

# beatochess no. 14 (November 2025)

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I would like to thank Jaroslav Polasek and Volker Hergert for their contributions to this issue of **beatochess**. Jaroslav pointed out an error on my part in the last issue and sent me his own correction of the **Isenegger +0612.10g2e2 (1944)** study. As you can see below, Volker was very busy in commenting and revising studies.

For this issue my focus has been on commenting and revising studies by Isenegger that have been included in Harold's **HHdbVI** database. You can access the pgn file of all his studies, including the findings in **beatochess-13/14**, here:

Isenegger-studies

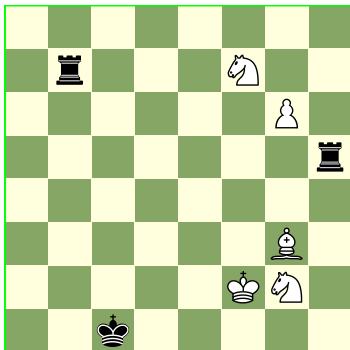
## 1 beatochess-13: erratum

### 1.1 Isenegger +0612.10g2e2 (1944) corrections

Jaroslav Polasek (JP) informed me that my correction of the Isenegger +0612.10 study is not correct. I checked this and realized that I picked the wrong study.

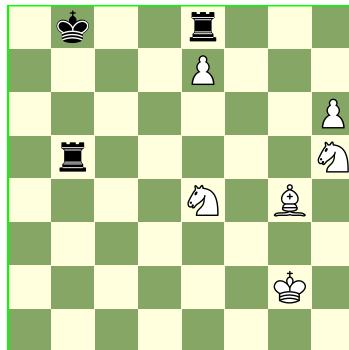
Below are all corrections: the one I intended for beatochess-13, the one by Volker (from beatochess-13), and a new one kindly provided by Jaroslav. Jaroslav also informed me that he is working on a version with richter content, which he will publish in **EG**. Stay tuned...

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1944/12/23



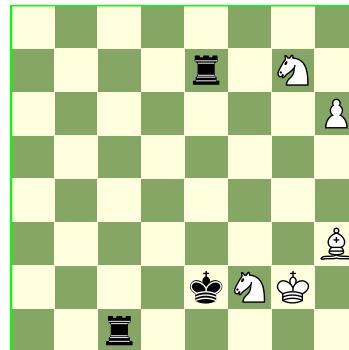
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win

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1944/12/23



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GBR: +0612.10f2c1 (c) FEN: 8/1r3N2/6P1/7r/8/6B1/5KN1/2k5 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 10/11/2025. 1. Bf4+ Kb1 2. g7 Rg5 3. Bxg5 Rxg7+ 4. Bf6 Rxg6+ 5. Nf4 Rxg4+ 6. Kg3 Rf1 7. Kg2 (7. Kh2 or ) 1-0.

GBR: +0612.20g2b8 (c) FEN: 1k2r3/4P3/7P/1r5N/4N1B1/8/6K1/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Hergert=V beatochess 30/10/2025. 1. Ng7! Rxe7 2. h7 Rh5! 3. Bxh5 (3. Nxh5? Rxh7!1) 3... Rxg7+ 4. Ng5! (4. Ng3? Rxh7!1) 4... Rxg5+ 5. Bg4! Rxg4+ 6. Kh3 1-0.

GBR: +0612.10g2e2 (c) FEN: 8/4r1N1/7P/8/8/7B/4kNK1/2r5 w - - 0 1

correction: Polasek=J beatochess 10/11/2025. 1. Bg4+ Kd2 2. h7 Rc8 3. Ne4+ Kc1 4. Bxc8 Rxg7+ 5. Ng5 Rxg5+ 6. Bg4 Rxg4+ 7. Kh3 Rg1 8. Kh2 1-0.

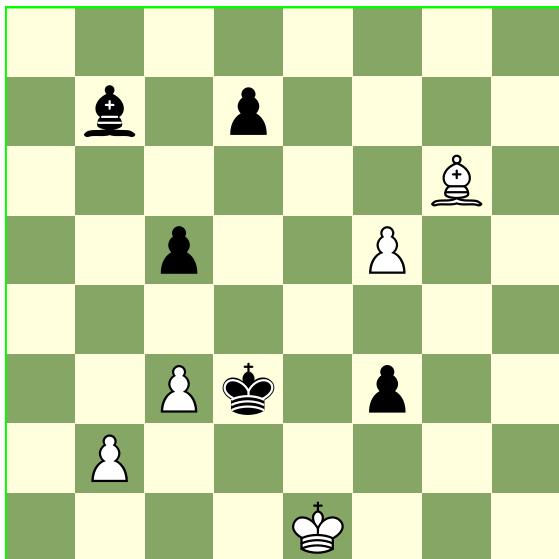
## 2 Isenegger

### 2.1 Comments on studies in HHdbVI

#### 2.1.1 Isenegger +0040.33e1d3 (1939). Cooks

The study is cooked in multiple ways.

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 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 1939



win

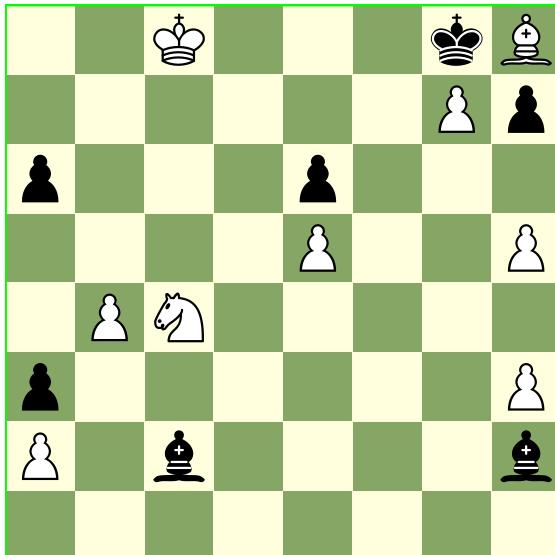
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=2 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/2 U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 04/11/2025, U2: Hergert=V beatochess 27/11/2025. **1. Kf2!** (1. f6+? Ke3) **1... Be4** (1... Bd5 2. f6+ Kd2 3. f7 Bxf7 4. Bxf7 Kc2 5. b4) **2. Bh7! Bd5** (2... Kd2 3. f6 Bd5 4. Bg6 Kc1 5. b4) **3. f6+ Kc4** (3... Kd2 4. Bg6) **4. Bb1!** (4. Bc2! cook VH) **4... Kb3** (4... Kb5 main 5. c4+! (5. Bg6 cook BN) (5. Ke3 cook BN) 5... Kxc4 (5... Bxc4 main 6. Bd3! Bxd3 7. f7) 6. Ba2+ Kd4 7. Bxd5) **5. Ba2+! Kxa2** **6. b4! Kb3** **7. b5! Kxc3 eg** **8. b6 Kd3** (8... Kc2 9. b7! Bxb7 10. f7 c4 11. f8=Q c3 12. Qf5+ Kc1 13. Qxd7) **9. f7 Bxf7** **10. b7 c4** **11. b8=Q c3** **12. Qd6+ 1-0.**

### 2.1.2 Isenegger +0071.64c8g8 (1939). Duals, modification

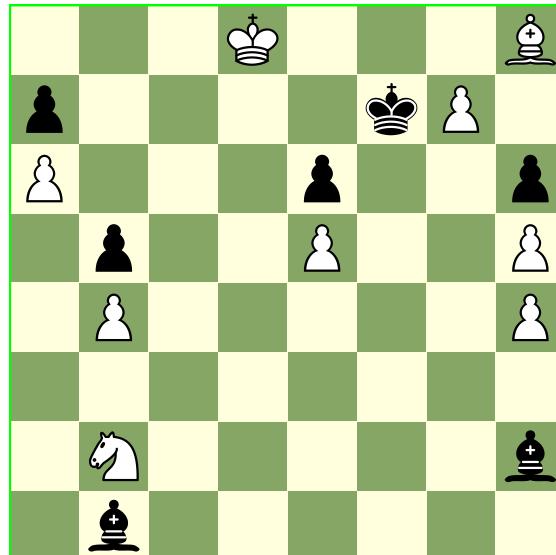
Unfortunately the pawn sacrifice **b5** works on the first or second move as well.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
1939



win

Isenegger S BN (m)  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
1939



win

GBR: +0071.64c8g8 (U1) (U2) FEN: 2K3kB/6Pp/p3p3/4P2P/1PN5/p6P/P1b4b/8 w - - 0 1

Schweizerische Schachzeitung=5 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/5. (U1/U2): Neuenschwander=B beatochess 04/11/2025. 1. **Ne3!** (1. b5! **dual BN** 1... axb5 2. Ne3 etc. (move order **dual**) 1... Bf5 2. Nxf5 (2. b5! **dual BN** 2... axb5 3. Nxf5 etc. (move order **dual**) 2... exf5 3. e6 Bd6 4. b5! axb5 5. Kd7 Bb4 6. Kc6 f4 7. Kxb5! Be7 8. Kc4 f3 9. Kd3 f2 10. Ke2 Bc5 11. Kf1! (11. e7? Bxe7) 11... h6 12. Kg2 Kh7 13. g8=Q+ Kxg8 14. Bf6 Kf8 15. Bh4 Ke8 16. Bxf2 Bxf2 17. Kxf2 Ke7 18. Ke3 Kxe6 19. Kd4 1-0\*\*.

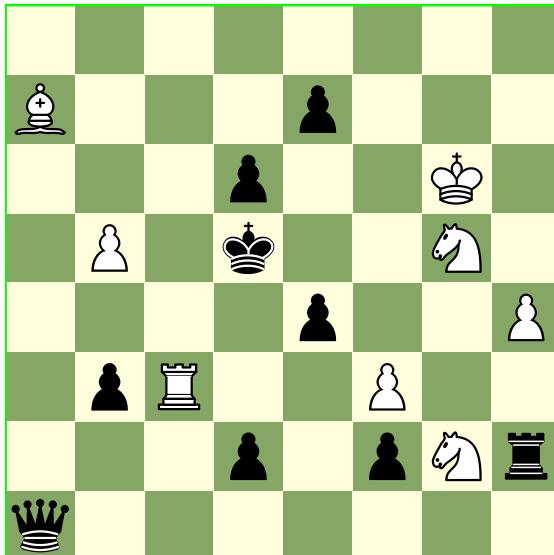
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modification: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 04/11/2025. 1. **Nd1 Kg8** 2. **Ne3** (2. Nc3? Bd3 -+) (2. Nf2? Bf5 -+) 2... Bf5 (2... Bxe5 3. Ng4 Bxg7 4. Bxg7 Kxg7 5. Kc7 +-) 3. Nxf5 exf5 4. e6 Bd6 5. Kd7 Bxb4 6. Kc6 f4 7. Kxb5 Be7 8. Kc4 f3 9. Kd3 f2 10. Ke2 Bc5 11. Kf1 Kh7 12. e7! Bxe7 13. g8=Q+! Kxg8 14. Bd4 1-0.

### 2.1.3 Isenegger +3412.36g6d5 (1939). Cook(s)

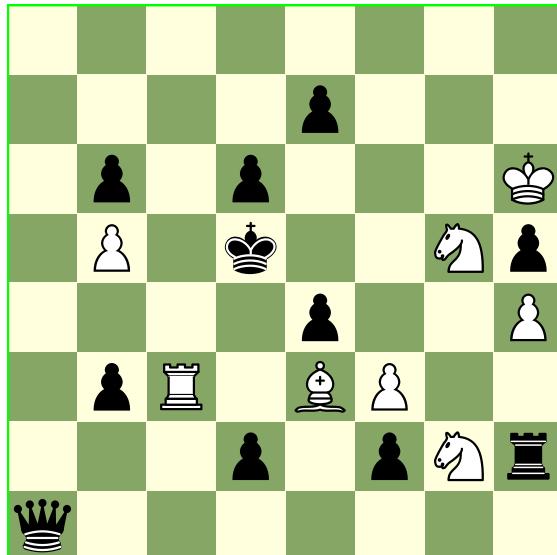
9. **Rd3!** is another cook in the original study, and it also cooks the correction.

Isenegger S  
National-Zeitung  
1939



win

Isenegger S  
National-Zeitung  
1939



win

GBR: +3412.36g6d5 U2 FEN: 8/B3p3/3p2K1/1P1k2N1/4p2P/1pR2P2/3p1pNr/q7 w - - 0 1

U2?: Kolb=F Schweizerische Schachzeitung=10 10/1941 U2: Garcia=M HHdbV#65483 24-9-2011. U2 Neuen-schwander=B beatochess 13/09/2025. 1. Nf4+ Ke5 2. Be3! exf3 (2... Rg2 3. Rc7! Qa7! 4. Rxa7 d5 5. Ra1! b2 6. Rd1 Rg1 7. Ne2!) 3. Nd3+ Kd5 4. Nb4+ Ke5 5. Nc6+ Kd5 6. Nxe7+ Ke5 7. Nc6+ (7. Rc4! cook MG 7... Qb1+ 8. Kg7 Rxh4 9. Rxh4 d1=Q 10. Bxf2 Qh7+ 11. Nxh7 d5 12. Nf8) 7... Kd5 8. Nb4+ Ke5 9. Nd3+ (9. Rd3 cook BN ) 9... Kd5 10. Nf4+ Ke5 11. Nf7+ Ke4 12. Nxd6+ Ke5 13. Nc4+ Ke4 14. Nxd2+ Ke5 15. Nc4+ Ke4 16. Nd6+ Ke5 17. Nf7+ Ke4 18. Ng5+ Ke5 19. Rd3! Qa8 20. Nf7+ Ke4 21. Nd6+ Ke5 22. Nc4+ Ke4 23. Rd4# 1-0.

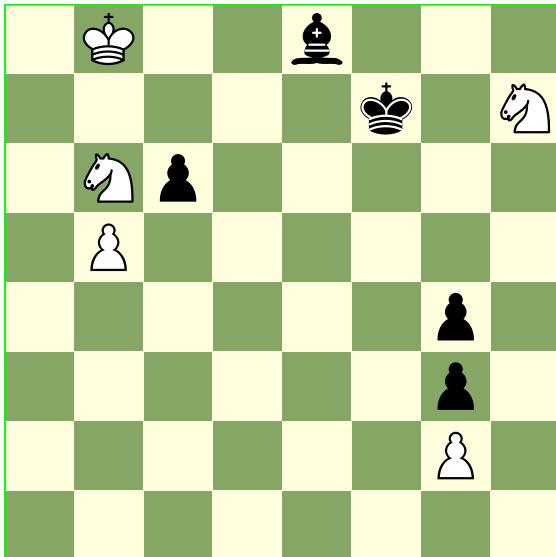
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correction: Schweizerische Schachzeitung=10 10/1941. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 04/11/2025. 1. Nf4+ Ke5 2. Kg6! exf3! (2... Rg2 3. Rc7! Qa7! 4. Rxa7 d5 5. Ra1! b2 6. Rd1 Rg1 7. Ne2!) 3. Nd3+! Kd5 4. Nb4+ Ke5 5. Nc6+ Kd5 6. Nxe7+ Ke5 7. Nc6+ Kd5 8. Nb4+ Ke5 9. Nd3+ (9. Rd3! cook BN ) 9... Kd5 10. Nf4+ Ke5 11. Nf7+ Ke4 12. Nxd6+ Ke5 13. Nc4+ Ke4 14. Nxd2+ Ke5 15. Nc4+ Ke4 16. Nd6+ Ke5 17. Nf7+ Ke4 18. Ng5+ Ke5 19. Rd3! Qa8 20. Nf7+ Ke4 21. Nd6+ Ke5 22. Nc4+ Ke4 23. Rd4# 1-0.

#### 2.1.4 Isenegger +0032.23b8f7 (1941). Changed solution

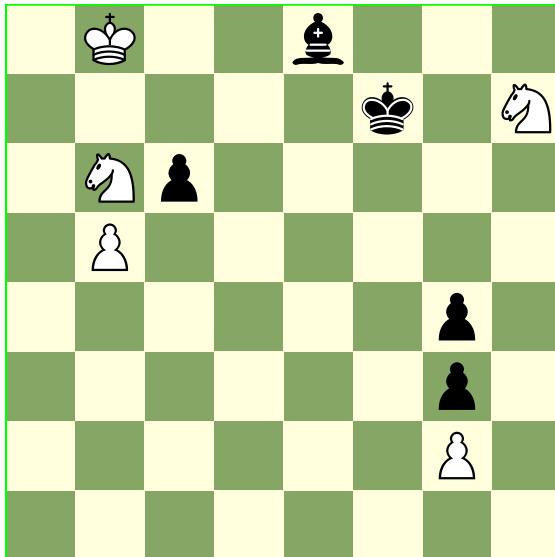
For me the two knight sacrifices is the theme, the rest is of no particular interest. The study is correct if one ends the study after move 3. Very short solutions are not uncommon in Isenegger's studies.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0478  
1941



win

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0478  
1941



win

GBR: +0032.23b8f7 (c) U2 FEN: 1K2b3/5k1N/1Np5/1P6/6p1/6p1/6P1/8 w - - 0 1

Schweizerische Schachzeitung=12 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/12. correction: Isenegger=S Schweizerische Schachzeitung=1 1/1943. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 04/11/2025. 1. Nf6! Kxf6 (1... cxb5 main 2. Nxe8! Kxe8 3. Kc7! Ke7 4. Kc6 b4 5. Kd5 Kf6 6. Ke4 Kg5 7. Nc4 b3 8. Nb2 Kh5 9. Kf5 Kh4 10. Kf4 Kh5 11. Kxg3 Kg5 12. Na4 Kf5 13. Kh4 Kf4 14. g3+ Kf3 15. Nb2) 2. Nd7+! Bxd7 3. b6 Be6 4. b7 Bd5 5. Ka7 cooks BN other winning moves 5... Bxg2 6. b8=Q Bd5 7. Qxg3 Kf5 8. Kb6 Bf3 9. Kc5 Kg5 10. Kd4 Kf5 11. Qe5+ Kg6 12. Ke3 Kf7 13. Kf4 Kg6 14. Qe6+ 1-0.

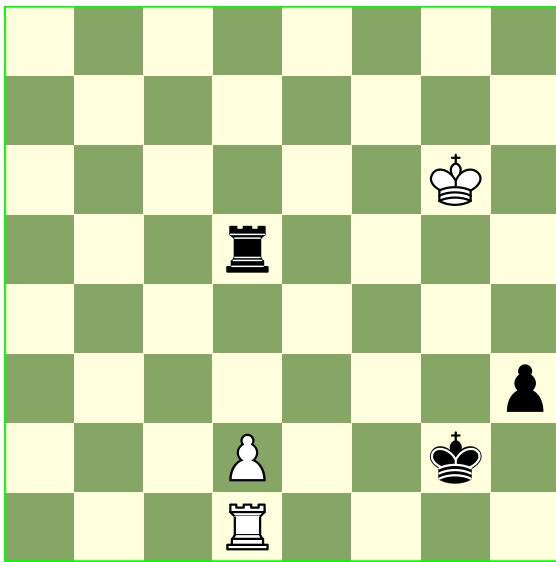
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changed solution: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 04/11/2025. 1. Nf6! Kxf6 (1... cxb5 2. Nxe8) 2. Nd7+! Bxd7 3. b6 1-0.

### 2.1.5 Isenegger =0400.11g6g2 (1941). Cooks

Black is winning in various ways.

Isenegger S  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0461  
 1941



draw

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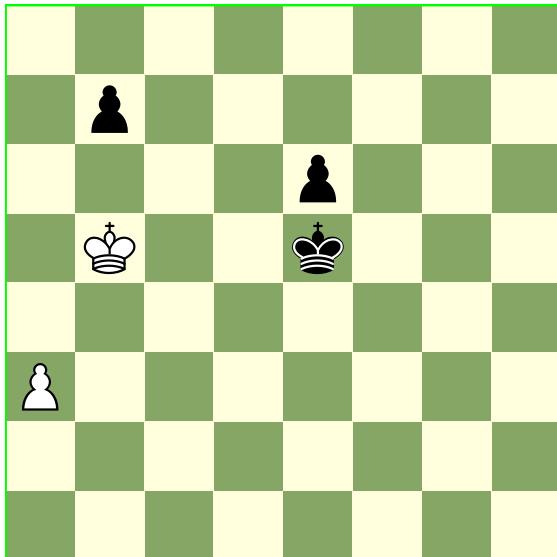
Schweizerische Schachzeitung=8 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/8. U3: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 04/11/2025.. 1. **d3!** (1. d4? h2 2. Rd2+ Kg3 3. Rd3+ Kh4! 4. Rd1 Rg5+ 5. Kf6 Rg1) 1... **h2** 2. **Rd2+** **Kg3** 3. **Rd1 Kg4** (3... Re5 **cook BN**) 4. **Rh1 Rd6+** 5. **Kf7!** (5. Kg7? Kg3 6. Rd1 Kf3! 7. Kf7 Rh6 8. d4 Ke4 9. d5 Ke5 10. Rh1 Kxd5 11. Kg7 Rh3) 5... **Rh6** (5... Kg3 **cook BN** 6. Rd1 Rh6 7. d4 Kf4) 6. **d4 Kf5** (6... Kg3 7. Rd1 Rd6 8. Rd3+ Kg4 9. Rd1 Rh6 10. Rh1) 7. **d5 Rh7+** 8. **Kg8! Rh3** 9. **Kg7 Ke5** 10. **Kg6 Kxd5** 11. **Kf5** 1/2-1/2.

### 2.1.6 Isenegger =0000.12b5e5 (1941). Cooks or (minor) duals?

For me the clou is the first move. In the play afterwards White can switch the move order, but the way to a draw remains the same. So I would demote Rainer's cooks to duals or minor duals.

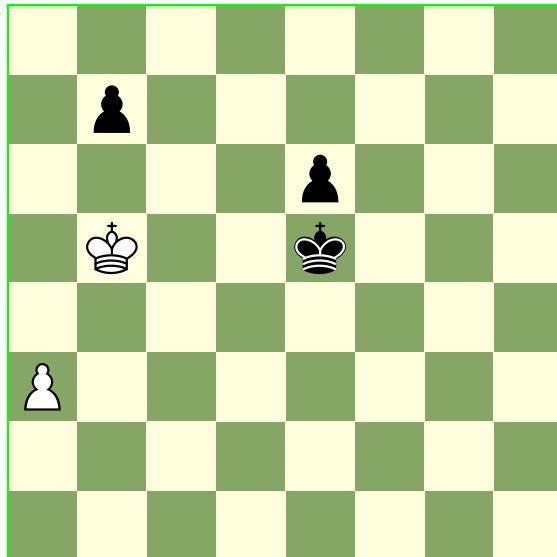
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Isenegger S  
Basler Nachrichten  
1941



draw

Isenegger S  
Basler Nachrichten  
1941



draw

GBR: =0000.12b5e5 (v) U2 FEN: 8/1p6/4p3/1K2k3/8/P7/8/8 w - - 0 1

U2: Staudte=R HHdbIV#20148 5-5-2005. **1. Kc5!** (1. Kb6? Kd6! 2. a4 e5! 3. a5 e4 4. Kxb7 e3 5. a6 e2 6. a7 e1=Q 7. a8=Q Qb4+ 8. Ka6 (8. Kc8 Qc4+ 9. Kb7 Qb5+) 8... Qa4+ 9. Kb7 Qb5+ 10. Ka7 Kc7) **1... Kf5** **2. a4** (2. Kb6! cook RS) **2... e5** **3. a5** (3. Kb6! cook RS) **3... e4** **4. Kb6 e3** **5. Kxb7 e2** **6. a6 e1=Q** **7. a7 1/2-1/2.**

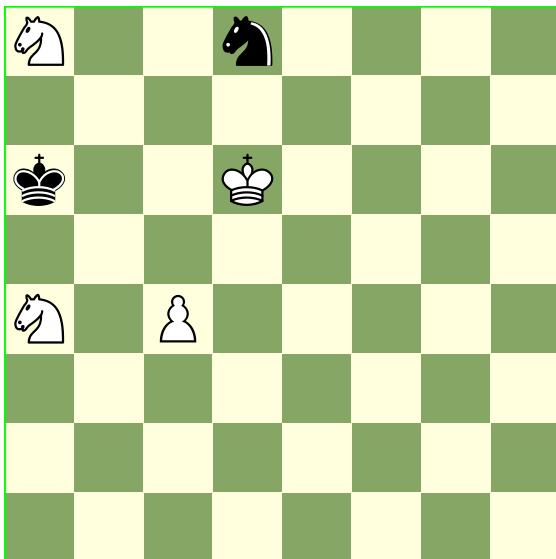
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U2: Staudte=R HHdbIV#20148 5-5-2005. Comment: Neuenschwander=B beatohess 04/11/2025. **1. Kc5!** (1. Kb6? Kd6! 2. a4 e5! 3. a5 e4 4. Kxb7 e3 5. a6 e2 6. a7 e1=Q 7. a8=Q Qb4+ 8. Ka6 (8. Kc8 Qc4+ 9. Kb7 Qb5+) 8... Qa4+ 9. Kb7 Qb5+ 10. Ka7 Kc7) **1... Kf5** **2. a4** (2. Kb6! cook RS dual BN) **2... e5** **3. a5** (3. Kb6! cook RS dual BN) **3... e4** **4. Kb6 e3** **5. Kxb7 e2** **6. a6 e1=Q** **7. a7 1/2-1/2.**

### 2.1.7 Isenegger +0005.10d6a6 (1942). Cooks

White has many first moves that win.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0509  
1942



win

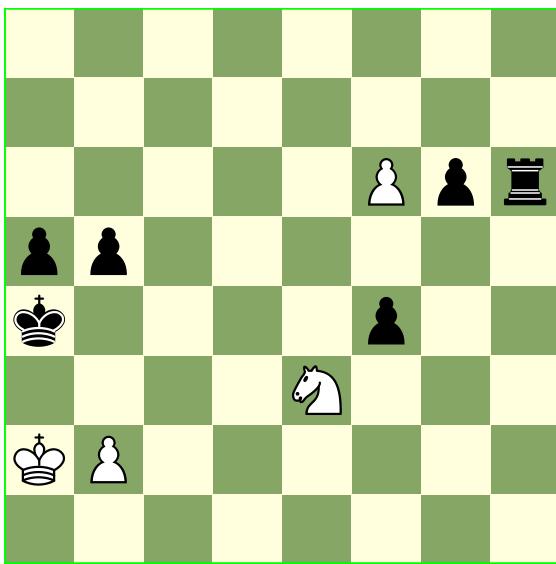
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=12 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/12. U1: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 11/11/2025.. **1. Kd7!** cook BN many winning moves (TB). **1... Nb7** (1... Nf7 2. Nc5+ Ka7 3. Nd3! Ng5 4. c5 Ne4 5. c6 Nf6+ 6. Ke6! Ne8 7. Ke7) **2. Kc7 Na5** (2... Ka7 3. N8b6 Ka6 (3... Nc5 4. Nc8+) 4. Nc8 Na5 5. Nc5#) **3. Nc5+ Ka7 4. Nb6 Nxc4 5. Nc8+ Ka8 6. Nd7** (6. Na4 or ) **6... Ne3 7. Ndb6# 1-0.**

### 2.1.8 Isenegger +0301.24a2a4 (1942). Cook

4... Kb4! cooks the study.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0505  
1942



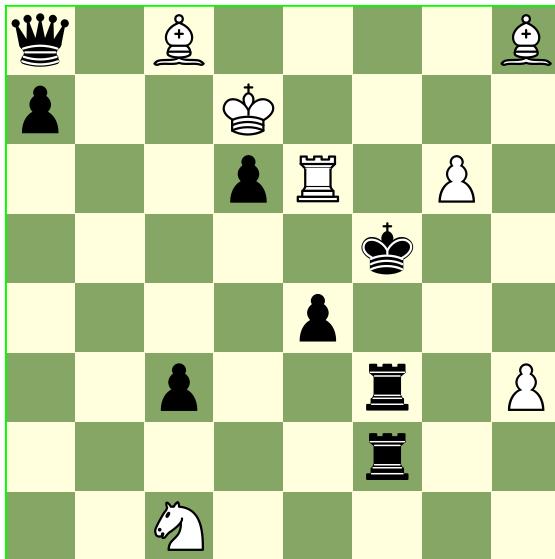
win

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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=11 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/11. U3: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 11/11/2025. 1. f7 (1. b3+? Kb4 2. Nd5+ Kc5 3. f7 Rh2+ 4. Kb1 Rh1+ 5. Kc2 Rh2+ 6. Kd3 Rh3+ 7. Ke4 Rh8 8. Nf6 Rf8 9. Nd7+ Kd6 10. Nxg8 Ke7 11. Nxg6+ Kxf7 12. Nxf4 a4!) 1... Rh8 2. b3+ Kb4 3. Nd5+ Kc5 4. Nf6 Rf8 (4... Kb4! cook BN 5. Ng8 Rh2+ 6. Kb1 Kxb3 -+) 5. Nd7+ Kd6 6. Nxg8 Ke7 7. Nxg6+ Kxf7 8. Nxf4 Ke7 9. Kb2 Kd6 10. Kc3 Kc5 11. Nd3+ Kd5 12. Nf2! Ke5 13. Kd3 Kd5 14. Ne4 1-0.

2.1.9 Isenegger +3721.24d7f5 (1942). Cooks

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0501  
1942



win

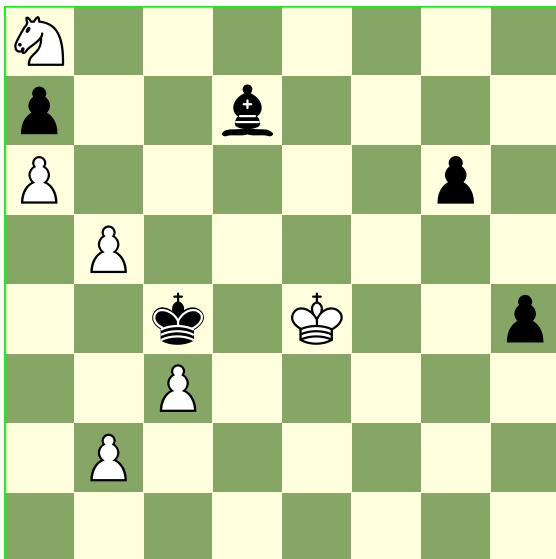
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=9 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/9. U2 U3 Neuenschwander=B beatochess 11/11/2025 . 1. g7 Rg2 2. Rf6+ Ke5 3. Rxf3 Kd5 4. Rf5+ (4. Rf8 cook? BN ) 4... Kc4 5. Ba6+ Kb4 6. Rb5+ Ka4 7. Bb7 Qb8! ( 7... Qg8 8. Bc6 Rxg7+ cook BN 9. Bxg7 Qxg7+ 10. Kxd6 Qf8+ =) 8. Rb3! Qg8 9. Bc6+ Ka5 10. Rb5+ Ka6 11. Bd5 Rxg7+ 12. Bxg7 Qxg7+ 13. Kc6 Qe5 14. Bc4 Qe8+ 15. Kxd6 Qf8+ 16. Kd5 Qf5+ 17. Kd4 Qf2+ 18. Kxc3 Qe1+ 19. Kc2 1-0.

2.1.10 Isenegger +0031.43e4c4 (1942). Minor dual, wrong date

There is a minor (move order) dual in the second mainline. The date in HHdbVI is given as 2015– the study number in SSZ suggest 1942 as the correct year.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0502  
1942



win

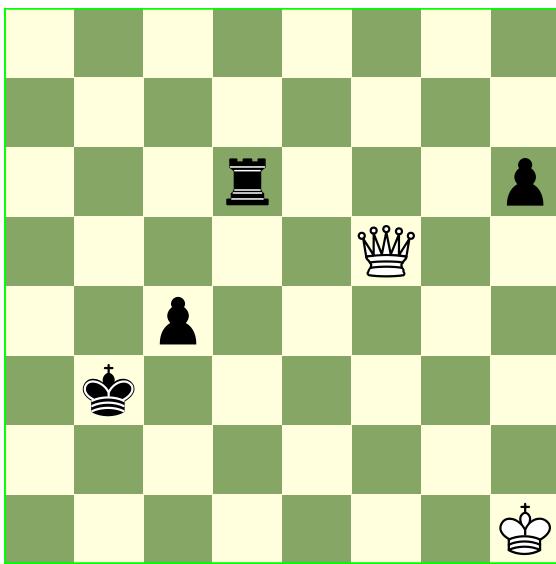
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=9 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/9. (U2): Neuenschwander=B beatochess 24/11/2025. 1. Nb6+! axb6 2. a7 Kxb5 (2... Bh3 main 3. Kf3 (3. b3+ minor dual 3... Kc5 4. Kf3 Be6 5. c4) 3... Be6 4. b3+ Kc5 5. c4) 3. c4+ Kc5 4. b4+ Kd6 5. b5 Bh3 6. Kf3 1-0.

### 2.1.11 Fischer & Isenegger +1300.02h1b3 (1943). Cook

3. Kg1! cooks the study.

Fischer J Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0545  
1943



win

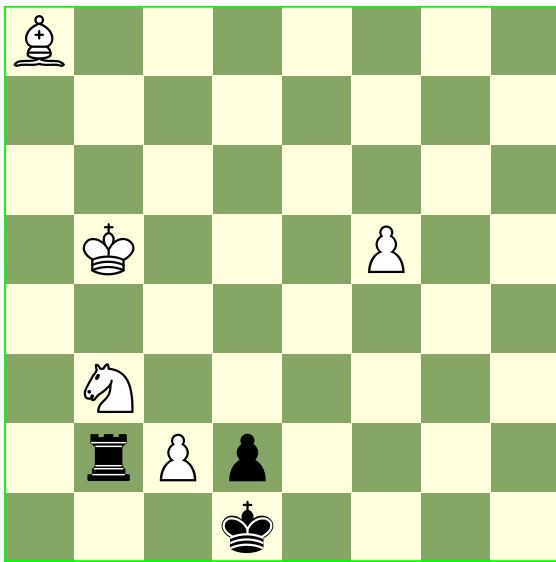
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=11 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/11. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 13/11/2025. 1. Qb5+ Kc3 2. Qe5+ Rd4 3. Kg2 (3. Kg1! cook BN TB ) 3... Kd3 4. Kf3 Rh4 (4... Rd8 5. Qf5+) (4... h5 5. Qe3+) (4... c3 5. Qe2#) (4... Kc3 5. Ke3) 5. Qe2+ 1-0.

### 2.1.12 Isenegger =0311.21b5d1 (1943). Cook

1. Bc6! cooks the study..

Isenegger S  
 Schweizerische  
 Arbeiter-Schachzeitung #047  
 1943



draw

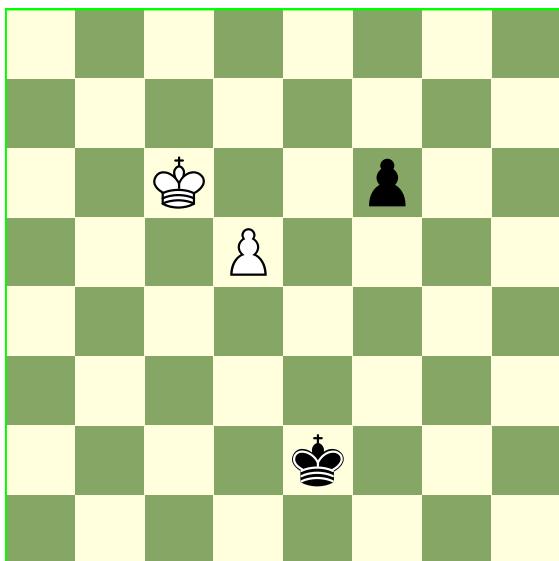
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Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung=3 Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung/3. U1: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 13/11/2025. **1. Bd5!** (1. Bc6! **cook BN** 1... Ke2 (1... Kxc2 2. Kc4 Rxb3? (2... d1=Q 3. Be4+ ) 3. Ba4) 2. Be8) 1... **Ke2** (1... Kxc2 main 2. Kb4! d1=Q 3. Be4+ Qd3 4. Bxd3+ Kxd3 5. Ka3) (1... Ke1 2. Bf3) **2. Bf7 1/2-1/2.**

### 2.1.13 Isenegger +0000.11c6e2 (1944). Not cooked (shortened solution)

This is an example of a study where Isenegger gives a mainline that is longer than needed. The point of the study is the first move, the rest is trivial.

Isenegger S  
Basler Nachrichten  
1944



win

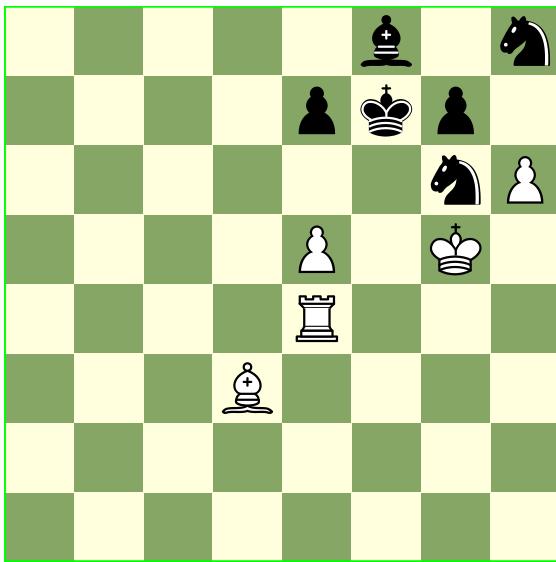
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shortened solution: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 15/11/2025. 1. **Kd6!** (1. d6? f5 2. d7 f4 3. d8=Q f3) **1-0**.

#### 2.1.14 Isenegger +0146.22g5f7 (1944). Cooks

The main problem is the cook **9... Kg7** in the second mainline.

Isenegger S  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0565  
 1944



win

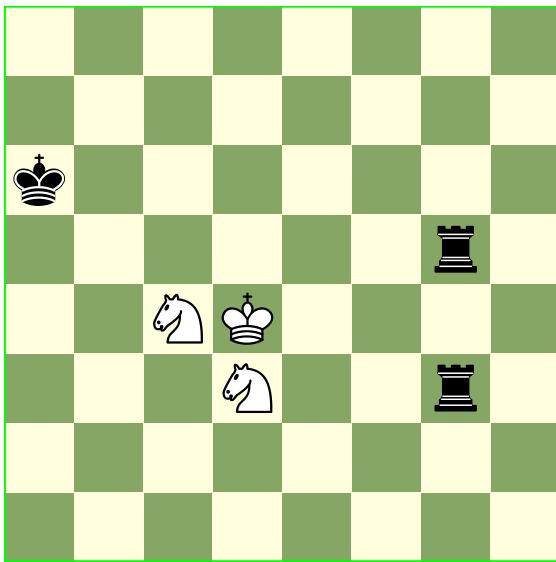
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=2 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/2. U2, U3: Neuenschwander=B 15/11/2025. 1. e6+ Kg8 (1... Ke8 2. Rd4 gxh6+ 3. Kf5 Nh4+ 4. Ke4 Bg7 5. Bb5+ Kf8 6. Rd8#) 2. h7+! (2. Kh5! cook BN 2... gxh6 3. Rg4) (2. Rg4! cook BN 2... gxh6+ 3. Kh5) 2... Kxh7 3. Rh4+ Kg8 4. Rxh8+! Nxh8 5. Bg6 Nf7+ (5... Nxg6 main 6. Kxg6 Kh8 7. Kf7 g5 8. Kxf8 g4 9. Kxe7 g3 (9... Kg7! cook BN ) 10. Kf7 g2 11. e7 g1=Q 12. e8=Q+ Kh7 13. Qe4+ Kh6 14. Qh4#) 6. Bxf7+ Kh7 7. Bg6+ Kg8 8. Kf5 Kh8 9. Ke5 Kg8 10. Kd5 Kh8 11. Kc6 Kg8 12. Kd7 Kh8 13. Ke8 Kg8 14. Bf7+ Kh7 eg 15. Kxf8 1-0.

### 2.1.15 Isenegger +0146.22g5f7 (1944). Cook

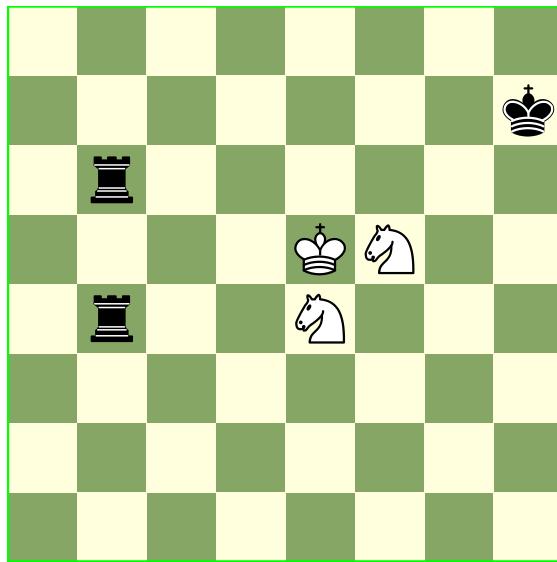
5. Nc6+ cooks the study.

Isenegger S  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0604  
 1944



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0604  
 1944



draw

GBR: =0602.00d4a6 U2 FEN: 8/8/k7/6r1/2NK4/3N2r1/8/8 w - - 0 1

Schweizerische Schachzeitung=12 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/12. U2: Neuenschwander=B 15/11/2025. 1. Nc5+ Ka7! 2. Ne4 R3g4 3. Ne5 Rf4 4. Ke3 Rgf5 5. Nd6! (5. Ne6+! cook BN ) 5... Rf8 6. Ng6 Rf3+ 7. Ke4 R8f6 8. Ne8 Rf7 9. Nd6! 1/2-1/2.

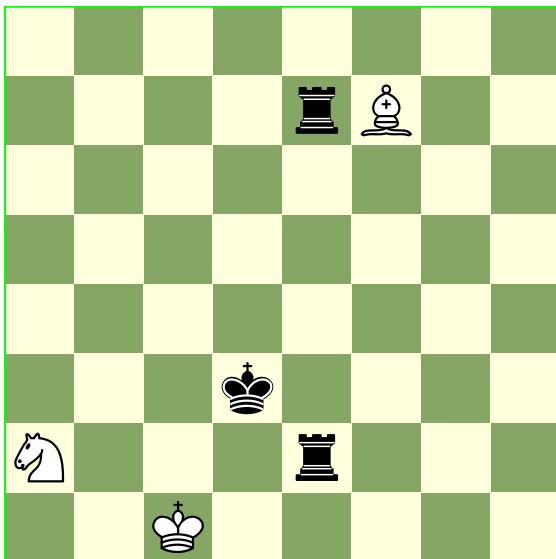
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correction: Neuenschwander=B 15/11/2025. 1. Nf6+ Kh8 2. Nd5 R6b5 3. Nd4 Rc5 4. Kd6 Rbc4 5. Ne3 Rc1 6. Nb3 Rc6+ 7. Kd5 R1c3 8. Nd1 R3c4 9. Ne3 Rc3 10. Nd1 Rc2 11. Ne3 R2c3 12. Nd1 1/2-1/2.

### 2.1.16 Isenegger =0611.00c1d3 (1944). Cook, correction

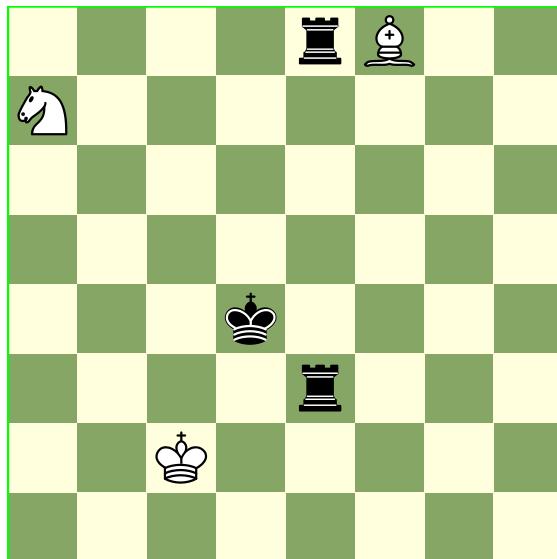
3... Kc3! cooks the study because Black threatens mate.

Isenegger S  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0613  
 1944



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0613  
 1944



draw

GBR: =0611.00c1d3 U3 FEN: 8/4rB2/8/8/8/3k4/N3r3/2K5 w - - 0 1

Schweizerische Schachzeitung=12 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/12. U3: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 15/11/2025. 1. Nb4+ Ke4 2. Bg6+ Kd4 3. Nc6+ Kc3! -+ cook BN 1/2-1/2.

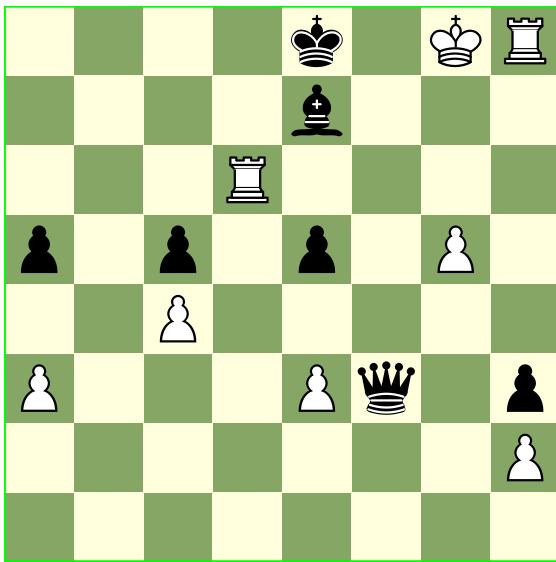
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correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 15/11/2025. 1. Nb5+ Ke5 2. Bg7+ 1/2-1/2.

### 2.1.17 Isenegger =3230.54g8e8 (1944). Cook

2. Rg8! cooks the study.

Isenegger S  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0566  
 1944



draw

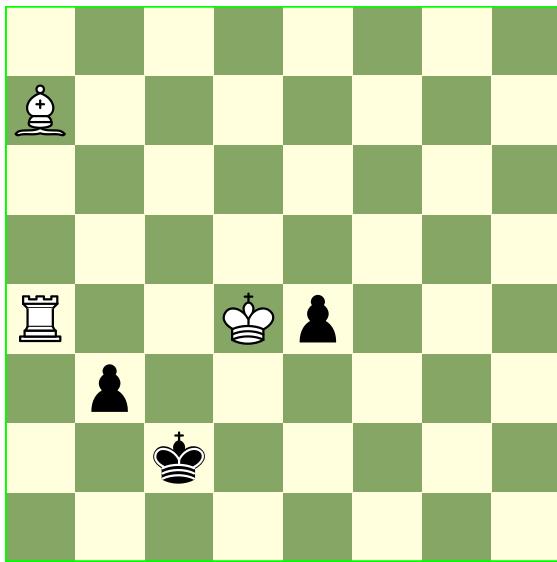
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=2 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/2. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 16/11/2025. 1. Kh7+ Bf8 2. Rxf8+! (2. Rg8! cook BN 2... Ke7 3. Rgg6) 2... Qxf8 3. Rf6 Qe7+ 4. Kg8 e4 5. a4 Qe5 6. Rf8+ Ke7 7. Rf7+ Ke6 8. Rf6+ (8. g6? Qxh2! 9. Rh7 (9. g7 Qg2) 9... Kf6) 8... Qxf6 9. gxf6 Kxf6 10. Kf8 Kf5 eg 11. Ke7 Kg4 12. Kd6 Kf3 13. Kxc5 Kxe3 ( 13... Kg2 14. Kd4) 14. Kb6 1/2-1/2.

### 2.1.18 Isenegger +0110.02d4c2 (1944). Minor duals

Other rook moves on move 4 work as well of course.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0671  
1945



win

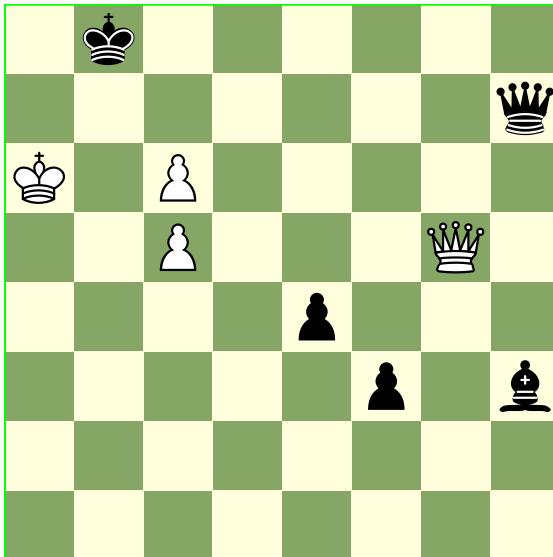
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=12 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/12. (U2): beatochess Neuenschwander=B 16/11/2025. 1. Kc4 b2 2. Ra2 Kc1! 3. Be3+ Kb1 4. Ra5 (4. Kb3?) (4. Ra7 minor duals BN , other rook moves... ) 4... Kc2 5. Rd5 b1=Q 6. Rd2+ Kc1 7. Kc3! Qa1+ 8. Kb3 Qb1+ 9. Rb2+ 1-0.

### 2.1.19 Isenegger =4030.22a6b8 (1945). Cook, correction

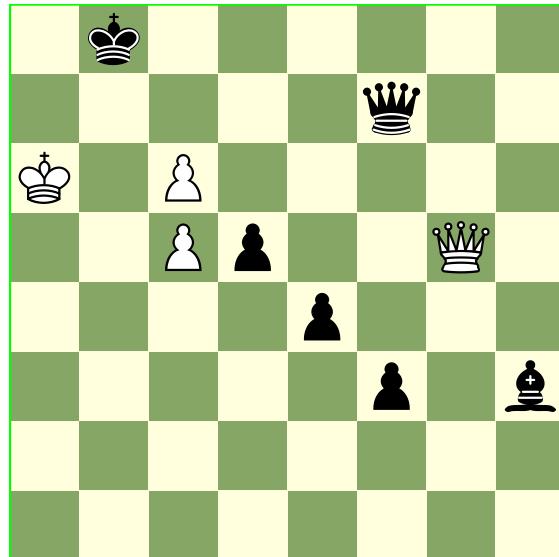
The second mainline 2... Kc8 is cooked. The correction has three stalemates (two almost identical ones though), the third one arising after 1... Kc8, which was not an option due to 2. Kb6 in the original study.

Isenegger S  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0668  
 1945



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
 Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
 #0668  
 1945



draw

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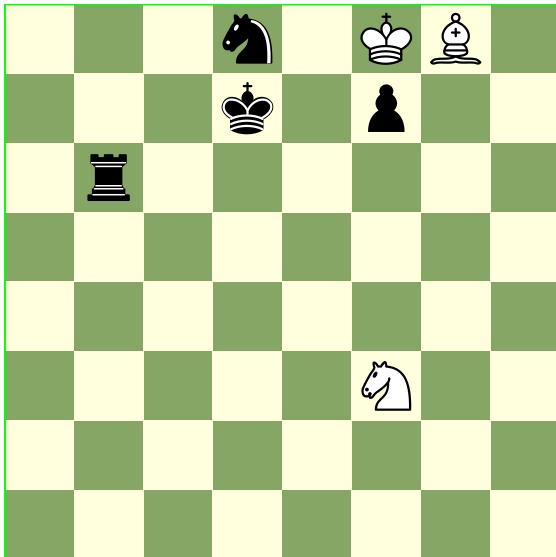
Schweizerische Schachzeitung=11 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/11. U2: Neuenschwander=B 16/11/2025. **1. Qe5+ Qc7 2. Qb2+ Ka8** (2... Kc8 main 3. Qh8+ Qd8 4. Qxh3+ Kc7 5. Qh7+ (5. Qh2+ cook BN ) (5. Kb5 cook BN ) 5... Kxc6 6. Qb7+! Kxc5 7. Qc7+! Qxc7) **3. Qb7+! Qxb7+ 4. cxb7+ Kb8 5. c6 Bc8 6. c7+ Kxc7 7. Ka7 Bxb7 1/2-1/2.**

GBR: =4030.23a6b8 (c) FEN: 1k6/5q2/K1P5/2Pp2Q1/4p3/5p1b/8/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 17/11/2025. **1. Qe5+ Qc7** (1... Kc8 main 2. Qh8+ Kc7 3. Qxh3 Kxc6 4. Qh6+ Kxc5 5. Qb6+ Kc4 6. Qc7+ Qxc7) **2. Qb2+ Ka8** (2... Kc8 main 3. Qh8+ Qd8 4. Qxh3+ Kc7 5. Qh7+ Kxc6 6. Qb7+! Kxc5 7. Qc7+! Qxc7) **3. Qb7+! Qxb7+ 4. cxb7+ Kb8 5. c6 Bc8 6. c7+ Kxc7 7. Ka7 Bxb7 1/2-1/2.**

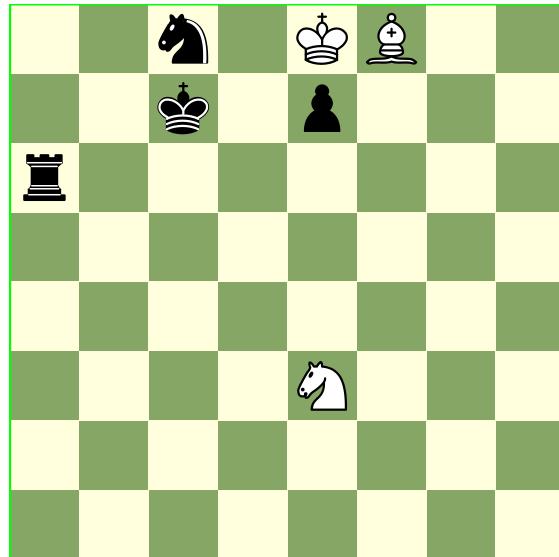
2.1.20 Isenegger =0314.01f8d7 (1946). Correction

Isenegger S  
Le Monde des Echecs #22  
1946



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Le Monde des Echecs #22  
1946



draw

GBR: =0314.01f8d7 U3 FEN: 3n1KB1/3k1p2/1r6/8/8/5N2/8/8 w - - 0 1

Le Monde des Echecs=4 Le Monde des Echecs/6. U3: Nunn=J HHdbIII#46651 31-8-2002 U3: Haworth=G Bleicher=E HHdbIV#22164 1-11-2009. 1. Ne5+ (1. Bxf7? Rf6! 2. Ne5+ (2. Ng5 Nxf7) 2... Kd6 3. Ke8 Kxe5) 1... Ke6 2. Nxsf7 Nxsf7 (2... Nc6! cook JN ) (2... Nb7! cook GH/EB ) 3. Kg7! (3. Bxf7+? Kf6 4. Kg8 Rb8+) 3... Rb7 4. Kg6 1/2-1/2.

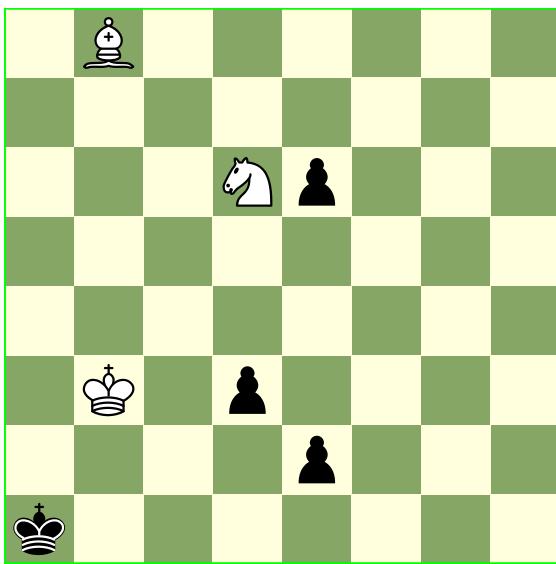
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correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 23/11/2025. 1. Nd5+ Kd6 2. Nxe7 Nxe7 3. Kf7! Ra7 4. Kf6 1/2-1/2.

2.1.21 Isenegger =0011.03b3a1 (1946). Comment

The mainline should end after 6. Bf4+. Otherwise the study is formally cooked.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0692  
1946



draw

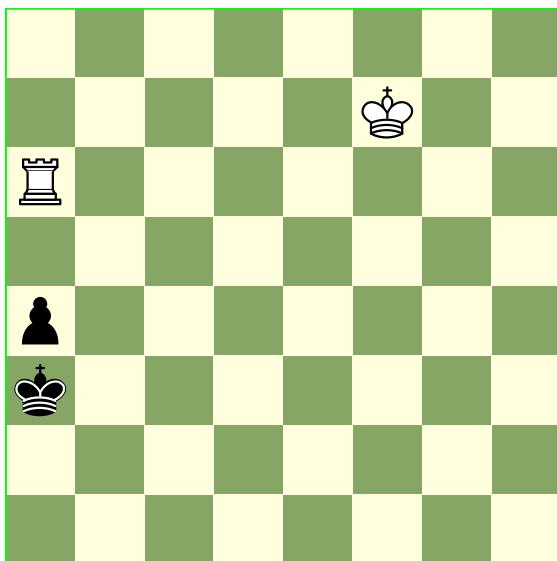
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=6 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/6. comment: beatochess Neuenschwander=B 23/11/2025. 1. Ne4 e1=Q 2. Be5+ Kb1 3. Nc3+ Kc1 4. Na2+ Kd1 5. Nc3+ Kd2 6. Bf4+ e.g. 6... Qe3 7. Bxe3+ (7. Nb1+!) (7. Ne4+!) 7... Kxe3 8. Kc4 1/2-1/2.

### 2.1.22 Isenegger +0100.01f7a3 (1946). Comment

The mainline should end after 5. Kb3. Otherwise the study is formally cooked.

Isenegger S  
Wie führst du das Endspiel  
#104  
1946



win

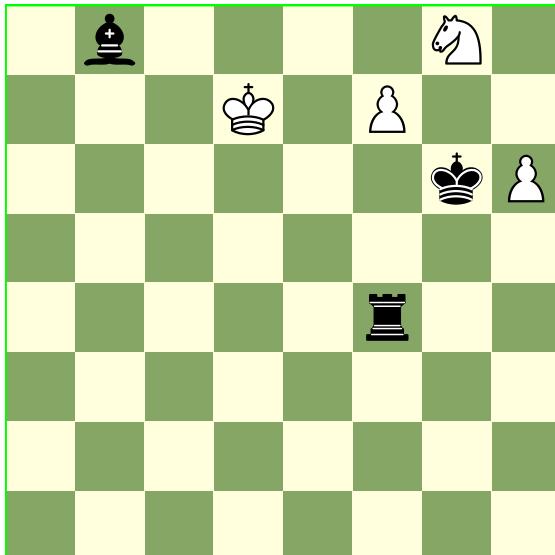
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comment: beatochess Neuenschwander=B 23/11/2025. **1. Rb6!** (1. Ke6? Kb3 2. Kd5 a3 3. Kd4 a2 4. Kd3 Kb2 5. Rb6+ Kc1 6. Ra6 Kb2) **1... Ka2** **2. Ke6 a3** **3. Kd5 Ka1** **4. Kc4 a2** **5. Kb3 Kb1** e.g. **6. Ka3+** (6. Rh6! a1=N+ 7. Kc3 Ka2 8. Re6 Kb1 9. Re2) **6... Ka1** **7. Re6 Kb1** **8. Re1+** 1-0.

### 2.1.23 Isenegger =0331.20d7g6 (1947). Cook, version

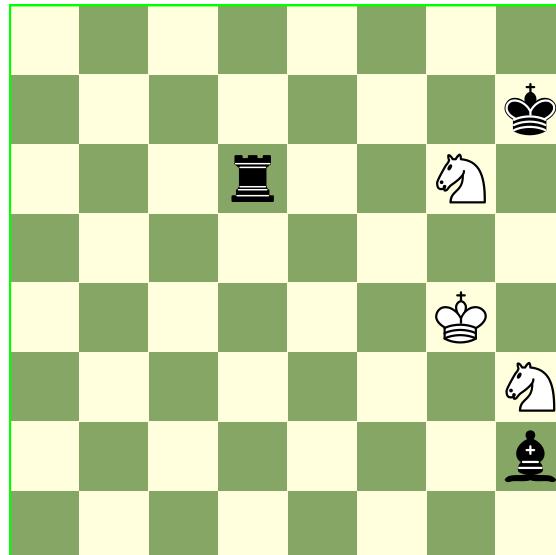
**1... Kxh6** cooks the study. That alternative White moves fail in the version can only be understood with tablebase.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
1947



draw

Isenegger S BN (v)  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
1947



draw

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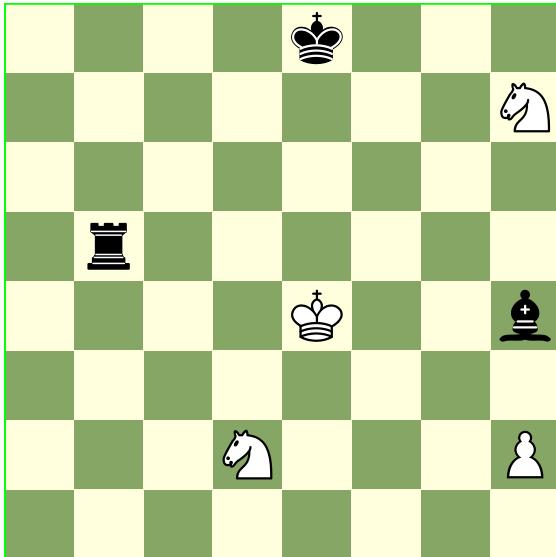
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GBR: =0331.20d7g6 (v) FEN: 8/7k/3r2N1/8/6K1/7N/7b/8 w - - 0 1

version: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 17/11/2025. **1. Ng5+!** (1. Ngf4? DTZ 365 ) (1. Ne7? DTZ 335 ) (1. Nh4? DTZ 297 ) (1. Nhf4? DTZ 379 ) **1... Kxg6** (1... Kg8 2. Ne7+! Kf8 3. Nf3!) (1... Kg7 2. Nf4! Bg1 3. Nfe6+! Kg6 4. Nf4+ (4. Nf8+ or ) 4... Kg7 5. Nfe6+ Kg8 = because the black king cannot take part in the action ) **2. Nf3 1/2-1/2.**

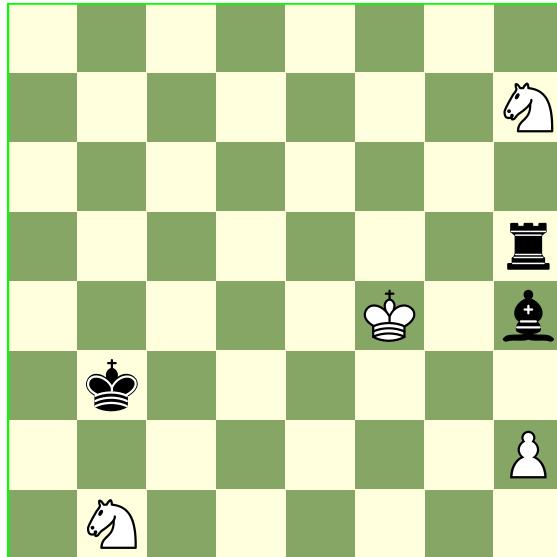
2.1.24 Isenegger =0332.10e4e8 (1947). Correction

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische  
Arbeiter-Schachzeitung #173  
1947



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Schweizerische  
Arbeiter-Schachzeitung #173  
1947



draw

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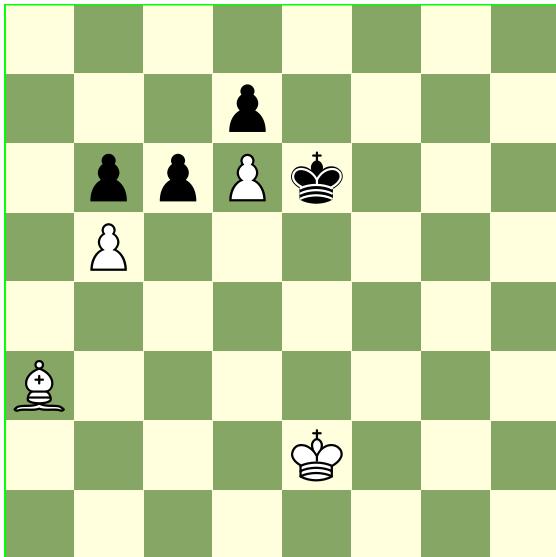
Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung=5 Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung/5. U3: Ott=R HHdbVI 30-12-2019. 1. Kf4 Rh5 (1... Be7! cook RO ) (1... Kf7! cook RO ) (1... Rb7! cook RO ) 2. Ng5 Rxg5 (2... Bxg5+ main 3. Kg4 Rxh2 4. Nf3 Rg2+ 5. Kh3) 3. Nf3 Rh5 4. Kg4 1/2-1/2.

GBR: =0332.10f4b3 (c) FEN: 8/7N/8/7r/5K1b/1k6/7P/1N6 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 23/11/2025. 1. Nd2+ (1. Ng5? Bxg5+ (1... Rxg5? 2. Nd2+ Kc2 3. Nf3 =) 2. Kg4 Rxh2 3. Kxg5 Rb2 -+) (1. Nf8? Be1 -+) 1... Kc2 2. Ng5! Bxg5+ (2... Rxg5 main 3. Nf3 Rh5 4. Kg4) (2... Kxd2 main 3. Nf3+ Ke2 4. Kg4) 3. Kg4 Rxh2 (3... Rh8 4. Kxg5 Kxd2 5. h4 Ke3 6. h5 =) 4. Nf3 Rg2+ 5. Kh3 1/2-1/2.

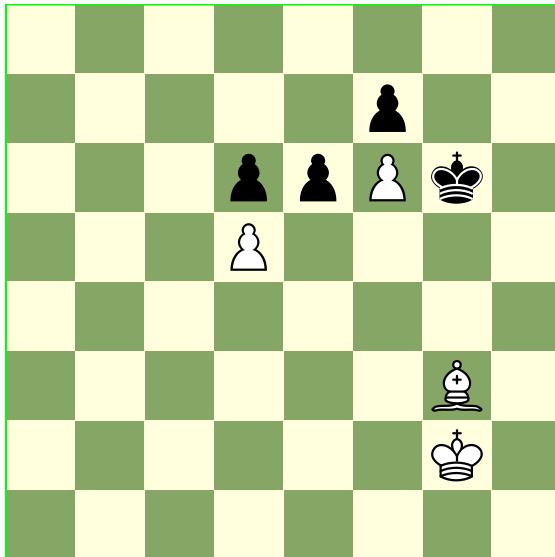
**2.1.25 Isenegger +0010.23e2e6 (1947). Correction**

Isenegger S  
Basler Nachrichten  
1947



win

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Basler Nachrichten  
1947



win

GBR: +0010.23e2e6 U1 FEN: 8/3p4/1ppPk3/1P6/8/B7/4K3/8 w - - 0 1

U1: Garcia=M HHdbV#61309 24-9-2011. **1. Bc5!** (1. Kd3! cook MG 1... cxb5 (1... c5 2. Bc1 Kxd6 3. Bf4+ Kd5 4. Kc3 d6 5. Bg5) 2. Ke4 Kf6 3. Kd5 Kf5 4. Bb4 Kf4 5. Bd2+) 1... bxc5 (1... cxb5 main 2. Ba3! Kd5 3. Kd3 Ke5 4. Ke3 Kd5 5. Kf4 Kc4 6. Ke5) **2. b6 Kxd6 3. Kd3 c4+ 4. Kxc4 c5 5. Kb5 c4 6. Ka6 1-0.**

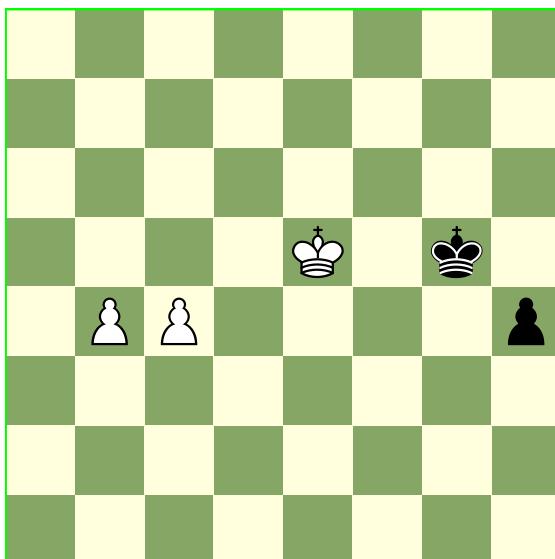
GBR: +0010.23g2g6 (c) FEN: 8/5p2/3ppPk1/3P4/8/6B1/6K1/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 23/11/2025. **1. Be5!** (1. Bh4? exd5 2. Kf3 Kf5 =) 1... dxe5 / **2. d6 Kxf6 3. Kf3 e4+ 4. Kxe4 e5 5. Kd5 e4 6. Kc6 1-0.**

**2.1.26 Isenegger +0000.21e5g5 (1948). Cook, shortened solution**

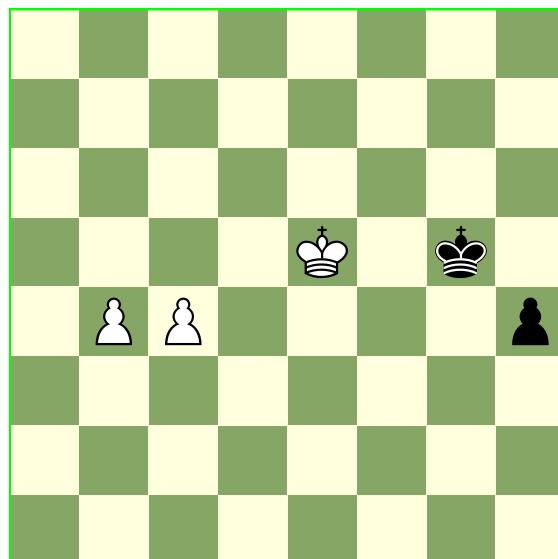
Luring the black king to f3 appears to be the main idea. Shortening the solution avoids the cook.

Isenegger S  
British Chess Magazine #0904  
1948



win

Isenegger S BN (s)  
British Chess Magazine #0904  
1948



win

GBR: +0000.21e5g5 U2 FEN: 8/8/8/4K1k1/1PP4p/8/8/8 w - - 0 1

British Chess Magazine/12. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Ke4 Kg4 2. Ke3 Kg3 3. b5 h3 4. b6 h2 5. b7 h1=Q 6. b8=Q+ Kg4 7. Qf4+ Kh5 8. Qf3+ The fastest, but the queen ending is also won cooks BN 8... Qxf3+ 9. Kxf3 Kg5 10. Ke4 Kf6 11. Kd5 Ke7 12. Kc6 1-0.

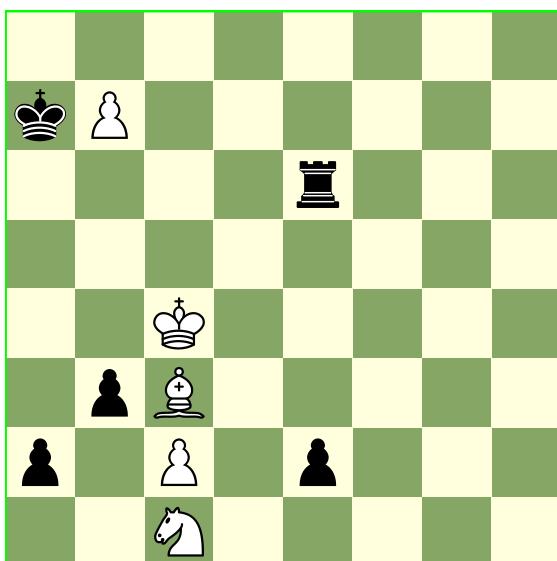
GBR: +0000.21e5g5 (s) FEN: 8/8/8/4K1k1/1PP4p/8/8/8 w - - 0 1

shortened solution: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Ke4 Kg4 2. Ke3 Kg3 3. b5 h3 4. b6 h2 5. b7 h1=Q 6. b8=Q+ Kg4 7. Qf4+ 1-0.

### 2.1.27 Isenegger =0311.23c4a7 (1948). Cook

6. Nc2! cooks the correction.

Isenegger S  
Suomen Shakki #0084  
3.p 1948



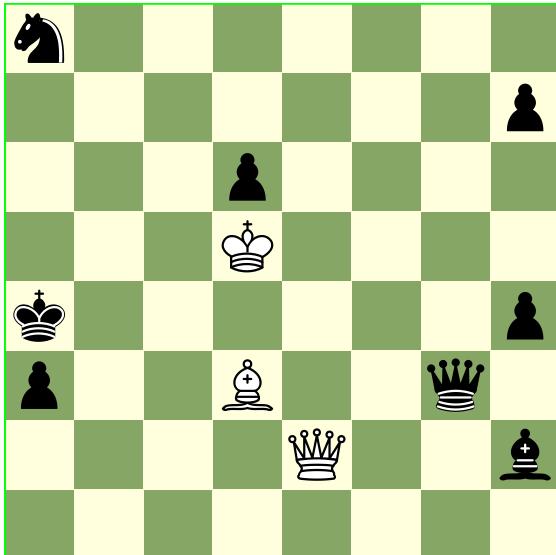
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Suomen Shakki=4 Suomen Shakki/6. correction: Garcia=M Estudios Artisticos de Ajedrez - IV-69 2012. U2: Neuenschwander=B 18/11/2025. 1. Nxe2 (1. Bd4+? Rb6 ) 1... Rc6+ (1... Rxe2 2. Bd4+ Kxb7 3. Kxb3) 2. Kxb3 Rxc3+ 3. Kb2! Rxc2+ 4. Ka1 Kxb7 (4... Rxe2 5. b8=Q+ Kxb8) 5. Nd4 Rh2 (5... Rc4 6. Nb3 Rc2 7. Nd4) 6. Nb5! (6. Nc2! cook BN ) 6... Rc2 7. Nd4 1/2-1/2.

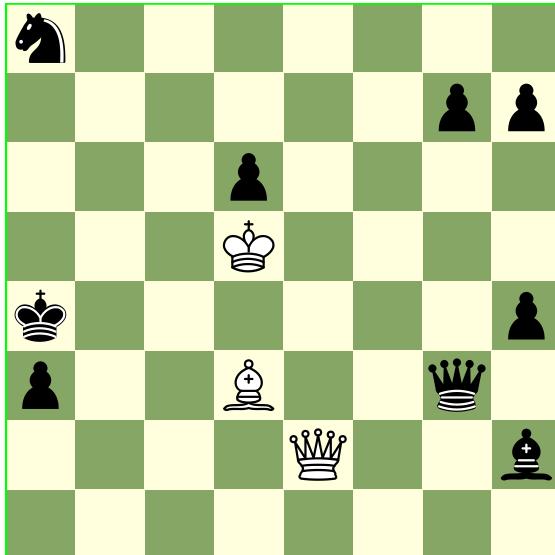
2.1.28 Isenegger +4043.04d5a4 (1948). Correction

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische  
Arbeiter-Schachzeitung #202  
1948



win

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Schweizerische  
Arbeiter-Schachzeitung #202  
1948



win

GBR: +4043.04d5a4 U2 FEN: n7/7p/3p4/3K4/k6p/p2B2q1/4Q2b/8 w - - 0 1

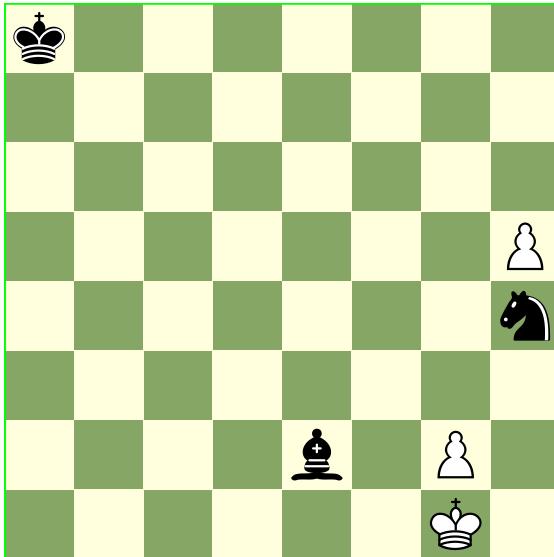
Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung=1-2 Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung/1-2. U2: Garcia=M HHdbV#60948 24-9-2011. 1. Qe8+! Kb3 2. Qb5+ Kc3 3. Qc4+ Kd2 4. Qc2+ Ke3 5. Qe2+ Kf4 6. Qe4+ Kg5 7. Qf5+ Kh6 8. Qxh7+ Kg5 9. Qg6+ (9. Qf5+! cook MG 9... Kh6 10. Qf6+ Kh5 11. Be2+) 9... Kf4 10. Qf5+ Ke3 11. Qe4+ Kd2 12. Qe2+ Kc3 13. Qc2+ Kb4 14. Qc4+ Ka5 15. Qb5# 1-0.

GBR: +4043.05d5a4 (c) FEN: n7/6pp/3p4/3K4/k6p/p2B2q1/4Q2b/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 23/11/2025 1. Qe8+ Kb3 2. Qb5+ Kc3 3. Qc4+ Kd2 4. Qc2+ Ke3 5. Qe2+ Kf4 6. Qe4+ Kg5 7. Qf5+ Kh6 8. Qxh7+ Kg5 9. Qg6+ Kf4 10. Qf5+ Ke3 11. Qe4+ Kd2 12. Qe2+ Kc3 13. Qc2+ Kb4 14. Qc4+ Ka5 15. Qb5# 1-0.

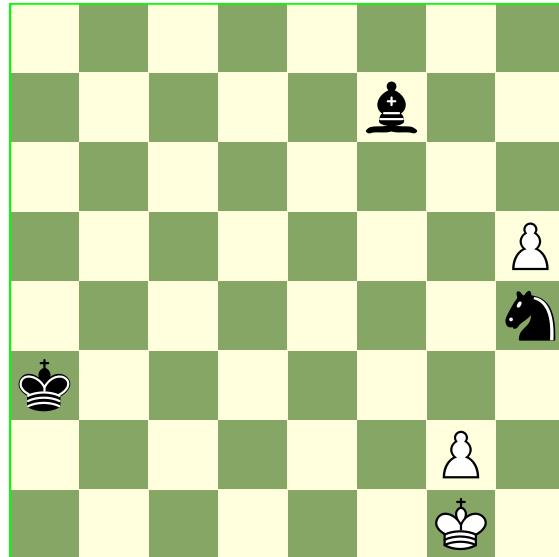
2.1.29 Isenegger =0033.20g1a8 (1948). Correction

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische  
Arbeiter-Schachzeitung #212  
1948



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Schweizerische  
Arbeiter-Schachzeitung #212  
1948



draw

GBR: =0033.20g1a8 U3 FEN: k7/8/8/7P/7n/8/4b1P1/6K1 w - - 0 1

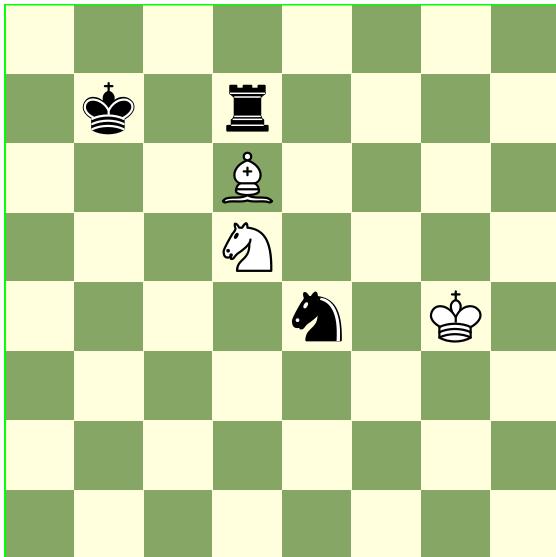
Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung=3-4 Schweizerische Arbeiter-Schachzeitung/3-4. U3: Konoval=Y HHdbVI 8-10-2019. **1. Kh2!** (1. h6? Bd3) 1.... **Bxh5** (1... Nf5 2. Kh3 Kb7 (2... Ng7! cook YK 3. h6 Ne6 4. h7 Ng5+ 5. Kh4 Nxh7) 3. g4 Ne7 4. Kh4 Kc6 5. h6) **2. Kh3 Ng6** **3. g4 Nf4+** **4. Kg3 Ne2+** **5. Kf3 Nd4+** **6. Ke4!** 1/2-1/2.

GBR: =0033.20g1a3 (c) FEN: 8/5b2/8/7P/7n/k7/6P1/6K1 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 23/11/2025. **1. Kh2** (1. Kf2? Bxh5) (1. g4? Nf3+ 2. Kf2 Ng5 3. Kg3 Kb4 4. Kf4 (4. Kh4 Ne4 5. g5 Be6 6. g6 Bf5) 4... Nh7 5. Kf5 Kc5 6. g5 Kd6 7. g6 Be6+ 8. Kf4 Nf8) 1... **Bxh5** (1... Kb4 2. Kh3 Nf5 3. Kg4 =) **2. Kh3 Ng6** **3. g4 Nf4+** **4. Kg3 Ne2+** **5. Kf3 Nd4+** **6. Ke4** 1/2-1/2.

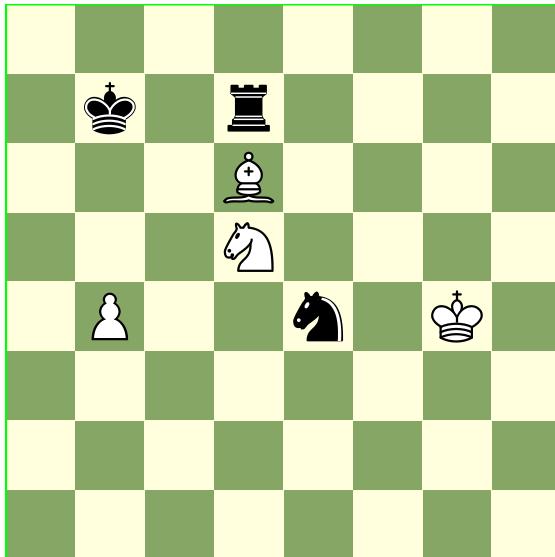
2.1.30 Isenegger =0314.00g4b7 (1948). Correction

Isenegger S  
Deutsche Schachblatter #32  
1948



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Deutsche Schachblatter #32  
1948



draw

GBR: =0314.00g4b7 U2 FEN: 8/1k1r4/3B4/3N4/4n1K1/8/8/8 w - - 0 1

Deutsche Schachblatter=3. U2: (HHdbII#20659 2001). 1. Kf5 Nxd6+ 2. Ke6 Rd8 ( 2... Kc6 main 3. Ne7+ (3. Nb4+! cook ) 3... Kc7 4. Nd5+ Kd8 5. Nf6 Rf7 6. Nd5 Rd7 7. Nf6) 3. Ke7 Kc8 (3... Nf7 4. Nf6!) 4. Nb6+ Kc7 5. Nd5+ Kc8 6. Nb6+ 1/2-1/2.

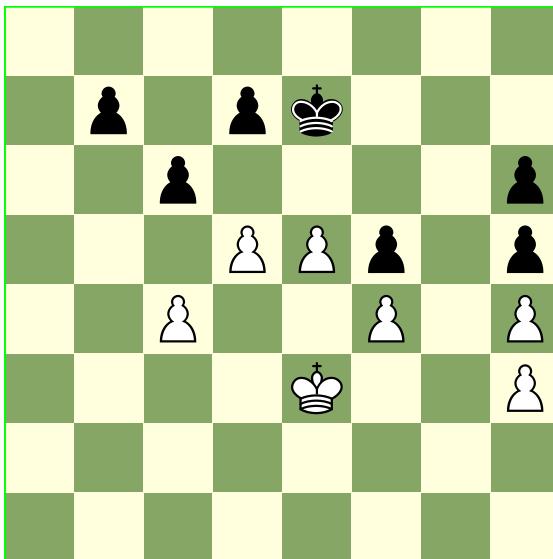
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correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 23/11/2025. 1. Kf5 Nxd6+ 2. Ke6 Rd8 ( 2... Kc6 main 3. Ne7+ Kc7 4. Nd5+ Kd8 5. Nf6) 3. Ke7 Kc8 (3... Nf7 4. Nf6) 4. Nb6+ Kc7 5. Nd5+ Kc8 6. Nb6+ 1/2-1/2.

2.1.31 Isenegger +0000.66e3e7 (1949). Cook, correction

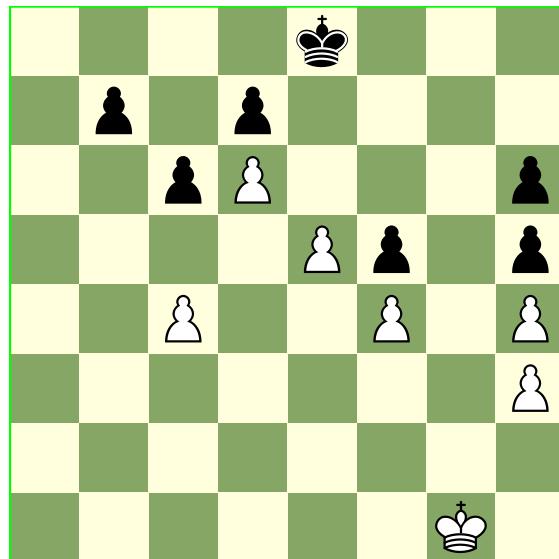
1. Kd3! cooks the study.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0778  
1949



win

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0778  
1949



win

GBR: +0000.66e3e7 (c) U1 FEN: 8/1p1pk3/2p4p/3PPp1p/2P2P1P/4K2P/8/8 w - - 0 1

Schweizerische Schachzeitung=1 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/1. correction: Isenegger=S Schweizerische Schachzeitung=3 3/1949. U1: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. d6+ (1. Kd3! cook BN 1... b6 2. Kd4 Kd8 3. e6 dx6 4. dxc6 Kc7 5. Ke5 Kxc6 6. Kxe6 Kc5 7. Kxf5 Kxc4 8. Ke5 b5 9. f5 b4 10. f6 b3 11. f7 b2 12. f8=Q b1=Q 13. Qc8+ Kb3 14. Qb7+ Kc2 15. Qxb1+) 1... Ke6 2. c5! Kd5 3. e6! Kxe6 4. Kd4 Kf7 5. Kc3! Ke8 6. Kc4! Kd8 7. Kd4 Ke8 8. Ke5 Kf7 9. Kxf5 Kg7 10. Ke5 Kg6 11. f5+ Kf7 12. Kd4 Kf6 13. Kc4 Kxf5 14. Kb4 Kf4 15. Ka5 Kg3 16. Kb6 Kxh4 17. Kc7! Kxh3 18. Kxd7 1-0.

GBR: +0000.66g1e8 (c) FEN: 4k3/1p1p4/2pP3p/4Pp1p/2P2P1P/7P/8/6K1 w - - 0 1

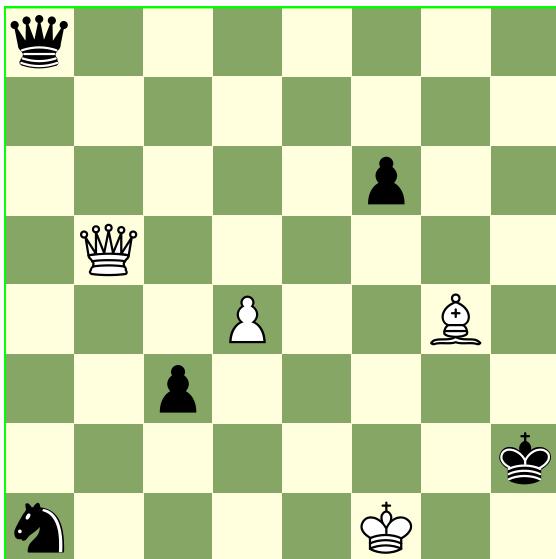
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### 2.1.32 Isenegger +4013.12f1h2 (1949). Cook

3. Kf2! cooks the study.

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Isenegger S  
National-Zeitung  
1949



win

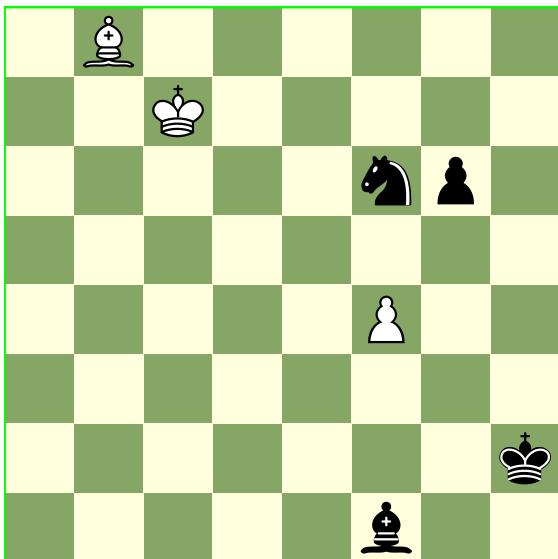
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U2: beatochess Neuenschwander=B 18/11/2025. 1. Qh5+ Kg3 2. Qh3+ Kf4 3. Qh4! (3. Kf2! cook BN 3... Qd8 4. Bd7) 3... Qa3 (3... Qa5 main 4. Bf5+ Kxf5 5. Qh5+ Ke4 6. Qxa5) (3... Qa7 main 4. Bh5+! Ke3! 5. Qf2+ Kd3 (5... Ke4 6. Qf3+ Kxd4 7. Qf2+) 6. Qe2+ Kxd4 7. Qf2+ Ke5 8. Qxa7) (3... Qd8 main 4. Bh5+) (3... Qe4 main 4. Bd7+ Ke3 5. Qf2+ Kd3 6. Bb5#) (3... Nb3 4. Be2+ Ke3 5. Qf2+) 4. Bd7+ (4. Bc8+! cook BN 4... Ke3 5. Qf2+ Kd3 6. Ba6+) 4... Ke3 5. Qf2+ Kd3 6. Bb5+ Ke4 7. Bc6+ Kd3 8. Qe2+ Kxd4 9. Qe4+ Kc5 10. Qe7+ Kxc6 11. Qxa3 1-0.

### 2.1.33 Isenegger =0043.11c7h2 (1950). Cook

8. Kh4! cooks the study.

Isenegger S  
National-Zeitung  
1950



draw

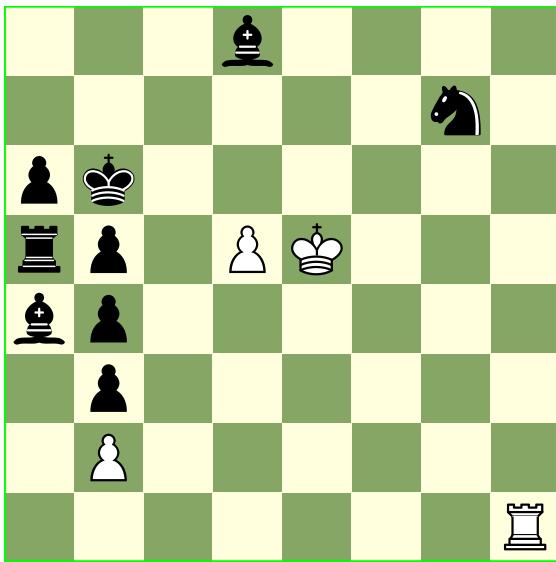
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U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochesss 18/11/2025. **1. f5!** (1. Kd8? Kg2) (1. Kc6? Kg2) (1. Kd6? Ne4+ 2. Ke5 (2. Ke6 Ng3 3. Kf6 Bd3) 2... Ng3) **1... gxf5** (1... g5 2. Kd8+ Kh3 3. Ke7 Nh5 4. f6 Bc4 5. f7 Bxf7 6. Kxf7 Nf4 7. Kf6) **2. Kd6 f4 3. Ke6 Nh5 4. Kf5 Kg3 5. Kg5!** (5. Bc7? Bc4!) **5... Be2 6. Bc7** (6. Bd6 or ) (6. Be5? Kf3!) **6... Bg4! 7. Bb8** (7. Be5? Kf3 8. Bb8 Ng7 9. Kf6 Ne6!) **7... Kf3 8. Be5!** (8. Kh4! **cook BN** 8... Ng7 9. Bxf4 Kxf4) **8... Ng3** (8... Ke4 9. Bxf4) **9. Bxf4!** Ne4+ 10. Kh4 Kxf4 1/2-1/2.

### 2.1.34 Isenegger +0463.24e5b6 (1951). Cooks

**3... Bxd6+!** and **3... Bb8!** cook the study.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0846  
1951



win

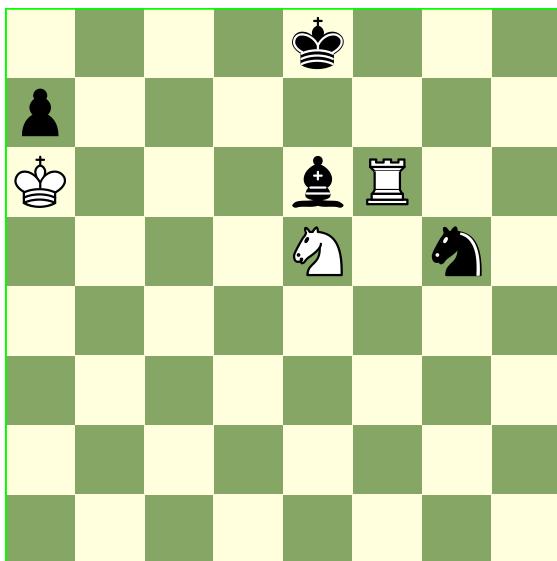
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=6 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/6. U3: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Rh6+ Kb7 2. Rh7 Bc7+ 3. d6 Ne8 (3... Bxd6+! cook BN 4. Kxd6 Kb6 5. Rxg7) (3... Bb8! cook BN 4. Rxg7+ Kc6 5. Rg6 Kc5) 4. Rxc7+! (4. dxc7? Nxc7 5. Kd6 Kb6! 6. Rxc7) 4... Nxc7 5. d7 Ne6 6. Kxe6 1-0.

### 2.1.35 Isenegger +0134.01a6e8 (1952). Cooks

At move 6 White has various winning moves.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0878  
1952



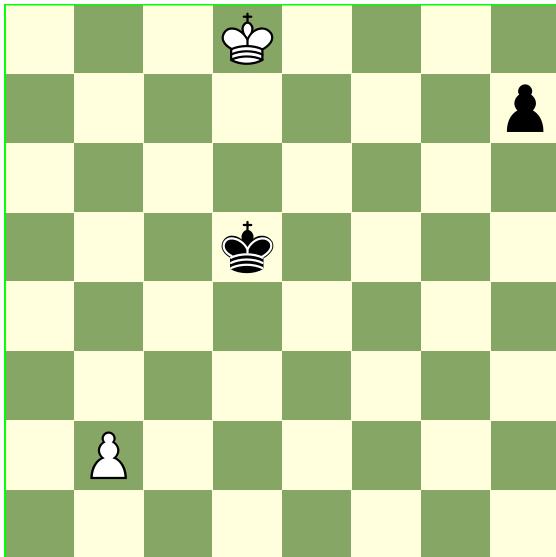
win

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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=11 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/11. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Rg6 Bc8+ 2. Kxa7 Nf7 (2... Ne6 main 3. Rg8+ Nf8 4. Ng6 Kf7 5. Rxf8+ Kxg6 6. Rxc8) 3. Rg8+ Ke7 4. Nc6+! ( 4. Nxf7? Be6) 4... Kd7 5. Kb6 Nd6 6. Rd8+ ( cooks BN 6. Kc5 /Rg6/Rh8 ) 6... Ke6 7. Kc7 1-0.

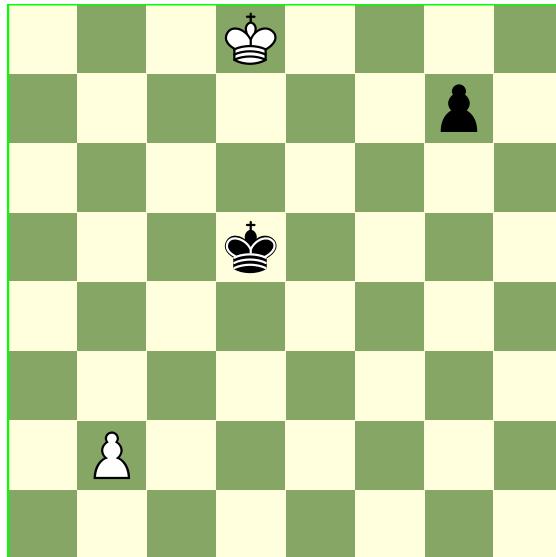
**2.1.36 Isenegger =0000.11d8d5 (1953). Correction**

Isenegger S  
National-Zeitung  
1953



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
National-Zeitung  
1953



draw

GBR: =0000.11d8d5 U3 FEN: 3K4/7p/8/3k4/8/8/1P6/8 w - - 0 1

U3: Conrady=H HHdbIII#42429 15-3-2001. 1. Kc7 (1. b4? Kc6) 1... h5 (1... Kc5 2. b4+ Kxb4 3. Kd6) 2. b4 Kc4 3. Kc6 Kxb4 (3... h4! cook HC 4. b5 h3 5. b6 h2 6. b7 h1=Q+) 4. Kd5 1/2-1/2.

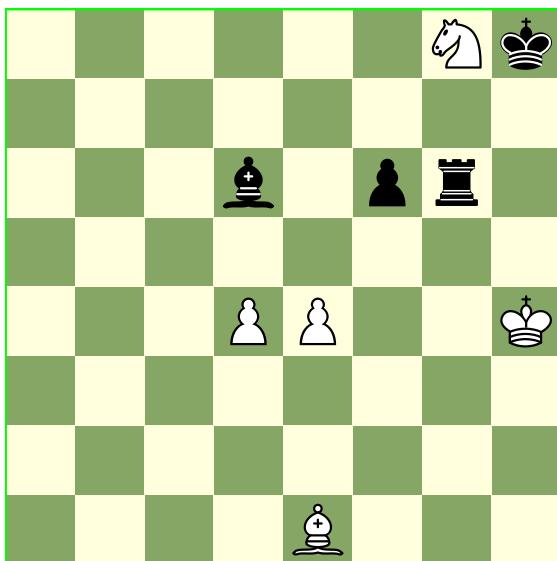
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correction: Neuenschwander=B 23/11/2025. 1. Kc7 g5 2. b4 Kc4 3. Kc6 Kxb4 4. Kd5 1/2-1/2.

**2.1.37 Isenegger =0341.21h4h8 (1954). Cooks**

1... Kxg8 and 4... Rg7 are winning for Black.

Isenegger S  
National-Zeitung  
1954



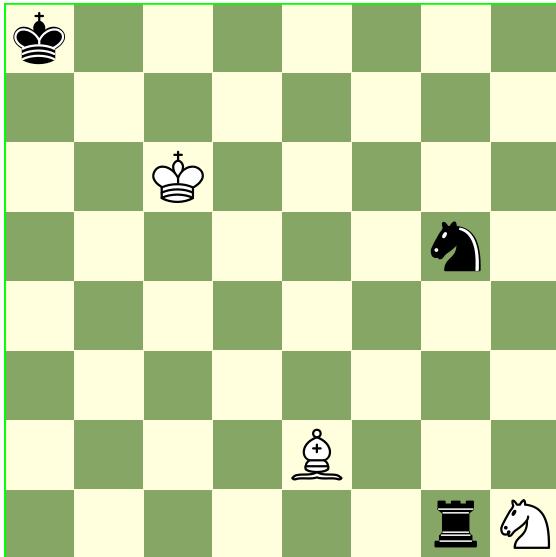
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U3: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. e5! fxe5 (1... Kxg8 cook BN ) 2. dxe5 Bxe5 3. Ne7 Bf6+ 4. Kh5 Rg5+ (4... Rg7! cook BN TB DTZ 30 ) 5. Kh6 Bxe7 6. Bc3+ Kg8 7. Bf6 Bxf6 1/2-1/2.

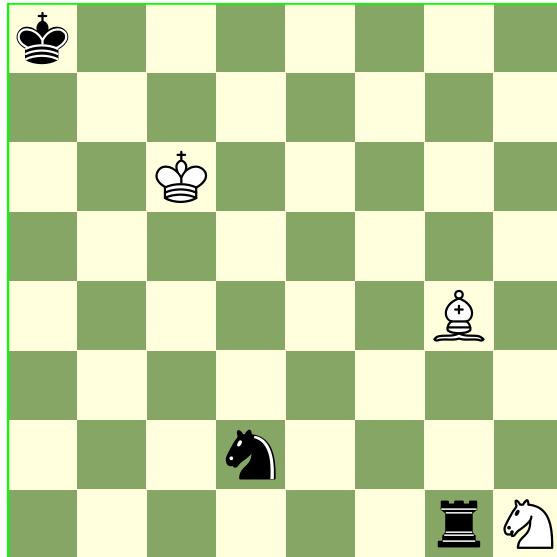
2.1.38 Isenegger =0314.00c6a8 (1954). Correction

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0927  
1954



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0927  
1954



draw

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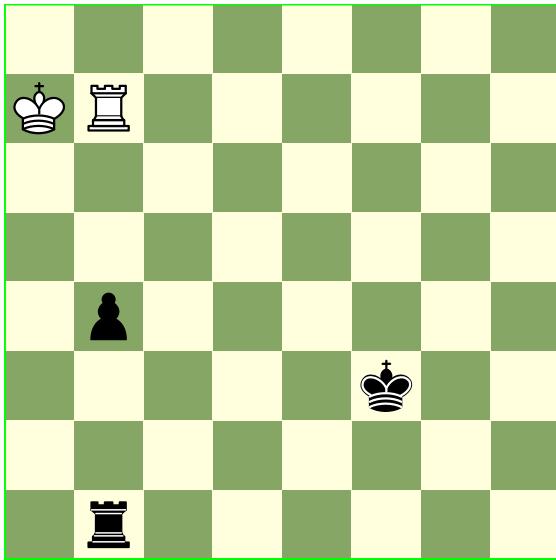
Schweizerische Schachzeitung=9 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/9. U3: Nunn=J HHdbIII#41659 31-8-2002. 1. **Nf2 Rg2** (1... Rc1+! **cook** JN 2. Kd5 Rc2) 2. **Ne4!** Nxe4 3. **Bf3 Rg6+** (3... Rc2+ main 4. Kb5! Rc5+ 5. Kb4 Re5 6. Kc4 Kb8 7. Kd4) 4. **Kd7!** Rd6+ 5. **Ke7 Rd4** 6. **Ke6 Ka7** 7. **Ke5** 1/2-1/2.

GBR: =0314.00c6a8 (c) FEN: k7/8/2K5/8/6B1/8/3n4/6rN w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. **Nf2 Rg2** 2. **Ne4!** Nxe4 3. **Bf3 Rg6+** (3... Rc2+ main 4. Kb5 Rc5+ 5. Kb4 Re5 6. Kc4) \*\*4. Kd7 Rd6+ 5. Ke7 Rd4 6. Ke6 \*

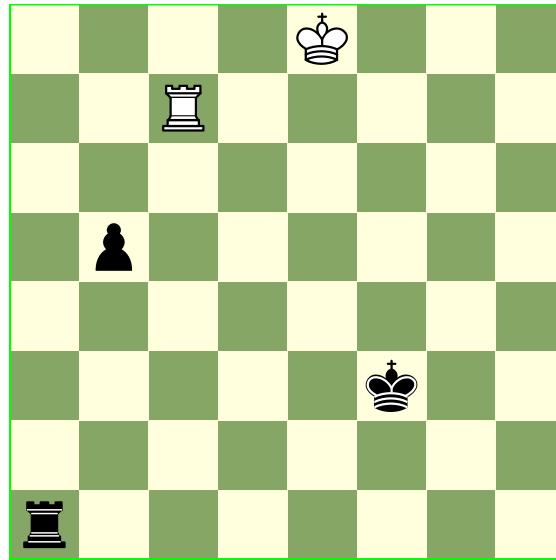
2.1.39 Isenegger =0400.01a7f3 (1954). Correction

Isenegger S  
National-Zeitung  
1954



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
National-Zeitung  
1954



draw

GBR: =0400.01a7f3 U1 FEN: 8/KR6/8/8/1p6/5k2/8/1r6 w - - 0 1

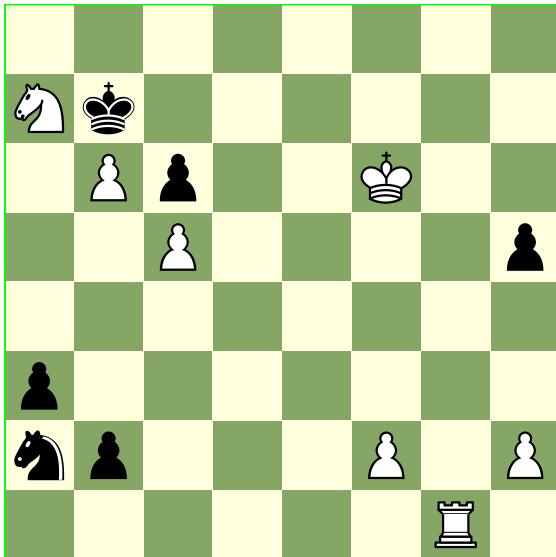
U1: Nunn=J Secrets of Rook Endings#228 1992. **1. Kb6!** (1. Ka6! **cook** JN 1... b3 2. Rb5! Ke3 3. Ka5! Kd3 4. Kb4! Kc2 5. Rh5) (1. Rh7! **cook** JN 1... b3 2. Kb6 Ke3 3. Kb5 Rf1 4. Rh3+ Rf3 5. Rh2! Kd3 6. Kb4) 1... **b3** (1... Ke4 main 2. Kb5! (2. Kc5? Rc1+) 2... b3 3. Kb4!) **2. Kc5!** **b2** (2... Ke4 3. Kb4!) **3. Rb3+!** **Ke2** **4. Kb6!** (4. Kb5? Kd1! (4... Kd2? 5. Kb4) (4... Ke1? 5. Kb6! Kd2 6. Rb5! Kc3 7. Rc5+ Kd3 8. Rb5 Kd4 9. Rb3!) 5. Kb4 (5. Rb4 Kd2 6. Rd4+ Ke3 7. Rb4 Kd3!) 5... Kd2!) (4. Kb4? Kd2) **4... Kd2** (4... Kd1 5. Rb5!) **5. Rb5!** **1/2-1/2.**

GBR: =0400.01e8f3 (c) FEN: 4K3/2R5/8/1p6/8/5k2/8/r7 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B 18/11/2025. **1. Rb7 Rb1** **2. Kd7 b4** (2... Ke4 3. Kc6 b4 4. Kc5 =) **3. Kc6** (3. Kd6? Ke4 4. Kc5 Rc1+ --) **3... b3** (3... Ke4 4. Kb5 Kd4 5. Rh7 =) **4. Kc5!** **b2** **5. Rb3+!** **Ke2** **6. Kb6!** **Kd2** **7. Rb5!** **Kc3** **8. Rc5+ Kb3** **9. Rb5+** **1/2-1/2.**

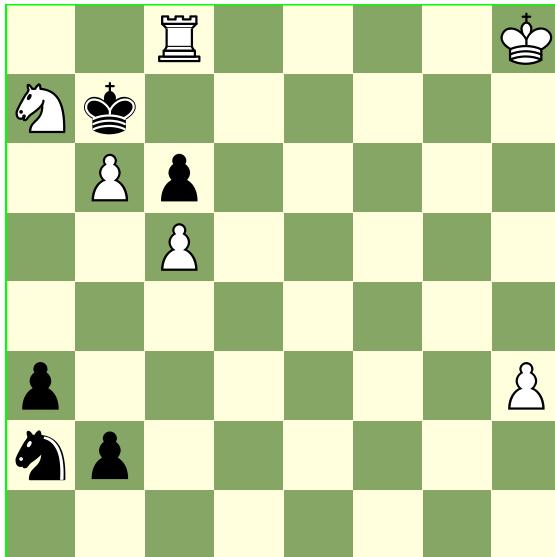
2.1.40 Isenegger +0104.44f6b7 (1955). Correction

Isenegger S  
Tijdschrift v.d. KNSB #439  
1955



win

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Tijdschrift v.d. KNSB #439  
1955



win

GBR: +0104.44f6b7 U1 FEN: 8/Nk6/1Pp2K2/2P4p/8/p7/np3P1P/6R1 w - - 0 1

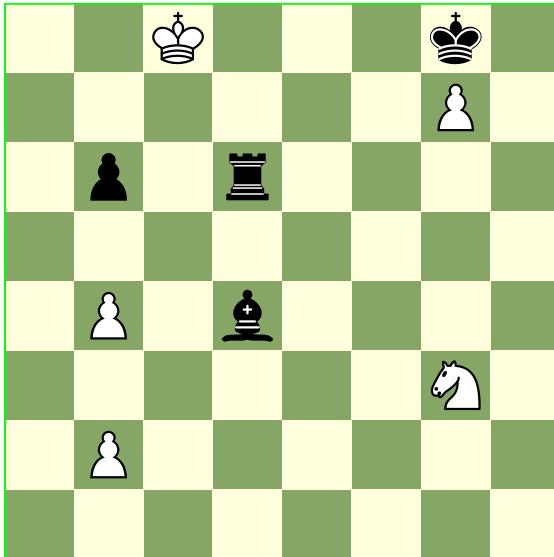
Tijdschrift v.d. KNSB/12. U1: Van, der, Heijden=H HHdbV#56176 15-1-2014. 1. **Rg7+** (1. Nb5! cook HH 1... cxb5 2. Rg7+ Kc6 3. b7 b1=Q 4. b8=Q) 1... **Ka6!** 2. **Nb5!** **b1=Q** 3. Nxa3 Qa1+ 4. Kg6 Ka5 (4... Qg1+ 5. Kh7 Qxg7+ 6. Kxg7) 5. **Ra7+** **Kb4** 6. **Nc2+** 1-0.

GBR: +0104.33h8b7 (c) FEN: 2R4K/Nk6/1Pp5/2P5/8/p6P/np6/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. **Rc7+** **Ka6** 2. **Nb5!** (2. Nxc6 b1=Q 3. b7 (3. Nd4 Ka5 4. b7 Ka6) 3... Qxb7 4. Rxb7 Kxb7 =) 2... **b1=Q** 3. **Nxa3 Qa1+** (3... Qb2+ 4. Kh7 Qxa3 5. Ra7+) 4. **Kh7 Ka5** 5. **Ra7+** (5. b7 Qc3 6. b8=Q Qxh3+ 7. Kg8 Qg3+ 8. Kf8 Qf4+ 9. Ke8 Qe5+ 10. Kf7 Qf4+) 5... **Kb4** 6. **Nc2+** 1-0.

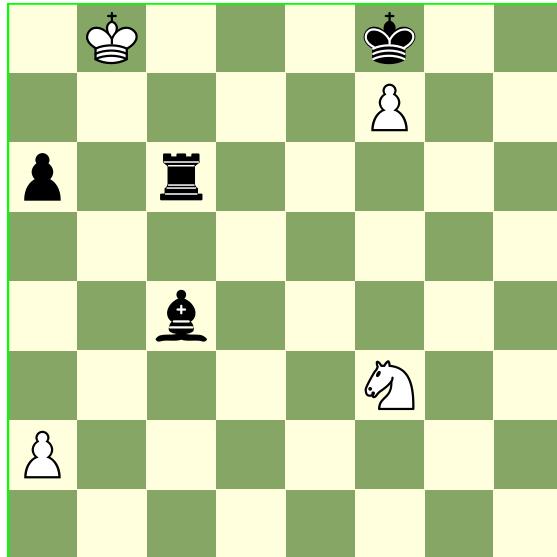
2.1.41 Isenegger =0331.31c8g8 (1955). Cook, correction

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0959  
1955



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
#0959  
1955



draw

GBR: =0331.31c8g8 U2 FEN: 2K3k1/6P1/1p1r4/8/1P1b4/6N1/1P6/8 w - - 0 1

Schweizerische Schachzeitung=12 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/12. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Nf5 Rc6+ 2. Kb7! Rc4 3. b3 (3. Ne7+ dual BN 3... Kxg7 4. b3 etc. ) 3... Rxb4 4. Ne7+ Kxg7 5. Nc6 Rxb3 6. Nxd4 Rb4 (6... Rb1 7. Ka6) 7. Nc6 (7. Ne2 cook BN ) 7... Rb1 8. Ka6 (8. Ne5 cook BN ) 8... b5 9. Ka5 1/2-1/2.

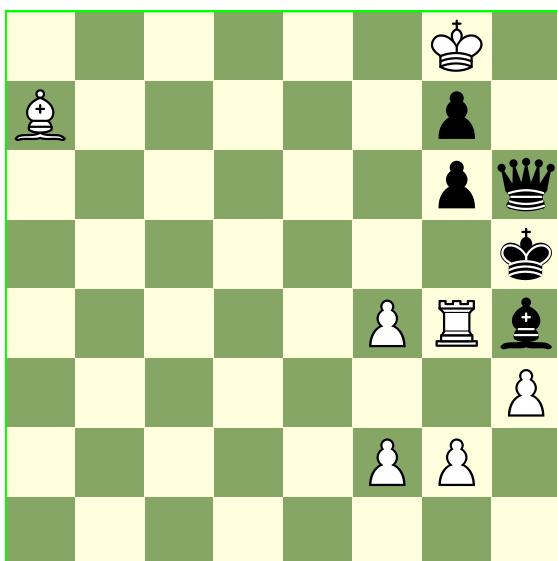
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correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Ne5 Rb6+ 2. Ka7 Rb4 3. a3 (3. Nd7+? Kxf7 4. a3 Rb5) 3... Ra4 4. Nd7+ Kxf7 5. Nb6 Rxa3 6. Nxc4 Ra4 (6... Ra1 7. Kb6 Ke6 8. Na5 Kd5 leads to the mainline) 7. Nd6+ Ke6 8. Nb7 Kd5 9. Kb6 Ra1 10. Na5 Ra2 11. Nb7 Kc4 12. Na5+ Kb4 13. Nc6+ 1/2-1/2.

2.1.42 Isenegger +3140.42g8h5 (1955). Cook

11. f3! appears winning as well.

Isenegger S  
Schach-Echo #083  
1955/07/20



win

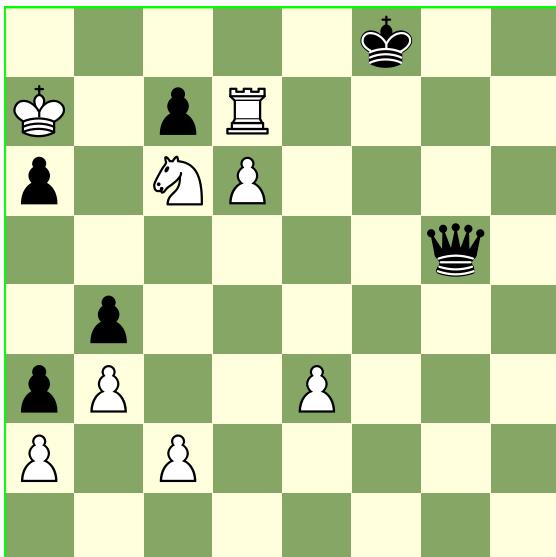
GBR: +3140.42g8h5 U2 FEN: 6K1/B5p1/6pq/7k/5PRb/7P/5PP1/8 w - - 0 1

Schach-Echo=14. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. **1. g3! g5!** ( 1... Bd8 2. Rh4+! Bxh4 3. g4#) **2. Rxh4+! gxh4** **3. g4+ Kg6** **4. f5+ Kf6** **5. Be3!** (5. Bd4+? Ke7 6. Bxg7 Qf4) **5... g5** **6. Bd4+ Ke7** **7. Bg7! Qc6** **8. f6+ Kd6** (8... Kd7 9. f7 Qe6 10. Bf6 Qxf6 11. f8=Q Qb6 12. Qf5+ Kc7 13. f4) **9. f7 Qc4** (9... Qd5 10. Bf6) **10. Bf6 Qe6** **11. Kg7** (11. f3! cook BN) **11... Qd7** **12. Kg6 Qc8** **13. Kxg5** 1-0.

#### 2.1.43 Isenegger +3101.54a7f8 (1956). Cook, correction

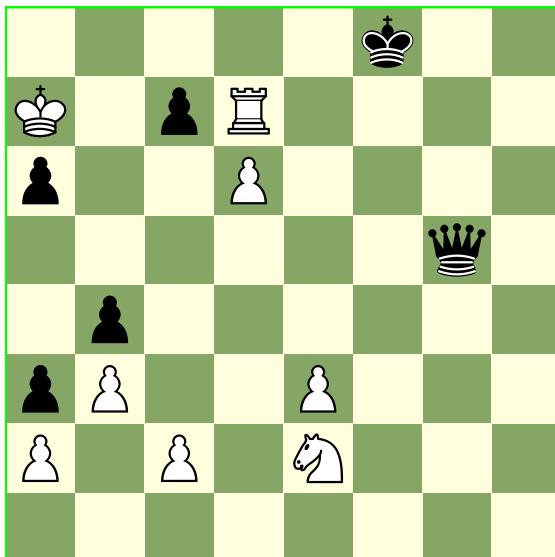
**1. Rxc7!** and **1. Rd8+!** cook the study.

Isenegger S  
New Statesman (and Nation)  
3/4.p 1956/03/24



win

Isenegger S BN (c)  
New Statesman (and Nation)  
3/4.p 1956/03/24



win

GBR: +3101.54a7f8 U1 FEN: 5k2/K1pR4/p1NP4/6q1/1p6/pP2P3/P1P5/8 w - - 0 1

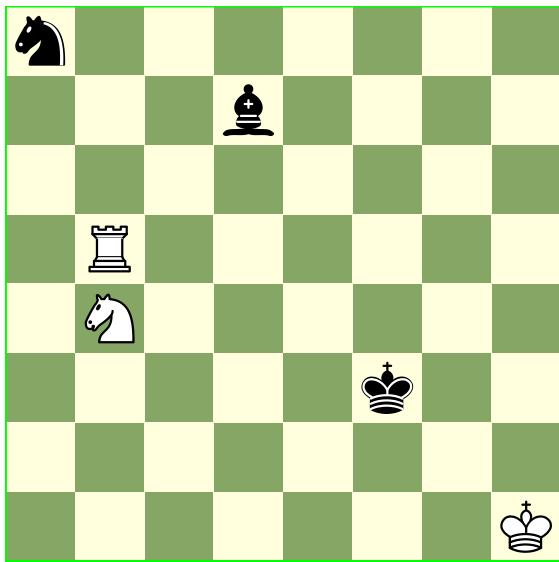
New Statesman (and Nation)=332. U1: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025 . 1. Nd4 (1. dxc7? Qc5+) (1. Rxc7? Qc5+) (1. Rxc7! cook BN 1... Qc5+ 2. Kb7 Qxd6 3. e4 +/-) (1. Rd8+! cook BN 1... Kf7 2. d7) 1... Qc5+ 2. Kb8 (2. Kb7 or ) 2... Qb6+ 3. Ka8! cxd6 (3... a5 4. Ne6+ Kg8 5. Rd8+ Kf7 6. Nxc7 Qxe3 7. d7) (3... c5 4. Ne6+ Kg8 5. Rd8+ Kf7 6. Nc7 c4 7. e4 Qc6+ 8. Kb8 Qxe4 9. d7) 4. Rb7! Qa5 5. Rb5! axb5+ 6. Kb7 Kf7 (6... Qd8 7. Ne6+) 7. Nc6 1-0.

GBR: +3101.54a7f8 (c) FEN: 5k2/K1pR4/p2P4/6q1/1p6/pP2P3/P1P1N3/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Nd4 Qc5+ 2. Kb7 (2. Ka8? Qd5+ 3. Kb8 cxd6) 2... Qb6+ 3. Ka8 cxd6 4. Rb7 Qa5 5. Rb5! axb5+ 6. Kb7 1-0.

2.1.44 Isenegger +0134.00h1f3 (1959). Cook

Isenegger S  
Tijdschrift v.d. KNSB #655  
2.c 1959



win

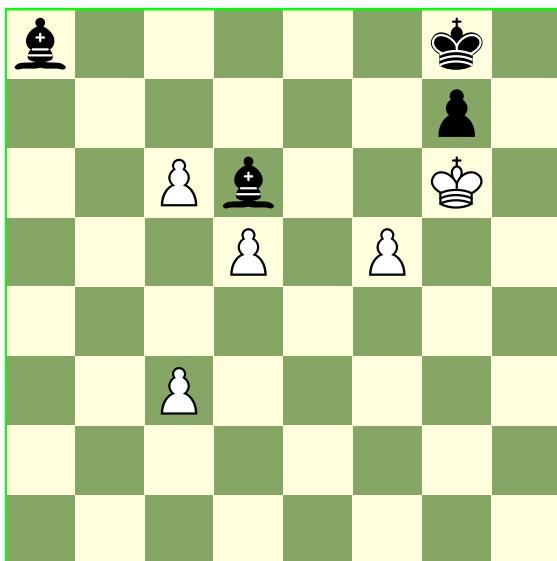
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Tijdschrift v.d. KNSB/6. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 18/11/2025. 1. Rb8 Nc7 2. Rf8+! Kg3 3. Rf7 Nd5 4. Nxd5 (4. Rg7+ cook BN 4... Kh4 (4... Kf2 5. Nd3+ Ke3 6. Rxd7) 5. Rxd7) 4... Bc6 5. Rf5 Kg4 6. Re5 1-0.

2.1.45 Isenegger =0060.41g6g8 (1965). Cook

7. Kf6! cooks the study.

Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
1965



draw

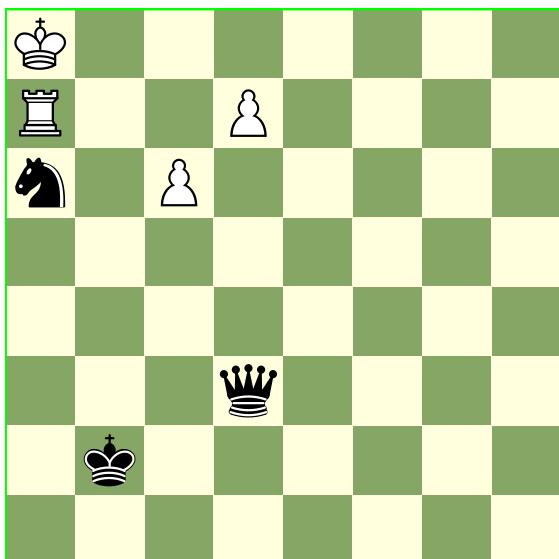
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Schweizerische Schachzeitung=2 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/2. U2: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 19/11/2025. 1. f6 Be5! 2. fxg7 Bxg7! 3. c4 Bd4 4. c5 Bxc5! 5. Kf6 Kf8 6. Ke6 Ke8 7. c7 (7. Kf6! cook BN 7... Kd8 8. Ke6 Kc7 9. Ke5 =) 7... Bb7 8. d6 Bc8+ 9. Kd5 Bb4 10. Kc6 Bd2 11. d7+ Bxd7+ 12. Kb7 1/2-1/2.

#### 2.1.46 Isenegger =3103.20b2a8 (1965). Cook

2... Nc5! cooks the study.

Isenegger S  
Basler Nachrichten  
1965/01/05



draw

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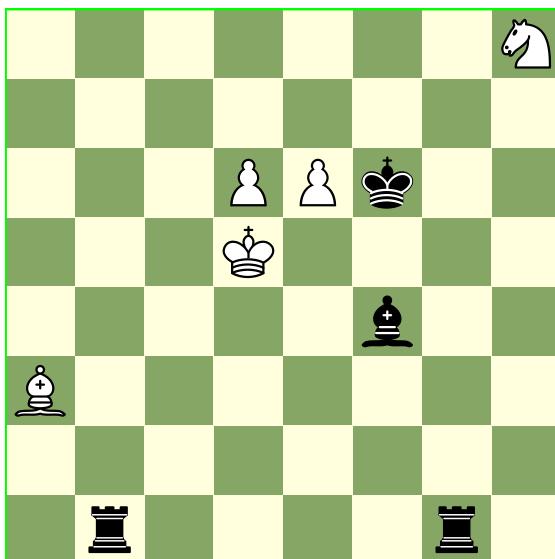
U3: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 19/11/2025 1. Rb7+ Kc3 2. Rb8 Nxb8 (2... Nc5! cook BN ) 3. d8=Q Qxd8 4. c7 Qxc7 1/2-1/2.

#### 2.1.47 Isenegger =0641.20d5f6 (1965). Cook, correction

1... Rge1! cooks the study.

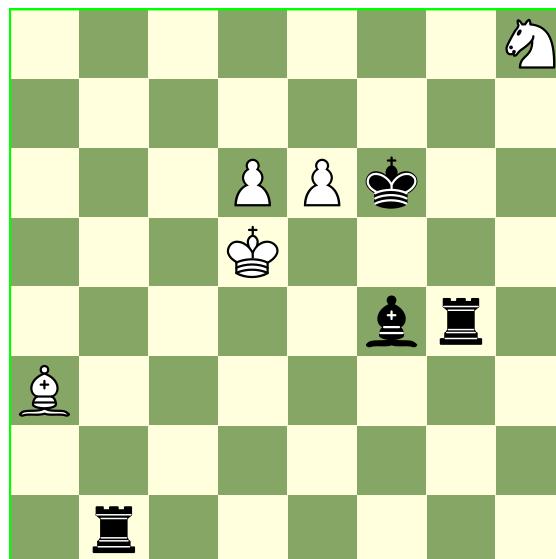
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Isenegger S  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
1965



draw

Isenegger S BN (c)  
Schweizerische Schachzeitung  
1965



draw

GBR: =0641.20d5f6 PH U3 FEN: 7N/8/3PPk2/3K4/5b2/B7/8/1r4r1 w - - 0 1

Schweizerische Schachzeitung=2 Schweizerische Schachzeitung/2. U3: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 24/11/2025. 1. e7 Rg8 (1... Rge1! cook BN 2. d7 Rbd1+ 3. Kc6 Re6+) 2. d7 Rbb8 3. d8=Q Rbxd8+ 4. exd8=Q+ Rxd8+ 5. Ke4 Be5 6. Ng6! Rd4+ 7. Ke3 Kxg6 8. Bb2 Rd5 9. Ke4 1/2-1/2.

GBR: =0641.20d5f6 PH (c) FEN: 7N/8/3PPk2/3K4/5br1/B7/8/1r6 w - - 0 1

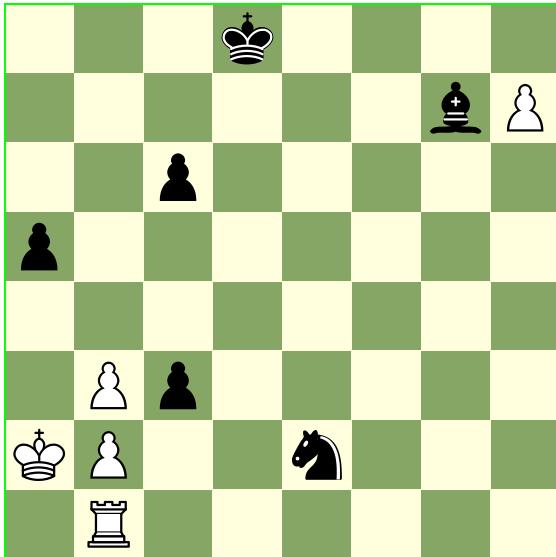
correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 24/11/2025. 1. e7 Rg8 2. d7 Rbb8 3. d8=Q Rbxd8+ 4. exd8=Q+ Rxd8+ 5. Ke4 Be5 6. Ng6! Rd4+ 7. Ke3 Kxg6 8. Bb2 Rd5 9. Ke4 1/2-1/2.

### 3 Comments and revisions

#### 3.1 Prize winners

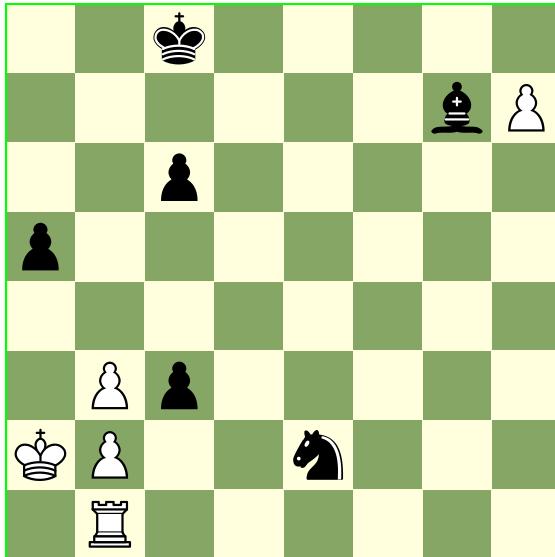
3.1.1 Pogosyants =0133.33a2d8 (1978). Correction (VH)

Pogosyants E  
Seneca MT Themes 64  
2.p 1978



draw

Pogosyants E VH (c)  
Seneca MT Themes 64  
2.p 1978



draw

GBR: =0133.33a2d8 U2 FEN: 3k4/6bP/2p5/p7/8/1Pp5/KP2n3/1R6 w - - 0 1

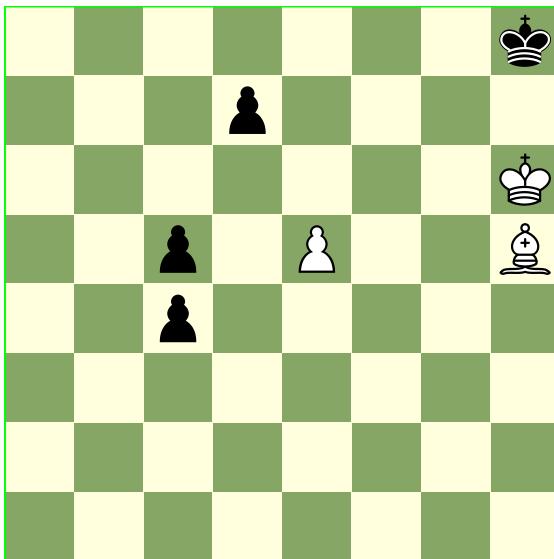
Themes 64=100 Themes 64/12 1980 (EG#04384). U2: Ricci=J HHdbIV#45651 2-12-2007. 1. **Rd1+!** (1. Rf1? c2 2. Rf8+ Ke7) 1... **Kc8** (1... Ke8 2. Re1!) (1... Kc7 2. Rf1 c2 3. Rf7+ Kb6 4. Rxg7) 2. **Rf1!** (2. Re1? c2 3. Rxe2 c1=N+) (2. Kb1! cook JR) 2... **c2** 3. **Rf8+!** **Bxf8** (3... Kc7 4. Rf7+) 4. **h8=Q Nc1+!** (4... c1=Q 5. Qxf8+ Kd7 6. Qf5+ Kd6 7. Qd3+) (4... Kb7 5. Qxf8 Nc1+ 6. Ka3) 5. **Ka1 Nd3!** (5... Nxb3+ 6. Ka2 Nc1+ 7. Ka1 Nd3 8. Qxf8+ Kb7 9. Qf7+ Kb6 10. Qb3+) 6. **Qh3+** (6. Qxf8+? Kb7 7. Qe7+ Ka6 8. Qe2 c1=Q+ 9. Ka2 Qc4! 10. bxc4 Nc1+) 6... **Kb7** 7. **Qd7+ Kb8** 8. **Qd8+!** (8. Qe8+? Kc7 9. Qf7+ Kb6) 8... **Kb7** 9. **Qd7+ eg** 9... **Kb6** 10. **Qd8+!** (10. Qd4+? Ne5 11. Qd8+ Kb7) 10... **Kc5** (10... Kb7 main 11. Qd7+) 11. **Qxf8+ 1/2-1/2.**

GBR: =0133.33a2c8 (c) FEN: 2k5/6bP/2p5/p7/8/1Pp5/KP2n3/1R6 w - - 0 1

correction: Hergert=V beatochess 22/11/2025. 1. **Rf1 c2** 2. **Rf8+ Bxf8** 3. **h8=Q Nc1+ 4. Ka1 Nd3 5. Qh3+ Kb7** 6. **Qd7+ Kb8** 7. **Qd8+ Kb7** 8. **Qd7+ Kb6** 9. **Qd8+ 1/2-1/2.**

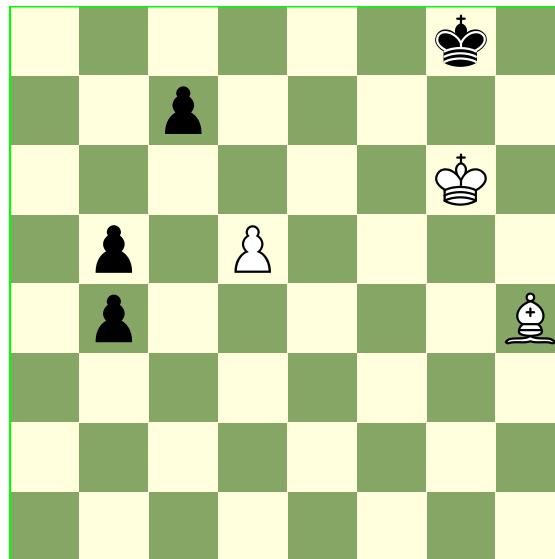
### 3.1.2 Amiryany +0010.13h6h8 (1994). Correction (VH)

Amiryany G  
Gusev JT  
sp.p 1994



win

Amiryany G VH (c)  
Gusev JT  
sp.p 1994



win

GBR: +0010.13h6h8 U2 FEN: 7k/3p4/7K/2p1P2B/2p5/8/8/8 w - - 0 1

(EG#10828). U2: EG=128 4/1998. 1. Bf7! (1. Be2? c3 2. Bd3 Kg8 3. Kg6 Kf8 4. Kf6 Ke8 5. Be4 Kd8 6. Kf7 Kc7 7. Ke7 c4!) 1... c3 2. Bb3 c4 3. Bc2 Kg8 4. Kg6 Kf8 5. Kf6 Ke8 6. Be4! (6. Ba4! cook 6... Kd8 (6... Kf8 7. Bxd7 c2 8. e6) 7. Kf7 Ke8 8. Ke8 Kc7 9. Ke7) 6... Kd8 (6... Kf8 7. Bg6!) 7. Kf7 Ke8! 8. Ke8! (8. Ke7? Kc7) 8... Kc7 9. Ke7! Kc8 10. Kd6 Kd8 11. Bf5 1-0.

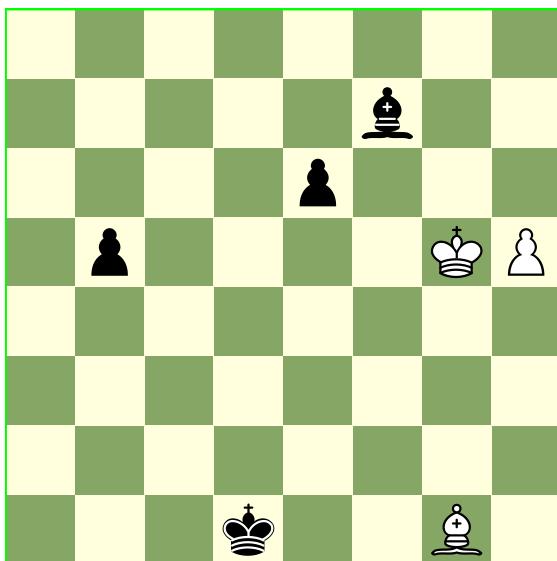
GBR: +0010.13g6g8 (c) FEN: 6k1/2p5/6K1/1p1P4/1p5B/8/8/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Hergert=V beatochess 21/11/2025. 1. Be7! (1. Be1? b3 2. Bc3 Kf8 3. Kf6 Ke8 4. Ke6 Kd8!?) 1... b3 2. Ba3 b4 3. Bb2 Kf8 4. Kf6 Ke8 5. Ke6 Kd8 6. Bd4! (6. Be5? Kc8!) 6... Kc8 (6... Ke8 7. Bf6! +-?) 7. Ke7 Kb8! (7... Kb7 8. Kd7 +-?) 8. Kd8! (8. Kd7? Kb7!) 8... Kb7 9. Kd7! Kb8 (9... b2 10. Bxb2 Kb6 11. Bd4+ Kb5 12. Kxc7 +-?) 10. Kc6 1-0.

### 3.1.3 Kralin & Pervakov +0040.12g5d1 (1997). Minor dual (no cook) (VH)

The study is correct: 13. Qg4+ is winning in the same way as 13. Qf2+, but it loses time.

Kralin N Pervakov O  
 Selivanov JT  
 2.p 1997



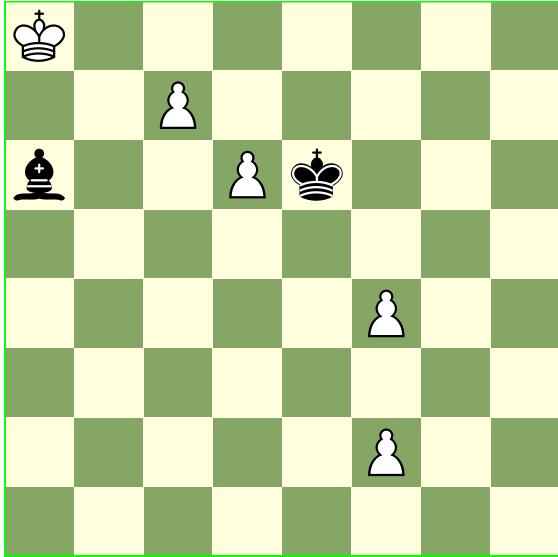
win

GBR: +0040.12g5d1 (U2) FEN: 8/5b2/4p3/1p4KP/8/8/8/3k2B1 w - - 0 1

(EG#13562). (U2): Campioli=M EG=149 7/2003, Hergert=V beatochess 21/11/2025. 1. **h6 Bg8** 2. **Kg6!** **e5** 3. **Kg7 Bh7!** (3... b4 4. Bc5! (4. Bh2? e4) 4... b3 5. Ba3 e4 6. Kxg8) 4. **Kxh7 b4** 5. **Bc5!** (5. Bh2? e4 6. Kg8 b3 7. Be5 e3 8. h7 e2 9. Bc3 b2! (9... e1=Q? 10. Bxe1 b2 11. h8=Q b1=Q 12. Qd4+! Ke2 (12... Kxe1 13. Qf2+ Kd3 14. Qf5+) 10. h8=Q b1=Q 11. Qd4+ Kc2!) 5... b3 6. Ba3 e4 7. Kg8! (7. Kg6? e3 8. h7 e2 9. Bb4 b2 10. h8=Q b1=Q+) (7. Kg7? e3 8. h7 e2 9. Bb4 b2 10. h8=Q b1=Q) 7... e3 8. h7 e2 9. Bb4 e1=Q (9... b2 main 10. h8=Q b1=Q 11. Qd4+! Kc2 12. Qc3+ Kd1 13. Qd2#) 10. **Bxe1 b2** 11. **h8=Q b1=Q** 12. **Qd4+! Ke2** (12... Kxe1 13. Qg1+) 13. **Qf2+** (13. Qg4+ **cook** MC minor (waste of time) dual VH 13... Ke3 14. Qg1+ Ke2 15. Qf2+ Kd3 16. Qf5+) 13... **Kd3** (13... Kd1 14. Qd2#) 14. **Qf5+ Ke2** 15. **Qxb1** 1-0.

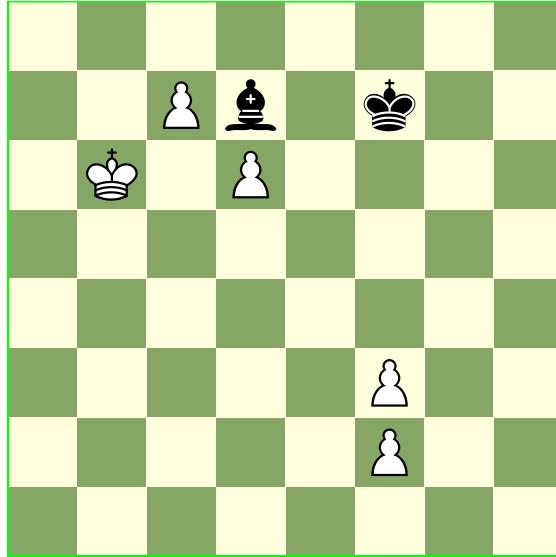
### 3.1.4 Aliev +0030.40a8e6 (1999). Correction (VH)

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Sarychev MT  
2.p 1999



win

Aliev I VH (c)  
Sarychev MT 1999  
2.p 1999



win

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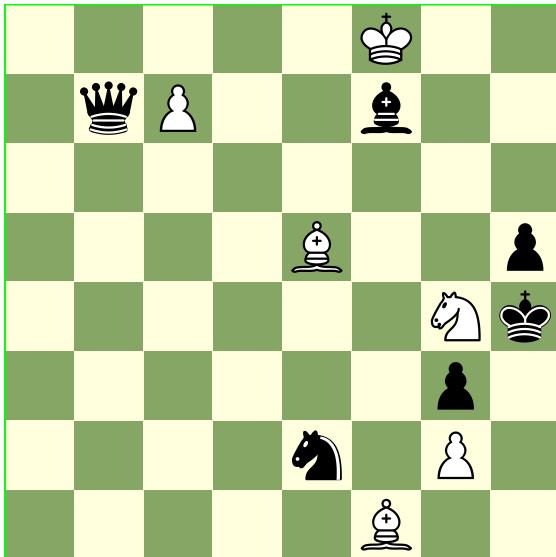
(EG#14361a). U3: Campioli=M Beasley=J EG=157 10/2005. 1. **Ka7 Bc8** 2. **Kb8 Bd7** ( 2... Kd7! cook MC/JB ) 3. **c8=Q Bxc8** 4. **Kc7 Kd5** 5. **f3 Ke5** 6. **d7 Bxd7** 7. **Kxd7 Kd5** 8. **Ke7** 1-0.

GBR: +0030.40b6f7 FEN: 8/2Pb1k2/1K1P4/8/8/5P2/5P2/8 w - - 0 1

correction: Hergert=V beatochess 21/11/2025. **1. f4!** (1. Kb7? Ke6 2. c8=Q Bxc8+ 3. Kxc8 Kxd6!1) **1... Ke6 2. c8=Q Bxc8 3. Kc7 Kd5** (3... Bd7 4. f5+ Kxf5 5. Kxd7 +-) **4. f3!** (4. Kxc8? Kxd6!1) (4. d7? Bxd7 5. Kxd7 Ke4!1) **4... Kc5** (4... Bf5 5. d7 Bxd7 6. Kxd7 +-) (4... Ke6 5. f5+ Kd5 (5... Kxf5 6. Kxc8 +-) 6. f6 +-) **5. d7 Bxd7 6. Kxd7 Kd5 7. Ke7 1-0.**

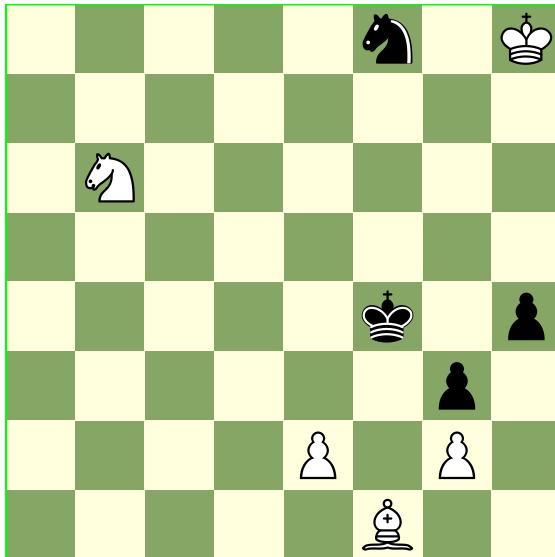
3.1.5 Koranyi +3054.22f8h4 (1996). Version (VH)

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Ponziani MT  
1.p 1996



win

Koranyi A VH (v)  
Ponziani MT  
1.p 1996



win

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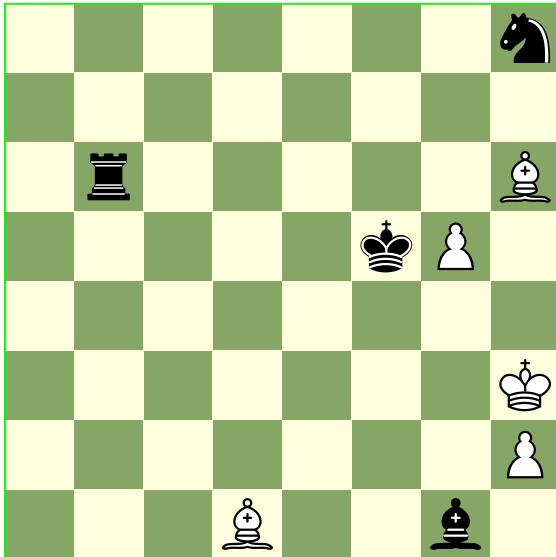
(EG#11082). U3: EG=131 1/1999. 1. **Nh6!** (1. Ne3? Qc6 2. c8=Q Qxc8+ 3. Kg7 Qg8+) 1... **Qc6** (1... Kg5 2. Nxf7+ Kg6 3. Bxe2) 2. **c8=Q!** (2. Nxf7? Nd4 3. Bxd4 Qxc7 4. Be2 Qe7+) 2... **Qxc8+** (2... Qxh6+ 3. Kxf7 Qh7+ 4. Bg7) 3. **Kg7 Qe6!** 4. **Bf6+ Qxf6+** 5. **Kxf6 Bc4!** (5... Bg6 6. Kxg6! Nf4+ 7. Kf6 Nxg2 8. Nf5+! Kg4 9. Bxg2 h4 10. Ne3+ Kf4 11. Nc4 h3 12. Bxh3 Kf3 13. Ne5+ Kf2 14. Nd3+) 6. **Nf5+ Kg4** 7. **Ne3+ Kf4** 8. **Nxc4 h4!** (8... Nd4 9. Ne5 Ke3 10. Ba6 Kf2 11. Bb7 h4 12. Ng4+) (8... Nc3 9. Kg6 h4 10. Kh5 h3 11. gxh3 Kf3 12. h4 Kf2 13. Bh3 g2 14. Bxg2) (8... Ng1! **cook** 9. Bd3 (9. Ne5 Ke3 10. Nd3 (10. Ba6 h4 11. Bc8 Kf2) 10... h4) (9. Kg6 h4 10. Kh5 Nf3 11. gxf3 Kxf3) 9... h4 10. Bf5 h3) 9. **Ne5!** (9. Kg6? Nd4! 10. Kh5 Nf5!) 9... **Ke3** 10. **Ng4+ Kf4** 11. **Bxe2 h3** 12. **Nf2! hxg2** (12... gxf2 13. gxh3) (12... h2 13. Nh1) 13. **Nh3+ Ke3** 14. **Bg4!** (14. Ba6? g1=Q 15. Nxg1 g2!) 14... **g1=Q** 15. **Nxg1 Kf2** 16. **Nh3+ Kf1** 17. **Nf4 g2** 18. **Bh3** 1-0.

GBR: +0014.22h8f4 TT (v) FEN: 5n1K/8/1N6/8/5k1p/6p1/4P1P1/5B2 w - - 0 1

version: Hergert=V beatochess 14/11/2025. 1. **Kg7 Ne6+** 2. **Kf6 Nd4** 3. **Nc4!** (3. Nd5+? Ke4 4. Nc3+ Ke3 5. Kg5 (5. Nd1+ Kd2!) 5... Kf2 6. Kxh4 Nf5+ 7. Kh3 Ne3!) 3... **Nxe2!** 4. **Ne5!** (4. Bxe2? h3 5. Bf3 h2 6. Nb6! Ke3!) 4... **Ke3** 5. **Ng4+** (5. Nc4+? Kf2!) 5... **Kf4** (5... Kd2 6. Kg5! Ke1 7. Bxe2 h3 8. Bf3! h2 9. Nxh2 +-) 6. **Bxe2** (6. Ne5 Ke3 7. Ng4+ waste of time) 6... **h3** 7. **Nf2!** (7. gxh3?? g2 +-) (7. Bf3?? h2 +-) 7... **hxg2** (7... gxf2 8. gxh3 +-) (7... h2 8. Nh1 +-) (7... Ke3 8. Nxh3 +-) 8. **Nh3+ Ke3** 9. **Bg4!** **g1=Q** 10. **Nxg1 Kf2** (10... g2 11. Nh3 +-) 11. **Nh3+ (11. Nf3? g2!)** 11... **Kg2** 12. **Nf4+** (12. Kf5? Kh2 13. Nf4 g2!) 12... **Kf2** 13. **Bh3 g2** 14. **Bxg2** (14. Nxg2? Kg3!) 1-0.

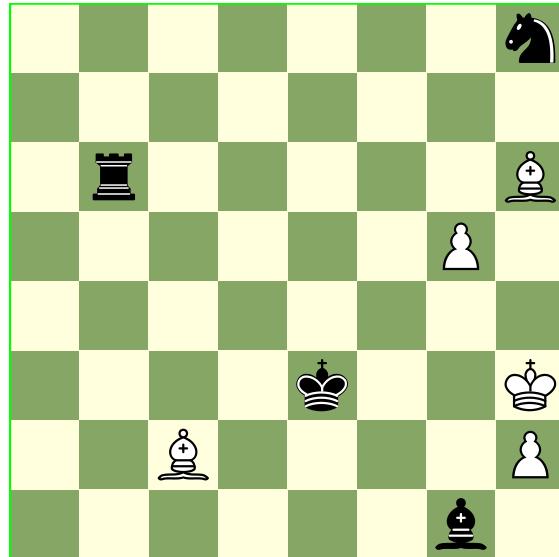
### 3.1.6 Zamotaev =0353.20h3f5 (1995). Correction (VH)

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Shakhmatnaya Kompozitsia  
#0418  
1.p 1995/06/01



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Zamotaev I Kovalenko V VH (c)  
Shakhmatnaya Kompozitsia  
#0418  
1.p 1995/06/01



draw

GBR: =0353.20h3f5 U2 FEN: 7n/8/1r5B/5kP1/8/7K/7P/3B2b1 w - - 0 1

Shakhmatnaya Kompozitsia=10 . U2: Garcia=M HHdbV#18489 23-9-2011. 1. **Bc2+ Kf4!** (1... Ke5 2. Bg7+) (1... Ke6 2. g6 Nxg6 (2... Bd4 3. g7 Rb8 4. g8=Q+! Rxg8 5. Bb3+) 3. Bxg6) 2. **g6+** (2. Kg2! cook MG 2... Rb2 3. g6+ Kg4 4. h3+ Kh4 5. g7) 2... **Kf3!** 3. **Bd1+ Ke4!** 4. **Bc2+! Kf3!** 5. **Bd1+ Kf2** 6. **Be3+!** (6. g7? Rxh6+ 7. Bh5! Rxh5+ 8. Kg4 Rxh2! 9. Kf5 (9. Kf4 Ng6+) 9... Nf7! 10. g8=Q Nh6+) 6... **Kxe3** 7. **g7 Rh6+** (7... Rb8 8. Bb3!) 8. **Bh5! Rxh5+ 9. Kg4! Rxh2!** (9... Rh6 10. Kf5! Ng6 11. Kg5) 10. **Kg3! Rh6!** 11. **Kg2! Rg6+ 12. Kh1! Rh6+** (12... Nf7 main 13. g8=Q! Rxg8) 13. **Kg2! Bf2** 14. **g8=Q Rg6+ 15. Kf1! Rxg8** 1/2-1/2.

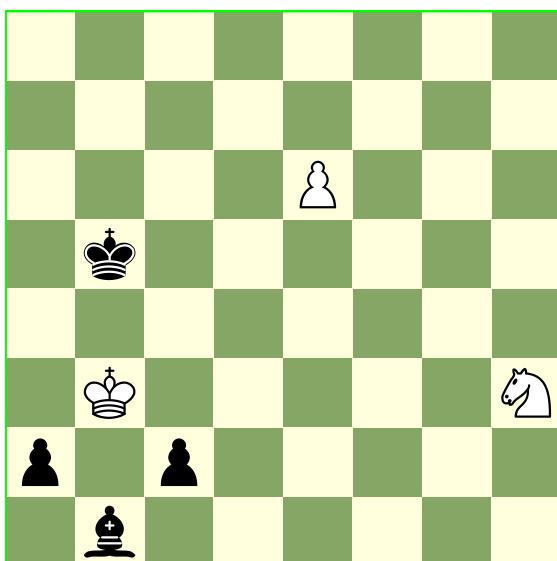
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correction: Hergert=V beatochess 11/11/2025. 1. **g6+** (1. Kg2? Kd2! 2. Be4 Be3 -+) 1... **Kf3** 2. **Bd1+ Ke4** 3. **Bc2+ Kf3** 4. **Bd1+ Kf2** 5. **Be3+ Kxe3** 6. **g7 Rh6+ (6... Rb8 7. Bb3!)** 7. **Bh5! Rxh5+ 8. Kg4! Rxh2!** (8... Rh6 9. Kf5! Ng6 10. Kg5) 9. **Kg3! Rh6!** 10. **Kg2! Rg6+ 11. Kh1! Rh6+** (11... Nf7 main 12. g8=Q! Rxg8) 12. **Kg2! Bf2** 13. **g8=Q Rg6+ 14. Kf1! Rxg8** 1/2-1/2.

### 3.1.7 Antipin =0031.12b3b5 (2004). Cook (VH)

5... **Ka4** cooks the study (tablebase).

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 Zhigulevskye Zori  
 2.p 2004



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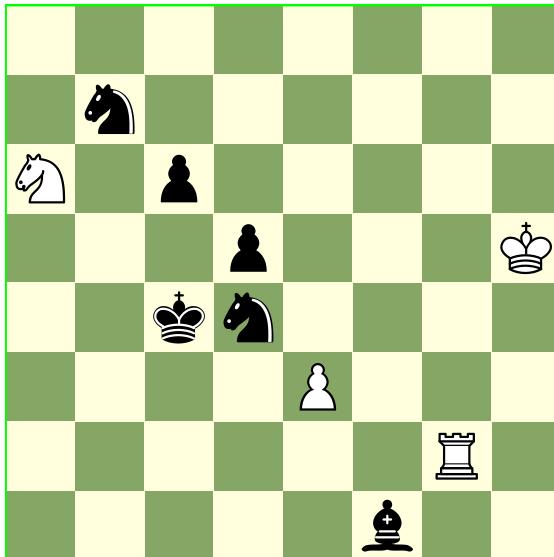
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U3: Hergert=V beatochess 10/11/2025. 1. **e7 c1=N+** 2. **Kb2 Bg6** 3. **Nf4 Bf7** 4. **Ne6 Nd3+** 5. **Ka1 Nb4** (5... **Ka4!** cook VH Other Black moves also win according to TB 6. **Nd4 Kb4** 7. **e8=Q Bxe8** 8. **Kxa2 Ba4 -+ TB DTZ 172**) 6. **Kb2 Ka5** 7. **Nc5 Kb6** 8. **Ne6 Nc2** 9. **Kxa2 Bxe6+** 10. **Kb2 1/2-1/2.**

### 3.1.8 Becker =0137.12h5c4 (2004). Cook? Version (VH)

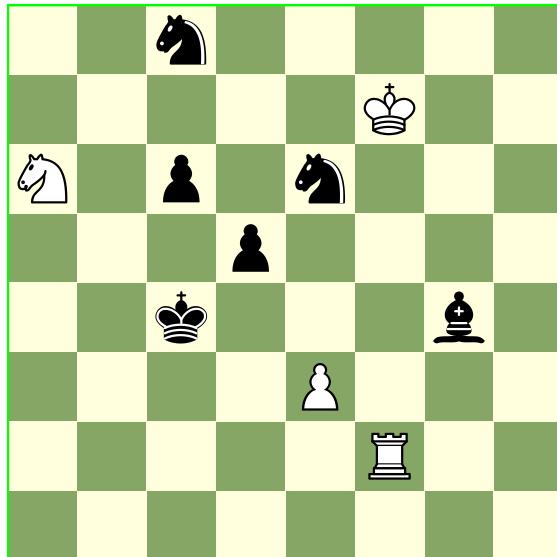
The study is analytically heavy. In particular, after **6. Rh4** the position is rather unclear. Volker suggests a clearer version.

Becker R  
Tidskrift for Schack  
2.p 2004



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Becker R VH (v)  
Tidskrift for Schack 2004  
2.p 2025/11/10



draw

GBR: =0137.12h5c4 U2? FEN: 8/1n6/N1p5/3p3K/2kn4/4P3/6R1/5b2 w - - 0 1

Tidskrift for Schack=3 2005 (EG#15926). Comments: Hergert=V beatochess 10/11/2025. **1. Rf2!** (1. Rg4? Be2) (1. Rg6? Be2+ 2. Kg5 (2. Kh4 Nf5+ 3. Kg5 Nbd6) 2... Nc5 3. Nb8 Nf3+ 4. Kf4 (4. Kh6 Ne5) 4... Nd3+ 5. Kg3 c5) (1. Rg7? Be2+ 2. Kg6 Bd3+ 3. Kh5 (3. Kf6 Nd6 4. Ke5 N4b5 5. Rg1 (5. Nb8 Kc5 6. Nd7+ Kb4 7. Nb8 Ne4+ 8. Ke6 Na5) 5... Ne4 6. Nb8 c5 7. Nd7 Nec3 8. Nb6+ Kb3 9. Nxd5 Nxd5 10. Kxd5 c4) 3... Nc5 4. Nb8 (4. Nxc5 Kxc5 5. exd4+ Kxd4 6. Kg4 Be4) 4... Nde6 5. Rg2 (5. Rg8 Ne4) 5... Nd8) **1... Be2+** (1... Bd3 2. exd4 Kxd4 3. Nc7 Ke5 (3... c5 4. Rb2 Nd6 5. Ne6+ Kc4 6. Kg5) 4. Rf7 Nc5 (4... d4 5. Kg4 c5 6. Ne8 Na5 7. Re7+ Kd5 8. Kf4) 5. Kg4 Be2+ 6. Kg3 Ne4+ 7. Kg2 Kd6 (7... d4 8. Re7+ Kf4 9. Ne6+ Ke3 10. Ng5 Bd3 11. Ne6) (7... c5 8. Rd7 Nc3 9. Kf2 d4 10. Re7+ Kd6 11. Rh7 d3 12. Ke3 c4 13. Kd2 Nb1+ 14. Ke3 c3 15. Nb5+) 8. Ne8+ Ke6 9. Rf8 Ke5 10. Nc7 Kd6 11. Ne8+ Ke7 12. Rh8 c5 13. Ng7 Bg4 14. Nh5 c4 15. Ng3 Nf6 16. Kf2 d4 17. Ke1) **2. Kg5** (2. Kh4? Kd3 3. exd4 Ke3 4. Rxe2+ Kxe2) **2... Nd6** (2... Nf3+ 3. Kf4) (2... Ne6+ 3. Kf6) (2... Kc3 3. Nb8 Nd6 4. Kf4 N6b5 5. exd4) **3. Kf4** (3. exd4? Ne4+ 4. Kf4 Nx2) **3... Ne4** **4. Rh2** (4. Rg2? Bf1) 4... Ne6+ **5. Ke5** (5. Kf5? Nd8) **5... Bg4** **6. Rg2!** (6. Rc2+? Kb5 7. Rb2+ Kxa6 8. Rb6+ Ka5 9. Rxc6 N4g5 10. Kxd5 Bf3+ 11. Kd6 Nf7+) (6. Rh4? cook? VH 6... Nf2 7. Rh2 (7. Kd6 cook? 7... c5 8. Rh2 Ne4+ 9. Ke5 Nf8 10. Rc2+ Kb3 11. Rc1 c4 12. Kxd5 Nc3+ 13. Kd6 Nd7 14. Nc7 VH: is this a draw or won for Black? There so many possibilities... Stockfish evaluation around -0.8... ) 7... Nd1 8. Rc2+ (8. Kd6 Nxe3) 8... Kb5 9. Nb8 c5) (6. Rb2) **6... Bh3** (6... Bf3 7. Rc2+ Kb5 8. Kxe6 Kxa6 9. Rxc6+) **7. Rc2+** (7. Rg1? N6g5 8. Rc1+ Nc3 9. Kd6 Kb5) (7. Rh2? N6g5 8. Rc2+ Nc3 9. Kd6 Bf5 10. Rg2 (10. Rc1 Kb5 11. Ke5 Bc8) 10... Nf7+ 11. Kxc6 d4) **7... Kb5** (7... Nc3 8. Nb8 c5 (8... Nd8 9. Rh2 Bc8 10. Kd6) 9. Nd7 d4 (9... Kd3 10. Rh2) 10. exd4 cxd4 11. Rd2 Nb5 12. Nb6+ Kc3 (12... Kc5 13. Na4+) 13. Rh2) **8. Rb2+** (8. Nb8? N6c5 9. Rb2+ Kc4 10. Rc2+ Kd3 11. Rh2 Nd7+) **8... Kxa6** (8... Ka4 9. Rb6 Nd8 10. Nc7) **9. Rb6+ Ka7** (9... Kxb6 main) **10. Rb7+** (10. Rxc6? Kb7 11. Kxd5 (11. Rc2 Nc7) 11... Nf6+ 12. Kd6 Ne8+) **10... Ka8** **11. Rb8+ Ka7** **12. Rb7+ Ka6** **13. Rb6+ Ka5** **14. Rxc6 N4c5** (14... N4g5 15. Rc2) (14... Kb5 15. Rc2) **15. Kxd5** (15. Rd6? Nc7 16. Rc6 N7a6 17. Kxd5 Bg2+ 18. Kd6 Nb7+) **15... Bg2+** (15... Kb5 16. Rd6) **16. e4 Bxe4+** **17. Kd6 Nb7+** **18. Kd7 Nec5+** **19. Kc7 Na6+** **20. Kc8 Bf5+** (20... Bxc6 main) **21. Kxb7 Be4** **22. Ka7 Bxc6** 1/2-1/2.

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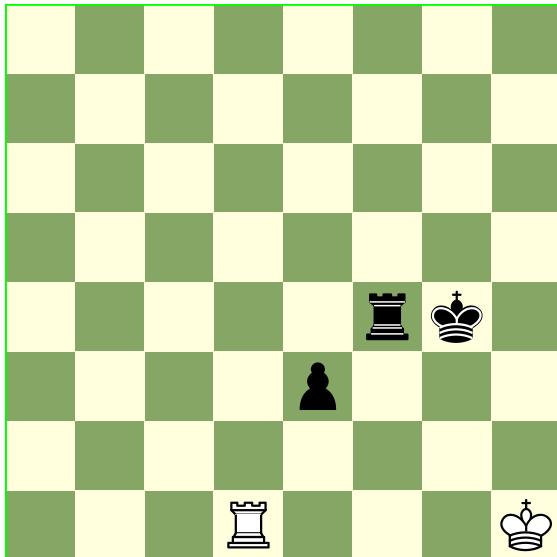
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Ka5 11. Rxc6 N4c5 12. Kxd5 Bg2+ 13. e4 Bxe4+ 14. Kd6 Nb7+ 15. Kd7 Nec5+ 16. Kc7 Na6+ 17. Kc8 Bf5+ 18. Kxb7 Be4 19. Ka7 Bxc6 1/2-1/2.

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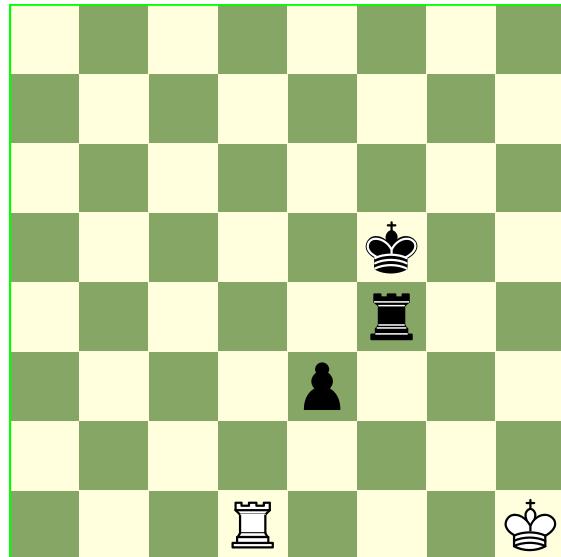
#### 3.2.1 Gurgenidze =0400.01h1g4 (1987). Correction

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Chavchavadze MT  
sp.c 1987



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Chavchavadze MT  
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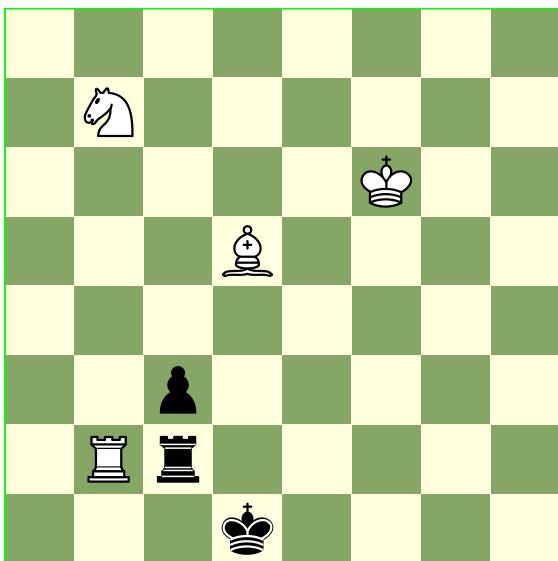
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correction: Hergert=V 24/11/2025. **1. Kg1!** (1. Kg2? Kg4 2. Re1 Rf2+ 3. Kg1 Kf4! -+ (3... Kf3? 4. Rf1 Ke2 5. Ra1!!1) ) **1... Kg4** (1... Rg4+ 2. Kf1!) (1... Ke4 2. Ra1! see main line) **2. Re1 Kf3** **3. Rf1+ Kf3** **4. Re1!** (4. Rxf4? Kxf4 5. Kf1 Kf3 6. Ke1 e2 7. Kd2 Kf2 -+) **4... Kf3** (4... Rf3 5. Re2!) **5. Rf1+ Ke4** **6. Ra1!** **Rg4+** (6... e2 7. Kg2 Kd3 (7... Rg4+ 8. Kf2 Kd3 9. Ra3+!) 8. Ra3+ Kc2 9. Ra2+!) **7. Kf1 Kf3** **8. Ra2 Rh4** **9. Rf2+ exf2** **1/2-1/2.**

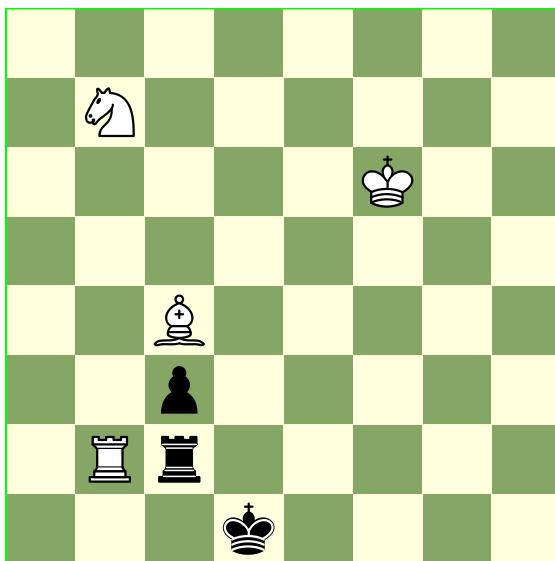
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Gusev JT  
.hm 1994



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Bazlov Y VH (c)  
Gusev JT  
.hm 1994



win

GBR: +0411.01f6d1 U2 FEN: 8/1N6/5K2/3B4/8/2p5/1Rr5/3k4 w - - 0 1

(EG#10832). U2: EG=128 4/1998. 1. Rb1+ (1. Rb4? Rf2+) 1... Rc1 2. Rb4! (2. Rb6! cook 2... c2 3. Be4 Kd2 (3... Ra1 4. Rd6+ Kc1 5. Rc6 Ra2 6. Nc5) 4. Ke5 Re1 5. Rd6+ Kc1 (5... Kc3 6. Rc6+ Kb3 7. Nc5+ Ka3 8. Nd3) 6. Nc5 Kb1 7. Nd3 c1=Q 8. Nxe1+ Ka2 9. Ra6+ Kb3 10. Bd5+) 2... c2 3. Nc5 Rb1 4. Bb3 Rb2! (4... Kd2 5. Rd4+ Kc3 6. Rc4+) 5. Ke5! Kc1! (5... Kd2 6. Rd4+ Kc3 7. Rc4+ Kd2 8. Ne4+ Kd1 9. Ba4 Ra2 10. Nc3+) 6. Nd3+ Kd2 (6... Kb1 7. Bxc2+! (7. Ba2+? Ka1 8. Rxb2 c1=Q 9. Nxc1 Kxb2) ) 7. Rd4! Kc3 (7... c1=Q 8. Nxc1+ Kxc1 9. Rd1#) (7... Rxb3 8. Nc5+ Kc3 9. Na4#) 8. Nc1 Rb1 9. Rc4+ Kd2! 10. Rxc2+ Kd1! 11. Ba4! (11. Rc8+? Kd2 12. Rc2+ Kd1) (11. Rc3+! cook 11... Kd2 12. Na2) 11... Rxc1 12. Rh2+! (12. Rg2+? Ke1 13. Bc2 Kf1 14. Rh2 Kg1) 12... Ke1 13. Bc2! 1-0.

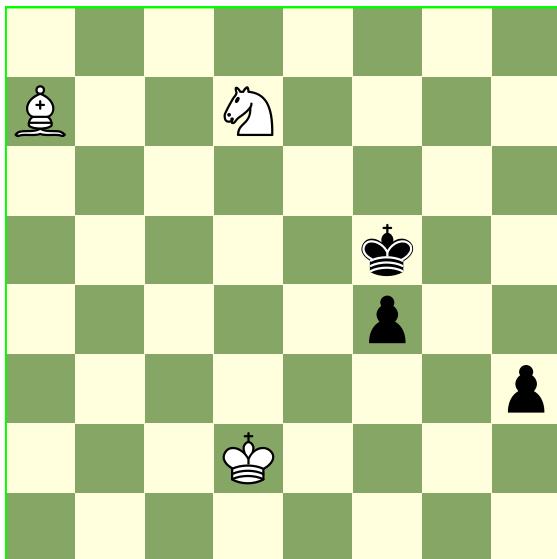
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correction: Hergert=V beatochess 24/11/2025. 1. Rb1+ Rc1 2. Rb4 (2. Rb6? c2 3. Bd3 Ra1#) 2... c2 3. Nc5 Rb1 4. Bb3 Rb2 5. Ke5 Kc1 6. Nd3+ Kd2 7. Rd4 Kc3 8. Nc1 Rb1 9. Rc4+ Kd2 10. Rxc2+ Kd1 11. Ba4 Rxc1 12. Rh2+ Ke1 13. Bc2 +- 1-0.

### 3.2.3 Sukhitashvili +0011.02d2f5 (1991). Minor dual (no cook) (VH)

The study is correct. 2. Bh2 leads to the mainline.

Sukhitashvili S  
Tsereteli 150 AT  
.c 1991



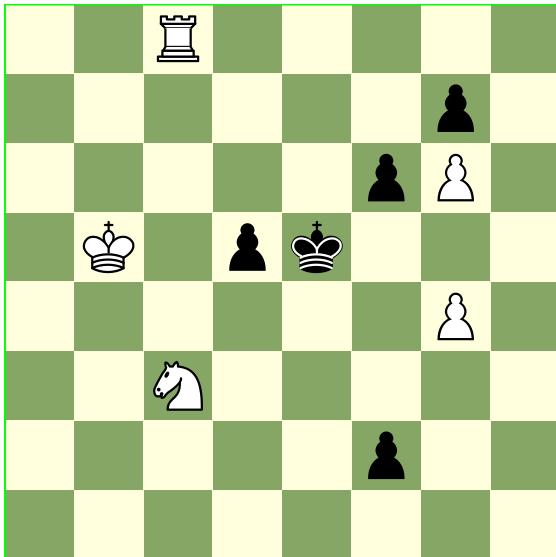
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GBR: +0011.02d2f5 U2 FEN: 8/B2N4/8/5k2/5p2/7p/3K4/8 w - - 0 1

(EG#09127). U2: (HHdbIII#10446 2004). (U2): Hergert=V beatochess 24/11/2025. 1. **Bg1 Kg4** 2. **Ke2** (2. Bh2 **cook**(move order) **dual** VH 2... Kf3 3. Ne5+ Kf2 ( 3... Kg2 4. Ke2 =main ) 4. Nd3+ Kg2 5. Ke1 f3 6. Nf4+ Kh1 7. Kf1 f2 8. Ke2 f1=Q+ 9. Kxf1 Kxh2 10. Kf2 Kh1 11. Ne2 Kh2 12. Nc3 Kh1 13. Ne4 Kh2 14. Nd2 Kh1 15. Nf1 h2 16. Ng3#) 2... **Kg3** 3. **Bh2+** **Kg2** (3... Kxh2 main 4. Kf2 Kh1 5. Ne5 Kh2 6. Ng4+ Kh1 7. Kf1 f3 8. Kf2 h2 9. Kf1 f2 10. Nxf2#) 4. **Ne5 Kxh2** 5. **Kf2 Kh1** 6. **Ng4** (6. Nd3? f3 7. Kf1 Kh2) 6... f3 7. **Kf1 f2** 8. **Nxf2+ Kh2** 9. **Ne4 Kh1** 10. **Kf2 Kh2** 11. **Nd2 Kh1** 12. **Nf1 h2** 13. **Ng3#** 1-0.

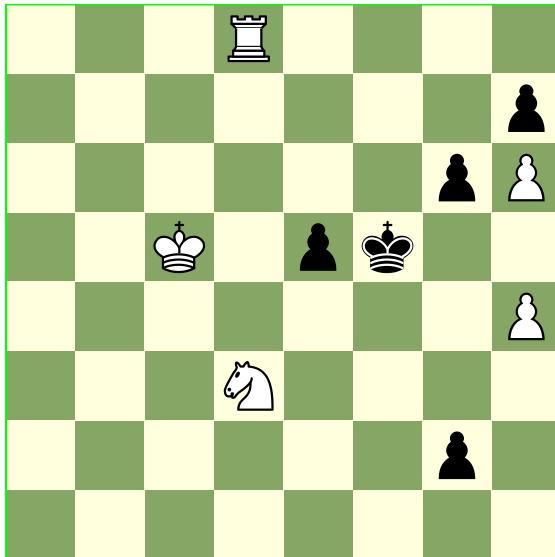
### 3.2.4 Mitrofanov +0101.24b5e5 (1975). Correction (VH)

Mitrofanov L  
Mkhedruli  
.c 1975



win

Mitrofanov L VH (c)  
Mkhedruli  
.c 1975



win

GBR: +0101.24b5e5 U3 FEN: 2R5/6p1/5pP1/1K1pk3/6P1/2N5/5p2/8 w - - 0 1

(EG#02954). U3: De, Zeeuw=M HHdbIV#42270 4-9-2005. 1. Ne2 f1=Q 2. Kc6 f5 3. g5 f4 4. Re8+ Kf5 5. Ng3+ fxg3 6. Rf8+ Kxg6! cook MZ (6... Ke4! cook MZ 7. Rxf1 d4 8. Kc5 Ke3! 9. Kc4 g2 10. Rd1 Ke2 11. Rg1 (11. Ra1 d3 12. Kc3 d2 13. Kc2 Kf2 14. Kxd2 g1=Q 15. Rxg1 Kxg1) 11... Kf2 12. Ra1 Ke3) 7. Rxf1 Kxg5 8. Kxd5 Kg4 1-0.

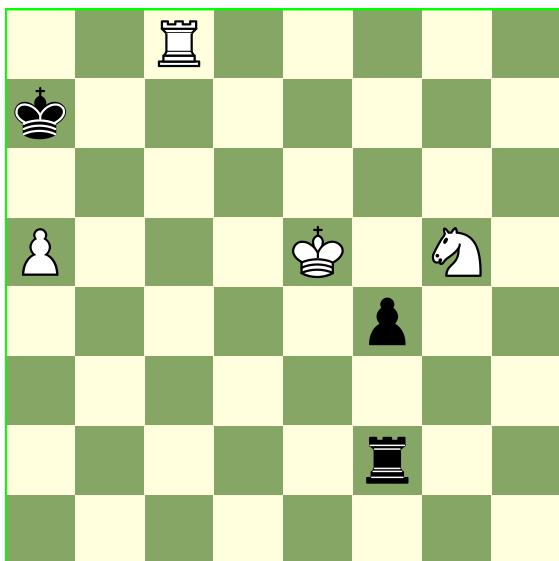
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correction: Hergert=V beatochess 21/11/2025. 1. Nf2! (1. Rf8+? Ke6 2. Re8+ Kf7 3. Nxe5+ Kxe8 4. Nf3 Kf7 5. Kd4 g5 6. hxg5 Kg6 7. Ke3 g1=Q+ 8. Nxg1 Kxg5!) (1. Kd6? Kg4 2. Nxe5+ Kg3!) 1... g1=Q 2. Kd6 g5 (2... Qxf2 3. Rf8+ Kg4 4. Rxf2 +- ) (2... Kf4 3. Nh3+) 3. h5 g4 4. Rf8+ Kg5 5. Nh3+! gxh3 6. Rg8+ Kxh6 7. Rxg1 Kxh5 8. Kxe5 Kh4 9. Kf4 (9. Kf5? h2!) 1-0.

### 3.2.5 Katsnelson +0401.11e5a7 (1996). Comments, cooks (VH)

1.Ne6 is not a cook. The study is cooked for other reasons (cooks on moves 2 and 3).

Katsnelson V  
Zadachy i Etyudy #0094  
1996/07



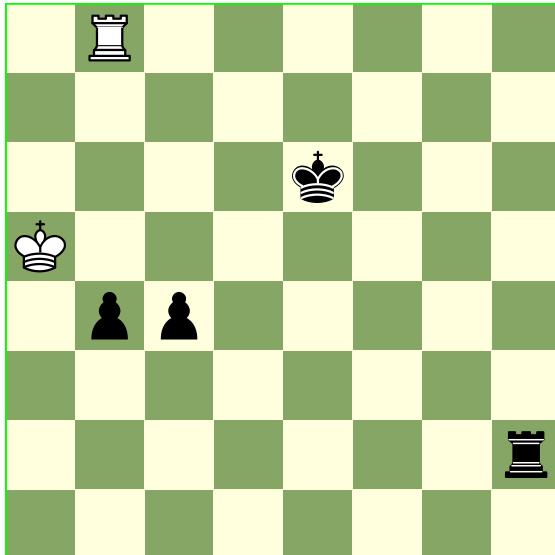
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GBR: +0401.11e5a7 U1 FEN: 2R5/k7/8/P3K1N1/5p2/8/5r2/8 w - - 0 1

Zadachy i Etyudy=10 . U1: Golomedov=A Zadachy i Etyudy=12 1996 22-4-1997. U3: Hergert=V beatochess 13/11/2025 **1. Ne4** (1. Ne6! **cook AG** 1... Ra2 (1... f3!!1 no **cook**, VH ) 2. Rc5 f3 3. Kd6 f2 4. Rf5 f1=Q (4... Ka6!!1 no **cook**, VH ) 5. Rxf1 Rxa5 6. Kc7) **1... Ra2** (1... Kb7 2. Nxf2 Kxc8 3. Ne4 Kb7 4. Nc5+! Kc6 5. a6) **2. Rc7+ Ka6** (2... Ka8! **cook VH** 3. Kd6 Rxa5 =) (2... Kb8! **cook VH** 3. Kd6 Rxa5!1) **3. Kd5!** (3. Nc5+? Kb5 4. a6 f3) **3... Ra3** (3... Rxa5+ 4. Nc5+!) (3... Re2! **cooks VN or Rg2/Rh2**) **1-0.**

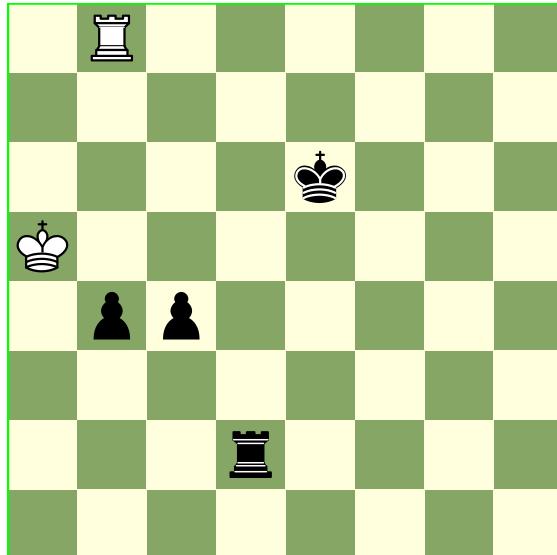
### 3.2.6 Radchenko =0400.02a5e6 (1993). Correction (VH)

Radchenko S  
Bron MT Problemist Pribuzhja  
#3662  
2.hm 1993



draw

Radchenko S VH (c)  
Bron MT Problemist Pribuzhja  
#3662  
2.hm 1993



draw

GBR: =0400.02a5e6 U1 FEN: 1R6/8/4k3/K7/1pp5/8/7r/8 w - - 0 1

also .c Mitrofanov MT Vecherny Peterburg 1994 (EG#09911). U1: Conrady=H HHdbIII#08885 1-4-2005. 1. Re8+ (1. Rxb4 Kd5 2. Rb5+! cook HC) (1. Rc8? b3 2. Rxc4 Rh8! (2... b2? 3. Rb4 Kd5 4. Kb6! (4. Ka4? Rh4) (4. Rb3? Kc4 5. Ka4 b1=Q 6. Rxb1 Ra2#) ) ) 1... Kd7 2. Re4 b3 3. Rxc4 b2 4. Rb4 Kc7 5. Rb3 1/2-1/2.

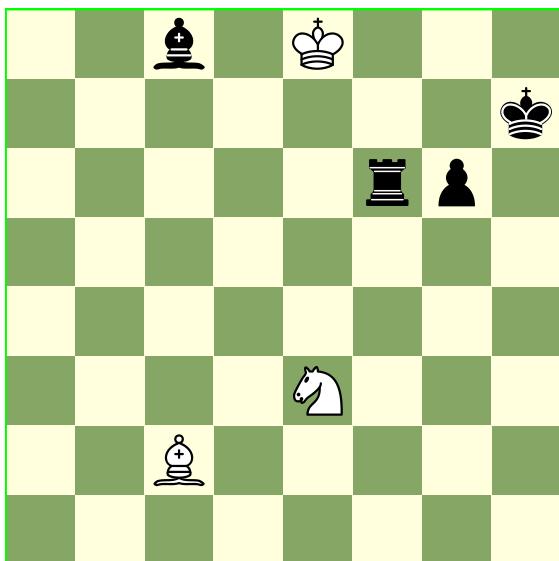
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correction: Hergert=V beatochess 12/11/2025. 1. Re8+ (1. Rxb4? Kd5 2. Rb5+ Kd4 3. Rh5 Kc3 4. Rh3+ Rd3 -+) (1. Rc8? b3 2. Rxc4 Rd8 -+) 1... Kd7 2. Re4 b3 (2... c3 3. Kxb4 c2 4. Rc4!) 3. Rxc4 b2 4. Rb4 Kc7 5. Rb3! 1/2-1/2.

### 3.2.7 Bazlov, Kuznetsov, Kralin =0341.01e8h7 (1995). Cook (VH)

1... Re6+ cooks the study.

Bazlov Y Kuznetsov AG Kralin N  
 Simkovich-100 JT  
 .hm 1995



draw

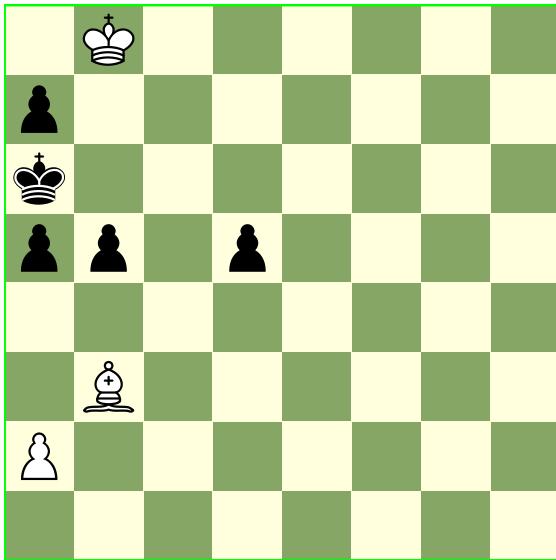
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Bazlov=Y Kuznetsov=AG Kralin=N. (EG#10428). U3: Hergert=V beatochess 11/11/2025. 1. **Nd5 Rc6** (1... Re6+! **cook** VH 2. Ne7 (2. Kf7 Rc6 3. Nf6+ Kh6 -+) 2... Kg7 -+) 2. **Bxg6+ Rxg6** (2... Kxg6 3. Ne7+) 3. **Ne7 Re6** 4. **Kf7 Bd7** 5. **Ng8** (5. Nd5? Kh6 6. Nf6 Bc8 7. Ng8+ Kg5 8. Ne7 Bd7) 5... **Kh8** 6. **Ne7 Kh7** (6... Rd6 7. Ng6+ Kh7 8. Nf8+ Kh6 9. Ke7) 7. **Ng8 Bc8** 8. **Ne7 Bd7** 9. **Ng8** 1/2-1/2.

### 3.2.8 Kratz +0010.14b8a6 (2004). Cook (VH)

4. **Ka7** cooks the study.

Kratz J  
 Pavlovsky & Pospisil–70 JT  
 3.hm 2004



win

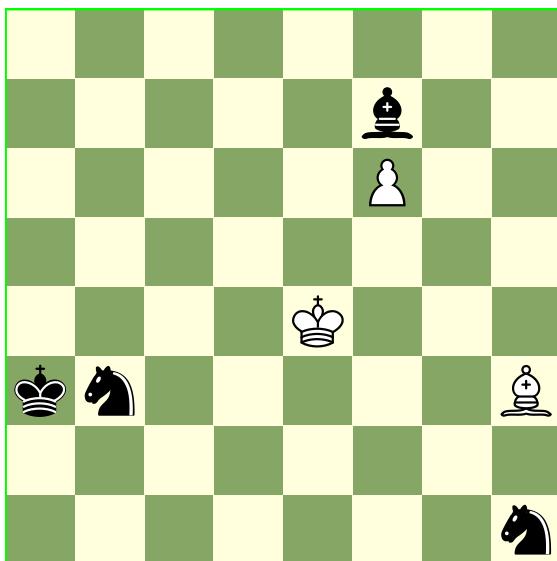
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(EG#14725). U2: Hergert=V beatochess beatochess 10/11/2025. **1. Kc7** (1. Bxd5? Kb6!) **1... a4** (1... b4 2. Ba4 b3 3. Kc6 b2 4. Bb5#) (1... d4 2. a4 d3 3. Kc6 d2 4. axb5#) **2. Bxd5 Ka5** (2... b4 3. Kc6 Ka5 4. Kc5 a6 5. Kc4 b3 6. a3 b2 7. Be4) **3. Kb7!** (3. Kc6? Kb4 4. Be6 a6! 5. Kb6 Ka3 6. Kxa6 b4) **3... a6** (3... Kb4 4. Ka6! (4. Kxa7? Ka3) (4. Kc6? a6) 4... Kc5 5. Bf7 (5. Be4? Kb4! 6. Bd5 (6. Bb1 Ka3 7. Kxb5 Kb2!) 6... Kc5) 5... b4 (5... Kb4 6. Be6) 6. Ka5 b3 7. a3 b2 8. Ba2 Kd4 9. Kxa4 Kc3 10. Kb5 a6+ 11. Ka5! b1=Q 12. Bxb1 Kb2 13. a4!) (3... b4 4. Kc6 a6 5. Be4! b3 6. a3 b2 7. Kd5!) **4. Be6** (4. Bf7 or ) (4. Bg8 or ) (4. Be4? Kb4! 5. Kxa6 Ka3 6. Bb1 b4!) (4. Ka7! **cook** VH 4... b4 5. Bc4 b3 6. a3 b2 7. Bd3 b1=Q 8. Bxb1 +/-) **4... b4** (4... Kb4 5. Kxa6) (4... a3 5. Bb3 b4 6. Bc4!) **5. Bc4!** (5. Kc6? b3 6. a3 b2 7. Ba2 b1=Q 8. Bxb1) (5. Kc7? b3! 6. a3 b2 7. Ba2 Kb5 8. Kd6 b1=Q 9. Bxb1 Kc4 10. Ba2+ Kc3 11. Kc5 Kb2 12. Kb4 Kxa2 13. Kxa4 a5) (5. Bd7? b3 6. a3 b2 7. Bf5 Kb5 8. Bd3+ Kc5 9. Kxa6 Kd4! 10. Bb1 Kc3 11. Ba2 b1=Q 12. Bxb1 Kb3) (5. Bf7? b3 6. a3 b2 7. Ba2 Kb5 8. Ka7 b1=Q 9. Bxb1 Kc4 10. Ba2+ Kc3 11. Kxa6 Kb2 12. Ka5 Kxa3!) (5. Bf5? a3! (5... b3? 6. a3 Kb5 7. Bd3+! Kc5 8. Kxa6) (5... Kb5 6. Bd3+! Kc5 7. Kxa6 Kd4 8. Bb1!) 6. Be6 (6. Bc2 Kb5 7. Bd3+ Kc5! 8. Bc2 Kb5!) 6... Kb5 7. Bf7 (7. Bd7+ Ka5! 8. Be6 Kb5) 7... a5 8. Be8+ Kc4 9. Kb6 Kc3! 10. Ba4 (10. Bf7 a4) 10... Kb2 11. Kxa5 (11. Bb3 a4) 11... Kxa2) **5... b3** (5... a3 6. Kc6 Ka4 (6... b3 7. Bxb3) 7. Kc5) **6. a3 b2 7. Bd3!** (7. Ba2? Kb5!) **7... b1=Q+** 8. Bxb1 **Kb5** **9. Ba2** (9. Bc2 or ) (9. Bd3+? Ka5 10. Bxa6?) **9... Ka5** **10. Kc7! Kb5** **11. Kd6 Ka5** **12. Kd5 Kb5** **13. Bb1 Ka5** **14. Kc4 Kb6** **15. Kb4** **1-0**.

### 3.2.9 Palguyev =0046.10e4a3 (2004). Cook (VH)

**1... Nf2+** cooks the study.

Palguyev L  
Brest–985 AT Albino  
3.hm 2004



draw

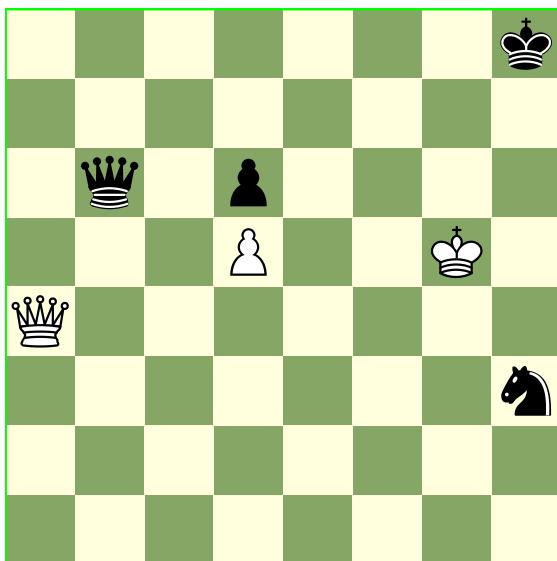
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Albino=51-52 Albino/7-8 2005. U3: Hergert=V 10/11/2025 . 1. **Bg2!** **Ng3+** (1... Nf2+! cook VH 2. Ke5 Nd3+ 3. Kd6 Na5 4. Ke7 Ne5 5. Bh3 Bh5 6. Be6 Ng6+ -+ TB DTZ 23 ) 2. **Kf4 Ne2+** 3. **Ke5 Nd2** 4. **Kd6 Nc4+** 5. **Ke7 Ne5** 6. **Kd6 Ng6** 7. **Bd5** 1/2-1/2.

### 3.2.10 Didukh +4003.11g5h8 (2004). Cook (VH)

Yes, the white king is in a check. 1. **Kh4** cooks the study.

Didukh S  
 The Problemist #0902  
 sp.hm 2004



draw

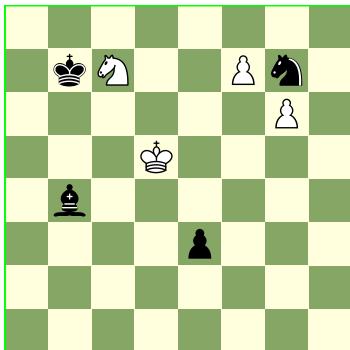
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The Problemist=1 The Problemist/1 2005 (EG#16247). U1: Hergert=V beatochess 09/11/2025. **1. Kh5!** (1. Kh4? Qe3 2. Qd7 (2. Qa8+! **cook** VH 2... Kg7 3. Qb7+ Kg6 4. Qb1+ Kf6 5. Qb8 Ke5 6. Qe8+ Kd4 7. Qa4+ Kxd5 8. Qa8+ Kd4 9. Qa4+ Ke5 10. Qe8+ Kf4 11. Qf8+ Ke4 12. Qxd6!) 2... Qh6+ 3. Kg4 Qg7+) (1. Kf5? Qb1+ 2. Ke6 Qg6+ 3. Kd7 Ng5) **1... Qe3** (1... Qg1 main 2. Qe8+! (2. Qh4? Qg2 3. Qd8+ Qg8 4. Qf6+ Qg7 5. Qf5 Qh7+) 2... Qg8 3. Kh6! Nf4 (3... Qxe8 main ) (3... Nf2 main 4. Qd7! Qf8+ 5. Kg6 Qg8+ 6. Kh6 Ng4+ 7. Qxg4 Qxg4) 4. Qd8! Nxd5 (4... Qxd8 main ) 5. Qf6+! (5. Qxd6? Qg7+ 6. Kh5 Nf6+ 7. Kh4 Qg4#) 5... Nxf6) (1... Qc7 2. Qe8+ Kg7 3. Qg6+ Kf8 4. Kh4) **2. Qh4!** (2. Qa1+? Kg8 3. Qf6 Qe2+ 4. Kh6 (4. Kh4 Qf2+) 4... Qe5! 5. Qg6+ Kf8 6. Qf5+! Ke7! 7. Qxh3 Qh8+) **2... Kh7** (2... Kg7 main 3. Qg3+! (3. Qg4+? Kf6) (3. Qd4+? Qe5+! (3... Qxd4?) ) 3... Qxg3) (2... Kg8 3. Qd8+ Kf7 4. Qd7+ Qe7 5. Qf5+ Qf6 6. Qd7+) (2... Qf3+ 3. Kg6+ Kg8 4. Qh7+ Kf8 5. Qh8+ Ke7 6. Qh4+ Kd7 7. Qa4+) **3. Qe4+!** (3. Kg4+? Kg7 4. Qxh3 Qxh3+) **3... Qxe4 1/2-1/2.**

### 3.2.11 Pogosyants =0034.21d5b7 (1984). Modification (VH)

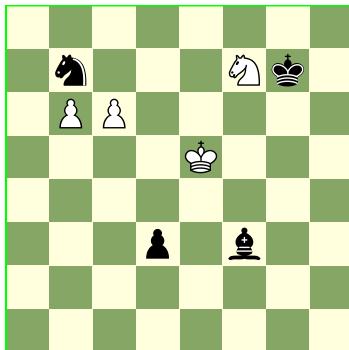
Volker's modification turns the cook into the mainline, which also shows a positional draw.

Pogosyants E  
Shakhmaty v SSSR  
1984



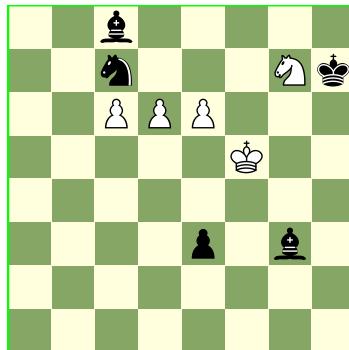
draw

Strebkovs A  
Probleemblad #132  
2004



draw

Strebkovs A VH (m)  
Probleemblad #132  
2004



draw

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Shakhmaty v SSSR/9. U4: Haworth=G Bleicher=E HHdbIV#52898 1-11-2009. 1. **Nb5!** (1. Ne8? Bf8!) 1... **e2** 2. **Nd6+** **Bxd6** 3. **Kxd6 e1=B!** (3... e1=Q 4. f8=Q Qb4+ 5. Kd7! Qxf8) 4. **f8=Q** (4. Kc5! cook GH/EB 4... Ne6+ 5. Kc4) 4... **Bb4+** 5. **Ke5 Bxf8** 6. **Kf6 Nh5+** 7. **Kg5 Ng3** 8. **Kf6 Nh5+** 9. **Kg5 Ng7** 10. **Kf6 Nh5+** 11. **Kg5** 1/2-1/2.

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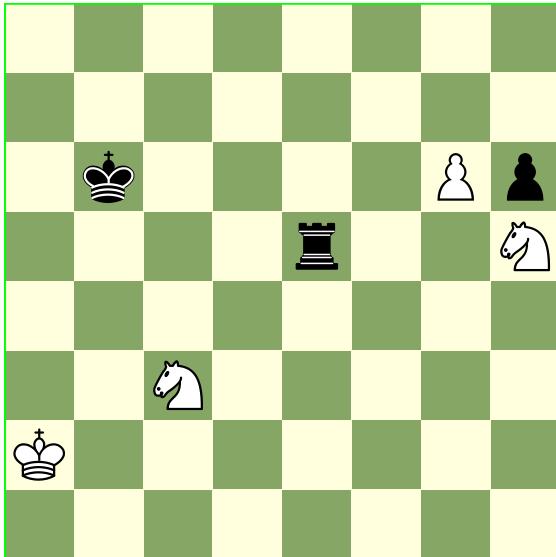
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GBR: =0064.31f5h7 (m) FEN: 2b5/2n3Nk/2PPP3/5K2/8/4p1b1/8/8 w - - 0 1

modification: Hergert=V beatochess 09/11/2025. 1. **d7 Bxd7** 2. **exd7** (2. cxd7? Bh4) 2... **Bh4** 3. **Nh5!** (3. Ne8? Bd8) 3... **e2** 4. **Nf6+** **Bxf6** 5. **Kxf6 e1=B!** (5... e1=Q 6. d8=Q Qh4+ 7. Kf7 Qxd8) 6. **Kg5!** (6. d8=Q? Bh4+ 7. Ke5 Bxd8 8. Kd6 Nb5+ 9. Kc5 Nc3 10. Kd6 Ba5! -+) 6... **Ne6+** 7. **Kf6!** (7. Kf5? Nd4+) (7. Kg4? Ba5) 7... **Nc7** 8. **Kg5!** 1/2-1/2.

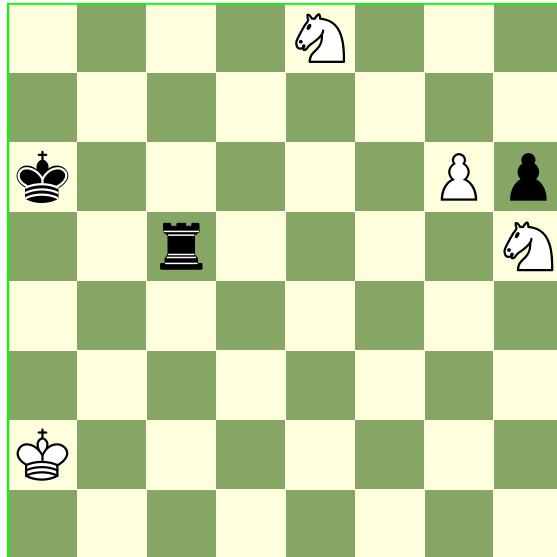
3.2.12 Vlasenko +0302.11a2b6 (2005). Cook (VH), correction (BN)

Vlasenko V  
Victory–60 AT Shakhmatnaya  
Kompozit  
4.hm 2005/11/08



win

Vlasenko V BN (c)  
Victory–60 AT Shakhmatnaya  
Kompozit  
4.hm 2005/11/08



win

GBR: +0302.11a2b6 U2 FEN: 8/8/1k4Pp/4r2N/8/2N5/K7/8 w - - 0 1

Shakhmatnaya Kompozitsia=67 (EG#15994). U2: Hergert=V beatochess 03/11/2025.. 1. g7 Rg5 2. Nd5+!  
(2. Ne4! ! cook VH TB DTZ 115 ) 2... Kc5 3. Ndf6 Rxg7 4. Nxg7 h5 5. Ne6+! Kd6 6. Ng5 Ke5 7.  
Nfh7 Kf4 8. Nh3+ Kg3 9. N7g5 1-0.

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correction: Neuenschwander=B beatochess 11/11/2025. 1. g7 Rg5 2. Nc7+ (2. Kb3? Kb6! 3. Kc4 Kc6 4.  
Kd4 Rg1 = TB ) 2... Kb6 3. Nd5+ Kc5 (3... Kb5 4. Kb3 +- TB DTZ 109 ) 4. Ndf6 Rxg7 5. Nxg7 h5  
6. Ne6+ Kd6 7. Ng5 Ke5 8. Nfh7 Kf4 9. Nh3+ Kg3 10. N7g5 1-0.