

ALGEBRAIC AND COMMON SHORTHAND NOTATION

K	King	#	checkmate
Q	Queen	!!	an excellent move
R	Rook	!	a good move
B	Bishop	!?	an interesting move
N	Night	?!	a dubious move
O-O	castling kingside	??	a blunder
O-O-O	castling queenside	?	a bad move
x	captures or takes	1-0	white wins
+	check (sometimes "ch.)	0-1	black wins
=	even position	½-½	draw
e.p.	en passant		