507 - Yegiazarian 2537, Stepanakert ARM 2005.

[\*30\*] 6...Bd7 7.Bg2 e6 8.Ne4 Qb6 9.Nxf6+ gxf6 10.Ne2 Bb5 11.Be3 Nc6 12.c3 OOO 13.Qc1 Bxe2 14.Kxe2 e5 15.dxe5 Qa6+ 16.Kf2 Nxe5 17.Bh3+ Kb8 18.Rd1 Bd6 19.Qc2 h5 20.Qe4 h4 21.Bf1 hxg3+ == (53) Socko 2629 - Epishin 2561, Dresden 2007.

6...Be6 7.Bf4 Qd8 8.Qd2 c6 9.OOO Nbd7 10.Nh3 h6 11.g4 Qa5 12.a3 b5 13.Bxb5 cxb5 14.d5 Bxg4 15.fxg4 g5 16.Bg3 Bg7 17.Nf2 Rc8 18.Rhe1 OO 19.Rxe7 Nb6 20.Bc7 Nfxd5 21.Bxb6 Nxb6 0-1(26) Medvegy 2353 - Khenkin 2655, Bornholm 2008.

[\*31\*] 7.Nge2 Nc6 8.Be3 OOO 9.Qd2 e5 10.OOO Be7 11.dxe5 Qxe5 12.Nd4 Bc5 13.f4 Qe8 14.Bb5 Bxd4 15.Bxd4 a6 16.Rhe1 Be6 17.Bxc6 == Solak 2490 - Kovacevic 2513, Novi Sad 2000.

7.Bf4 Qb6 8.Qd2 Nc6 9.g4 Bg6 10.g5 Nxd4 11.OOO OOO 12.gxf6 Nb3+ 13.axb3 Rxd2 14.Rxd2 e6 15.Be5 gxf6 16.Bd4 Qa5 17.Kb1 Bh6 18.Bxf6 Bxd2 19.Bxh8 Qg5 20.Nge2 Qe3 21.Bd4 Qxf3 0-1(41) Basagic 2366 - Sermek 2590, Bled 18. - 24.november 2002 2002.

7.Bd3 Bxd3 8.Qxd3 Nc6 9.Be3 Nb4 10.Qd2 Qe6 11.Kd1 OOO 12.Kc1 c5 13.Nge2 Qf5 14.a3 Nc6 15.f4 e6 16.Rd1 Ng4 17.h3 Nxe3 18.Qxe3 cxd4 19.Nxd4 Rxd4 20.Rxd4 Bc5 21.g4 Bxd4 0-1(49) Koch 2510 - Fressinet 2440, Besancon FRA 1999.

[\*32\*] 12.Be3 e6 13.N2c3 Qb4 14.a3 Qe7 15.Nc5 Nd8 16.f4 h6 17.Qf3 c6 18.h4 Qc7 19.Bh3 Bd6 20.Ne2 b6 21.Bg4 hxg5 0-1(36) Howell 2511 - Parker 2521, Wokefield Park ENG 2007.

[\*33\*] 5...c6 6.Qd2 Bf5 7.OOO Nbd7 8.Nf3 h6 9.Bf4 Qb4 10.d5 Nxd5 11.Nxd5 Qxd2+ 12.Rxd2 cxd5 13.Nd4 e5 14.Nxf5 exf4 15.Rxd5 OOO 16.Bc4 Kc7 17.Rhd1 a6 18.R5d2 g6 19.Nd4 Rh7 20.Ne2 f3 21.gxf3 Be7 1-0(60) Smirin 2677 - Fercec 2458, Pula 2000;

7...e6 8.Nf3 Nbd7 9.Bc4 Be7 10.Nh4 Bg6 11.Nxg6 hxg6 12.h4 Nb6 13.Be2 OOO 14.g3 Nbd5 15.Bf3 Qc7 16.Na4 Nd7 17.c4 Bxg5 18.Qxg5 N5b6 19.Nxb6+ Nxb6 20.b3 Rhg8 21.h5 gxh5 == (66) Al-Modiahki 2574 - Zatonskih 2423, Port Erin IOM 2003;

7.Nge2 Nbd7 8.Ng3 Bg6 9.Bc4 e6 10.Bb3 Qc7 11.h4 h6 12.h5 Bh7 13.Bf4 Bd6 14.Bxd6 Qxd6 15.OOO OO 16.Rhe1 Nd5 17.Nce4 Qf4 18.c4 Qxd2+ 19.Kxd2 N5f6 20.Nd6 Rab8 21.f4 c5 1-0(74) Howell 2593 - Gallagher 2480, ? 2008.

5...Bg4 6.f3 Bf5 7.Qd2 Nc6 8.OOO OOO 9.Nge2 e5 10.Ng3 Nxd4 11.Nxf5 Nxf5 12.Bc4 Qxd2+ 13.Rxd2 Rxd2 14.Kxd2 Nd6 15.Bb3 Nd7 16.Be3 Be7 17.Ke2 Rf8 18.g4 c6 19.Rd1 Kc7 20.h3 == Landa 2542 - Hasangatin 2458, St Petersburg RUS 1999;

0-1 Landa K 2540 - Hasangatin R 2455, ? 1999.

5...a5 6.Nf3 b5 7.Bd3 Bb7 8.Qe2 Nbd7 9.OOO e6 10.Rhe1 Be7 11.Kb1 Rd8 12.Ne5 OO 13.Qe3 c5 14.Qh3 c4 15.Ne4 Nxe4 16.Bxe7 Qxe7 17.Bxe4 Bxe4 18.Rxe4 Nxe5 19.Rxe5 Rd5 20.Qe3 Rfd8 21.f4 Qd6 1-0(54) Amonatov 2600 - Korniushev 2457, St. Petersburg RUS 2004.

[\*34\*] 6.Nf3 Nbd7 7.Qd2 b5 8.Bd3 Bb7 9.Qe2 e6 10.OOO Be7 11.Rhe1 Nd5 12.Ne4 Bxg5+ 13.Nfxg5 Qe7 14.Qd2 h6 15.Nf3 Nb4 16.Bf1 Bxe4 17.Rxe4 Nf6 18.Re1 Nxa2+ 19.Kb1 Nb4 20.Ne5 OO 21.g4 Nbd5 0-1(52) Van den Doel Erik 2528 - Kurajica Bojan 2541, ? 1999;

0-1(25) Van den Doel 2528 - Kurajica 2541, Bugojno BIH 1999.

6.g3 Bg4 7.Qd2 Nc6 8.d5 Ne5 9.Bg2 h6 10.Bxf6 exf6 11.h3 Bf5 12.OOO OOO 13.Qf4 g6 14.Nge2 == Vallejo Pons 2674 - Bauer 2625, Calvia ESP 2005.

6.Be2 Bf5 7.Bf3 Nc6 8.Nge2 OOO 9.Bf4 Qb4 10.Bxc6 bxc6 11.Qc1 c5 12.dxc5 Qxc5 13.OO e5 14.Be3 Qc6 15.Ng3 Bg6 16.a3 h5 17.h3 Be7 18.Rb1 Nd5 19.Nxd5 Rxd5 20.c4 Rd7 21.Ra1 h4 0-1(46) Hernandez 2550 - Mellado 2445, ? 2002.

[\*35\*] 6...Bf5 7.OOO e6 8.Nf3 Nbd7 9.Bd3 Bxd3 10.Qxd3 Be7 11.Rhe1 c6 12.g3 b5 13.Bf4 Qb4 14.Ng5 OO 15.Kb1 Nb6 16.h4 Qc4 17.Qf3 Nbd5 18.Rd3 Rac8 19.Bd2 Nxc3+ 20.Bxc3 b4 21.Bd2 Rfd8 0-1(67) Le Roux 2496 - Marcelin 2481, Besancon 2006.

6...Nbd7 7.Bf4 Qb6 8.OOO e6 9.d5 Bb4 10.dxe6 fxe6 11.Re1 Nc5 12.Qe3 OO 13.Nh3 Qa5 14.a3 Bxc3 15.Qxc3 Qxc3 16.bxc3 Na4 17.Bxc7 Nxc3 18.Be5 Ncd5 19.Bc4 b5 20.Bb3 == Fercec 2433 - Sulava 2526, Pula CRO 2001.

[\*36\*] 12.Qd4 f6 13.Rfe1 Nc6 14.Qd5 Nc5 15.Nd4 Ne5 16.Bh5+ 1-0 Ehlvest 2640 - Handoko 2441, Dubai 2007.

[\*37\*] 5...Bg4 6.f3 Bh5 7.Nge2 Nc6 8.Bf4 Qd7 9.Qd2 e6 10.OOO Bb4 11.a3 Ba5 12.g4 Bg6 13.Bxg6 hxg6 14.b4 Bb6 15.d5 Nxd5 16.Nxd5 Qxd5 17.Qxd5 exd5 18.Rxd5 Rd8 19.Rxd8+ Nxd8 20.c4 c5 21.Nc3 Ne6 == (40) Jurkovic 2400 - Sermek 2601, Pula CRO 2002;

9.d5 Nxd5 10.Nxd5 Qxd5 11.Bxc7 e5 12.Bf5 Qxd1+ 13.Rxd1 f6 14.c3 Be7 15.Bd7+ Kf8 16.f4 exf4 17.Bxf4 Be8 18.OO Rd8 19.Bg4 h5 20.Bf3 h4 21.Be3 b6 == (32) Jakimov 2434 - Vysochin 2524, Kharkiv 2007;

8.Nb5 Qd7 9.Bf4 Rc8 10.g4 Bg6 11.Bxg6 hxg6 12.c4 e6 13.Qd2 Bb4 14.Nbc3 Na5 15.b3 b5 16.c5 Nd5 17.OO OO 18.Rad1 Nc6 19.Be3 Rcd8 20.Qc1 Bxc3 21.Nxc3 Nxc3 0-1(50) Marinkovic 2444 - Milanovic 2514, Zlatibor SCG 2006;

7...a6 8.Bf4 Qd7 9.d5 Bg6 10.Qd2 Bxd3 11.Qxd3 g6 12.OOO Bg7 13.Qc4 c6 14.d6 OO 15.Kb1 Re8 16.Ng3 exd6 17.Bxd6 Qe6 18.Qxe6 Rxe6 19.Nge4 Nbd7 20.Bg3 b5 21.a3 Nxe4 1-0(48) Kasparov 2838 - Rogers 2538, Batumi 2001;

6.Nge2 e6 7.f3 Bh5 8.Bf4 Qd7 9.Qd2 Nc6 10.OOO Bb4 11.a3 == Palac 2580 - Sermek 2595, Nova Gorica 2002.

5...c6 6.Nge2 Bg4 7.f3 Bh5 8.Bf4 Qd8 9.Qd2 e6 10.Ne4 Nd5 11.OOO Bg6 12.Be5 Nb4 13.Bc4 a5 14.Nf4 Bxe4 15.fxe4 Nd7 16.Qe2 Nxe5 17.dxe5 Qg5 18.Rhf1 Be7 19.Kb1 Qxe5 20.a3 Na6 21.Nd3 Qg5 1-0(29) Efimenko 2547 - Sergeev 2447, Simferopol 2003;

6...e6 7.OO Be7 8.Ne4 Nxe4 9.Bxe4 OO 10.Qd3 g6 11.Bh6 Re8 12.Rad1 Nd7 13.Rfe1 Nf6 14.Bf3 b6 15.c3 Bb7 16.Ng3 Rad8 17.h4 Ba8 18.h5 c5 19.Bxa8 Rxa8 20.Bg5 cxd4 21.Qf3 Qd5 == (28) Stripunsky 2554 - Lein 2402, Seattle USA 2003.

5...g6 6.Nge2 Bg7 7.Bf4 Qd8 8.Qd2 Nc6 9.OOO OO 10.Bb5 Na5 11.Bh6 Bxb6 12.Qxh6 Ng4 13.Qh4 a6 14.Ba4 e5 15.Qxd8 Rxd8 16.dxe5 Be6 17.f4 c5 18.a3 b5 19.b4 cxb4 20.axb4 Nc6 21.Bb3 Bxb3 0-1(29) Cabrera 2491 - Kurajica 2558, El Sauzal 2003.

5...a6 6.Nge2 Bg4 7.f3 Bh5 8.Bf4 Qb6 9.g4 Bg6 10.g5 Nh5 11.Be3 e6 12.Ne4 Nc6 13.Qd2 Nb4 14.Bc4 Qc6 15.Bb3 a5 16.a3 Nd5 17.Bf2 a4 18.Ba2 Nb6 19.Qd3 Be7 20.h4 h6 21.Rg1 hxg5 0-1(35) Howell 2622 - Bosboom 2418, Wijk aan Zee NED 2009.

[\*38\*] 6...Nb4 7.Bf4 Qd8 8.Be5 e6 9.a3 Nxd3+ 10.Qxd3 Nd7 11.Qg3 Nxe5 12.dxe5 Bd7 13.OOO Qe7 14.Rd3 g6 15.Rhd1 Bh6+ 16.f4 Bc6 17.Nd4 Bd5 18.Nxd5 exd5 19.Rb3 c6 20.Kb1 Bg7 21.Nf5 gxf5 == (32) Nijboer 2529 - Tiviakov 2678, Leeuwarden NED 2005.

6...Bg4 7.f3 Bh5 8.Bf4 Qd7 9.Ne4 OOO 10.c3 e5 11.dxe5 Nd5 12.Bb5 a6 13.Ba4 Bg6 14.Bg3 h5 15.Nf4 h4 16.Nxg6 fxe6 17.Bf2 b5 18.Bb3 Nxe5 19.Bxd5 Qxd5 20.Qxd5 Rxd5 21.Ke2 Be7 == (29) Taylor 2528 - Reinhart 2450, The Gambiteers Guild 2005.

[\*39\*] 7.Nb5 Qe7 8.dxe5 Nxe5 9.OO a6 10.Nbc3 Bg4 11.h3 Bh5 12.Bf5 g6 13.Bg5 Rd8 14.Qc1 Bxe2 15.Re1 h6 16.Bh4 Bg7 17.Rxe2 OO 18.Bg3 Nh5 0-1 Kilgour 2490 - Spitz 2533, ICCF 2007.

7.dxe5 Nxe5 8.Bb5+ == Simacek 2480 - Heberla 2487, Marianske Lazne 2006.

[\*40\*] 9.Re1 Bd6 10.Bg5 Be6 11.Qf3 OOO 12.Bxf6 gxf6 13.Qxf6 Qf4 14.Ne4 Qxf6 15.Nxf6 h5 16.Be2 Rh6 17.Nxh5 Rdh8 18.g4 Rg6 19.Ng3 Rgh6 == Sokolov 2582 - Nikolaidis 2520, Athens GRE 2005.

9.Qe2 e4 10.Bf4 Bd6 11.Bb5+ Ke7 12.Be3 Be6 13.f3 a6 14.Bc4 Rac8 15.fxe4 Bxc4 16.Qxc4 Ng4 17.Rad1 g6 18.Rb1 b5 19.h3 Ne5 20.Rbd1 g5 21.Ra1 g4 == (25) Iordachescu Viorel MDA 2609 - Tzermiadianos Andreas GRE 2453, ? 2005.

[\*41\*] 9...Qd8 10.Re1 c6 11.Rxe5+ Be7 12.Nc3 OO 13.Bg5 h6 14.Bh4 Bg4 15.Qc1 Be6 16.Qe1 Ng4 17.Bxe7 Qxe7 18.Qe4 f5 19.Rxe6 Qc7 20.Qe1 Qxh2+ 21.Kf1 Rae8 == (42) Baklanov 2466 - Spitz 2544, ICCF 2006.

[\*42\*] 12.Nxd6+ cxd6 13.Bb5+ Ke7 14.Be3 Qa5 15.Bd4 Be6 16.f3 a6 17.Bc4 Qb4 18.b3 Rac8 19.fxe4 Bxc4 20.bxc4 Qxc4 21.Qf2 Ng4 == (49) Iordachescu 2609 - Tzermiadianos 2453, Warsaw POL 2005.

[\*43\*] 5...Bg4 6.f3 Bf5 7.Nge2 Nc6 8.OO OOO 9.Be3 e5 10.d5 Qb4 11.Bd3 Bxd3 12.dxc6 Bc4 13.cxb7+ Qxb7 14.Qc1 Nd5 15.Nxd5 Rxd5 16.Re1 Bb4 17.Nc3 Rd6 18.a3 Ba5 19.b4 Bb6 20.Bc5 f6 21.Kh1 Rd7 1-0(41) Panarin 2475 - Nikolaidis 2520, Moscow RUS 2005;

8.d5 Nb4 9.Nd4 Bg6 10.Qe2 a6 11.Ne4 Qd7 12.Bg5 Nbx5 13.OOO OOO 14.Bxa6 e5 15.Nb3 Qc6 16.Bb5 Qb6 17.Bc4 h6 18.Nxf6 gxf6 19.Bh4 c6 20.Bf2 Qc7 21.Nc5 Qa5 == (45) Sambuev 2536 - Kholmov 2434, Moscow 2005;

7.Qe2 a6 8.Be3 Nc6 9.OOO Na5 10.Bd3 Bxd3 11.Qxd3 e6 12.Ne4 Qd5 13.Kb1 OOO 14.Ne2 Qb5 15.Nxf6 gxf6 16.b3 Qxd3 17.Rxd3 Nc6 18.c4 f5 19.Rhd1 Rg8 20.g3 Be7 21.Bf4 Rd7 == (28) Al-Modiahki 2569 - Danielian 2415, Dubai UAE 2005;

7.Be3 Nc6 8.Qd2 Qb4 9.Bb3 OOO 10.Nge2 e5 11.a3 Qa5 12.d5 Ne7 13.OOO Bg6 14.f4 exf4 15.Nxf4 Nf5 16.Nxg6 hxg6 17.Bg5 Bc5 18.Kb1 Rde8 19.Rde1 Bd4 20.Nd1 Qxd2 21.Bxd2 Ne4 0-1(43) Romanov 2446 - Nikolaidis 2520, Moscow 2005.

5...c6 6.Nge2 Bf5 7.Bf4 Qb4 8.Bb3 e6 9.OO Be7 10.Ng3 Bg6 11.Bc7 Bf8 12.f4 Na6 13.a3 Qe7 14.Be5 OOO 15.f5 exf5 16.Nxf5 Qd7 17.Qf3 Nc7 18.Bxf6 gxf6 19.Rad1 Ne6 20.d5 Ng5 21.Qf4 Qxf5 == (32) Vlassov 2471 - Vysochin 2520, Warsaw POL 2008;

6.h3 Be6 7.Bb3 Nbd7 8.Nf3 Bxb3 9.axb3 e6 10.OO Qc7 11.Qe2 Bd6 12.Ne4 Bf4 13.Nxf6+ Nxf6 14.Bxf4 Qxf4 15.b4 OO 16.Qe5 Qe4 17.Qxe4 Nxe4 18.Rfe1 Nd6 19.Ne5 Rfd8 20.c3 a6 21.f3 Rac8 == (36) Renet 2507 - Marcelin 2481, Besancon 2006.

[\*44\*] 6.Nge2 b5 7.Bb3 Bb7 8.Bf4 Qd8 9.OO e6 10.Ng3 Bd6 11.Bg5 Be7 12.Re1 OO 13.d5 c5 14.dxc6 Nxc6 15.Nce4 Nd4 16.c3 Nxb3 17.axb3 Nxe4 18.Bxe7 Qxe7 19.Nxe4 Rfd8 20.Qe2 Qh4 21.b4 Rd5 1-0(57) Parligras 2498 - Svetushkin 2501, Bucharest ROM 2002;

8...Qd7 9.d5 c5 10.dxc6 Qxc6 11.f3 Nbd7 12.Qd2 e5 13.Be3 Nc5 14.OOO Nxb3+ 15.axb3 Bb4 16.Bg5 OO 17.Kb1 a5 18.Qd3 Bxc3 19.Bxf6 Qxf6 20.Nxc3 b4 21.Ne4 Bxe4 0-1(32) Ardeleanu 2424 - Malaniuk 2539, Arad ROM 2006;

8.OO e6 9.Bf4 Qd8 10.Re1 Be7 11.Ng3 OO 12.Qd2 c5 13.dxc5 Qxd2 14.Bxd2 Nbd7 15.Nce4 Nxe4 16.Nxe4 Bxe4 17.Rxe4 Nxc5 18.Re2 Rfd8 == Pavlov 2451 - Hasangatin 2503, Alushta UKR 2004;

7.Bf4 Qd8 8.Bb3 Bb7 9.OO Nbd7 10.a4 b4 11.Na2 e6 12.Qd2 a5 13.c3 bxc3 14.Nexc3 Nb6 15.Rac1 Bd6 16.Nb5 Nbd5 17.Be5 OO 18.Rfe1 h6 19.Bc2 Qe7 20.Bb1 Rfd8 21.Qc2 Kf8 == (53) Zeller 2434 - Slobodjan 2539, Seebad Heringsdorf GER 2000;

6...Qc6 7.Qd3 Qxg2 8.Rg1 Qh3 9.Ng3 g6 10.Bf4 Nc6 11.d5 Na5 12.Bb5+ Kd8 13.Ba4 Bh6 14.Be5 b5 15.Bxb5 axb5 16.Nxb5 Bd7 17.Nxc7 Rc8 18.d6 exd6 19.Qxd6 Ne8 20.Nxe8 Rxe8 21.Qb6+ Ke7 1-0(33) Milos 2586 - Soppe 2448, Sao Bernardo 1999;

9.Qxh3 Bxh3 10.Nf4 Bf5 11.Nfd5 Kd8 12.Nxf6 exf6 13.Bf4 g5 14.Bg3 Nd7 15.OOO Bg6 16.h4 h6 17.f4 Nb6 18.Be2 Be7 19.Bf3 Rb8 20.Rde1 Re8 21.h5 Bf5 == (63) Rodriguez 2479 - Galego 2518, Sao Paulo BRA 2005;

7.Bb3 Qxg2 8.Rg1 Qh3 9.Bf4 Qd7 10.Qd3 Nc6 11.a3 e6 12.OOO Ne7 13.Be5 Ng6 14.Bxf6 gxf6 15.d5 e5 16.Ba4 b5 17.Nxb5 Bh6+ 18.Kb1 OO 19.Nbc3 Qh3 20.Qc4 Bg7 21.Qxc7 Bg4 1-0(35) McShane 2568 - Lalic 2547, Catalan Bay 2003;

8...Qxh2 9.Bf4 Qh5 10.Bxc7 Bg4 11.Qd2 Nbd7 12.OOO Rc8 13.Bg3 Qa5 14.Bf4 e6 15.d5 e5 16.f3 Bxf3 17.Qe3 Bc5 18.Qxf3 Bxg1 19.Rxg1 exf4 20.Rxg7 Kf8 21.Rg5 Rg8 0-1(33) Govbinder Mikhail Yudovich (I 2561 - Melts Michail (USA) 2437, ? 1998.

6.Nf3 b5 7.Bb3 c5 8.dxc5 Qxd1+ 9.Nxd1 e6 10.Be3 Nfd7 11.c3 Nxc5 12.Bc2 Bb7 13.b4 Ne4 14.a4 Nd7 15.axb5 axb5 16.Rxa8+ Bxa8 17.OO e5 18.Re1 Be7 19.Bf4 Nxf2 20.Nxf2 exf4 21.Bd3 Nb6 1-0(38) Baklan 2590 - Arencibia 2533, Yerevan ARM 2001;

7...Bb7 8.OO e6 9.Re1 Be7 10.Ng5 Bd5 11.Nxd5 Nxd5 12.Ne4 Qd8 13.Qg4 g6 14.Ng5 h5 15.Qf3 Bxg5 16.Bxd5 Bxc1 17.Bxa8 Bxb2 18.Rad1 b4 19.Bc6+ Kf8 20.Rxe6 Kg7 21.Re3 Qd6 1-0(36) Matikozian 2496 - Mitkov 2547, Santa Monica, CA USA 2005;

7.Bd3 Bb7 8.Qe2 Nbd7 9.a4 b4 10.Ne4 Nxe4 11.Bxe4 Bxe4 12.Qxe4 c6 13.OO e6 14.c4 bxc3 15.bxc3 Nf6 16.Qd3 Qc7 17.Ne5 Bd6 18.Re1 OO 19.Qh3 c5 20.Bg5 Nd5 21.c4 Ne7 == (33) Hall 2485 - Gausel 2540, Munkebo DEN 1998;

6...Bg4 7.h3 Bh5 8.g4 Bg6 9.Ne5 Nc6 10.Nxg6 hxg6 11.Be3 e5 12.d5 Na5 13.Qe2 Nxc4 14.Qxc4 b5 15.Qd3 Nxg4 16.OOO Nf6 17.f4 exf4 18.Ne4 Nxe4 19.Qxe4+ Be7 20.Bd4 f5 21.Qf3 OOO 0-1(43) Kamsky 2686 - Tiviakov 2669, Wijk aan Zee 2006;

8.Qe2 Nc6 9.Be3 Na5 10.g4 Qc6 11.Bd3 Bg6 12.Bxg6 hxg6 13.OOO Nd5 14.Nxd5 Qxd5 15.b3 e6 16.c4 Ba3+ 17.Kb1 Qe4+ 18.Ka1 f6 19.d5 exd5 20.Rd4 Qe7 21.cxd5 Bc5 0-1(40) Marciano 2480 - Prie 2480, Auxerre FRA 1996;

6...e6 7.Bg5 Nbd7 8.Qe2 b5 9.Bd3 Bb7 10.a4 b4 11.Ne4 Nxe4 12.Bxe4 Bxe4 13.Qxe4 Qd5 14.Qe2 Bd6 15.OO OO 16.Rfe1 Nb6 17.c3 bxc3 18.bxc3 Rfb8 19.a5 Nc4 20.Rec1 h6 21.Be3 Nxa5 0-1(27) Ginsburg 2506 - Feygin 2520, Germany 2007.

[\*45\*] 6...Nc6 7.Nge2 e5 8.dxe5 Qxd1+ 9.Nxd1 Nxe5 10.OO Bd6 11.h3 c5 12.Ne3 Be6 13.Bxe6 fxe6 14.b3 Kf7 == Saravanan 2393 - Sermek 2595, Calcutta 2002;



10.Ndc3 h6 11.Bf4 Bd6 12.OOO OO 13.f3 Re8 14.Kb1 == Fercec 2473 - Milanovic 2510, Nova Gorica 2008.

6...Bg4 7.Nge2 e6 8.Bf4 Qxf4 9.Nxf4 Bxd1 10.Rxd1 Bb4 11.Ne2 Nbd7 12.a3 Bd6 13.Ng3 Bxg3 14.hxg3 c6 15.f3 OOO 16.Kf2 h5 17.Ne2 g5 18.c3 Kc7 19.Bc2 Nb6 20.Nc1 h4 21.gxh4 gxh4 1-0(31) Tiviakov 2599 - Christiansen 2570, Moscow 2001.

6...b5 7.Nge2 Bb7 8.Bf4 Qd8 9.OO e6 10.d5 exd5 11.Re1 Be7 12.Nd4 OO 13.Nf5 Bc5 14.Qf3 Ne4 15.Nxe4 dxe4 16.Qc3 Qf6 17.Qxc5 Nd7 18.Qxc7 Qxf5 19.Qxb7 Qxf4 20.Qxd7 Rad8 21.Qh3 1-0 Vallejo Pons 2528 - Magem Badals 2529, Leon ESP 2000.

[\*46\*] 7.Nf3 b5 8.Bg5 Bb7 9.Qe2 b4 10.Na4 Ne4 11.Nc5 Nxc5 12.dxc5 Qxc5 13.Bxe6 Be7 14.Bb3 Nc6 15.OOO OO 16.Bxe7 Nxe7 17.Rd7 Ng6 18.Re1 Bc6 19.Rdd1 Rfe8 == Fercec 2494 - Sermek 2603, Medulin CRO 2002;

9...Nbd7 10.OOO c5 11.dxc5 Qxc5 12.Bxe6 fxe6 13.Qxe6+ Qe7 14.Qh3 OOO 15.Rhe1 Qc5 16.Ne5 Bc6 17.Nf7 Be7 18.Re5 Qb6 19.Rxe7 b4 20.Bxf6 gxf6 21.Ne4 f5 1-0(26) Lupulescu 2473 - Svetushkin 2501, Bucharest ROM 2002;

7...Be7 8.Bg5 Nbd7 9.Qe2 Nb6 10.OOO OO 11.Ne4 Qd8 12.Bxf6 Bxf6 13.c3 Bd7 14.Bc2 Bb5 15.Qe1 Nd5 16.Kb1 a5 17.h4 a4 18.a3 Bc6 19.Qd2 Bb5 20.g4 Be7 21.Neg5 h6 1-0(36) Kobalia 2590 - Kantsler 2507, Ohrid MKD 2001.

[\*47\*] 9.OO Bb7 10.Qe1 c5 11.dxc5 Bxc5 == Stevic 2470 - Dizdarevic 2527, Batumi GEO 1999.

9.Qd3 Bb7 10.OOO c5 11.d5 c4 12.Qe3 Qc8 13.dxe6 Bc5 14.Qg3 OO 15.Bh6 Nh5 16.exf7+ Rxf7 17.Qh4 Nf6 18.Qg5 cxb3 19.Bxg7 Rxg7 20.Qxf6 Be7 0-1 Solovjov 2457 - Kokarev 2495, St. Petersburg RUS 2004.

[\*48\*] 12.OO Bb7 13.Ng3 Na5 14.Rfe1 Be7 15.Nce4 Nxe4 16.Nxe4 Nxb3 17.axb3 Rc8 18.c3 OO 19.Bd6 Rfd8 20.Bxe7 Rxd1 21.Rxd1 Bxe4 == (31) Vallejo Pons 2630 - Kurajica 2566, Villarrobledo ESP 2001;

14...Bb4 15.Bd6 Bxd6 16.Rxd6 Rd8 17.Rxd8+ Kxd8 18.Nce4 Nxe4 == Golubovic 2426 - Sermek 2571, Rabac 2003.

[\*49\*] 5...Bg4 6.h3 Bxf3 7.Qxf3 c6 8.Be3 Nd5 9.Bc4 e6 10.OO Be7 11.Ne4 Qc7 12.Bb3 == Teran Alvarez 2404 - Epishin 2577, Sevilla ESP 2008;

== Solak 2596 - Savic 2519, Herceg Novi MNE 2008;

8...e6 9.OOO Nbd7 10.g4 Qc7 11.g5 Nd5 12.Nxd5 cxd5 13.h4 g6 14.h5 Bg7 15.Kb1 a6 16.c4 Nb6 17.Rc1 dxc4 18.h6 Bf8 19.d5 Nxd5 20.Bxc4 Qd7 21.Bxd5 Qxd5 1-0(24) Leko 2701 - Felber 2369, ICCF 1999;

8...Nbd7 9.OOO e6 10.Kb1 Qc7 11.g4 Bb4 12.g5 Nd5 13.Ne4 b5 14.h4 N7b6 15.Bc1 OOO 16.c3 Bd6 17.b3 Bf4 18.Bb2 Ne7 19.Rg1 h5 20.gxh6 Rxh6 21.h5 Rg8 1-0(54) Baklan 2618 - Loeffler 2448, Austria 2007;

6...Bh5 7.g4 Bg6 8.Ne5 c6 9.Bf4 Nd5 10.Qd2 Nxf4 11.Qxf4 Nd7 12.OOO Nxe5 13.dxe5 Qc7 14.Bd3 Bxd3 15.Rxd3 g6 16.Ne4 f6 17.g5 Bg7 18.gxf6 OO 19.Ng5 exf6 20.Ne6 Qf7 21.Nxf8 Rxf8 1-0(38) Psakhis 2575 - Sygulski 2400, ? 1987;

1-0(38) Psakhis 2575 - Sygulski 2410, Jurmala 1987;

8...Nbd7 9.Bf4 Nxe5 10.Bxe5 Qb6 11.Qf3 e6 12.Bxf6 gxf6 13.OOO OOO 14.Bd3 Be7 15.d5 Bb4 16.Qxf6 Bxc3 17.Qxc3 exd5 18.f4 Qe3+ 19.Qd2 Qxd2+ 20.Kxd2 Bxd3 21.Kxd3 Rde8 1-0(52) Macieja 2585 - Heberla 2487, Krakow 2006;

7.Bc4 Nbd7 8.Qe2 Bxf3 9.Qxf3 c6 10.Be3 e6 11.Bb3 Qc7 12.g4 Bb4 13.a3 Bxc3+ 14.bxc3 OO 15.Bf4 e5 16.Bg3 Qa5 17.OO e4 18.Qe3 Nd5 19.Qxe4 N7f6 20.Qf5 Qxc3 21.Rad1 g6 1-0(73) Novikov 2513 - Heberla 2551, Pardubice CZE 2006;

6.Be2 c6 7.OO Nbd7 8.h3 Bxf3 9.Bxf3 OOO 10.Be3 e5 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.Be2 Qb8 13.Qe1 h5 14.Na4 Be7 15.Qa5 Nfg4 16.Bxg4+ Nxg4 17.hxg4 hxg4 18.g3 Rd5 19.Qxa7 Qxa7 20.Bxa7 Rdh5 21.f4 Rh1+ 0-1(32) McRae 2560 - Schiller 2560, ? 1990;

7...e6 8.h3 Bxf3 9.Bxf3 Nbd7 10.Re1 Be7 11.Ne4 Nxe4 12.Bxe4 Nf6 13.Bf3 OO 14.c3 Qc7 15.Bg5 h6 16.Bh4 Rfd8 17.Qb3 Nd5 18.Bg3 Bd6 19.Bxd6 Rxd6 20.Rad1 Rad8 21.g3 Nf6 == Pikula 2513 - Savic 2533, Vrsac 2007.

[\*50\*] 6.g3 Bg7 7.Bg2 Qa6 8.Bf4 c6 9.Ne5 OO 10.Qe2 Qxe2+ 11.Nxe2 Nd5 12.Bd2 Nd7 13.f4 Nxe5 14.dxe5 f6 15.exf6 exf6 16.Bxd5+ cxd5 17.Kf2 Re8 18.c3 Re4 19.Rhe1 Bd7 20.Be3 a5 21.Nd4 b5 == (29) Balogh 2624 - Czebe 2480, Nyiregyhaza 2008;

9.Qd2 OO 10.Ne5 Be6 11.a3 Rd8 12.OOO Nh5 13.Ne4 Bd5 14.Nc5 Qb6 15.Bxd5 cxd5 16.Rhe1 Nxf4 17.gxf4 Na6 18.Nxa6 Qxa6 19.f5 Rac8 20.Kb1 Rd6 21.fxc6 fxc6 1-0 (54) Guseinov 2552 - Kurajica 2541, Calvia ESP 2004;

9.a4 OO 10.a5 Be6 11.Ne5 Rd8 12.Bf1 b5 13.axb6 Qxb6 14.Na4 Qb7 15.Nc5 Qxb2 16.Nxe6 fxe6 17.Bh3 Qc3+ 18.Kf1 Rxd4 19.Bxe6+ Kf8 20.Qb1 Nbd7 21.Qb7 Re8 == (70) Horvath 2495 - Czebe 2497, Hungary 2006.

6.Ne5 Bg7 7.Be2 OO 8.Bf4 Nd5 9.Nxd5 Qxd5 10.OO Nc6 11.Nxc6 Qxc6 12.c3 Be6 13.Bf3 Qb6 14.d5 Rfd8 15.Qb3 == Ragger 2528 - Almasi 2691, Heraklion GRE 2007.

6.Be3 a6 7.Qd2 b5 8.OOO Nbd7 9.d5 Bb7 10.Bxb5 Bg7 11.Rhe1 OO 12.Ba4 Nc5 13.Bxc5 Qxc5 14.Qe3 Qxe3+ 15.fxe3 Ng4 16.Re2 Bh6 17.Rd3 Rfd8 18.Kb1 Bg7 19.e4 Ne5 20.Nxe5 Bxe5 21.g3 Rac8 == Fernandez Romero 2447 - Epishin 2581, El Sauzal ESP 2008.

[\*51\*] 6...Qd8 7.Bc4 Bg7 8.Bf4 Na6 9.OO OO 10.Re1 c6 11.Nc3 Nb4 12.Qd2 Bg4 13.Ne5 Bf5 14.Bb3 Nbd5 15.Rad1 Nxf4 16.Qxf4 Rc8 17.g4 Be6 18.Bxe6 fxe6 19.Qg3 Qa5 20.Nd3 Nd5 21.Nxd5 Qxd5 1-0 (29) Sokolov 2552 - Czebe 2461, Basel SUI 2009;

7.c4 c6 8.Nc3 Bg7 9.h3 OO 10.Be3 Nbd7 11.Be2 Qc7 12.OO e5 13.Qb3 exd4 14.Bxd4 Nh5 15.Rfe1 Nf4 16.Bf1 Bxd4 17.Nxd4 Nc5 18.Qa3 b6 19.b4 Nce6 20.Nf3 c5 21.Nd5 Nxd5 1-0 (41) Brandenburg 2433 - Czebe 2519, Haarlem 2007.

[\*52\*] 7.Bf4 Na6 8.a4 Bg7 9.a5 Qc6 10.Be2 Bg4 11.Nc3 OO 12.OO Nd5 13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.h3 Bf5 15.c3 c5 16.dxc5 Qxd1 17.Rfxd1 Nxc5 18.Be3 b6 19.Ra3 Rac8 20.Nd4 Bxd4 21.Rxd4 bxa5 1-0 (75) Adams 2735 - Epishin 2561, Gibraltar 2007.

[\*53\*] 8...Bg7 9.c5 Qd8 10.Bc4 b5 11.cxb6 axb6 12.Ne5 OO 13.OO Ba6 14.Bxa6 Rxa6 15.Qe2 Ra7 16.Rd1 Nd5 17.Be3 e6 18.Rac1 Qd6 19.Nc4 Qd8 20.Ne5 Qd6 21.Nc4 Qd8 == (22) Pogonina 2462 - Kurajica 2554, Solin CRO 2007.

[\*54\*] 9.Be2 Bg7 10.OO OO 11.a3 Rd8 12.Be3 Nbd7 13.b4 Qc7 14.h3 Bxf3 15.Bxf3 Ne8 16.Qb3 Nd6 17.Rad1 Nf5 18.Ne2 == Parligras 2494 - Epishin 2554, Sevilla ESP 2007.

[\*55\*] 12.Bf4 Qd8 13.OOO OO 14.g4 b5 15.Bxb5 Nxc4 16.Bc4 Qc8 17.Rhe1 Qf5 18.Rxe7 g5 19.Be2 Qxf4+ 20.Qxf4 gxf4 21.Bxc4 Na6 1-0 (26) Shirov 2713 - Kurajica 2528, Sarajevo 2004;

1-0 Shirov 2710 - Kurajica B 2540, ? 2004.

[\*56\*] 6.Be3 Bf5 7.Ne5 Nbd7 8.Nc4 Qc7 9.Qd2 Nb6 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.OOO e6 12.f3 Nxc4 13.Bxc4 Qa5 14.Qe2 OOO 15.Qe5 Qxe5 16.Bxe5 Nd5 == Kogan 2569 - Vysochin 2524, Kemer 2007;

12...Be7 13.g4 Bg6 14.Kb1 Nfd5 15.Ne4 Nxc4 16.Bxc4 h5 17.h3 Qd7 18.Be5 f6 19.Bg3 Bf7 20.Bb3 b5 21.c4 bxc4 0-1 (55) Vega Gutierrez 2278 - Tiviakov 2686, Benidorm ESP 2008;

7.Bd3 Bxd3 8.Qxd3 Nbd7 9.OOO e6 10.Kb1 Be7 11.Bg5 OOO 12.Bh4 Qb4 13.Rhe1 h6 14.Bg3 Rhf8 15.a3 Qa5 16.Nd2 Nd5 17.Nce4 N7b6 18.c4 Qa6 19.Qc2 Nf6 20.Nc5 Bxc5 21.dxc5 Nbd7 == (36) Palac 2583 - Ushenina 2496, Murska Sobota SLO 2008;

7.Qd2 e6 8.Ne5 Qd8 9.a3 Nbd7 10.Nxd7 Qxd7 11.Be2 Be7 12.OO OO 13.Bf3 Rfd8 14.Rfd1 Qc7 15.Qe2 Rd7 16.Rd2 Rad8 17.Rad1 h6 == Baramidze 2554 - Muse 2447, Germany 2006;

6...Bg4 7.h3 Bxf3 8.Qxf3 Nbd7 9.OOO e6 10.Kb1 Qc7 11.g4 Nd5 12.Bc1 Nxc3+ 13.Qxc3 Bd6 14.Qf3 Nf6 15.g5 Ng8 16.c4 Qd7 17.d5 cxd5 18.cxd5 e5 19.h4 Ne7 20.Bh3 Qa4 21.h5 OO 1-0 (25) Fressinet 2676 - Feygin 2569, Emsdetten GER 2008;

8...e6 9.OOO Nbd7 10.Bf4 Qb4 11.Nb5 cxb5 12.Qxb7 Rd8 13.Bc7 Qa4 14.Bxb5 Qxa2 15.Bxd8 Kxd8 16.Qa8+ Kc7 17.Qc6+ Kb8 18.Ba6 Qa1+ 19.Kd2 Qa5+ 20.Ke2 Qc7 21.Qb5+ Ka8 0-1(43) Shomoev 2528 - Zablotsky 2475, Saratov 2006;

7...Bh5 8.Be2 e6 9.Ne5 Bxe2 10.Qxe2 Nbd7 11.f4 Qc7 12.OOO Bb4 13.Bd2 OO 14.Kb1 Bxc3 15.Bxc3 Nd5 16.Bd2 b5 17.h4 f5 18.c4 bxc4 19.Qxc4 Nxe5 20.dxe5 c5 21.Rc1 Rac8 1-0(45) Zelcic 2556 - Kovacevic 2471, Zadar 2006;

6...g6 7.Qd2 Bg7 8.Bc4 OO 9.OO b5 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.Bb3 Bb7 12.Rfe1 Nbd7 13.Rad1 a6 14.a4 b4 15.Ne2 c5 16.dxc5 Qa5 17.c6 Bxc6 18.Ned4 Bxf3 19.Nxf3 Nc5 20.Ne5 Nxb3 21.cxb3 Rad8 1-0(45) Brodda 2507 - Solzbacher 2491, ICCF 2007.

6.Bd3 Bg4 7.Be3 Nbd7 8.h3 Bh5 9.Qe2 e6 10.OOO Qc7 11.g4 Bg6 12.Bxg6 hxd5 13.d5 Nxd5 14.Nxd5 cxd5 15.Rxd5 Be7 16.Rd3 a6 17.Kb1 Rd8 18.Bd4 Nf6 19.g5 Nh5 20.Be5 Qc8 21.Rc3 Qa8 ==-(42) Vysochin 2531 - Varga 2508, Predeal 2006;

9.g4 Bg6 10.Qd2 Bxd3 11.Qxd3 e6 12.OOO Be7 13.Kb1 Rd8 14.g5 Nh5 15.Qe2 Nf4 16.Bxf4 Qxf4 17.h4 OO 18.Rdg1 Rfe8 19.h5 e5 20.dxe5 Bf8 21.Rh4 Qf5 1-0(52) Corrales Jimenez 2509 - Cabrera 2491, La Roda ESP 2008;

8.Qe2 e6 9.OOO Qc7 10.h3 Bh5 11.g4 Bg6 12.Bxg6 hxd5 13.d5 Nxd5 14.Nxd5 cxd5 15.Rxd5 Be7 16.Rd3 Rd8 17.Kb1 a6 18.Bd4 Nf6 19.g5 Nh5 20.Be5 Qc6 21.Rc3 Qd5 ==-(23) Boros 2460 - Tiviakov 2643, Kemer 2007;

9...Be7 10.Kb1 OOO 11.h3 Bh5 12.g4 Bg6 13.Bxg6 hxd5 14.Ng5 Rhf8 15.Bc1 Nb6 16.a3 Nbd5 17.Nce4 Nxe4 18.Nxe4 Qc7 19.c4 Nf6 20.Nc3 a6 21.g5 Nh5 1-0(39) Mamedov 2564 - Vysochin 2531, St Petersburg 2006.

6.Be2 Bf5 7.OO e6 8.Bg5 Nbd7 9.a3 Qc7 10.Bh4 Bd6 == Brkic 2567 - Sedlak 2575, Vogosca BIH 2007;

7.Ne5 Nbd7 8.f4 e6 9.OO h5 10.Be3 Nb6 11.Bf2 Qc7 12.a4 a5 13.Bf3 Be7 14.Ne2 Be4 15.Ng3 Bxf3 16.Qxf3 g6 17.Rae1 Kf8 18.Qb3 Nbd5 19.c4 Nb4 20.Ne4 Nxe4 21.Rxe4 Kg7 1-0(44) Amin 2561 - Sengupta 2454, Gaziantep 2008.

6.Bc4 Be6 7.Bxe6 Qxe6+ 8.Ne5 Nbd7 9.Qe2 g6 10.OO Bg7 11.Re1 OO 12.Bg5 Nxe5 13.Qxe5 Qxe5 14.dxe5 Ng4 15.Bf4 f6 16.f3 Nxe5 17.Rad1 Rfd8 18.Bxe5 fxe5 19.Rxd8+ Rxd8 20.Ne4 Bh6 21.Kf2 Kf7 ==-(52) Charbonneau 2503 - Kamsky 2718, Montreal CAN 2007;

6...Bf5 7.Ne5 e6 8.g4 Bg6 9.h4 Nbd7 10.Nxd7 Qxd7 11.h5 Be4 12.Nxe4 Nxe4 13.Be3 b5 14.Bb3 h6 15.Qf3 Nf6 16.a4 b4 17.a5 Be7 18.Rg1 Nd5 19.Bd2 Bg5 20.Bxd5 Bxd2+ 21.Kxd2 Qxd5 ==-(62) Balogh 2527 - Dizdarevic 2538, Izmir 2004.

6.Bg5 Bg4 7.Be2 Nbd7 8.Qd2 e6 9.OOO h6 10.Bf4 Qb4 11.h3 Bxf3 12.Bxf3 Bd6 13.a3 Bxf4 14.Qxf4 Qa5 15.h4 OOO 16.Rhe1 Qc7 17.Ne2 Qxf4+ 18.Nxf4 g5 19.Nd3 Rdg8 20.c4 Re8 21.Re3 Rhg8 0-1(45) Strikovic 2551 - Drazic 2493, El Sauzal 2007.

[\*57\*] 6...Nbd7 7.Bg5 Nb6 8.Bd3 g6 9.Qd2 Bg7 10.OO OO 11.Bf4 Qd8 12.Bh6 Be6 13.Rfe1 Bd5 14.Ne5 Rc8 15.Rad1 e6 16.Bxg7 Kxg7 17.Qe3 Qe7 18.Ne2 c5 19.c4 cxd4 20.Qxd4 Bc6 21.b3 Rfd8 ==-(33) Jaracz 2495 - Tiviakov 2648, Bratto ITA 2007;

7.Bd3 g6 8.OO Bg7 9.Bg5 OO 10.Qd2 e5 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.Nxe5 Qxe5 13.Rfe1 Qd4 14.Be3 Qd6 15.Bh6 Be6 16.Bxg7 Kxg7 17.Ne2 Bf5 18.Qc3 Bxd3 19.Rad1 Rfe8 20.Rxd3 Qc7 21.Rdd1 Rad8 ==-(25) Zelcic 2509 - Kotronias 2607, Cutro (KR) 2004;

7.Be2 e6 8.OO Be7 9.Bg5 b5 10.Bh4 Qc7 11.Bg3 Bd6 12.Bxd6 Qxd6 13.Ng5 Qf4 14.Nf3 OO 15.Qd2 Qc7 16.Ng5 a5 17.Nge4 Nd5 18.Nxd5 cxd5 19.Ng3 Ba6 20.a3 Rfc8 21.Bd3 Nf6 0-1(34) SMITH 2427 - EPISHIN 2574, CEZ arena, Pardubice (CZE) 2008.

6...g6 7.Ne5 Be6 8.Bf4 Qd8 9.Qd2 Bg7 10.OOO OO 11.Bh6 Nbd7 12.Bxg7 Kxg7 13.f4 Qa5 14.Nxd7 Nxd7 15.a3 Nf6 16.g4 Nd5 17.f5 gxf5 18.Qg5+ Kh8 19.Nxd5 Qxd5 20.Bd3 f6 21.Qe3 Rae8 1-0(54) Bartel 2569 - Muse 2443, Deutschland 2007.

[\*58\*] 7.g3 h6 8.Bg2 e6 9.OO Be7 10.a3 OO 11.Qe2 Qc7 12.Nd1 Nbd7 13.c4 Rfe8 14.Nc3 a6 15.Re1 Rad8 16.b4 a5 17.Bf4 Bd6 18.Ne5 axb4 19.axb4 Qb8 20.Red1 == Azarov 2605 - Sergeev 2508, Eforie Nord ROM 2008.

7.Bc4 Nbd7 8.OO e6 9.Re1 Be7 10.Nh4 Bg6 11.Nxg6 hxd5 12.Ne2 Qc7 13.Nf4 g5 14.Nxe6 fxe6 15.Bxe6 OOO 16.Bxg5 Kb8 17.c4 Nf8 18.Bf5 N8h7 19.Bxh7 Rxh7 20.Re6 Ng8 21.Qd3 Rh8 1-0(63) Hamdouchi 2576 - Caspi 2377, Calvia 2007.

[\*59\*] 9.OO e6 10.a4 Qc7 == Radulski 2521 - Fontaine 2507, Vrnjacka Banja SCG 2005.

[\*60\*] 9...g6 10.OOO Bg7 11.Rhe1 OO 12.Kb1 Rfe8 13.Ne4 Qc7 14.Qd2 Rad8 15.Nxf6+ Nxf6 16.Bh6 Bh8 17.Bf4 Qb6 18.Be5 Rd7 19.c4 Qa6 20.Qc2 Red8 21.Rc1 Bg7 0-1(46) Hendriks 2420 - Tiviakov 2648, Trieste 2007.

[\*61\*] 12.Bh4 Qc7 13.Qe2 Rde8 14.Bg3 Bd6 15.Ne5 Rhf8 16.Rd3 Kb8 17.Rhd1 Nb6 18.a3 Ka8 19.h4 g6 20.Bh2 Nbd5 == Inarkiev 2656 - Tiviakov 2684, Moscu RUS 2009.

[\*62\*] 6...Bf5 7.Bg2 e6 8.OO Be7 9.h3 h6 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.Qe2 OO 12.Ne5 Nbd7 13.Rad1 Nd5 14.Bc1 Nxc3 15.bxc3 Nxe5 16.dxe5 Qc7 17.g4 Bh7 18.f4 Rad8 19.Rde1 Bh4 20.Rd1 Rxd1 21.Rxd1 Rd8 0-1(33) Kasparov 2546 - Ovetchkin 2534, playchess.com INT 2007;

9.Nh4 Bg4 10.Ne4 Bxd1 11.Nxd6+ Bxd6 12.Rxd1 == Starostits 2497 - Vajda 2458, Ourense 2007;

8...Qc7 9.Bf4 Bd6 10.Bxd6 Qxd6 11.Re1 OO 12.h3 Nbd7 13.Nh4 Bg6 14.Nxg6 hxg6 15.a3 Rfd8 16.Qd3 Nb6 17.Rad1 Nbd5 18.Ne2 b5 19.c4 bxc4 20.Qxc4 a5 21.Rc1 Rdb8 1-0(38) Lariño Nieto 2439 - Epishin 2577, Gojar, Granada ESP 2008;

8...Nbd7 9.Nh4 Bg4 10.f3 Bh5 11.g4 Bg6 12.f4 OOO 13.f5 exf5 14.Nxf5 Qe6 15.Qf3 Bxf5 16.Qxf5 Qxf5 17.Rxf5 h6 18.g5 hxg5 19.Bxg5 Re8 20.a3 Bd6 21.h3 Rh5 == (25) Hernandez Guerrero 2554 - Stopa 2430, Chicago 2008.

[\*63\*] 7...Nbd7 8.OO e6 9.Bf4 Qb4 10.a3 Qa5 11.h3 Bxf3 12.Qxf3 Qd8 13.b4 a6 14.Na4 Nd5 15.Bd2 b5 16.Nb2 Be7 17.c4 bxc4 18.Nxc4 OO 19.Rac1 Rc8 20.Rc2 Bf6 21.Qd3 Qc7 1-0(43) Maciejka 2606 - Vysochin 2524, Warsaw 2007.

[\*64\*] 8.h3 Bh5 9.Bf4 == Mas 2386 - Varga 2749, Budapest 2008;

9.OO Nbd7 10.a3 Qc7 11.Re1 Be7 12.Ne2 Bxf3 13.Bxf3 e5 14.c3 OO 15.Bg2 Rad8 16.Qc2 c5 17.dxe5 Nxe5 18.Bf4 Nfd7 19.c4 f6 20.Nc3 Nb6 21.b3 Rd7 == (26) Baklan 2631 - Varga 2479, Eforie Nord ROM 2008;

9.a3 Be7 10.OO OO 11.g4 Bg6 12.Ne5 Rd8 13.Be3 Nd5 14.Nxd5 cxd5 15.c4 Nc6 16.c5 Qc7 17.Bf4 Nxe5 18.Bxe5 Qc6 19.b4 a5 20.Qe2 axb4 21.axb4 Be4 1-0(45) Sermek 2523 - Sedlak 2564, Turin ITA 2006;

8...Bxf3 9.Bxf3 Qc7 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.OO Be7 12.Na4 OO 13.Nc5 Qb6 14.a4 Rd8 15.a5 Qxb2 16.Rb1 Qxd4 17.Nxb7 Qxd1 18.Rfxd1 Rxd1+ 19.Rxd1 Na6 20.Bxc6 Rc8 21.Bg2 Nb4 == (34) SJUGIROV 2545 - CASPI 2412, Gaziantep 2008.

8.Bf4 Qd8 9.Qd2 Bxf3 10.Bxf3 Bd6 11.OOO Bxf4 12.Qxf4 Na6 13.Ne4 Nxe4 14.Bxe4 Nb4 15.Kb1 Nd5 16.Qd2 Nf6 17.Bf3 Qc7 18.Rhe1 OOO 19.h4 Rd6 20.Qg5 Rg8 21.c3 h6 == (58) Spoelman 2448 - Tiviakov 2645, Liverpool ENG 2008.

[\*65\*] 8...Nbd7 9.Bf4 Qb4 10.Rb1 Qa5 11.h3 Bxf3 12.Qxf3 Be7 13.a3 OO 14.b4 Qf5 15.Qe2 Nd5 16.Nxd5 cxd5 17.c4 dxc4 18.Bxb7 Rad8 19.Bc7 Rde8 20.Qxc4 Qxh3 21.Rfc1 Nf6 1-0(41) Azarov 2571 - Zablotsky 2500, Voronezh 2007;

10...Be7 11.h3 Bxf3 12.Bxf3 OO 13.Ne2 Qa5 14.Nc1 Rfe8 15.a3 e5 16.b4 Qc7 17.dxe5 Nxe5 18.Nd3 Bd6 19.Nxe5 Bxe5 20.Bxe5 Rxe5 == Lanin 2465 - Lysyj 2576, Saint Petersburg 2007;

10.a3 Qb6 11.Re1 Be7 12.h3 Bh5 13.g4 Bg6 14.Nh4 Nd5 15.Nxd5 cxd5 16.Nxg6 hxg6 17.Re3 g5 18.Bg3 Nf6 19.c4 dxc4 20.Qa4+ Kf8 21.Qxc4 Qxb2 1-0(41) Nickel 2618 - Kund 2521, ICCF 2007;

9.a3 Qc7 10.Bf4 Bd6 11.Ne2 OO 12.c4 Bxf4 13.Nxf4 e5 14.dxe5 Nxe5 15.Qb3 Bxf3 16.Bxf3 Qb6 17.Qc3 Qd4 18.Rac1 Rad8 19.h4 Ne4 20.Bxe4 Qxe4 21.f3 Qf5 0-1(67) Managadze 2444 - Nikolaidis 2538, Kalamaria Thessaloniki 2006.

8...Qc7 9.h3 Bxf3 10.Qxf3 Nbd7 11.Re1 Be7 12.Bf4 Qb6 13.Qd3 OO 14.a3 Rfd8 15.b4 Nf8 16.Be3 Nd5 17.Nxd5 cxd5 18.c4 dxc4 19.Qxc4 Rac8 20.Qe2 Qc7 21.Rac1 Qb8 1-0(55) Kovacevic 2555 - Milanovic 2493, Vogosca BIH 2007.

[\*66\*] 9.h3 Bxf3 10.Bxf3 OO 11.Bf4 Qd8 12.Qd3 Nbd7 13.Ne2 Re8 14.Rfd1 Bf8 15.Bg2 Qc8 16.c4 e5 17.Be3 exd4 18.Nxd4 Nc5 19.Qc2 a5 20.Re1 Qc7 21.Nf5 Ne6 == (37) Socko 2631 - Tiviakov 2686, Eppingen GER 2008.

9.Re1 OO 10.Ne4 Nxe4 11.Rxe4 Bf5 12.Re1 Nd7 13.c3 Qc7 14.Bf4 Bd6 15.Bxd6 Qxd6 16.Nh4 Bg6 17.Nxg6 hxg6 18.Qb3 Rab8 19.Rad1 Rfe8 20.Qa4 Qc7 21.c4 Nb6 0-1 (57) Godena 2528 - Tiviakov 2668, Saint Vincent ITA 2006.

9.b3 OO 10.Bb2 Na6 11.Qe2 Rad8 12.Rad1 Qc7 13.h3 Bxf3 14.Bxf3 Rd7 15.Ne4 Nxe4 16.Bxe4 Bf6 17.c3 Rfd8 18.Bd3 Nb8 19.Bc2 Re7 20.Rd3 Nd7 21.Rfd1 Ree8 0-1 (53) Rothuis 2413 - Tiviakov 2667, Netherlands 2007.

[\*67\*] 10...Bxf3 11.Bxf3 OO 12.Be5 Nbd7 13.Qe2 Qb6 14.b3 Nxe5 15.dxe5 Nd7 16.Bg2 Qa5 17.Ne4 Nxe5 18.f4 Nd7 19.Kh2 Rfe8 20.Rad1 Rad8 21.a4 Qc7 0-1 (51) Fernandez Romero 2447 - Tiviakov 2686, El Sauzal ESP 2008.

[\*68\*] 12.Ne5 Nfd7 13.Nxg6 hxg6 14.Ne4 Nf6 15.Nc5 b6 16.Bxb8 Rxb8 17.Bxc6+ Kf8 18.Na6 Rc8 19.Bg2 Nd5 20.c3 Nf4 21.Qf3 Bd6 0-1 (75) Macieja 2600 - Tiviakov 2686, Wolvega NED 2008.

[\*69\*] 6...Be6 7.Nc4 Qd8 8.Be2 g6 9.OO Bg7 10.Bg5 Nbd7 11.a4 OO 12.Qd2 Nb6 13.Nxb6 axb6 14.Bf3 Qd6 15.Rad1 Rfd8 16.b3 Qb4 17.Ne4 Qxd2 18.Rxd2 Nxe4 19.Bxe4 Rxd4 20.Rxd4 Bxd4 21.Bxe7 Re8 0-1 (27) Gavrilakis 2415 - Papaioannou 2585, Aghia Pelagia, Creta 2004;

7.Bf4 Qd8 8.Be2 Nbd7 9.OO g6 10.Nxd7 Qxd7 11.Be5 Bg7 12.Ne4 Bd5 13.Nc5 Qc8 14.c4 Be6 15.Qb3 b6 16.Nxe6 Qxe6 17.Bf3 Rc8 18.Rfe1 OO 19.c5 bxc5 20.Qxe6 fxe6 21.dxc5 Rfd8 1-0 (59) Nataf 2552 - Pytel 2408, Aubervilliers FRA 2001.

[\*70\*] 7.f4 Nb6 8.g4 g6 9.g5 Nfd5 10.Ne4 Qd8 11.c4 Nc7 12.Qe2 Bg7 13.c5 Ne6 14.cxb6 Nxd4 15.Qf2 Bxe5 16.fxe5 Qd5 17.Bg2 Qc4 18.b3 Qd3 19.Qd2 Nc2+ 20.Kf2 Qxd2+ 21.Bxd2 Nxa1 == (39) Shirov 2699 - Nisipeanu 2693, Foros 2007;

9...Nfd7 10.Ne4 Qc7 11.Bg2 Bg7 12.OO OO 13.Be3 f6 14.Nd3 Nd5 15.Qe2 Nxe3 16.Qxe3 Nb6 17.c3 Nd7 18.Rae1 b6 19.f5 Ba6 20.Bh3 Bc4 21.fxg6 hxg6 1-0 (27) Vitiugov 2638 - Lysyj 2598, Serpuhov RUS 2008;

8...Be6 9.Bg2 g6 10.OO Bg7 11.f5 gxf5 12.gxf5 Bc4 13.Nxc4 Nxc4 14.Qd3 Ng4 15.Rf4 Nxb2 16.Qg3 Bxd4+ 17.Kh1 Nf2+ 18.Rxf2 Qxg3 19.hxg3 Bxc3 20.Rb1 Nc4 21.Rxb7 Na5 1-0 (40) Shirov 2726 - Tiviakov 2686, Benidorm ESP 2008;

8...Nbd5 9.g5 Nxc3 10.bxc3 Qd5 11.Rg1 Nd7 12.Ng4 g6 13.c4 Qa5+ 14.Bd2 Qc7 15.c3 Bg7 16.Qe2 Nb6 17.c5 Bxg4 18.Qxg4 Nd5 19.Bg2 e6 20.h4 h5 21.Qf3 OO 0-1 (40) Kudrin 2553 - Stopa 2461, Richardson USA 2008;

8.Be2 h5 9.OO Bf5 10.a4 a5 11.b3 g6 12.Ba3 Qc7 13.Qd2 == Papp 2489 - Varga 2506, 20 2110Bruck, 3011 212Baden, 26 2007.

[\*71\*] 7...Nxe5 8.Bxe5 Qb4 9.a3 Qa5 10.Bd3 Bg4 11.Qd2 Nd7 12.Qf4 Nxe5 13.dxe5 Be6 14.OO g6 15.Bc4 Bxc4 16.Qxc4 Bh6+ 17.Kb1 Qxe5 18.Rhe1 Qa5 19.Qh4 Bg5 20.Qd4 OO 21.Re5 Qa6 1-0 (32) Oleksienko 2567 - Drazic 2480, Kavala 2007.

[\*72\*] 8.Nxd7 Qxd7 9.Be5 Nxc3 10.bxc3 Qd5 11.f3 Bf5 12.Bd3 Bxd3 13.Qxd3 f6 14.Bg3 Rd8 15.OO Kf7 16.f4 g6 17.f5 c5 18.Rad1 Bh6 19.Qe2 cxd4 20.Rxd4 Qc5 21.Qe6+ Kg7 == (65) Sedlak 2543 - Benkovic 2463, Subotica SCG 2003.

[\*73\*] 8...Nxe5 9.Ne3 Nd3+ 10.Qxd3 Qxf4 11.d5 cxd5 12.Qxd5 e6 13.Bb5+ Ke7 14.Qd2 Qd6 15.Qe2 Kf6 16.Qf3+ Ke7 17.Qe2 Kf6 18.Qf3+ Ke7 19.OO Qc5 20.Ba4 g6 21.Rfe1 Bg7 1-0 (31) Gashimov 2664 - Tiviakov 2643, Reggio Emilia ITA 2008.

[\*74\*] 9.Qd3 Nxe5 10.dxe5 Qa5+ 11.c3 g6 12.Qe3 Be6 13.Be2 Bg7 14.a4 OO 15.b4 Qd5 16.OO Rfd8 17.a5 g5 18.Bg3 Qd2 19.Rfd1 Qxe3 20.fxe3 Rxd1+ 21.Rxd1 a6 == (37) Howell 2519 - Tiviakov 2648, Ottawa 2007;

11...Be6 12.Be2 g6 13.OO Bg7 14.b4 Qc7 15.Qe3 OO 16.Bg3 Rfd8 17.f4 Qb6 18.Bf2 Qxe3 19.Bxe3 f6 20.exf6 Bxf6 21.Rfc1 Bd5 1-0(46) Kryvorychko 2612 - Ivanov 2475, Alushta 2008;

9...g5 10.Bg3 Nxe5 11.dxe5 == Inarkiev 2625 - Dreev 2666, Ermioni GRE 2006.

9.f3 Nxe5 10.Bxe5 Bf5 11.c3 f6 12.Bg3 h5 13.Qb3 Qxb3 14.axb3 h4 15.Bf2 a6 16.Bc4 e6 17.Kd2 Bd6 18.g4 hxg3 19.hxg3 Kd7 20.Bd3 Bxd3 21.Kxd3 f5 == (33) Ponkratov 2469 - Lysyj 2576, Saint Petersburg 2007;

10.dxe5 == Landenbergue 2435 - Malaniuk 2539, Arad ROM 2006.

9.Qf3 Qxf3 10.Nxf3 Nb6 11.Ne5 == Zaitsev 2453 - Feygin 2520, Germany 2007;

9...Nxe5 10.Qxd5 cxd5 11.dxe5 Bd7 12.OOO e6 13.Be3 Be7 14.f4 a6 15.Kb1 Bb5 16.Bxb5+ axb5 17.Rd3 Ra4 18.Rb3 Re4 19.Re1 g5 20.fxg5 Rg8 21.h4 Bb4 1-0(37) Velimirovic 2452 - Sedlak 2519, Zlatibor 2006.

9.Be2 Nxe5 10.Bxe5 Qxg2 11.Bf3 Qg6 12.d5 Bg4 13.dxc6 bxc6 14.Qe2 Bxf3 15.Qxf3 Rd8 16.Rd1 Qe6 17.OO Rxd1 18.Rxd1 h5 19.Qd3 Qc8 20.h4 Rh6 21.Kh2 Rg6 == (50) Anand 2792 - Tiviakov 2669, Wijk aan Zee 2006;

12.Qe2 h5 13.h3 f6 14.Bh2 Qg5 15.d5 cxd5 16.Rg1 Qf5 17.OOO Be6 18.Qb5+ Kf7 19.Bxd5 Rc8 20.Bxe6+ Qxe6 21.Qxb7 Qxh3 == (26) Almasi 2664 - Varga 2508, Hungary 2007.

[\*75\*] 9...Nb6 10.Be2 Bf5 11.OO Qe4 12.Bc7 Qxc2 13.Bxb6 Qxd1 14.Rfxd1 axb6 15.d5 g6 16.dxc6 bxc6 17.Rac1 Bg7 18.Rxc6 OO 19.Rxb6 Rxa2 20.Nd4 Be4 21.Bc4 Ra4 0-1(33) Parligras 2588 - Tiviakov 2645, GER 2008;

11.c3 e6 12.OO Be7 13.Re1 OO 14.Ne5 Rac8 15.a4 Qd8 16.a5 Nd5 17.Bg3 Bg5 18.Qb3 Qe7 19.Bf3 Rfd8 20.Rad1 h6 21.Nd3 Bxd3 0-1(80) Vila Gazquez 2422 - Tiviakov 2686, Benidorm ESP 2008.

[\*76\*] 10...Bf5 11.Be3 e6 12.OO Be7 13.Ne5 OO 14.c3 c5 15.Bc4 Qd6 16.Qf3 cxd4 17.Bxd4 Qc7 18.Rfel Bd6 19.Bf1 Nd7 20.Nxd7 Qxd7 21.g3 b6 == (63) David 2557 - Dutreeuw 2407, BEL 2008.

[\*77\*] 12.h3 Bxf3 13.Bxf3 Qd7 14.c4 Bd6 15.Bg5 Be7 16.Qb3 OO 17.Rfd1 Rfd8 18.Bf4 a5 19.a3 a4 20.Qc2 Bd6 21.Bg5 Qe7 1-0(41) Ni Hua 2641 - Tiviakov 2643, ? 2007.

[\*78\*] 8.g3 Nb6 9.Ne5 Be6 10.Bg2 Rd8 11.OO g6 12.Ne2 Bg7 13.a4 OO 14.a5 Nc4 15.Nd3 a6 16.Ra4 Nd6 17.Bf4 Qc8 18.Be5 Nc4 19.Nef4 Bg4 20.Qe1 Nxe5 21.dxe5 Nd5 1-0(40) Nakamura 2670 - Caspi 2378, Gibraltar 2008.

[\*79\*] 9.Ne5 Be6 10.Bf4 Nbd5 11.Bg3 Qb6 12.OOO g6 13.a3 Bh6+ 14.Kb1 Qa5 15.Nxd5 Bxd5 16.Qd3 Ne4 17.f3 Nxg3 18.hxg3 Bg7 19.Qe3 OOO == Nataf 2592 - Fontaine 2518, Besancon BRA 2006;

10...Qd8 11.OOO Nbd5 12.Nxd5 Qxd5 13.Qb3 Qe4 14.Qxb7 Qxf4+ 15.Kb1 Rd8 16.Nxc6 Bd5 17.Bb5 Nd7 18.Qxa7 Bxc6 19.Bxc6 Qd6 20.d5 g6 21.Rhe1 Bg7 0-1(49) Zhigalko 2532 - Vysochin 2531, Warsaw 2006;

10...Qc8 11.OOO Nfd5 12.Nxd5 Nxd5 13.Be2 g6 14.Bd2 Bg7 15.c4 Nb6 16.b3 Nd7 17.Bf4 Nxe5 18.Bxe5 Bxe5 19.dxe5 Qc7 20.Qe3 Bd7 21.Bf3 Qa5 == (61) Kotronias 2602 - Zatonskih 2423, Port Erin IOM 2003;

9...Qd8 10.Be3 Be6 11.Bd3 g6 12.Ne4 Nxe4 13.Bxe4 Rc8 14.Qg3 Bg7 15.OO == Vorobiov 2555 - Zablotsky 2475, Saratov 2006.

[\*80\*] 9...Qd7 10.OOO Qg4 11.Qxg4 Bxg4 12.f3 Be6 13.Ne5 g6 14.Ne4 Nxe4 15.fxe4 f6 16.Nf3 Bg7 17.Bd3 OOO 18.Rhe1 Bg4 19.Be2 Rhe8 20.h3 Be6 21.b3 Bg8 == (57) Zinchenko 2505 - Vysochin 2524, Kharkiv 2007;

13.Nxb6 axb6 14.Bc7 b5 15.d5 Bd7 16.a3 e6 17.dxe6 fxe6 18.Ne4 Nxe4 19.fxe4 b4 20.axb4 Ra1+ 21.Kd2 Bxb4+ == (23) Brandenburg 2433 - Lysyj 2578, Hengelo 2007;

13.Na5 OOO 14.Be5 Bf5 15.Bd3 Bxd3 16.Rxd3 e6 17.a3 Be7 18.Ne4 Nxe4  
19.fxe4 f6 20.Bg3 Rd7 21.Rhd1 Rhd8 0-1(38) Perez Candelario 2537 - Caspi 2412,  
La Massana 2008;

10.Be5 Qg4 11.Qxg4 Bxg4 12.Ne3 Be6 13.a4 Nbd7 14.f4 Ng4 15.Nxg4 Bxg4  
16.d5 Nxe5 17.fxe5 OOO 18.dxc6 bxc6 19.a5 Rd4 20.Be2 Bf5 21.Bf3 Kc7 0-1(61)  
Ganguly 2585 - Tiviakov 2643, Khanty-Mansiysk 2007;

10.Nxb6 axb6 11.Be5 Qf5 12.Qxf5 Bxf5 13.OOO Nd7 14.Bc7 e6 15.Bd3 Bxd3  
16.Rxd3 b5 17.Kb1 Nf6 18.Re1 Bb4 19.Be5 Bxc3 20.Rxc3 Nd5 21.Rd3 f6 0-1(48) Lahno  
2488 - Tiviakov 2686, Benidorm ESP 2008.

[\*81\*] 10.Qd3 Nxc4 11.Qxc4 Be6 12.Qb4 Qd7 13.OOO Bd5 14.Qa5 e6 15.Be5 Be7  
16.Nxd5 Qxd5 17.Qxd5 cxd5 18.Bb5+ Kf8 19.Bd3 Rc8 20.Kb1 Nd7 21.Bf4 g5 == (70)  
Chabanon 2417 - Fontaine 2557, France 2007.

[\*82\*] 10...Be6 11.Ne3 Nbd7 12.OOO Qa5 13.Bxf6 exf6 14.Bc4 Bb4 15.Bxe6 fxe6  
16.Qg4 Bxc3 17.Qxe6+ Kd8 18.bxc3 Qxc3 19.Rhe1 Re8 20.Qf7 Qa3+ 21.Kd2 Qa5+ 1-  
0(39) Smeets 2558 - Feygin 2531, Netherlands 2007;

11...Nbd5 12.Bxf6 Nxc3 13.bxc3 exf6 14.Bd3 Bd6 15.OO OO 16.c4 g6 17.Rfd1  
f5 18.c5 Bc7 19.Bc4 f4 20.Bxe6 fxe3 21.Bb3 Qh4 == (36) Cvek 2498 - Simacek 2480,  
Brno CZE 2006.

[\*83\*] 12.h3 h4 13.Qf4 Be6 14.Ne3 Nbd5 15.Nexd5 Nxd5 16.Qd2 Nxc3 17.Qxc3 Bd5  
18.Qd2 e6 19.c4 Be4 20.f3 Bf5 21.a3 Rh5 == (41) Hossain 2460 - Tiviakov 2669,  
Turin ITA 2006;

17.bxc3 Qd5 18.f3 Rh5 19.Bf4 Rd8 == Brkic 2577 - Gallagher 2497,  
Heraklion GRE 2007;

16...Bf5 17.Bd3 Bxd3 18.Qxd3 e6 19.OO Ne7 20.Rfe1 Ng6 21.Bh2 Bd6 == (42)  
Kosintseva 2460 - Nikolaidis 2520, Moscow 2005;

17.Bc4 e6 18.Nxd5 exd5 19.Bd3 Bxd3 20.Qxd3 f6 21.Qg6+ Ke7 == (41)  
Skembris 2446 - Nikolaidis 2527, Athens 2004;

16...Qa5 17.Bd3 Nb4 18.OO Nxd3 19.Qxd3 f6 20.Rfe1 OOO 21.Bc7 Qxc7 1-  
0(32) Kotronias 2572 - Marcelin 2494, France 2007;

13.Qd3 Nxc4 14.Qxc4 Be6 15.Qd3 Nd7 16.Bf4 Nb6 17.b3 Qd7 18.Be2 Bf5  
19.Ne4 OOO 20.OO Nd5 21.Be5 f6 0-1(36) Korneev 2606 - Marcelin 2494, France  
2007;

13.Qe3 1-0 Freydl 2515 - Solzbacher 2491, ICCF 2007;

12...Be6 13.Ne3 Nbd5 14.Ncxd5 Nxd5 15.Bd3 f6 16.Bg6+ Bf7 17.Bf4 Qa5+  
18.c3 Nxf4 19.Bxf7+ Kxf7 20.Qxf4 g6 21.OO Bh6 == (39) Pavasovic 2584 - Skoberne  
2484, Murska Sobota 2007.

12.Bd3 Qd7 13.Nxb6 axb6 14.OO h4 15.Qe3 h3 16.g3 Bf5 17.f3 Bxd3 18.Qxd3 e6  
19.a3 == Lastin 2583 - Vokarev 2466, Soukhumi 2007;

12...Nxc4 13.Bxc4 e6 14.Bd3 Qb6 15.OO OOO 16.a4 a5 17.h3 h4 18.Qf4 Bh5  
19.Ra3 Bxa3 20.bxa3 Qa7 21.Rb1 b6 1-0(51) Demétrio 2515 - Solzbacher 2491, ICCF  
2007;

12...h4 13.Qf4 Be6 14.Nxb6 axb6 15.Bc7 Nd5 16.Nxd5 Qxd5 17.OO b5 18.Rfe1  
h3 19.Be4 Qd7 20.g3 Bd5 21.Bd3 e6 1-0(42) Landa 2570 - Borgo 2420, Reggio Emilia  
2007.

12.f3 Be6 13.Ne3 Nbd5 14.Ncxd5 Nxd5 15.Nxd5 Qxd5 16.Bd3 f6 17.Bb8 h4 18.Qc7  
Kf7 19.Qxb7 c5 20.Qxd5 Bxd5 21.c4 Bxf3 == (26) Grischuk 2719 - Tiviakov 2669,  
Sochi 2006.

12.h4 Nbd5 13.Nxd5 Nxd5 14.Qb3 Qd7 15.Ne3 Nxe3 16.Qxe3 OOO 17.f3 Bf5 18.OOO  
f6 19.Bh2 e5 20.Bd3 Bxd3 21.dxe5 Qe6 1-0(27) Pavasovic 2601 - Skoberne 2484,  
Nova Gorica 2008.

[\*84\*] 6.Bg5 Nbd7 7.Bd3 c5 8.d5 b5 9.OO c4 10.Bf5 Nc5 11.Bxc8 Rxc8 12.Re1 Rd8  
13.Ne5 g6 14.Qf3 Bg7 15.Nc6 OO 16.Bf4 Qd7 17.Rxe7 Qf5 18.Nxd8 Rxd8 19.Bc7 Rc8  
20.Qxf5 gxf5 21.Bb6 b4 1-0(35) Lutz 2587 - Kurajica 2530, Pula CRO 2000;

0-1 Lutz Ch 2585 - Kurajica B 2530, ? 2000;  
 9...Bb7 10.Re1 b4 11.Ne4 Qxd5 12.c4 Qc6 13.a3 e6 14.axb4 cxb4 15.Bc2 OOO  
 16.Qc1 Nc5 17.Ne5 Qc7 18.Nxf6 gxf6 19.Bxf6 Rg8 20.g3 Be7 21.Bxe7 Qxe7 1-0(29)  
 Lutz 2644 - Mellado Trivino 2447, France 2002;  
 7.Qe2 e6 8.OOO Be7 9.g3 Nd5 10.Ne4 Bxg5+ 11.Nfxg5 Qe7 12.f4 b5 13.Bh3 OO  
 14.Rhe1 h6 15.Nf3 Bb7 16.Qf2 N5f6 17.Nxf6+ Nxf6 18.f5 Bd5 19.Ne5 Bxa2 20.fxe6  
 Bxe6 21.Nxf7 Ng4 ==-(31) Conquest 2545 - Perez 2449, Elgoibar 2003;  
 7.Qd2 b5 8.Bf4 Qb6 9.a3 Bb7 10.Be2 e6 11.OO c5 12.dxc5 Bxc5 13.Rad1 OO  
 14.Bd6 Bxd6 15.Qxd6 Rac8 16.Qxb6 ==- Dgebuadze 2544 - Mellado Trivino 2447,  
 France 2002;  
 6...b5 7.Bd3 Bb7 8.Qe2 Nbd7 9.a4 b4 10.Ne4 Nxe4 11.Bxe4 Bxe4 12.Qxe4 c6  
 13.OO e6 14.c4 Be7 15.Bxe7 Kxe7 16.Ne5 Rac8 17.Nxd7 Qxd7 18.Rad1 f6 19.d5 Kf7  
 20.dxe6+ Qxe6 1-0 Dgebuadze 2552 - Eismont 2423, Germany 2004;  
 9.OOO e6 10.Kb1 Be7 11.Ne5 OO 12.f4 Nb6 13.Bxf6 Bxf6 14.Ne4 Qe7 15.Rhf1  
 Na4 16.c3 Rad8 17.Bc2 g6 18.Bxa4 Bxe5 19.Nc5 Bd5 20.Bb3 Bxb3 21.axb3 Bd6 0-1(41)  
 Peptan 2471 - Galliamova 2489, ? 2003;  
 9.OO e6 10.Rad1 Be7 11.Rfel c5 12.Ne4 Qc7 13.Bxf6 gxf6 14.Ng3 Nb6  
 15.dxc5 Bxc5 16.Be4 Be7 17.Rd3 Rd8 18.Bxb7 Qxb7 19.Nd4 Rd5 20.c3 Rg8 21.f4 h5 1-  
 0(39) Zontakh 2549 - Olenin 2409, Sochi 2007.  
 6.Bc4 e6 7.Qe2 b5 8.Bb3 Bb7 9.Bg5 Nbd7 10.OOO Nd5 11.Ne4 Qb6 12.Kb1 h6  
 13.Bc1 Be7 14.Rhe1 OOO 15.c4 bxc4 16.Bxc4 N7f6 17.Bxd5 Nxd5 18.Ka1 Nb4 19.a3 Nc6  
 20.Be3 Qb5 21.Qc2 Na5 0-1(35) Zelcic 2554 - Kurajica 2548, Solin/Spilt 2002;  
 9.Be3 Nbd7 10.OOO Be7 11.Rhg1 c5 12.dxc5 Qc7 13.Kb1 Nxc5 14.g4 Nxb3  
 15.axb3 Nd5 16.Nxd5 Bxd5 17.g5 OO 18.h4 a5 19.Nd4 a4 20.Nxb5 Qb7 21.Rg3 axb3 0-  
 1(23) Varga 2450 - Kalinichev 2515, Budapest 1996;  
 7.Bg5 Nbd7 8.Qe2 b5 9.Bb3 Bb7 10.OOO Be7 11.Rhe1 OO 12.d5 Nxd5 13.Rxd5  
 Bxd5 14.Bxe7 Qxe7 15.Nxd5 Qd6 16.Nc3 c5 17.a3 c4 18.Ba2 Rad8 19.Ne4 Qc7 20.Kb1  
 h6 21.c3 Ne5 1-0(54) Mahia 2427 - Campora 2552, San Luis 2006;  
 6...b5 7.Bb3 Nbd7 8.OO Bb7 9.Ng5 e6 10.Re1 Nd5 11.a4 Be7 12.axb5 Nxc3  
 13.bxc3 Bxg5 14.Bxg5 axb5 15.Rxa8+ Bxa8 16.Qg4 h5 17.Qg3 Qxg3 18.hxg3 Nb6 19.Bc1  
 Bd5 20.Ba3 Bc4 21.Bxc4 bxc4 0-1(75) Nakamura 2601 - Stripunsky 2553, New York  
 2004;  
 7...c5 8.a4 b4 9.Ne2 e6 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.a5 Be7 12.Bxb8 Rxb8 13.Ne5 Bb7  
 14.Ba4+ Kf8 15.Nc6 Bxc6 16.Bxc6 Qc7 17.Bf3 g6 18.dxc5 Bxc5 19.OO Rd8 20.Qe1 Kg7  
 21.h3 h5 ==-(48) Hamdouchi 2541 - Kurajica 2534, Villarrobledo ESP 2000;  
 7.Be2 Bb7 8.OO Nbd7 9.Ng5 h6 10.Nh3 Nb6 11.Be3 g5 12.f3 Nfd5 13.Ne4 Qc6  
 14.Qd3 e6 15.c3 OOO 16.Nd2 Na4 17.c4 Nxe3 18.Qxe3 Bg7 19.cxb5 axb5 20.Nb3 Nxb2  
 21.Nf2 Nc4 ==-(60) Dzhumaev 2507 - Hossain 2451, Dhaka BAN 2003;  
 6...Nc6 7.Ng5 e6 8.Be3 b5 9.Be2 Bb7 10.Bf3 h6 11.Nge4 Nxe4 12.Nxe4 Qd7  
 13.OO OOO 14.Qe2 Nxd4 15.Bxd4 Qxd4 16.a4 Qc4 17.Qe3 Qd4 18.Qe2 Qc4 19.Qe3 Qd4  
 20.Qe1 b4 21.Rd1 Qe5 1-0(22) Areshchenko 2660 - Manik 2450, San Marino SMR 2006.  
 6.h3 Nc6 7.a3 Be6 8.Be3 g6 9.Qd2 Bg7 10.OOO Rd8 11.Bf4 Qd7 12.Ne5 Nxe5  
 13.Bxe5 OO 14.g4 Bd5 15.Nxd5 Qxd5 16.Bd3 Qa2 17.c3 c5 18.Bb1 Qc4 19.Bd3 Qd5  
 20.Rhe1 cxd4 21.Bxd4 Rfe8 0-1(35) De la Paz 2437 - Arencibia 2543, Santa Clara  
 2001;  
 6...Bf5 7.Bc4 e6 8.OO Nc6 9.Re1 Be7 10.Bg5 Rd8 11.Qe2 Nxd4 12.Nxd4 Qxd4  
 13.Rad1 Qc5 14.Rxd8+ Bxd8 15.Bxf6 Bxf6 16.Ne4 Bxe4 17.Qxe4 Qb6 18.c3 OO 19.Bb3  
 Rd8 20.Qf3 a5 21.Qe2 g6 0-1(61) Deszczynski 2348 - Gashimov 2608, Warsaw POL  
 2005.  
 6.a3 Nbd7 7.Bd3 g6 8.OO Bg7 9.Re1 OO 10.Qe2 e6 11.b4 b5 12.a4 bxa4 13.Ba3  
 Qc6 14.Ne4 Rd8 15.b5 axb5 16.Be7 Ba6 17.Bxd8 Rxd8 18.Nxf6+ Nxf6 19.Reb1 Nd5  
 20.Bxb5 Nc3 21.Bxc6 Bxe2 ==-(33) Cheparinov 2618 - Tiviakov 2700, Pamplona ESP  
 2005.  
 [\*85\*] 7.Bf4 Nxd4 8.Bd3 Ne6 9.Bg3 Qb6 10.Qd2 g6 11.OOO Bg7 12.h4 c6 13.Na4 Qa7  
 14.Qa5 b5 15.Bxg6 fxg6 16.Nxc6 Bh6+ 17.Kb1 Qb7 18.Nd8 Nxd8 19.Rxd8+ Kf7 20.Rxh8  
 bxa4 21.h5 Bg7 0-1(25) Kostenko 2482 - Ovetchkin 2557, Samara RUS 2002;



10.OO g6 11.Kh1 Bg7 12.f4 Nh5 13.Bf2 Qxb2 14.Qe1 Nhxf4 15.Rb1 Qa3 16.Rb3 Qd6 17.Nc4 Qc6 18.Ne4 Nxd3 19.cxd3 OO 20.Bg3 f5 21.Ned2 f4 0-1(31) Andreev 2442 - Lysyj 2576, Nizhnij Tagil 2007;

8...Bf5 9.OO Bxd3 10.Qxd3 Ne6 11.Qf3 c6 12.Rad1 Qb4 13.Bg3 Rc8 14.a3 Qb6 15.Ne4 h5 16.h4 Nd4 17.Qe3 c5 18.c3 Ne6 19.Qf3 Qb3 20.Rd3 Rd8 21.Rfd1 Rxd3 1-0(29) Areshchenko 2641 - Gashimov 2644, Lausanne - Casino de Montbeno 2006;

8...g5 9.Bg3 Nf5 10.Qe2 Nxc3 11.hxc3 Be6 12.OOO Qb6 13.f4 gxf4 14.gxf4 Bg7 15.Bc4 Bxc4 16.Qxc4 e6 17.Qd3 Qb4 18.Qf3 OO 19.a3 Qb6 20.g4 Rfd8 21.Rde1 Qd4 1-0(49) Mastrovasilis 2568 - Skembris 2434, Kavala 2004;

8.Nxf7 Qxf4 9.Nxh8 Bf5 10.Bd3 Ng4 11.Qd2 Qxd2+ 12.Kxd2 Nxf2 13.Bxf5 Nxh1 14.Bxh7 Nf2 15.Ke3 Ng4+ 16.Kxd4 OOO+ 17.Kc4 e6 18.Nf7 Rd7 19.Ng5 Ne3+ 20.Kb3 c5 21.a3 c4+ 1-0(43) Belov 2552 - Hasangatin 2474, ChessAssistantClub INT 2004.

[\*86\*] 8.Bf4 Be6 9.Qd3 OOO 10.OOO g6 11.Be2 Bg7 12.Be5 Rhe8 13.Bf3 Bh6+ 14.Kb1 Qc4 15.Qxc4 Bxc4 16.d5 Nd7 17.Bg3 Bg7 18.Ne4 Nf6 19.Nxf6 Bxf6 20.b3 Bb5 21.Rhe1 Bd7 0-1(55) Polgar 2685 - Kurajica 2548, Benidorm ESP 2002;

8...Bg4 9.f3 Be6 10.Qd2 OOO 11.OOO Bc4 12.Bxc4 Qxc4 13.Qd3 Qxd3 14.Rxd3 e6 == Inkiov 2480 - Utasi 2480, Jurmala LAT 1985.

8.Qd3 g6 9.d5 Qd6 10.Be3 Bg7 11.OOO OO 12.Be2 Bf5 13.Qd2 b5 14.Bf3 Rfd8 15.Rhe1 Rd7 16.Bf4 Qb6 17.d6 Re8 18.Qe3 Qxe3+ 19.Rxe3 exd6 20.Rxe8+ Nxe8 21.Bb7 Re7 == (70) Slobodjan 2550 - Sulava 2467, Arco ITA 1999.

[\*87\*] 8...Qd6 9.Be2 b5 10.Bf3 Bb7 11.OO Rd8 12.Bg5 g6 13.Qe2 b4 14.Nb5 axb5 15.Bxf6 Qxf6 16.Qxb5+ Bc6 17.dxc6 e6 18.c3 bxc3 19.bxc3 Bd6 20.Qc4 OO 21.a4 Ra8 1-0(64) Pavicic 2420 - Zelcic 2534, Pula CRO 2001.

[\*88\*] 12.Be3 Qb4 13.Bg5 c6 14.Bxf6 gxf6 15.Qf3 Qg4 16.Qxg4 Bxg4 17.h3 Bf5 18.dxe6 fxe6 19.Rad1 h5 20.Ne2 e5 21.Ng3 Rxd1 0-1(46) Inkiov 2472 - Nikolaidis 2522, Thessaloniki GRE 2005.

[\*89\*] 6...Nc6 7.Be3 Bf5 8.a3 e6 9.OO Be7 10.Qd2 OO 11.Rad1 Rfd8 12.Qc1 h6 13.Rfe1 Ne4 14.Bf4 Qd7 15.Nxe4 Bxe4 16.c3 b5 17.Nd2 Bd5 18.Bd3 Bd6 19.Ne4 f5 20.Nc5 Qf7 21.b4 Ne7 0-1(62) Klovans 2433 - Bauer 2599, Biel SUI 2006;

7...Bg4 8.Qd2 e6 9.OOO OOO 10.a3 Be7 11.Ng5 Rdf8 12.Nge4 Qd8 13.Nxf6 Bxe2 14.Qxe2 Bxf6 15.d5 exd5 16.Nxd5 Kb8 17.Nb4 Qe8 18.Nxa6+ bxa6 19.Qxa6 Qe5 20.Rd3 Qxb2+ 21.Kd2 Rd8 == (76) Van Riemsdijk 2422 - Sermek 2545, Auckland NZL 1999;

7.h3 Bf5 8.Be3 e6 9.OO h6 10.a3 g5 11.Bd3 Bg7 12.Re1 OO 13.Qd2 Rfe8 14.Rad1 Rad8 15.g4 Bxd3 16.Qxd3 Ne7 17.Ne4 Qc6 18.Nxf6+ Bxf6 19.Qe2 Ng6 20.c3 b5 21.Bc1 Qd5 0-1(42) Savic 2518 - Lajthajm 2507, Mionica SCG 2006;

7.OO Bf5 8.Be3 g6 9.Qc1 Bg7 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.Rd1 OO 12.d5 Nb4 13.Ne1 Qd7 14.a3 Nbxd5 15.Nxd5 Nxd5 16.Bf3 c6 17.c4 e5 18.Bh6 Bxh6 19.Qxh6 Be6 20.Nc2 f5 21.cxd5 cxd5 1-0(47) Aseev 2591 - Pridorozhni 2415, St Petersburg 2002.

6...e6 7.OO Nbd7 8.Re1 Be7 9.Bg5 OO 10.Bd3 b5 11.a4 b4 12.Ne4 Nxe4 13.Bxe4 Rb8 14.Bxe7 Qxe7 15.Ne5 Nxe5 16.dxe5 Rd8 17.Qh5 g6 18.Qf3 a5 19.Rad1 Bd7 20.b3 Be8 21.Qe3 c5 == (35) Stellwagen 2533 - Tiviakov 2678, Leeuwarden NED 2005;

8.g3 c5 9.Bf4 Qc6 10.Re1 b5 11.d5 Qb6 12.dxe6 fxe6 13.Ng5 Ra7 14.Bh5+ Ke7 15.Nxe6 Qxe6 16.Qd6+ 1-0 Bologan 2665 - Gofshtein 2522, playchess.com INT 2004;

7...Be7 8.Ne5 Nc6 9.Nxc6 Qxc6 10.Bf3 Qd6 11.g3 OO 12.Bf4 Qd8 13.Qd2 Nd5 14.Rfe1 Nxf4 15.Qxf4 Rb8 16.Rad1 b5 17.Ne4 Bd6 18.Qe3 b4 19.Nc5 a5 20.Bg2 Bd7 21.f4 Bb5 == (28) Rozentalis 2605 - Bronstein 2455, Reykjavik 1996.

6...Bg4 7.OO e6 8.h3 Bh5 9.Ne5 Bxe2 10.Qxe2 Nc6 11.Qf3 Nxd4 12.Qxb7 Rd8 13.Bf4 Qb6 14.Qxb6 cxb6 15.Rfd1 Bc5 16.Rd2 OO 17.Rad1 Nd5 18.Nxd5 Rxd5 19.c4 Ne2+ 20.Kf1 Rxd2 21.Bxd2 Nd4 1-0(51) Jobava 2616 - Gashimov 2565, Dubai 2004;

8.Re1 Be7 9.Bg5 OO 10.Bxf6 Bxf6 11.Ne4 Qd8 12.c3 Nd7 13.Qb3 Rb8 14.Rad1 Be7 15.Ne5 Bf5 16.Nc5 Nb6 17.Bf3 Qc8 18.c4 f6 19.Ned3 Rd8 20.Be4 Bxe4 21.Rxe4 e5 == (51) Fedorov 2616 - Gashimov 2565, Dubai 2004.

[\*90\*] 7...g6 8.Bg5 Bg7 9.Qd2 b5 10.Bf4 Qb6 11.b4 Bb7 12.a4 Ne4 13.Nxe4 Bxe4 14.axb5 axb5 15.Ra5 OO 16.Rxb5 Qc6 17.Ra5 Rad8 18.b5 Qb6 19.Ra6 Qb7 20.Qa5 e5 21.Ra7 Qb6 1-0 (52) Strikovic 2535 - Tiviakov 2680, Calvia de Mallorca ESP 2006.

[\*91\*] 8.Bg5 c5 9.Re1 Be7 10.d5 exd5 11.Bc4 d4 12.Ne4 Nxe4 13.Rxe4 Nf6 14.Bxf6 gxf6 15.b4 b6 16.bxc5 bxc5 17.Nh4 f5 18.Re1 Qf6 19.Qh5 OO 20.Rxe7 Qxe7 21.Ng6 hxg6 == Sokolov 2567 - Hauchard 2524, 1998-9 French Team Ch FRA 1999;

8...Be7 9.Qd2 b5 10.Bf4 Qb6 11.Ne5 Bb7 12.a4 b4 13.Nd1 Nxe5 14.Bxe5 c5 15.Ne3 OO 16.Nc4 Qa7 17.Rad1 Bc6 18.dxc5 Qxc5 19.Bd6 Bxd6 20.Qxd6 Ne4 21.Qd4 Rac8 1-0 (72) Dervishi 2525 - Perez 2429, Saint Vincent 2002.

8.g3 Be7 9.Bf4 Qb6 10.a3 OO 11.b4 Nd5 12.Nxd5 exd5 13.c4 dxc4 14.Bxc4 Bd6 15.Ne5 Nxe5 16.dxe5 Be7 17.Qb3 a5 18.Be3 Qg6 19.b5 a4 20.Qc3 c6 21.Bd3 Bf5 == (44) Grischuk 2549 - Sermek 2545, Porto San Giorgio ITA 1999.

8.Be3 c5 9.dxc5 Qxd1 10.Rfxd1 Bxc5 11.Bxc5 Nxc5 12.Ne5 Ke7 13.Bf3 Ncd7 14.Nc4 Ra7 15.a4 b6 16.Na2 Rc7 17.b3 a5 18.Nc3 Ba6 19.Nb5 Rc5 20.Nca3 Ne5 21.Be2 g5 == (42) Polgar 2555 - Donchev 2520, Haifa ISR 1989.

[\*92\*] 9...OO 10.Bd3 b5 11.a4 b4 12.Ne4 Nxe4 13.Bxe4 Rb8 14.Qd3 h6 15.Bxe7 Qxe7 16.a5 Nf6 17.Bc6 Qd6 18.Qc4 Bb7 19.Ne5 Bxc6 20.Nxc6 Rb5 21.Re3 Nd5 0-1 (37) Damljanovic 2587 - Kurajica 2551, Sarajevo 2003.

[\*93\*] 10...OO 11.dxe6 fxe6 12.Nd4 Ne5 13.Bf4 Nfd7 14.Bg3 Qb6 15.a4 Bc5 16.Bf3 Nxf3+ 17.Nxf3 b4 18.Ne4 a5 19.Qd3 Rf5 20.Nxc5 Rxc5 21.c4 bxc3 1-0 (41) Kukk 2565 - Stephan 2441, ICCF Email 2004.

[\*94\*] 12.Bf3 OO 13.Rxe7 Qxe7 14.Nxd5 Nbx5 15.Bxd5 Qe5 16.Bxa8 Qxg5 17.Bc6 Ng4 18.h3 Ne5 19.Nf3 Nxf3+ == Barua 2515 - Sermek 2595, Dhaka BAN 2002.

[\*95\*] 6...g6 7.h3 Bg7 8.OO OO 9.Bg5 Nc6 10.Bxf6 exf6 11.Ne4 Qb4 12.c3 Qxb2 13.Nfd2 Qa3 14.Nc4 Qe7 15.Qf3 f5 16.Ned2 Qd8 17.Rab1 Be6 18.a4 Rb8 19.Rfd1 Re8 20.Bf1 Bd5 21.Qf4 Bf6 == (95) Nevednichy 2594 - Horvath 2565, Sibenik 2005;

9.Ne4 Nxe4 10.Bxe4 Nd7 11.c3 Rb8 12.Bg5 b5 13.Re1 Nf6 14.Bc2 Bb7 15.Qe2 Rfe8 16.Rad1 Bd5 17.Bb3 a5 18.Nd2 Ba8 19.a3 c5 20.dxc5 Qxc5 21.Bxf6 Bxf6 == (25) Saric 2476 - Milanovic 2513, Sarajevo BIH 2006;

7.OO Bg7 8.Bg5 Nc6 9.h3 OO 10.Be3 Nb4 11.Ne4 Nxe4 12.Bxe4 f5 13.Bd3 Nxd3 14.Qxd3 b5 15.a4 Rb8 16.axb5 axb5 17.Rfe1 Bb7 18.Bg5 e6 19.Qe3 Bxf3 20.Qxf3 Qxd4 21.Rxe6 Qxb2 1-0 (40) Movsesian 2659 - Kurajica 2551, Sarajevo 2003;

8.Ne4 Nxe4 9.Bxe4 Nd7 == Bogut 2443 - Milanovic 2513, Teslic 2006;

7.Be3 Nc6 8.Qd2 Nb4 9.Be2 Nbd5 10.Nxd5 Nxd5 11.Bg5 Bg7 12.c4 h6 13.Bh4 Nf6 14.Bg3 Qd8 15.Be5 b6 16.Qf4 g5 17.Qe3 Bb7 18.h3 Qd7 19.Bh2 OOO 20.OO Ne4 21.d5 f5 == (55) Gallagher 2535 - Tukmakov 2558, Lenk SUI 2005.

6...Nc6 7.OO Bg4 8.Ne4 Nxe4 9.Bxe4 g6 10.c3 Bg7 11.Qb3 Rb8 12.Bg5 OO 13.Rfe1 Bxf3 14.Bxf3 e6 15.Rad1 Ne7 16.Bg4 Nd5 17.c4 Nf6 18.Bf3 b5 19.c5 Qd7 20.Bxf6 Bxf6 21.d5 exd5 1-0 (39) Kobalia 2618 - Hasangatin 2485, Abu Dhabi UAE 2004;

9...OOO 10.c3 f5 11.Bc2 Qd5 12.Bb3 Bxf3 13.Bxd5 Bxd1 14.Be6+ Kb8 15.Rxd1 g6 16.Re1 Bg7 17.b4 Bf6 18.a4 Na7 19.Ra3 Nc8 20.Kf1 Nd6 21.f3 Ne8 1-0 (71) Hansen 2551 - Wong Meng Kong SIN 2470, Calvia ESP 2004;

7.Ne4 Nxe4 8.Bxe4 Bg4 9.c3 e5 10.Qb3 OOO 11.dxe5 Qd7 12.OO h6 13.Nd4 Na5 14.Qc2 c5 15.b4 Nc4 16.bxc5 Bxc5 17.Rb1 b5 18.a4 Bxd4 19.cxd4 Qxd4 20.axb5 Bd1 21.Bf5+ Kc7 1-0 (25) Teran Alvarez 2431 - Campora 2549, Ayamonte ESP 2004.

6...Nbd7 7.OO c5 8.Be3 e6 9.Qd2 b5 10.Rad1 cxd4 11.Ne4 Qd5 12.Nxf6+ Nxf6  
13.Bxd4 Bb7 14.Rfel Be7 15.Qf4 Rd8 16.b3 Qh5 17.Be2 OO 18.Ne5 Nd5 19.Qg3 Qg5  
20.Qxg5 Bxg5 21.Bf3 Ba8 ===(23) Cuijpers 2484 - Gofshtein 2541, Germany 2007.

[\*96\*] 7.Ne4 Nxe4 8.Bxe4 c6 9.c3 Nd7 10.Qb3 Qe6 11.Qxe6 Bxe6 12.OO Bd5 13.Re1  
== Nedev 2516 - Sermek 2523, Turin ITA 2006;

9.OO Nd7 10.c3 Nf6 11.Bc2 Qd5 12.Re1 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Qxf3 14.gxf3 e6 15.Bd2  
g6 16.b4 Bg7 17.a4 OO 18.Bd3 Rad8 19.Bf1 Nd5 20.Kg2 == Rogic 2520 - Stevic  
2514, Vukovar CRO 2005;

8...Nc6 9.c3 f5 10.Bc2 e5 11.dxe5 Qxd1+ 12.Bxd1 OOO 13.Bg5 Re8 14.OO  
Bxf3 15.Bxf3 Nxe5 16.Be2 Bc5 17.Rfel h6 18.Bf4 g5 19.Bxe5 Rxe5 20.Bd3 Rd5 21.Bf1  
Rd2 ===(51) Kobalia 2614 - Gashimov 2594, playchess.com INT 2005;

9.OO e6 10.c3 f5 11.Bxc6+ Qxc6 12.Ne5 Bxd1 13.Nxc6 Bh5 14.Ne5 Bd6 15.Re1  
OOO 16.Nd3 Bf7 17.Bg5 Rde8 18.Bf4 Be7 19.Be5 Rhg8 20.Re3 g5 21.f4 g4 1-0(35)  
Salgado Lopez 2422 - Galego 2537, Solter 2007.

7.h3 Bh5 8.Ne4 Nxe4 9.Bxe4 Nc6 10.OO OOO 11.c3 Bg6 12.Bxc6 Qxc6 13.Ne5 Qd5  
14.Be3 f6 15.Qg4+ e6 16.Nxg6 hxg6 17.Qxg6 Bd6 18.b3 Qf5 19.Qxf5 exf5 20.f3 g5  
21.Rae1 Kd7 1-0(60) Shirov 2699 - Kurajica 2548, Benidorm ESP 2002;

9...Nd7 10.c3 OOO 11.OO Nf6 12.Bd3 e6 13.Be2 Bxf3 14.Bxf3 Be7 15.b4 e5  
16.Qe2 exd4 17.cxd4 Qe6 18.Be3 Nd5 19.b5 a5 20.Rac1 Kb8 21.Qc4 Rd7 1-0(50)  
García Corada 2534 - Spitz 2533, ICCF 2007;

8.Be3 Nc6 9.g4 Bg6 10.Qd2 e6 11.OOO OOO 12.a3 Be7 13.g5 Nd5 14.Ne4 Qd7  
15.c4 Nxe3 16.fxe3 h6 17.h4 Bh5 18.Rhf1 f5 19.gxf6 gxf6 20.Ng3 Bg4 21.Bc2 Nb8 1-  
0(74) Gouliev 2572 - Milanovic 2464, Hamburg GER 2005.

[\*97\*] 7...Nbd7 8.h3 Bh5 9.Re1 e6 10.g4 Bg6 11.d5 OOO 12.Ng5 h6 13.Nxe6 Bxd3  
14.Bf4 Qb4 15.a3 Qxb2 16.Nxd8 Bg6 17.Na4 Qb5 18.Qd4 Nb6 19.Bxc7 Nxa4 20.Nxb7  
Qxb7 21.d6 Qc6 1-0(31) Martin Clemente 2533 - Spitz 2544, ICCF 2006.

7...e6 8.Ne4 == Pikula 2537 - Golubovic 2443, Teslic 2006.

[\*98\*] 8...Qd5 9.h3 Nxe4 10.hxg4 Nd6 11.c3 OOO 12.Qe2 g6 13.Bd2 Bg7 14.Rfel  
Rhe8 15.c4 Qe6 16.Qxe6+ fxe6 17.Bc3 Nf7 18.Re4 e5 19.d5 e6 20.dxc6 Rxd3 21.cxb7+  
Kxb7 ===(69) Mortensen 2458 - Sermek 2590, Bled SLO 2002.

8...Nxe4 9.Bxe4 OOO 10.Bxc6 Qxc6 11.Ne5 Bxd1 12.Nxc6 bxc6 13.Rxd1 e6 14.Bf4  
Be7 15.Be5 f6 16.Bg3 Rd5 17.Re1 Kd7 18.c3 c5 19.Rad1 Rb8 20.b3 a5 21.dxc5 Bxc5  
1-0(51) Kazakov 2424 - Ovetchkin 2573, Nefteyugansk RUS 2002.

[\*99\*] 10.b4 Be7 11.a4 OO 12.Re1 Rfd8 13.h3 Bh5 14.Bd2 Bg6 15.Nxf6+ Bxf6  
16.Bxg6 hxg6 17.Qe2 Ne7 18.g4 Nd5 19.a5 Be7 20.Ne5 Qe8 21.h4 Bf6 ===(44)  
Bocanegra Moreno 2428 - Spitz 2533, ICCF 2007.

[\*100\*] 12.b4 Rg8 13.Be2 e5 14.Be3 h5 15.a4 exd4 16.Nxd4 Bxb4 17.Bxg4 Rxg4  
18.cxb4 Nxd4 19.f3 Rgg8 20.Bxd4 Qxd4+ 21.Qxd4 Rxd4 0-1(39) Sedina 2410 - Bauer  
2650, ? 2005.

[\*101\*] 6...b5 7.Bd3 Bb7 8.Qe2 g6 9.OOO Bg7 10.Kb1 Nbd7 11.Rhe1 OO 12.Ng5 Nd5  
13.Nxd5 Bxd5 14.f3 Rad8 15.Ne4 Qc6 16.Nc3 Nf6 17.Bf4 Be6 18.Be5 Nd5 19.Nxd5 Qxd5  
20.b3 Bxe5 21.dxe5 Qc5 ===(24) Dolmatov 2606 - Hasangatin 2517, Togliatti RUS  
2003;

10.Bg5 OO 11.Ne4 Nxe4 12.Bxe4 Bd5 13.Rhe1 e6 14.Qe3 Nd7 15.Bf4 Qc6  
16.Ne5 Nxe5 17.Bxe5 Bxe5 18.dxe5 Rad8 19.Rd4 Rd7 20.Bxd5 Rxd5 21.Rh4 Rd7 0-1(26)  
Petrik 2452 - Sermek 2555, Steinbrunn 2005;

8...Nbd7 9.OOO Nb6 10.Bg5 b4 11.Ne4 Nxe4 12.Bxe4 Bxe4 13.Qxe4 Qd5  
14.Qxd5 Nxd5 == Baramidze 2535 - Sermek 2532, Portoroz SLO 2005;

9.Bg5 e6 10.OO Be7 11.Rfel OO 12.Rad1 == Popovic 2499 - Milanovic 2514,  
Zlatibor 2006;

8...e6 9.OOO b4 10.Nb1 Nbd7 11.Nbd2 Nb6 12.Nb3 Qd5 13.Kb1 Qh5 14.Rhg1 Na4 15.g4 Qd5 16.Ne5 Ne4 17.Bd2 Nxd2+ 18.Rxd2 Nb6 19.Re1 Be7 20.Nc5 Bxc5 21.dxc5 Qxc5 1-0(38) Morozevich 2707 - Kurajica 2548, Bled SLO 2002;

8.OO Nbd7 9.Qe2 e6 10.Bg5 Be7 11.a4 b4 12.Ne4 Qd5 13.c4 bxc3 14.Nxc3 Qa5 15.Rad1 Rd8 16.Bh4 c5 17.Bb1 cxd4 18.Nxd4 Qb4 19.Bg3 OO 20.Ba2 Bc5 21.Nb3 Ba7 0-1(44) Goldin 2620 - Stripunsky 2533, San Diego USA 2004.

6...e6 7.Bd3 Nbd7 8.Qe2 b5 9.a4 b4 10.Ne4 Qd5 11.Bf4 Ra7 12.OO Be7 13.c4 bxc3 14.bxc3 OO 15.c4 Qa8 16.Neg5 Bd6 17.Ne5 h6 18.Ne4 Bxe5 19.dxe5 Nxe4 20.Qxe4 Qxe4 21.Bxe4 Bb7 == (39) Socko 2569 - Kurajica 2548, Bled SLO 2002;

9.Ne4 Qd5 10.Nxf6+ Nxf6 11.a4 b4 12.OO Bb7 13.c4 Qd6 14.d5 Be7 15.Rfe1 OO 16.Bd4 Rfe8 17.Be3 Qd7 18.dxe6 fxe6 19.b3 Bc8 20.Rad1 == Korneev 2572 - Gofshtein 2518, Albacete 2001;

7.Qd2 Be7 8.Bd3 OO 9.OOO b5 10.Ng5 Bb7 11.Bf4 Qd8 12.h4 Nbd7 13.Qe2 b4 14.Nce4 Nxe4 15.Nxe4 Nf6 16.Be5 Nxe4 17.Bxe4 Bxe4 18.Qxe4 Bd6 19.Qg4 Bxe5 20.dxe5 Qe7 21.Qc4 a5 == (36) De Firmian 2570 - Dzindzichashvili 2540, Chandler, AZ USA 1997.

6...Nbd7 7.Be2 e6 8.OO c5 9.Qd2 cxd4 10.Nxd4 Qc7 11.Bf4 Qb6 12.Bf3 Be7 13.Rfe1 Nf8 14.Na4 Qd8 15.Qc3 Bd6 16.Bxd6 Qxd6 17.Nf5 1-0 Nijboer 2540 - Sulava 2486, Metz FRA 2000.

6...Bf5 7.Qd2 e6 8.OOO Nc6 9.Nh4 Bg6 10.Bf4 Qd7 11.Nxg6 hxg6 12.d5 exd5 13.Nxd5 OOO 14.Bc4 Qf5 15.Bg3 Nxd5 16.Bxd5 Be7 17.Rhe1 Bg5 18.f4 Bf6 19.c4 Ne7 20.Be4 Qc5 21.Qc2 Nf5 0-1(61) Golubev 2528 - Jirovsky 2457, Germany 2002.

6...Bg4 7.h3 Bh5 8.g4 Bg6 9.Ne5 e6 10.Bg2 c6 11.h4 Nd5 12.Nxd5 cxd5 13.c3 f6 14.Nxg6 hxg6 15.Qd3 Kf7 16.OOO Nc6 17.f4 Be7 18.f5 Rac8 19.fxe6+ Qxe6 20.h5 g5 21.Rde1 Nb4 1-0(28) Vokarev 2529 - Ogloblin 2447, Alushta UKR 2004.

[\*102\*] 7.Bc4 b5 8.Bd3 Nb4 9.Be2 Nbd5 10.Nxd5 Nxd5 11.c4 bxc4 12.Bxc4 Qb4+ 13.Nd2 e6 14.Bb3 Bd7 15.OO Bd6 16.Ne4 OO 17.Rc1 Qb7 18.Nc5 Bxc5 19.Rxc5 Bc6 20.Qd2 Ne7 21.f3 Bd5 == (54) Groszpeter 2525 - Jones 2442, Bratto ITA 2005.

7.a3 e6 8.Bd3 Be7 9.OO OO 10.Qd2 b5 11.Bg5 Rd8 12.Ne4 Nxe4 13.Bxe4 Bb7 14.Bxe7 Qxe7 15.Qe3 Na5 16.Bxb7 Nxb7 17.Ne5 Rd5 18.Rfd1 Qd6 19.Qf3 Rf8 20.Ng4 Na5 21.c3 Rf5 == (49) Koch 2510 - Fressinet 2440, Besancon FRA 1999.

[\*103\*] 7...Bg4 8.Ng5 e5 9.d5 Nb4 10.f3 Bf5 11.Nge4 Qd7 12.OOO c6 13.dxc6 Qxd2+ 14.Rxd2 Bxe4 15.Nxe4 Nxc6 16.Nxf6+ gxf6 17.Bd3 OOO 18.Rhd1 Kc7 19.c3 h5 20.Bf5 Rxd2 21.Rxd2 Nb8 1-0(29) Karpov 2705 - Lutikov 2515, URS 1979;

8...Bf5 9.f3 e6 10.OOO Qd7 11.Nge4 Nd5 12.Nxd5 exd5 13.Ng3 Bg6 14.Bd3 == Mastrovasilis 2574 - Nikolaidis 2527, Athens GRE 2004;

8...e6 9.f3 Bf5 10.a3 Be7 11.Bd3 Bxd3 12.Qxd3 Nd5 13.Nge4 Qd7 14.Nxd5 exd5 15.Nf2 == Galkin 2565 - Zaitsev 2425, Maikop RUS 1998.

[\*104\*] 8.OOO e6 9.Nh4 Bg6 10.Nxg6 hxg6 11.Bf4 Qd7 12.d5 exd5 13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.Qxd5 Nxd5 15.Rxd5 Bd6 16.Bxd6 OOO 17.Bc4 cxd6 18.f4 Rhe8 19.Rdd1 Re7 20.h4 Kc7 21.h5 gxh5 == (58) Golubev 2536 - Benkovic 2463, ? 2003;

13...Nxd5 14.Qxd5 Qxd5 15.Rxd5 Bd6 16.Bxd6 OOO 17.Bc4 cxd6 18.f4 Rhe8 19.Rdd1 Re7 20.h4 Kc7 21.h5 gxh5 == (58) Golubev 2536 - Benkovic 2463, Bucharest 2003.

[\*105\*] 8...g6 9.Nxf5 gxf5 10.f3 OOO 11.OOO Bg7 12.Bc4 e6 13.a3 Ne7 14.Kb1 Rd7 15.Bb3 Ned5 16.Nxd5 Nxd5 17.Bf2 b5 18.g4 fxg4 19.fxg4 c5 20.c4 Nc7 21.Bg3 Qc6 1-0(36) Zhang Zhong 2607 - Arencibia 2534, Ubeda 2001.

8...Be6 9.a3 g6 10.OOO OOO 11.Nf3 Bg7 12.Ng5 Rd7 13.Nxe6 fxe6 14.Bc4 Na5 15.Be2 Qc6 16.Bf3 Nd5 17.Bxd5 exd5 18.b3 == Fogarasi 2446 - Narciso Dublan 2544, Budapest HUN 2001.

[\*106\*] 12.Nxg6 hxg6 13.OOO OOO 14.h3 Qb4 15.Bb3 Na5 16.Ne2 == Zhang Zhong 2636 - Ye Jiangchuan 2670, Beijing CHN 2000.

[\*107\*] 6...g6 7.Bg2 Bg7 8.OO OO 9.Bf4 Qd8 10.Qd2 c6 11.Rfe1 Bg4 12.Ne5 Be6 13.Rad1 Nbd7 14.Qc1 Nb6 15.Bh6 Qc8 16.Bxg7 Kxg7 17.Ne4 Bh3 18.Nc5 Bg4 1-0 Asrian 2596 - Kurajica 2551, ? 2003;

10...Re8 11.Rfe1 c6 12.a4 a5 13.Rad1 Bg4 14.h3 Bxf3 15.Bxf3 e6 16.Be5 Nbd7 17.Ne4 Nxe4 18.Bxe4 Qb6 19.b3 Nf6 20.Bg2 Qb4 21.c3 Qb6 == (30) Arakhamia-Grant 2426 - Tiviakov 2700, Birmingham ENG 2005;

10...Nbd7 11.Bh6 Nb6 12.Bxg7 Kxg7 13.Rfe1 c6 14.Ne4 Nc4 15.Qe2 Nd6 16.Nxf6 exf6 17.b3 Bg4 18.Qd2 Bxf3 19.Bxf3 Qb6 20.h4 h5 21.c3 Rfe8 0-1 (33) Vouldis 2528 - Kurajica 2557, Plovdiv BUL 2003;

9.Re1 Nc6 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.d5 Nb4 12.Ne5 e6 13.dxe6 Bxe6 14.Bxb7 Rb8 15.Bf3 Bf5 16.Rc1 Re8 17.Qxd8 Rbxd8 18.Nc6 Nxc2 19.Re5 Rxe5 20.Bxe5 Re8 21.Bxc7 Nd7 1-0 (28) Nevednichy 2505 - Kurajica 2536, Ljubljana 1999;

7.Bf4 Qd8 8.Ne5 Bg7 9.Bg2 OO 10.OO c6 11.Qd2 Be6 12.Rfe1 Nd5 13.Bh6 Bxh6 14.Qxh6 Nxc3 15.bxc3 Bd5 16.Bxd5 cxd5 17.Re3 e6 18.g4 Qf6 19.g5 Qg7 20.Qh4 f6 21.Ng4 fxg5 1-0 (30) Sakaev 2664 - Kurajica 2551, Istanbul 2003.

6...e6 7.Bg2 Nc6 8.OO Be7 9.b3 OO 10.Bb2 Rb8 11.Ne2 b5 12.Nf4 b4 13.a3 a5 14.axb4 axb4 15.Ne5 Nd5 16.Nc4 Qd8 17.Nxd5 exd5 18.Ne3 Be6 19.Ra6 Qd7 20.Qh5 Rb5 21.Rfa1 Bf6 == (60) Glek 2600 - Bronstein 2435, Belgium 1995;

7...Be7 8.OO Nc6 9.Bf4 Qd8 10.Ne2 Nd5 11.Bd2 b5 12.b3 Bf6 13.c4 Nde7 14.Bc3 b4 15.Bb2 Bb7 16.Nf4 g6 17.Qd2 Nxd4 18.Bxd4 Bxf3 19.Bxf3 Bxd4 20.Bxa8 Bxa1 21.Qxd8+ Kxd8 1-0 (47) Parligras 2577 - Podinic 2415, Bijelo Polje SCG 2005.

6...Nc6 7.Bf4 Qd8 8.Bg2 e6 9.OO Be7 10.Qe2 OO 11.Rad1 Nd5 12.Bc1 b5 13.Ne4 Bb7 14.c3 Qd7 15.Rfe1 Rae8 16.Qc2 h6 17.b3 f5 18.Nc5 Bxc5 19.dxc5 Qc8 20.c4 Nf6 21.Bb2 Ne4 0-1 (47) Spasov 2588 - Kurajica 2549, La Laguna 2007;

7.Bg2 Bg4 8.h3 Bh5 9.OO OOO 10.d5 Nb4 11.Bf4 Qb6 12.Be3 Qd6 13.Qe2 Nbx5 14.Nxd5 Nxd5 15.Rfd1 Qe6 16.g4 Nxe3 17.Rxd8+ Kxd8 18.gxh5 Nxg2 19.Rd1+ Kc8 20.Qxe6+ fxe6 21.Kxg2 g6 == (34) Ovetchkin 2507 - Hasangatin 2501, chessassistantclub.com INT 2004.

[\*108\*] 9.Ne5 Bxg2 10.Kxg2 b4 11.Qf3 c6 12.Ne4 Qd5 13.Re1 Nbd7 14.Bg5 Rc8 15.c4 bxc3 16.bxc3 Nxe5 17.dxe5 Nxe4 18.Rxe4 c5 19.Rd1 Qc6 20.Qd3 Be7 21.Bxe7 Kxe7 == (55) Drazic 2462 - Zelcic 2576, Saint Vincent ITA 2003;

12.Bf4 bxc3 13.Nxf7 Qxd4 14.Nxh8 cxb2 15.Rad1 Qc4 16.Be5 Nbd7 17.Bxb2 Be7 18.Nf7 Qb5 19.Bxf6 1-0 Sax 2584 - Heinzel 2378, Bad Zwesten 2002;

10...Ra7 11.Qf3 Be7 12.Be3 b4 13.d5 Qxe5 14.Bxa7 bxc3 15.Bxb8 Nxd5 16.bxc3 OO 17.c4 Nb6 18.Qb7 Bd6 19.Rae1 Qc5 20.Ba7 a5 21.Rb1 Qxc4 == (64) De Vreugt 2498 - Gofshtein 2580, Tel Aviv ISR 2000;

10...c6 11.Qf3 Qxd4 12.Bf4 Nd5 13.Rad1 Qa7 14.Nxd5 cxd5 15.Rfe1 Bb4 16.c3 Ba5 17.Nxf7 Qxf7 18.Qxd5 OO 19.Qxa8 Bb6 20.Qf3 1-0 Godena 2537 - Wong Meng Kong SIN 2459, Turin ITA 2006;

10...Nbd7 11.Qf3 Rc8 12.Bf4 Qb6 13.Rfe1 c6 14.Nxd7 Kxd7 15.Be5 Be7 16.Ne4 Nxe4 17.Rxe4 f6 18.Bf4 f5 19.Re2 Bf6 20.Rae1 Rhe8 21.g4 g6 1-0 (59) Turkov 2496 - DeMauro 2488, ICCF 2006;

9...Qb6 10.Be3 Bxg2 11.Kxg2 Qb7+ 12.Qf3 Qxf3+ 13.Kxf3 Bd6 14.Nd3 Nbd7 15.a4 b4 16.Ne2 Nd5 17.Nec1 Rc8 18.Nb3 == Dolmatov 2605 - Ovetchkin 2519, Krasnoyarsk RUS 2003;

10.d5 Bc5 11.dxe6 fxe6 12.Nc4 bxc4 13.Na4 Qa7 14.Bxb7 Bxf2+ 15.Rxf2 Qxb7 16.Nc5 Qd5 17.Qxd5 exd5 18.Bh6 gxh6 19.Rxf6 Nd7 20.Re6+ Kd8 21.Nxa6 Nb6 1-0 (37) Kurnosov 2550 - Tzermiadianos 2453, Warsaw POL 2005.

9.Re1 Be7 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.Ne5 Bxg2 12.Kxg2 OO 13.Qf3 Ra7 14.Rad1 Bb4 15.Bg5 h6 16.Bh4 Bxc3 17.bxc3 g5 18.d5 exd5 19.Rd4 c5 20.Ng4 Nxg4 21.Rxd5 Rd7 1-0 (28) Nepomniachtchi 2506 - Milanovic 2486, playchess.com INT 2006.

[\*109\*] 9...Qd8 10.Ne5 Qc8 11.d5 Bb4 12.dxe6 fxe6 13.Bxb7 Qxb7 14.Bg5 OO 15.Bxf6 Rxf6 16.Qd4 Be7 17.Qe4 Qxe4 18.Nxe4 Rf8 19.Rfe1 Rd8 20.a4 b4 21.Rad1 Rd5 1-0 (71) Khalifman 2653 - Polgar 2577, Ruschess.com INT 2005;

10...Bxg2 11.Kxg2 c5 12.Qf3 Ra7 13.dxc5 Bxc5 14.Bg5 Be7 15.Ne4 Qd5  
16.Nxf6+ gxf6 17.Qxd5 exd5 18.Be3 Rc7 19.Nd3 Rxc2 20.Rac1 Rxc1 21.Rxc1 Kd7 ==  
=(52) Grischuk 2581 - Hauchard 2513, Ubeda ESP 2000;

10.d5 Nxd5 11.Ng5 Be7 12.Qh5 g6 13.Qh6 Nxf4 14.Nxf7 Qd2 15.Bxb7 Kxf7  
16.gxf4 Ra7 17.Rad1 Qxc2 18.Be4 Qxb2 19.Bxg6+ Kg8 20.Bh5 1-0 Vouldis 2515 -  
Kotronias 2580, Greece 2002;

10.a4 b4 11.Ne2 Be7 12.c4 OO 13.b3 Nbd7 14.Qc2 c5 15.d5 exd5 16.Nh4 Qc8  
17.Nf5 Re8 18.Bd6 Bd8 19.Nf4 dxc4 20.Qxc4 Bxg2 21.Kxg2 Nb6 0-1(44) Maslak 2529 -  
Milanovic 2486, playchess.com INT 2006.

[\*110\*] 10.Ne5 Bxg2 11.Kxg2 Qb7+ 12.Qf3 Qxf3+ 13.Kxf3 Nbd7 14.Nc6 Nb6 15.a4 b4  
16.Ne4 Nfd5 17.a5 Nc4 18.b3 Na3 19.Rfc1 Nb5 20.Bd2 f5 21.Nc5 e5 ===(45) Kengis  
2570 - Beliavsky 2650, Bled SLO 2002;

14.Nxd7 Kxd7 15.Rfd1 c6 16.Ne4 Nd5 17.Nc5+ Bxc5 18.dxc5 f6 19.Bd6 a5  
20.Rac1 Ra7 21.c4 bxc4 0-1(37) Hossain 2426 - Sermek 2595, Dhaka BAN 2002;

13...Bb4 14.a4 Bxc3 15.bxc3 bxa4 16.Rxa4 Nd5 17.c4 Nxf4 18.Kxf4 f6  
19.Nd3 Nc6 20.d5 exd5 21.cxd5 Ne7 ===(31) Pavasovic 2539 - Sermek 2570, Portoroz  
SLO 2001.

10.Be3 c5 11.a4 b4 12.a5 Qc7 13.Na4 Nbd7 14.Bf4 Qc6 15.Nh4 Qc8 16.dxc5 Bxg2  
17.Nxg2 Qc6 18.Qd2 Qb5 19.Nb6 Ra7 20.Nc8 Ra8 21.Nb6 Ra7 ===(39) Iuldachev 2520 -  
Sermek 2509, Kuala Lumpur MAS 2008.

[\*111\*] 11.a5 Qa7 12.Bxd6 cxd6 13.d5 Nxd5 14.Ne4 OO 15.Nxd6 Nc6 16.Ng5 Rad8  
17.Nxb7 Qxb7 18.Qd3 Nf6 19.Qe3 Qc8 20.Qb6 Nd5 21.Qc5 Ne5 1-0(54) Sveshnikov 2563  
- Hasangatin 2458, ? 1999.

11.Bxd6 cxd6 12.axb5 axb5 13.Qd3 b4 14.Na4 Qa5 15.c4 bxc3 16.Qxc3 Qxc3  
17.bxc3 Nbd7 18.c4 Ke7 19.d5 Rhc8 20.dxe6 fxe6 21.Nd2 Bxg2 0-1(52) Satyapragyan  
2354 - Sermek 2595, Calcutta IND 2002.

[\*112\*] 12.axb5 axb5 13.Qe2 Rxa1 14.Rxa1 Bxf3 15.dxc5 Bxc5 16.Bxc5 Qxc5 17.Bxf3  
b4 18.Ne4 Nxe4 19.Qxe4 OO 20.Ra4 b3 21.c3 Nd7 1-0(50) Almasi 2672 - Kurajica  
2548, Bled SLO 2002.

11...b4 12.a5 Qa7 13.d5 Bc5 14.dxe6 Bxe3 15.exf7+ Kxf7 16.Ne5+ Ke7 17.Bxb7  
Qxb7 18.Qd3 bxc3 19.Qxe3 Nbd7 20.Nxd7+ Kxd7 21.Rfd1+ Kc8 1-0(44) Sutovsky 2639 -  
Sermek 2577, Terme Zrece 2003.

11...Ng4 12.Bd2 Nf6 13.Qe2 c6 14.Ng5 OO 15.Nce4 Be7 16.axb5 cxb5 17.Nxf6+  
Bxf6 18.Ne4 Be7 19.Be3 Bd5 20.Nc5 Bxg2 21.Kxg2 Nd7 ===(49) Beshukov 2506 -  
Hasangatin 2449, Koszalin POL 1999.

[\*113\*] 7...Bxf3 8.Qxf3 c6 9.Be3 e6 10.OOO Qc7 11.Kb1 Nbd7 12.g4 b5 13.g5 Nd5  
14.Ne4 N7b6 15.h4 OOO 16.Bc1 Kb8 17.h5 Ka7 18.Bh3 h6 19.gxh6 gxh6 20.Rhg1 Rd7  
21.Nc5 Bxc5 0-1(30) Brkic 2454 - Kurajica 2541, Solin/Split 2004;

10...Be7 11.g4 Qc7 12.g5 Nd5 13.Ne4 b5 14.h4 Nd7 15.Kb1 Rf8 16.c4 bxc4  
17.Bxc4 N7b6 18.Rc1 Rb8 19.Bb3 a5 20.Nc5 Qa7 21.a3 a4 1-0(32) Sveshnikov 2504 -  
Ponkratov 2469, Chelyabinsk 2007;

10.Bg2 Nbd7 11.OO Be7 12.Rfd1 OO 13.a3 Qc7 14.Ne2 a5 15.c4 e5 16.g4 exd4  
17.Nxd4 g6 18.Bf4 Qc8 19.Re1 Re8 20.Bg5 Kg7 21.Qc3 h6 ===(64) Hera 2526 -  
Milanovic 2510, Nova Gorica 2008;

12.Na4 Nd5 13.Bd2 b5 14.Nc3 N7f6 15.Ne2 OO 16.Rfc1 c5 17.c4 bxc4 18.dxc5  
Qe5 19.Rab1 Bxc5 20.Rxc4 Rac8 21.b3 Qb8 1-0(40) Kurnosov 2533 - Korniushev 2457,  
St. Petersburg RUS 2004;

9...Nbd7 10.OOO e6 11.Bf4 Qb4 12.a3 Qa5 13.Bc4 Be7 14.d5 cxd5 15.Bxd5 OO  
16.Bxb7 Rab8 17.Qc6 Bxa3 18.bxa3 Qxa3+ 19.Kd2 e5 20.Be3 Rfd8 21.Ke2 Rxb7 ===(39)  
Glek 2553 - Kekelidze 2512, Boeblingen 2000;

9...Nd5 10.Bg2 e6 11.OO Be7 12.Nxd5 exd5 13.Bf4 Qd7 14.Rfe1 OO 15.h4 Bf6  
16.c3 a5 17.Kh2 Na6 18.Bh3 Qd8 19.Re2 Nc7 20.Rae1 Ne8 21.Bf5 Nd6 1-0(47) Kalod  
2495 - Sermek 2523, Turin ITA 2006;

8...Nc6 9.Be3 e6 10.Bg2 Rd8 11.OOO Nd5 12.Nxd5 Qxd5 13.Qxd5 exd5 14.Rhe1 Ne7 15.h4 Kd7 16.Bg5 f6 17.Bh3+ Kc6 18.Bf4 Nc8 19.Rd3 Bd6 20.Bxd6 Nxd6 21.Re7 1-0 Nisipeanu 2692 - Moldovan 2435, Tusnad 2004;

9...OOO 10.OOO e6 11.Bg2 Qb4 12.Kb1 Qa5 13.d5 exd5 14.Nxd5 Rxd5 15.Rxd5 Qxd5 16.Qxd5 Nxd5 17.Bxd5 Nd8 18.Bd4 f6 19.Re1 Bd6 20.a3 c6 21.Be4 Kc7 1-0(76) Stefansson 2564 - Galego 2529, Reykjavik 2008;

9...e5 10.dxe5 Qxe5 11.OOO Bb4 12.Bf4 Qe6 13.Bb5 Bxc3 14.Qxc3 OO 15.Bc4 Qf5 16.Bd3 Qe6 17.Bc4 Qf5 18.Bd3 Qe6 19.Bc4 == Velicka 2441 - Galego 2522, Figueira da Foz 2005.

[\*114\*] 8.g4 Bg6 9.Ne5 Nc6 10.Nxc6 Qxc6 11.d5 Qd6 12.Bg2 e6 13.Qe2 OOO 14.dxe6 Qxe6 15.Be3 Bb4 16.OO Bxc3 17.bxc3 Be4 18.Bd4 Qc6 19.Bxe4 Nxe4 20.Qf3 f6 21.Rfel Rhe8 == (45) Macieja 2585 - Gashimov 2625, playchess.com INT 2006;

10.Bg2 Nxe5 11.dxe5 Qxe5+ 12.Be3 c6 13.Qe2 e6 14.f4 Qc7 15.OOO Be7 16.Rhf1 Rd8 17.Rxd8+ Qxd8 18.f5 exf5 19.Bc5 Kf8 20.Rd1 Qc7 21.Na4 fxg4 0-1(37) Sveshnikov 2524 - Belikov 2552, Moscow (Russia) 2006.

8.Qe2 Nc6 9.Be3 OOO 10.Bg2 e6 11.OO Be7 12.Rab1 Nd5 13.Nxd5 exd5 14.b4 Rhe8 15.b5 Nb8 16.c4 Bf6 17.c5 Qe6 18.Rb4 Bg6 19.Rc1 axb5 20.Rxb5 Qa6 21.Qb2 Bd3 1-0(29) Pavasovic 2575 - Borisek 2507, Murska Sobota 2006;

12.a3 Nd5 13.Ne4 Qd7 14.b4 f5 15.Nc5 Bxc5 16.bxc5 f4 17.gxf4 Rhf8 18.Rab1 Nxd4 19.Bxd4 Nxf4 20.Qe5 Nxg2 21.Qxh5 Nf4 0-1(27) Zelcic 2514 - Sermek 2555, Sibenik CRO 2005.

[\*115\*] 9.Bf4 Qb4 10.g4 Bg6 11.Qc1 OOO 12.OO Nxd4 13.Nxd4 Rxd4 14.a3 Qc5 15.Be3 e5 16.Ne2 Qc4 17.Bxd4 exd4 18.Qd2 Bc5 19.Rac1 Ne4 20.Qd1 f5 21.Qd3 Nd6 1-0(60) Zelcic 2533 - Stevic 2514, Vukovar CRO 2005;

12...e6 13.a3 Qb6 14.Be3 Nd5 15.Nxd5 exd5 16.c4 f6 17.b4 Ne7 18.c5 Qb5 19.Qb2 Qa4 20.Rfc1 h5 21.Nd2 hxg4 0-1(46) Abergel 2517 - Graf1 2433, ? 2008;

10.a3 Qxb2 11.Na4 Qb5 12.c4 Qxc4 13.Rc1 Qe6+ 14.Be3 Nd5 15.OO Nxe3 16.fxe3 Qxe3+ 17.Kh1 e6 18.g4 Bxg4 19.hxg4 Qh6+ 20.Kg1 Bxa3 21.Rc3 Bb4 == (28) Landa 2641 - Bauer 2614, Nancy 2008.

9.Be3 OOO 10.Qe2 e5 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.g4 Bg6 13.Nxe5 Qxe5 14.f4 Qa5 15.f5 Bc5 16.Qf3 Bxe3 17.Qxb7+ Kd7 18.Ke2 Qe5 19.Rhe1 Nh5 20.Rad1+ == Pavasovic 2535 - Gashimov 2625, playchess.com INT 2006.

9.d5 Nb4 10.Bf4 Qc5 11.Be3 Qd6 12.Qe2 Nbx5 13.Nxd5 Qxd5 14.OO c6 15.Rad1 Qa5 16.g4 Bg6 17.Bf4 Nd5 18.Bg3 e6 19.c4 1-0 Dothan 2589 - Spitz 2533, ICCF 2007.

[\*116\*] 10.Be3 e5 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.g4 Qxd1 13.Raxd1 Rxd1 14.Rxd1 Nxf3+ 15.Bxf3 Bg6 16.g5 Bh5 17.Bxh5 Nxh5 18.Nd5 h6 19.gxh6 g6 20.c4 f6 21.h4 b6 1-0(40) Fressinet 2656 - Bauer 2614, France 2008;

17.Kg2 Bxf3+ == Perez Candelario 2511 - Gashimov 2625, Kusadasi TUR 2006;

12.Nxe5 Bxd1 13.Nxf7 Bxc2 14.Nxd6+ Bxd6 15.Rac1 Bg6 16.Na4 Be4 17.Nb6+ Kb8 18.Nc4 Bxg2 19.Kxg2 == Van den Doel 2587 - Tiviakov 2678, Leeuwarden NED 2005.

[\*117\*] 11.g4 Bg6 12.a3 Qc4 13.g5 Nd5 14.Nxd5 Rxd5 15.c3 Rd8 16.b3 Qd3 17.Qc1 Qc2 18.Qe3 e6 19.b4 Qe4 20.Nd2 Qxe3 21.fxe3 e5 1-0(65) Svidler 2728 - Tiviakov 2667, Wijk aan Zee 2007.

11.a3 Qxb2 12.Qd3 Bxf3 13.Bxf3 Rxd4 14.Qe3 Rc4 15.Nd5 Qd4 0-1 Galdunts S 2512 - Gofshtein Z A 2523, ? 2001.

[\*118\*] 12.a3 == Tiviakov 2678 - Almeida Quintana 2462, Solsona ESP 2005.

11...e5 12.Bd2 e4 13.Nxe4 Qxe4 14.dxc6 Qxc6 15.g4 Bg6 16.Ne5 Qd6 17.Nxg6 hxg6 18.Be3 Qxd1 19.Rfxd1 Rxd1+ 20.Rxd1 Bd6 21.Kf1 Nd7 == (37) Khairullin 2533 - Lysyj 2523, Cheboksary RUS 2006.

[\*119\*] 7...c6 8.OO e6 9.Na4 Qd8 10.c4 Nbd7 11.h3 Bxf3 12.Qxf3 Bd6 13.b4 OO 14.Rb1 Qc7 15.Nc5 e5 16.Nxd7 Qxd7 17.dxe5 Bxe5 18.a4 Qc7 19.Be3 Rad8 20.Rfe1 Nd7 21.b5 axb5 1-0(30) Bologan 2665 - Saric 2562, Neum, BIH 2008;

9.h3 Bxf3 10.Bxf3 Qc7 11.Ne2 Nbd7 12.c4 Bd6 13.Be3 OO 14.Bg2 Rad8 15.Qc2 Rfe8 16.Rfd1 Nf8 17.Rac1 Ng6 18.Nc3 Qb8 19.Qb1 Rc8 20.a4 h5 21.Ne2 h4 == (46) Hou 2509 - Berg 2586, Wijk aan Zee 2007;

9.a4 a5 10.h3 Bxf3 11.Qxf3 Be7 12.Bf4 Qd8 13.Rad1 OO 14.Ne4 Nxe4 15.Qxe4 Nd7 16.c4 Re8 17.Qc2 Rc8 18.h4 Qb6 19.Rd3 Bf6 20.Rfd1 e5 21.Bh3 exf4 1-0(30) Shabalov 2605 - Gonzalez 2440, Philadelphia 2004;

9.Bf4 Qd8 10.h3 Bxf3 11.Qxf3 Qxd4 12.Rfd1 Qb6 13.g4 h6 14.Na4 Qb5 15.b3 Nbd7 16.Rd2 Be7 17.Rad1 Rc8 18.Nb2 e5 19.a4 Qc5 20.Bg3 Rd8 21.Qe2 OO 1-0(67) Jenni 2511 - Benkovic 2469, Zurich 2007;

8.Bf4 Qd8 9.h3 Bxf3 10.Qxf3 e6 11.OOO Be7 12.g4 Nbd7 13.Kb1 Nd5 14.Nxd5 cxd5 15.c4 Nb6 16.c5 Nc4 17.Bf1 Na5 18.Qg3 Bh4 19.Qe3 h6 20.Be5 Bf6 21.Bxf6 Qxf6 == (27) Svidler 2743 - Tiviakov 2669, Turin ITA 2006;

10...Qxd4 11.OO e6 12.Rad1 Qb6 13.Na4 Qb5 14.b3 Nbd7 15.c4 Qa5 16.g4 h6 17.Qg3 Rc8 18.Qe3 Ra8 19.Qg3 Be7 20.Bc7 Qb4 21.Rd4 OO 0-1(29) Al Modiahki 2564 - Tiviakov 2668, Amsterdam 2006;

8.h3 Bxf3 9.Bxf3 e6 10.Bf4 Qd8 11.Qd3 Bb4 12.Bd2 Nbd7 13.OOO Qc7 14.Kb1 OO 15.g4 Rfd8 16.g5 Ne8 17.Be4 Nf8 18.h4 Rd7 19.g6 f5 20.gxh7+ Kh8 21.Bf3 Nf6 1-0(36) Ivanov 2462 - Milanovic 2519, Bucharest 2007.

7...e6 8.OO c6 9.Bf4 Qd8 10.h3 Bxf3 11.Qxf3 Be7 12.Ne2 OO 13.Qb3 Ra7 14.c4 b5 15.Rfc1 Bd6 16.Be5 bxc4 17.Rxc4 Nd5 18.Nc3 Bxe5 19.dxe5 Qg5 20.Re1 Nd7 21.Rxc6 Nxe5 1-0(33) So 2627 - Bosboom 2418, Wijk aan Zee NED 2009.

[\*120\*] 8.Bf4 Qe6+ 9.Be3 Rd8 10.OO Qf5 11.Bf4 Qc8 12.d5 Nb4 13.Qd4 c5 14.Qe5 Nbx5 15.h3 Nxf4 16.Qxf4 Bf5 17.Rad1 Bxc2 18.Rxd8+ Qxd8 19.Rc1 Bg6 20.Ne5 Qc7 21.Nxg6 1-0 Lupulescu 2499 - Benkovic 2463, Bucharest 2003;

10.Qe2 Nd5 11.Nxd5 Qxd5 12.c3 Qb5 13.h3 Qxe2+ 14.Kxe2 Bxf3+ 15.Bxf3 e6 16.b4 Bd6 17.a4 OO 18.Rhb1 Rfe8 19.Bg2 e5 20.d5 Nd4+ 21.Kd3 Nf5 1-0(41) Felgaer 2467 - Czebe 2491, Budapest 2001;

9...Nb4 10.Qe2 c6 11.a3 Nbd5 12.Nxd5 Nxd5 13.Bd2 Qxe2+ 14.Kxe2 g6 15.h3 Bf5 16.c4 Nb6 17.Rac1 Be4 18.Be3 Bg7 19.Rhd1 OO 20.Bf1 h6 21.Ne5 f6 1-0(44) Sturua 2600 - Ye 2535, Groningen open A 1998;

8...Qb4 9.h3 Bh5 10.g4 Bg6 11.Qd2 OOO 12.OOO e6 13.Qe3 Qb6 14.a3 Bd6 15.Ne5 Bxe5 16.Bxe5 h5 17.Na4 Qb5 18.Nc3 Qb6 19.Na4 Qb5 20.Nc3 Qa5 21.Bxf6 gxf6 == (35) Maze 2518 - Gashimov 2625, Montpellier FRA 2006.

8.h3 Bh5 9.OO OOO 10.Bf4 Qb4 11.a3 Qxb2 12.Na4 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Qxd4 14.Qb3 Na5 15.Qb4 Qxb4 16.axb4 e5 17.Bxe5 Nc4 18.Bxf6 gxf6 19.Rfe1 c6 20.Re4 Nd6 21.Rf4 f5 == (47) Delchev 2629 - Sulava 2531, Hyeres FRA 2001;

10.Be3 e5 11.dxe5 Nxe5 12.g4 Qxd1 13.Raxd1 Nxf3+ 14.Bxf3 Rxd1 15.Bxd1 Bg6 16.f4 h6 17.f5 Bh7 18.Bd4 Be7 19.Re1 Bd8 20.Bf3 c6 21.Kf1 Rg8 == (31) Bakre 2447 - Gofshtein 2509, Grand Harve Bay GCI 2006.

8.Be3 OOO 9.h3 Bh5 10.Qe2 e6 11.OO Nd5 12.Nxd5 exd5 13.c4 dxc4 14.Qxc4 Qb4 15.Rfc1 Qxc4 16.Rxc4 f6 17.d5 Bf7 18.dxc6 Bxc4 19.cxb7+ Kb8 20.Nd4 Bd5 21.Nc6+ Bxc6 0-1(32) Van Oosterom 2399 - Berg 2601, Maastricht 2008.

[\*121\*] 8...Rd8 9.Bf4 Qd7 10.d5 Nb4 11.Ne5 Bxd1 12.Nxd7 Rxd7 13.Rfxd1 c6 14.Bh3 e6 15.dxe6 Rxd1+ 16.Rxd1 Bc5 17.Be5 fxe6 18.Bxf6 gxf6 19.Ne4 Be7 20.Bxe6 Nxc2 21.Rd7 b5 1-0(26) Rowson 2599 - Lazic 2472, Verona ITA 2006.

[\*122\*] 9.h3 Bh5 10.Bf4 Qb4 11.a3 Qxb2 12.Na4 Bxf3 13.Qxf3 Qxd4 14.Qb3 Na5 15.Qb4 Qxb4 16.axb4 Nc4 17.b5 a5 18.Nc5 Nd5 19.Nb3 Nxf4 20.gxf4 b6 21.Ra4 Nd2 1-0(30) Zezulkin 2529 - Danielsen 2526, Germany 2002;

15.Bxb7+ Nxb7 16.Rab1 Nd6 17.Bxd6 Rxd6 18.c4 Ne4 19.Qb7+ Kd8 20.Qa8+ Kd7 21.Qxe4 Qxe4 == (35) Liss 2487 - Gofshtein 2519, Israel 2003;



11.g4 Bg6 12.Ne5 Nxd4 13.a3 Qc5 14.Na4 Qxc2 15.Nb6+ Kb8 16.Nbd7+ Rxd7  
17.Nxd7+ Nxd7 18.Qxd4 e5 19.Qxd7 exf4 20.Rac1 Qb3 21.Rxc7 f3 1-0(29)  
Nepomniachtchi 2506 - Gashimov 2625, playchess.com INT 2006.

9.Bf4 Qb4 10.Ne2 e6 11.Bd2 Qb6 12.c3 Be7 13.a4 a5 14.Re1 Bf5 15.b3 h6  
16.Nc1 Rhe8 17.Qe2 Nd5 18.Qb5 Kb8 19.Ra2 Bf6 20.Ne5 Nxe5 21.dxe5 Be7 == (44)  
Mitkov 2578 - Spraggett 2526, Barreiro POR 2001.

9.Be3 e5 10.dxe5 Nxe5 11.Qe2 Qe6 12.Bg5 Nxf3+ 13.Bxf3 Qxe2 14.Bxe2 Bf5  
15.Rac1 Be7 16.Rfe1 Rhe8 17.Bc4 Bg6 18.Rcd1 Rxd1 19.Nxd1 Bc5 20.Rxe8+ Nxe8  
21.Be3 Nd6 == (44) Yu Shaoteng 2476 - Nay Oo Kyaw Tun 2504, Bangkok THA 2004.

[\*123\*] 9...Ne5 10.Bf4 Nxf3+ 11.Bxf3 Bxf3 12.Qxf3 e5 13.dxe6 Qxe6 14.Bg5 Bd6  
15.Rfe1 Be5 16.Bf4 Nd7 17.Rad1 f6 18.Kg2 Rhe8 19.h4 Qf5 20.Nd5 Bxf4 21.Ne7+ Rxe7  
== (37) Farkas 2557 - Burghoff 2573, ICCF 2007;

16.Re2 h6 17.Bf4 Nd7 18.Rd1 f6 19.Red2 Bxf4 20.Qxf4 Nb6 21.Kg2 Rxd2 ==  
Hedlund 2534 - Spitz 2533, ICCF 2007;

15.Rae1 Be5 16.Na4 Rhe8 17.Nc5 Qd5 18.Qxd5 Rxd5 19.Bxf6 gxf6 20.Nd3 Re6  
21.Re4 f5 1-0(48) Vosahlik 2596 - Spitz 2533, ICCF 2007;

16.Re2 h6 17.Bf4 Nd7 18.Qe3 Bxf4 19.Qxf4 Qf6 20.Qe3 Nb8 21.Qc5 Nc6 ==  
= (27) Latronico 2543 - Spitz 2544, ICCF 2006.

[\*124\*] 10.Bf4 Qc5 11.Be3 Qd6 12.h3 Bh5 13.Qe2 e5 14.dxe6 Qxe6 15.g4 Bg6 16.Nd4  
Qe8 17.Rfe1 h5 18.Qf3 c6 19.a3 hxg4 20.hxg4 Nbd5 21.Nxd5 Rxd5 == (71) Fressinet  
2640 - Wong Meng Kong SIN 2470, Calvia ESP 2004;

11...Qa5 12.h3 Bh5 13.g4 Bg6 14.Nd4 == Huerga Leache 2440 - Mirzoev  
2545, Elgoibar ESP 2007.

[\*125\*] 12.Be3 Qd6 13.Bf4 Qc5 14.Be3 Qd6 15.Qe2 e5 16.dxe6 Qxe6 17.g4 Bg6  
18.Nd4 Qe7 19.a3 Nbd5 20.Nxd5 Nxd5 21.Nc6 bxc6 1-0(30) Zelcic 2533 - Sermek  
2531, Sibenik 2005;

13.Qe2 Nbx5 14.Nxd5 Nxd5 15.Rad1 Qf6 16.c4 Nxe3 17.Rxd8+ Kxd8 18.Qxe3  
c6 19.g4 Bg6 20.Qb6+ Kc8 21.Rd1 e5 1-0(25) Rasik 2466 - Antoniewski 2509,  
Czechia 2006;

13.Qd4 Nxc2 14.Qa7 Nxe3 15.Na4 Bxf3 16.Bxf3 Nc4 17.Nc5 Qxc5 18.Qxc5 Nd2  
19.Bg2 Nde4 20.Qa7 Nd6 21.h4 Nfe8 == (26) Sedlak 2506 - Benkovic 2469, Subotica  
YUG 2003;

12...Qa5 13.Qd4 Nxc2 14.Qa7 Bxf3 15.Bxf3 Nxe3 16.Qa8+ Kd7 17.Qxb7 Nxf1  
18.Qc6+ Kc8 19.Qa8+ Kd7 20.Qc6+ Kc8 21.Qa8+ == Nataf 2526 - Fressinet 2536,  
Vichy FRA 2000;

13.g4 Nbx5 14.Nxd5 Rxd5 15.Bd2 Rxd2 16.Qxd2 Qxd2 17.Nxd2 Bg6 18.Nc4 e6  
19.Rfd1 Be7 20.Ne5 Ne8 21.c4 f6 1-0(32) Kotronias 2580 - Godena 2481, Batumi GEO  
2002.