

Double Check

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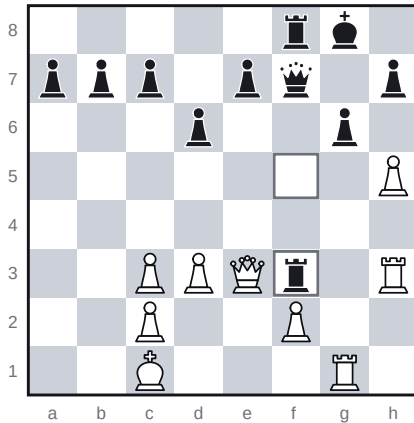
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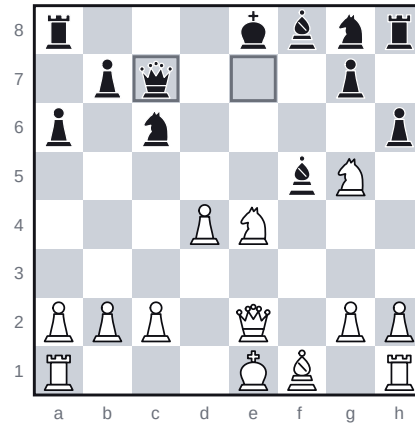
Find the best move for the side to move and write it in the box. The two outlined squares show the move just played. Answers on the last page.

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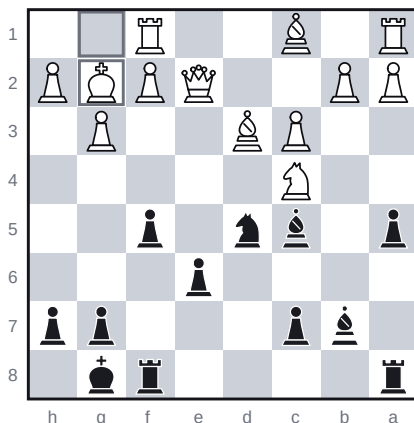
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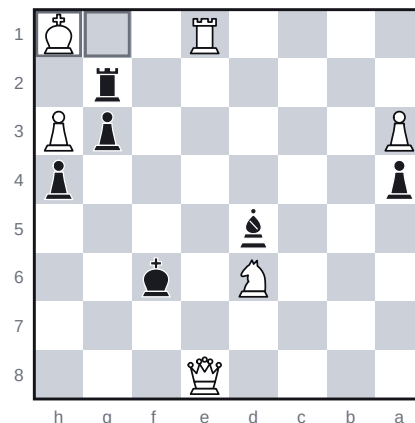
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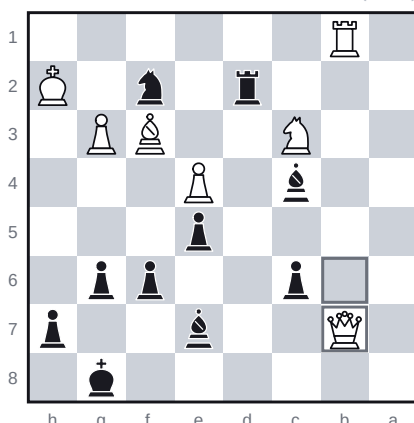
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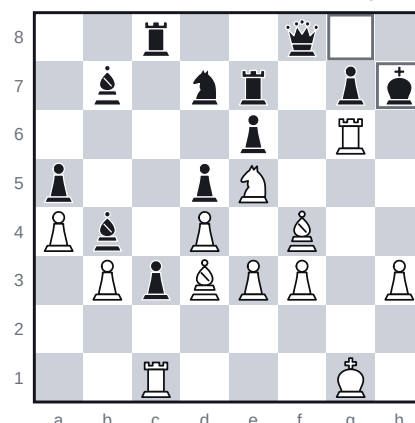
4 Black to move (1948)



5 Black to move (1966)



6 White to move (1985)



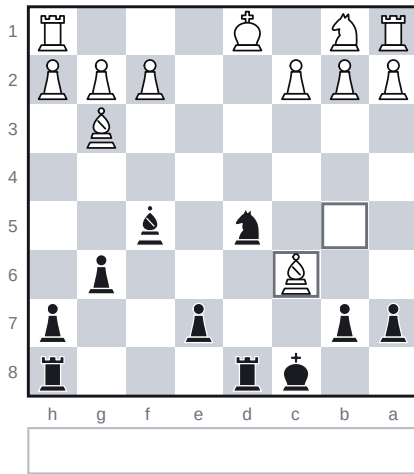
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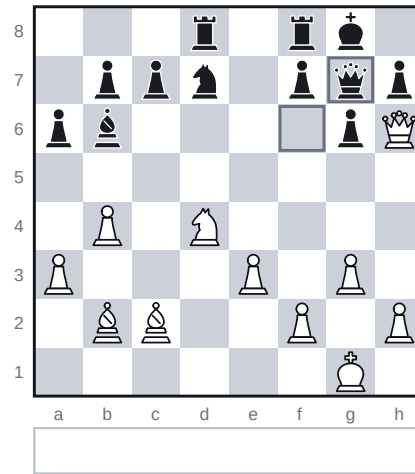
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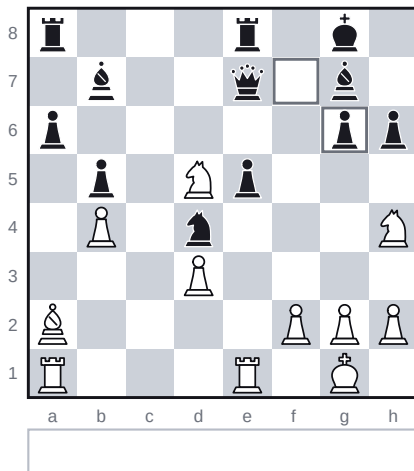
7 Black to move (2030)



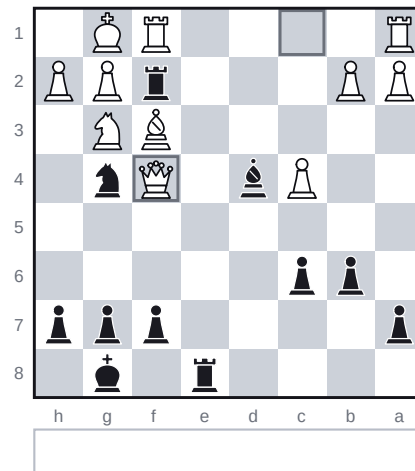
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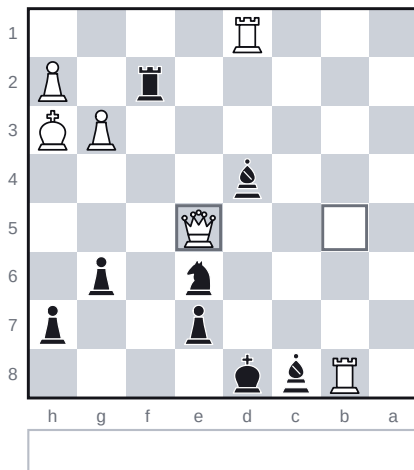
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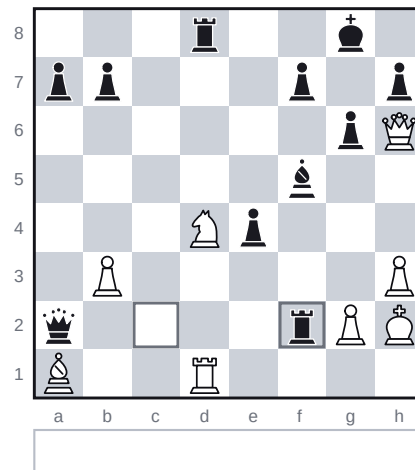
10 Black to move (2159)



11 Black to move (2216)



12 White to move (2235)



Answer key

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What to look for

Two pieces giving check at once. Nothing can be captured and nothing can block, so the king has to move.

1. **22.hxg6 Rxe3 23.gxf7+** #P6as7
Comes out 1 pawn ahead.
2. **13.Nf6+ Kd8 14.Qe8#** #McKmX
The knight on f6 attacks the king on e8 and the knight on g8. Mate in 2.
3. **17...Nf4+ 18.Kg1 Nh3#** #JltXj
The knight on f4 attacks the king on g2 and the queen on e2. Mate in 2.
4. **52...Rh2+ 53.Kg1 Rh1#** #XvHmU
Mate in 2.
5. **37...Ng4+ 38.Kg1 Bc5+ 39.Kh1 Rh2#** #RDlZW
Mate in 3.
6. **32.Rh6+ Kg8 33.Bh7+ Kh8 34.Ng6#** #Rricn
Mate in 3.
7. **13...Nc3+ 14.Kc1 Ne2#** #NP8ea
The knight on c3 attacks the king on d1 and the knight on b1. Mate in 2.
8. **28.Qxg7+ Kxg7 29.Nf5+ Kg8 30.Ne7#** #CO0Px
The queen on g7 attacks the king on g8 and the rook on f8. Mate in 3.
9. **24.Nf6+ Kh8 25.Nxg6#** #LzmM8
The knight on f6 attacks the king on g8 and the rook on e8. Mate in 2.
10. **26...Rxf1+ 27.Kxf1 Nxh2#** #QnTde
The rook on f1 attacks the king on g1 and the rook on a1. Mate in 2.
11. **32...Ng5+ 33.Kh4 Nf3#** #h192M
Mate in 2.
12. **32.Qg7+ Kxg7 33.Nxf5+ Kg8 34.Rxd8#** #ac7ME
Mate in 3.

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