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## A Brilliant Attack

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The former European Champion, L. D. Nisipeanu, achieved such an exceptional victory against Kiril Georgiev at the European Team Championship that it was voted as the best game of volume 98 by the Chess Informant jury.

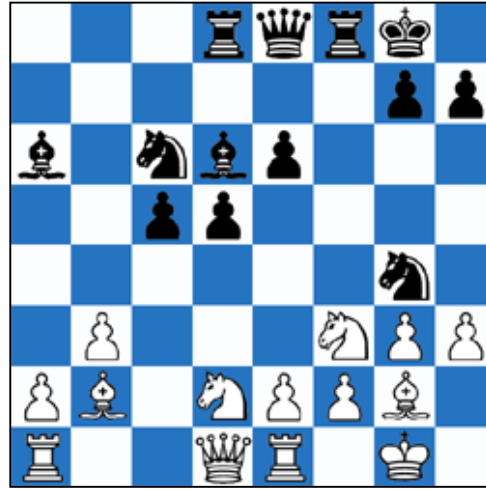
Although playing as black, the Romanian grandmaster sacrificed a knight early in the game (15...Nf2!) and began a direct attack on the white king. After just several more moves, Nisipeanu reinforced the pressure with the extraordinary 20...Bh2!!, cutting off the white king's escape route. The further tactical strokes 21...Qc7! and 24...c4! completely destroyed White's defenses and gave Nisipeanu a beautiful victory.

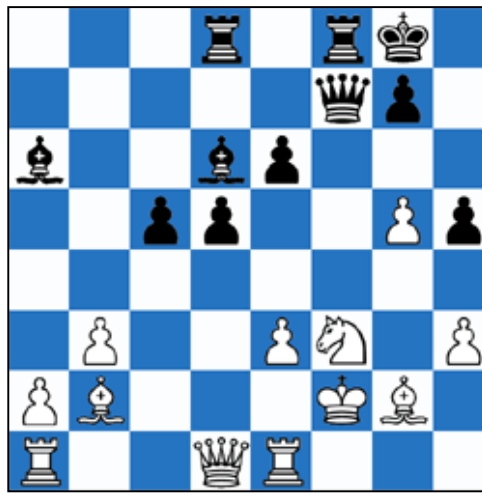
**DESET NAJBOLJIH PARTIJA PRETHODNOG TOMA • ДЕСЯТЬ ЛУЧШИХ ПАРТИЙ ПРЕДЫДУЩЕГО ТОМА • THE BEST TEN GAMES OF THE PRECEDING VOLUME • DIE ZEHN BESTEN SCHACHPARTIEN AUS DEM VORIGEN BAND • LES DIX MEILLEURES PARTIES DU VOLUME PRÉCÉDENT • LAS DIEZ MEJORES PARTIDAS DEL TOMO PRECEDENTE • LE DIECI MIGLIORI PARTITE DEL VOLUME PRECEDENTE • DE TIO BÄSTA PARTIERNA I FÖREGÅENDE VOLYM • 上一卷最优秀的十盘棋 • الأشواط العشرة الأهم الواردة في العدد السابق**

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1. GEORGIEV, KI. — NISIPLEANU, L.-D.	375	9	9	8	-	10	10	9	-	55
2. SHIROV, A. — ARONIAN, I.	255	1	10	9	-	5	-	3	10	38
3. BOLOGAN, V. — VAGANIAN, R.	218	7	-	6	7	-	3	7	8	38
4. TOPALOV, V. — KRAMNIK, V.	281	-	4	-	10	-	-	8	9	31
5. SMIRIN, I. — VOLOKITIN, A.	225	2	8	10	-	8	-	-	3	31
6. IVANCHUK, V. — ELIANOV, P.	26	8	-	-	6	-	10	-	-	24
7. MOROZEVICH, A. — SHIROV, A.	355	10	-	-	6	7	-	1	-	24
8. SOKOLOV, IV. — POLOAR, JU.	411	-	6	-	8	-	8	-	2	24
9. ANAND, V. — MACIEJA, B.	75	-	5	1	9	-	5	2	-	22
10. DOMINGUEZ, L. — IVANCHUK, V.	59	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	-	18
11. MOROZEVICH, A. — GRISCHUK, A.	156	4	-	7	-	-	-	5	-	16
12. FEDOROV, ALEX. — IORDACHESCU, V.	219	3	2	4	-	-	7	-	-	16
13. NOGUEIRAS, J. — IVANCHUK, V.	366	6	-	-	2	-	-	5	-	13
14. KHENKIN, I. — IVANCHUK, V.	397	-	-	-	4	4	4	-	1	13
15. GRISCHUK, A. — SHIROV, A.	89	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	7	12
16. SUTOVSKI, I. — MIKHAILEVSKI, V.	246	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	4	10
17. RADJABOV, T. — KARJAKIN, SERGEY	194	-	-	-	3	-	-	6	-	9
18. BU XIANGZHI — SASIKIRAN, K.	15	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
19. KRAMNIK, V. — TOPALOV, V.	371	-	1	-	-	-	2	4	-	7
20. KARJAKIN, SERGEY — MOYSESIAN, S.	127	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
21. PEULETIER, Y. — GIORGADZE, G.	382	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	6
22. RUBLEVSKY, S. — ALEKSEEV, EVGENY	87	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
23. CARISEN, M. — KARJAKIN, SERGEY	181	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	5
24. NISIPLEANU, L.-D. — VAN WELY, L.	94	-	3	-	1	-	1	-	-	5
25. MOROZEVICH, A. — GELFAND, B.	222	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	3
26. TOPALOV, V. — SOKOLOV, IV.	292	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
27. BOLOGAN, V. — DOMINGUEZ, L.	176	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
28. INARKIEV, E. — KHALIFMAN, A.	319	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
29. NOGUEIRAS, J. — PEREZ, ROD.	361	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
30. KRAMNIK, V. — TOPALOV, V.	362	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0

**Ki.Georgiev 2680 – Nisipeanu 2690**  
**Fuegen 2006 — 98/375 [E10]**

1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 e6 3.c4 c5 4.d5 b5 5.de6 fe6 6.cb5 d5 7.g3 a6 8.ba6 Bd6 9.Bg2 0-0 10.0-0 Nc6 11.b3 Ba6 12.Bb2 Qe8! [a novelty; 12...Qe7 see 97/(359)] 13.Nbd2 Rd8 [13...Qh5 14.Re1 Bc7! (14...Ng4 15.h3 Nf2 16.Kf2 Nd4 17.Kg1 Nf3 18.ef3 Bg3 19.Re6 Bf4! 20.Nf1 d4 21.b4 and White is superior) 15.Rc1 Bb6 16.a3 Bb5 with compensation] 14.Re1 Ng4?! [14...Bc7! 15.Rc1 Bb6 with compensation] 15.h3 [15.e4?! a) 15...c4?! a1) 16.ed5 Nf2 17.Qe2 c3 (17...Bc5 18.Qe6 Qe6 19.Re6 equal) 18.Qf2 cb2 19.Rab1 Nb4 20.Qb6 Qe7! with attack; a2) 16.Bh3! c3 17.Bc3 d4 18.Bb2 Nge5 19.Ne5 Ne5 20.Bd4 Bb8! (20...Bb4 21.Be5 Rd2 22.Qg4 and White is winning) 21.Be3 Ba7!! (21...Rd2 22.Bd2 Nf3 23.Kh1 Qh5 24.Be6 Kh8 25.h3 and White is winning) 22.Ba7 Rd2 23.Qc1 Nf3 24.Kh1 Qh5 (24...Bd3 25.Bg2 Rc2 26.Qa3 Qh5 27.h3) 25.Be6 Kh8 26.h3





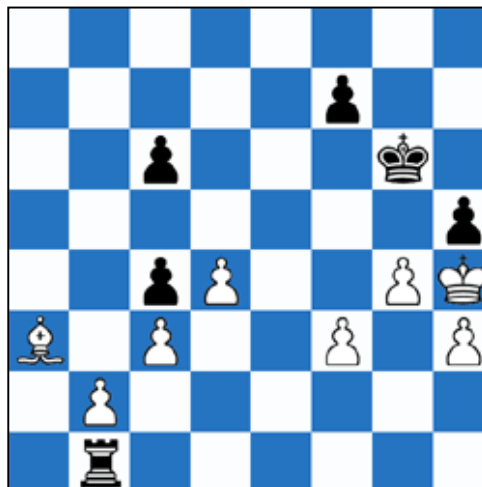
**20...Bh2!!** (and Black is superior) **21.Bf1** [21.Rh1 d4! (*21...Qc7?* 22.Rh2 Qh2 23.Bf6! and White is winning) 22.ed4 Qf4 23.Rh2 Qh2 and Black is winning; 21.Bf6 (only move) Qc7 22.Nh2 Qh2 23.Qh5 Rf6! 24.gf6 Rf8 25.f7 (only move) Rf7 26.Qf7 Kf7 and Black is superior] **Qc7! 22.Ba6 Qg3 23.Ke2 Qg2 24.Kd3 c4! 25. Kc3 Rf3 26.Qd4** [26.Re2 Re3! 27.Kd2 (*27.Re3 d4 28.Kc4 Qd5 29.Kd3 de3 and Black is winning*) Qg5!! 28. Re3 d4 29.Kc2 de3 and Black is winning] **Rf2** (and Black is winning) **27.Qb6 Be5 28.Kb4 Rb8 29.Bb7 Bh2** (time) **30.Qc6** (time) **Kh8 31.Kc5 Ba1 32.Bd5 Qg5 33.Ra1 c3 34.h4 Qh4 35.e4 c2 36.Rc1 Qg5 37. Qh3 Qc1 0-1** [*Nisipeanu*]

**Shirov 2720 – Aronian 2741**  
**Moscow 2006 – 98/255 [C89]**

1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bb5 a6 4.Ba4 Nf6 5.0-0 Be7 6.Re1 b5 7.Bb3 0-0 8.c3 d5 9.ed5 Nd5 10.Ne5 Ne5 11. Re5 c6 12.d4 Bd6 13.Re1 Qh4 14.g3 Qh3 15.Re4 g5 16.Qf1 Qh5 17.Nd2 Bf5 18.f3 Nf6 19.a4 Ne4 20.Ne4 Qg6!?

[a novelty; 20...Be4 see 97/(245)] 21.Nd6 Qd6 22.Bg5 Qg6N 23.Qc1 Bd3 24.ab5?! [24.Bf4 with the idea Be5] **ab5 25.Ra8 Ra8 26.Kf2** [26.Bf4!?

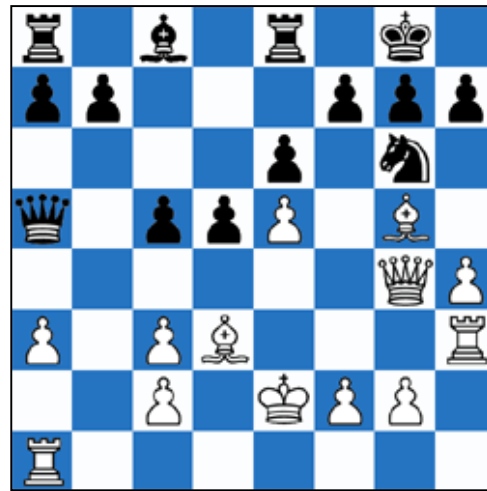
with the idea Be5] **Be4! 27.Bc4** [27.Bc2? Qe6 28.Be3 Qh3 29. Kg1 Ra2 30.Bf2 h6! 31.Bb1 (31.Qel Qe6 32.Qe6 Be6 and Black is winning; 31.Be4 Rb2 32.f4 Rb3 33.Bg2 Qf5 34.Qe3 Rb1 35.Be1 Bd5 and Black is winning) Rb2 32.Bf5 Qf5 33.Qb2 Qf3 34.Qd2 Bd5 35.Kf1 Qg2 36. Ke2 Bc4 37.Ke3 Qd2 38.Qd1 (38.Kf4 Qh5 39.Qe3 Be6 40.Qe5 Qg4 41.Ke3 Qd1 42.Kf4 Qd3 43.Kel Kf8 and Black is winning) Qh3 39.Qf3 Bd5 40.Qf4 Qh1 41.Qg4 Kf8 42.Qc8 (42.Kd2 Qb1 43.Qc8 Ke7 44.Qc7 Ke6 45.Qe5 Kd7 46.Qel Qb2 47.Ke3 Qc2 48.Kf4 Be6 and Black is winning) Ke7 43.Qc7 Ke6 44.Qc8 Kf6 45.Qh8 Ke7 46.Qe5 Kd7 and Black is winning] **bc4 28.g4 Re8 29.Bf4 Qd3 30.Kg3** [30.Be5!? f6 31.Bf6 Qe2 32.Kg3 Re3 33.Qh1 Qb2 (33...Rd3 34.h4) 34.Bg5 Re2 35.Qf1] **Qe2 31.Qb1?** [31.Be5 f6 32.Bf6 see 30. Be5] **Qel 32.Qe1 Re1** [R 2/1] **33.Bd6 Rg1 34.Kf2 Rb1 35.Ba3 Kg7 36.Kg3** [36.h4 h5 37.Kg3 Kg6 38.Kg2 f5 (38...hg4 39.fg4 f5 40.h5 Kg5 41.gf5 Kh5 and Black is winning) 39.gh5 Kh5 40.Kg3 Kg6 41.Kf4 Kf6 42. Bd6 Rb2 43.h5 Rh2 44.Be5 Ke6 45.Kg5 Rh3 46.h6 Kf7 47.f4 Ke6 48.Kg6 Rg3 49.Kh5 Kf7 50.Kh4 Rg4 51. Kh5 Rg1 52.Bc7 Rg3 53.Ba5 Kg8 54.Bb4 Kh7 55.Ba5 Rg4 56.Bc7 Rg6 57.Bb6 Rh6 58.Kg5 Rh3 59.Ba5 Rh1 60.Bc7 Rc1 61.Ba5 Rb1 62.Bc7 Rb3 63.Ba5 Kg7 and Black is winning] **Kg6 37.h3 h5** (zugzwang) **38. Kh4** [38.Kf4 h4! and Black is winning; 38.h4 hg4 (38...f5? 39.gh5 Kh5 40.Kf4 Kh4 41.Kf5 Re1 42.f4 Kh5 43. Bc5 Re2 44.Ba3 Kh4 45.Kg6 Re6 46.Kf7 Re2 47.Kg6 Rg2 48.Kf5 Re2 equal) 39.fg4 (39.Kg4 Rg1 40.Kf4 Kf6 41.Bd6 Rg2 42.Ba3 Ke6 43.h5 f6 44.h6 Rh2 45.Bf8 Rb2 46.Kg3 Rb1 47.Kg2 Rb8 48.Ba3 Kf7 and Black is winning) f5 40.d5 (40.h5 Kf6 41.gf5 Kf5 42.h6 Kg6 43.Kf4 Re1 and Black is winning) cd5 41.h5 Kf6 42.Bc5 fg4 43.Kg4 Rb2 44.Bd4 Kf7 45.Kf5 Re2 and Black is winning]



38...Rg1! (and Black is winning) 39.Bc5 [39.gh5 Kf5; 39.f4 hg4 40.hg4 f5] Rg2 40.Ba3 f6! (zugzwang) 41.gh5 Kf5 42.f4 Rg8 43.Bd6 Ke6 44.h6 [44.Ba3 Kf7 45.Bd6 Rg2 46.Ba3 Kg7 zugzwang] Kd6 [R 0/] 45.Kh5 f5 46.h7 Rh8 47.Kg6 Ke7 48.Kg7 Ke8 49.Kg6 [49.Kh8 Kf7 50.h4 Kf8 51.h5 Kf7 52.h6 Kf8] Kf8 50.h4 Ke7 51.Kg7 Ke8 52.Kg6 Kf8 53.h5 Ke7 54.Kg7 Ke8 55.Kg6 Kf8 56.h6 Ke8 57.Kf6 Rh7 58.Kg6 Rf7! [59.h7 Rf8 60.Kg7 Rh8] 0-1 [Z.Krnice]

### Bologan 2659 – R.Vaganian 2587 Fuegen 2006 – 98/218 [C19]

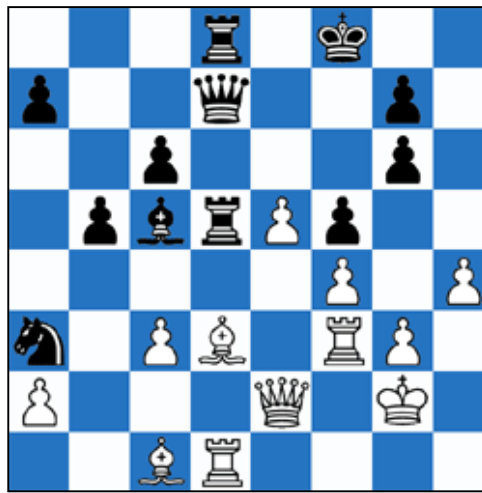
1.e4 e6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e5 c5 5.a3 Bc3 6.bc3 Ne7 7.Qg4 0-0 8.Bd3 Nbc6 9.Bg5 Qa5 10.Ne2 Re8!? [a novelty; 10...Ng6] 11.h4 [11.0-0!? c4 12.Bf6 Ng6 13.Bg6 fg6 14.Bg5 Rf8] Nd4! [11...cd4 12.Qg3 Kh8 13.h5 Nf5 (13...h6 14.Bd2 dc3 15.Bc3 Qc5 16.Qf4) 14.Bf5 ef5 15.h6 g6 16.Bf6 Kg8 17.0-0 dc3 18.Nf4 Be6 19.Rfd1 Qc5 20.Nh5 Qc4 21.Bh4 with attack] 12.Rh3 Ne2? [12...Ndf5 13.h5 c4 14.Bf5 ef5 15.Qf4 h6 16.Bf6!; 12...Nef5! 13.Bf6 (13.Kf1 Ne2 14.Be2 b6 15.h5 Ba6 16.Ba6 Qa6 17.Kg1 Qc4; 13.Rg3 Ng3 14.Qg3 Kh8) 13...Kh8 14.Qh5 (14.Bf5 Nf5) 14...gf6 (14...Bd7 15.Bf5 Nf5 16.g4 gf6 17.gf5 Qd8 18.Rg3 Qe7 19.Qh6 Rg8 20.0-0-0) 15.Qf7 Rg8 (15...Bd7 16.Qf6 Kg8 17.Rg3 Ng3 18.Bh7 Kh7 19.Qf7 equal) 16.Qf6 Rg7 17.Qf8 equal] 13.Ke2 [13.Bf6 Ng6] Ng6 [13...Qc7 14.Bf6 Ng6 15.h5 gf6 16.hg6 Qe5 17.Kf1 Qg5 18.gf7 Kf7 19.Rh7 Kf8 20.Qh3 e5 21.Rh8 Ke7 22.Qh7 Kd8 23.Re8 Ke8 24.Bg6 Kd8 25.Qf7 and White is superior]



14.h5! (with attack) Ne5 [14...c4 15.hg6 cd3 16.cd3 fg6 17.Rh7 Kh7 18.Bf6 and White is winning; 14...Qc3 15.hg6 fg6 16.Bg6 Qe5 17.Re3 Qa1 18.Bh7 and White is winning] 15.Qg3 Nd3 [15...Ng4! (only move) 16.Qg4 f5 (16...e5 17.Bf5 Bf5 18.Qf5 f6 19.Bd2 and White is superior) 17.Qg3 Qc3 (17...c4 18.Bf6 and White is winning; 17...e5 18.Bf6 Qc7 19.Qg5 h6 20.Qg6) 18.Bb5 Qc2 19.Bd2 and White is superior] 16.Bf6 Nf4 17.Kd2 Ng6 18.hg6 fg6 19.Rh7!! [19...Kh7 20.Rh1 Kg8 21.Qg6 Re7 22.Bg7 Rg7 23.Qe8#] 1-0 [Bologan]

### V.Topalov 2813 – Kramnik 2743 Elista (m/15-rapid) 2006 – 98/281 [D12]

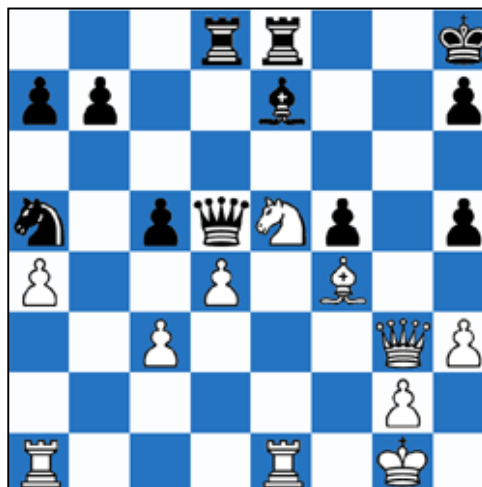
1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.Nf3 Nf6 4.e3 Bf5 5.Nc3 e6 6.Nh4 Bg6 7.Be2 Nbd7 8.0-0 [8.Bd2 see 91/336, 337] Bd6 9.g3 dc4 [a novelty; 9...Ne4; 9...Qe7; 9...0-0] 10.Bc4 Nb6 [10...Bh5 11.f3] 11.Be2 0-0 12.Ng6 hg6 13.e4 e5 14.f4 ed4 15.Qd4 Qe7 16.Kg2 [16.Be3 Rad8 17.e5 Rfe8 18.Bf2 Bb4 19.Qe3 g5 20.Qf3 unclear] Be5 [16...Rad8 17.Qe3 Bc5 18.Qf3 Rd7 19.e5 Nfd5 20.Ne4 and White is slightly better] 17.Qd3 Rad8 18.Qc2 Bd4 19.e5 Nfd5 20.Rf3 Nc3 [20...g5! 21.Qf5 gf4 (21...g6 22.Qh3 gf4 23.gf4 Rfe8 24.Rd3 c5 25.Rg3 Kg7 26.f5 Be5 27.Qh6 Kg8 28.fg6 f6; 21...Rfe8 22.Ne4 gf4 23.gf4 Qh4 24.Rh3 Qe1 25.Qh7 Kf8 26.Qh8 Ke7 27.Qh4 equal) 22.gf4 Rfe8 23.Qh5 (23.Ne4 see 21...Rfe8) g6 24.Qh6 Qf8 equal] 21.bc3 Bc5 22.Bd2 Rd7 23.Re1 Rfd8 24.Bd3 Qe6 [24...Nd5 25.e6 (25.Re2 Nc7 26.g4 Qh4 equal) fe6 26.Re2 Qf6 27.Bg6 and White is slightly better] 25.Bc1 [25.Re2 f5] f5 26.Qe2 [26.g4! fg4 27.Rg3 Be7 28.Bg6 Bh4 29.Bh7 Kh8 30.Bf5 Qd5 31.Kg1 Bg3 (31...Rc7 32.Rd3 Be1 33.Rd5 cd5 34.Qd1) 32.hg3 Rc7 33.Qh2 with attack] Kf8 27.Rd1 Qe7 28.h4 Rd5 29.Qc2 Nc4 30.Rh1 Na3 [30...Be3 31.Bc4 Rd2 32.Bd2 Rd2 33.Qd2 Bd2 34.Rd1 and White is winning] 31.Qe2 Qd7 32.Rd1 b5



**33.g4! fg4 34.Rg3 Ke7** [34...Nc4 35.e6 Qe7 36.Re1; 34...Qe6 35.Rf1; 34...Nb1 35.e6 (35.Bb2 Na3 36.e6 Qe7 see 35.e6) Qe7 36.Bb2 Na3 37.Re1 Nc4 38.Bc1 Qh4 (38...Nd6 39.Bg6 Nf5 40.Bf5 Rf5 41.Qg4 Rdd5 42.c4 bc4 43.Bb2 Ke8 44.Bg7 and White is winning) 39.Rg4 Qe7 40.Bc4 bc4 41.Rg6 and White is superior] **35.f5** (and White is winning) **gf5 36.Bg5 Ke8 37.e6 Qd6** [37...Qc7 38.Rg4! a) 38...fg4 39.Bg6 Kf8 40.Rd5 cd5 (40...Rd5 41.e7 Be7 42.Qe6) 41.Qg4 Be7 42.Qf3; b) 38...Be7 b1) 39.Bf4 Bd6 40.Rg6 Kf8 (40...Bf4 41.Qh5) 41.Qh5 Kg8 42.Bd6 R8d6 43.Rg5 Re6 44.Bf5 Rf5 45.Rf5 Nc4; b2) 39.Rf4 Bg5 40.Qh5 Kf8 41.Rf5 Rf5 42.Qh8 Ke7 43.Qg7 Ke6 44.Bf5 Kf5 45.Qg5] **38.Bf5 Rd1 39.Bg6 Kf8 40.e7 Qe7 41.Be7 Be7 42.Bd3 Ra1 43.Qb2 Rd1 44.Qe2 Ra1 45.Qg4 Ra2 46.Kh3 Bf6 47.Qe6** [47.Qb4] **Rd2 48.Bg6 R2d7 49.Rf3 b4 50.h5 1-0** [Bareev]

### Smirin 2659 – A.Volokitin 2645 Fuegen 2006 – 98/225 [C42]

**1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.Ne5 d6 4.Nf3 Ne4 5.d4 d5 6.Bd3 Nc6 7.0-0 Be7 8.c4 Nb4 9.Be2 0-0 10.Nc3 Bf5 11.a3 Nc3 12.bc3 Nc6 13.Re1 Re8 14.cd5 Qd5 15.Bf4 Rac8 16.h3 Be4 17.a4!?** [a novelty; 17.Qa4 see 97/(207)] **Na5?** [17...Bd6] **18.Ne5! c5** [18...f6? 19.c4 Qd8 20.Bg4 fe5 21.Re4 ef4 22.Be6 Kh8 (22...Kf8? 23.Qh5) 23.Bc8 Qc8 24.Qe1 Nb3 25.Rb1 and White is winning; 18...Bg2? 19.c4 Qe4 20.Bh5 Qf4 21.Bf7 Kf8 22.Be8 Qg5 (22...Bh3 23.Re3 and White is winning) 23.f4 Qg3 24.Qg4 and White is winning; 18...Rcd8!?] **19.Bg4 Rcd8** [19...f5 20.Bh5 (20.Re4!? fe4 21.Bc8 Rc8 22.Qg4) g6 21.f3 gh5 22.fe4 fe4 23.Qh5 cd4 24.Re4! Bf6 (24...Qe4 25.Qg4 Bg5 26.Qg5 Kf8 27.Rf1 and White is winning) 25.Qg4 Bg7 26.Bh6 Rc7 27.Rf1! (27.Nd7 Qd7 28.Qg7 Qg7 29.Re8 Kf7 30.Bg7 Ke8 31.Bd4 and White is superior) Re5 (27...d3 28.Nd7 and White is winning) 28.Bg7 and White is winning] **20.Qe2** [20.f3? Bg6 21.Ng6 hg6 22.Bc7 f5] **f5** [20...Bg2 21.Rad1 Bh1 22.Qf1 c4 23.Nf7! and White is winning] **21.Bh5!** [21.f3 Bd3!] **g6 22.f3! gh5** [22...cd4 23.fe4 fe4 24.Qg4! Bf6 25.Ng6 hg6 26.Bg6 Kh8 27.Rab1 a6 28.Rb6 Nc6 29.Be8 Re8 30.Qg6 and White is winning; 22...Bd3!? 23.Qd3 gh5 24.Qf5 cd4 25.cd4 and White is superior] **23.fe4 Qe4** [23...fe4 24.Qh5 cd4 (24...Bf6 25.Re4 Nc4 26.Rae1 and White is winning) 25.Re4! dc3 26.Bh6 and White is winning] **24.Qf2 Qd5 25.Qg3 Kh8**

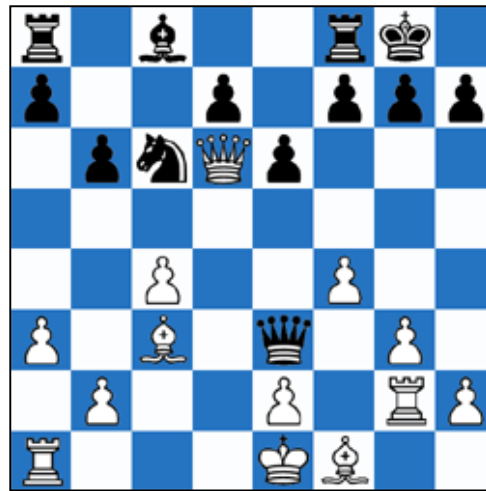


**26.Ng6!! hg6 27.Qg6 Nc6 28.Re6** [28.Qh5!? Kg8 29.Qg6 Kh8 30.Qh6 Kg8 31.Re6 and White is winning] **Qe6** (only move) **29.Qe6 Bf8 30.Qf5 cd4 31.Qh5 Kg8 32.Bg5 1-0** [Smirin]



**Ivanchuk 2741 – P.Eljanov 2658**  
**Fuegen 2006 – 98/26 [A35]**

**1.Nf3 c5 2.c4 Nc6 3.d4 cd4 4.Nd4 e6 5.g3 Bb4 6.Nc3 Qa5 7.Ndb5 Nf6** [7...d5 see 75/37] **8.a3** [a novelty; 8. Bg2] **Bc3 9.Nc3 Ne4!?** [9...0-0] **10.Bd2 Qf5 11.f4** [11.f3 Nd2 12.Qd2 0-0 13.0-0-0 Na5 14.Qd3 Qd3 15.ed3 b6 equal] **Nc3** [11...d5!?, 11...Na5!?, 12.Bg2 Nd2 13.Qd2 Nb3 14.Qd6 Na1 15.Nb5 a) 15...Nc2 16.Kd2! Kd8 17.Qc7 Ke7 18.Nd6 Qg6 19.Be4 f5 20.Bc2 and White is superior; b) 15...Qb1 16.Kf2 Qb2 17.Rd1 (17.Nc7 Kd8 18.Na8 Nc2 19.Rd1 Qa3 20.c5 Qe3! 21.Kf1 Qc3 with counterplay) f5 18.Bb7 Bb7 19.Qd7 Kf8 20.Nc7 Qf6 21.Na8 Ba8 22.Qc8 Kf7 23.Qh8 Be4 24.Rd7 Kg6 25.Qe8 Kh6 26.Rd6 and White is superior; c) 15... Kd8 16.e4! (16.Kf2 Nb3 equal) c1) 16...Qg6 17.0-0 Nb3 18.Kh1! Qh5 (18...h5 19.Qc7 Ke7 20.f5 Qh6 21.e5 ef5 22.Nd6 g6 23.Rf5 Rf8 24.Rf4 with attack; 18...Qf6 19.Qc7 Ke7 20.e5 Qg6 21.Qd6 Kd8 22.g4! Qg4 23. Qb4 with attack) 19.f5! Qh6 20.Qb4 Qe3 21.fe6 Nc5 22.e7 Ke7 23.Nc7 and White is winning; c2) 16...Qh5 17.e5 (17.0-0 Nb3 18.e5 Qe2 19.Qc7 Ke7 20.Qd6 equal) Nb3 (17...Nc2 18.Kf2 f6 19.Nc7 Nd4 20.Re1!! Rb8 21.Re4 and White is winning) 18.Qb4 Nc1 19.Qa5 Ke7 20.Qd2 Qe2 (20...Nb3 21.Qb4) 21.Qe2 Ne2 22.Ke2 f6 23.h4 with compensation] **12.Bc3 Qe4** [12...0-0 13.Bg2 Qc5 14.Qd3 and White is superior] **13.Rg1 Qe3 14.Rg2 0-0** [14...d5 15.Bg7 Rg8 16.Bc3 dc4 17.Qa4! Qc5 (17...Bd7 18.Qc4 0-0-0 19.Bf6 Rde8 20.Rf2 and White is superior; 17...e5 18.Qc4 e4 19.Rd1 and White is superior) 18.Qc2 Rg6 19.e4 b5 20.0-0-0 a5 21.f5 Rg4 22.h3 with attack] **15.Qd6 b6** [15...e5 16.fe5 (16.Rd1!?) Re8 17.Rf2 Ne5 18.Be5 Re5 19.Bg2 Re6 20. Qc7 Re7 21.Bd5 d6 (21...Qb6 22.Qb6 ab6 23.Kd2 Kf8 24.g4 h6 25.h4 d6 26.Raf1 f6 27.g5 and White is winning) 22.Bf7 and White is winning]

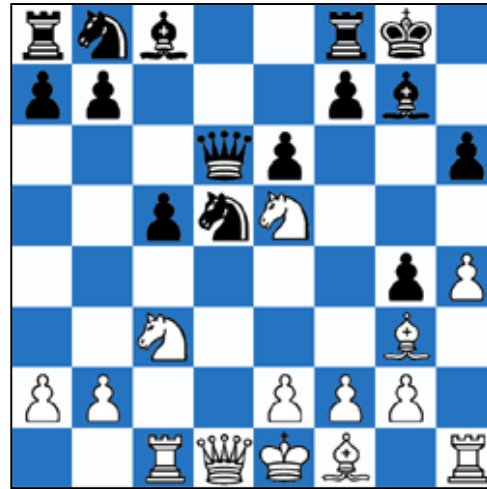


**16.g4! Ba6** [16...e5 17.f5 Bb7 18.Rg3 Qg5 19.e3 Rfe8 20.0-0-0 Nd4 21.Kb1 Be4 22.Ka2 Nc6 23.Bd3 and White is superior] **17.Rg3 Qc5** [17...Qe4 18.b3 Rac8 19.f5 (19.Bg2 Qc2 20.Qd1 Qg6 21.Qb1 and White is superior) e5 20.Bg2 Qc2 21.Qd1 and White is superior] **18.Qc5 bc5 19.e4** [and White is slightly better; 19. e3 Bb7 20.0-0-0 Rad8 21.b4 and White is superior] **f6** [19...e5 20.0-0-0 Rad8 21.fe5 Rfe8 22.Rd5 and White is winning] **20.0-0-0** [20.Rd1! e5 21.fe5 fe5 (21...Ne5 22.g5 Rae8 23.Rd6 Bc4 24.gf6 g6 25.Rd7 Nd7 26.Bc4 and White is winning) 22.Rd7 Rad8 23.Rd8 Rd8 24.b4 Nd4 25.bc5 Bb7 26.Bd3 and White is superior] **e5 21. Rd6!** [21.Rd7 ef4 22.Rf3 Ne5 23.Be5 fe5 24.Rd5 Rfe8 25.Rc5 Rac8 with compensation] **ef4 22.Rf3 Rad8 23.Rf4 Kf7?** [23...Bb7 a) 24.b4 Ne5 25.bc5 (25.h3 Nf7 26.Rd2 Ng5 with counterplay) Ng6 26.Rf2 Be4 and White is slightly better; b) 24.Bh3 Ne5 25.g5 b1) 25...Ng6 26.Rf5 (26.Rg4 fg5 27.Rg5 Be4 with counterplay) Be4 27.Rc5 Nf4 28.Bd7 Nd3 29.Rd3! Bd3 30.Be6 Kh8 31.gf6 gf6 32.Rc7 and White is winning; b2) 25... Nf7! 26.Rd7 Rd7 27.Bd7 Ng5 28.e5! and White is slightly better] **24.b4! Ke7 25.Rd5** [25.bc5 a) 25...Rb8 26.Kc2 (26.Kd2 h6 27.Rf5 Rb3 and White is superior) Bb7 27.Bd3 Nd8 28.e5 Ne6 29.ef6 gf6 30.Rf2 Nc5 and White is superior; b) 25...Bb7 26.Rf5 h6 27.h4 Ke8 28.g5 and White is superior] **cb4 26.ab4 Bb7 27.c5 a6 28.Rd6 Rb8** [28...Ne5 29.Rb6 Ng6 30.Rf2 Rb8 31.Ba6 and White is winning] **29.Rf2! Ne5 30.Rfd2 Bc6?!** [30...Be4 31.Ba6 (31.Be5? fe5 32.Rd7 Ke8 33.Ba6 Rf6 with counterplay) Bc6 32.g5 Bb5 33.Bb5 Rb5 34.Rf2 Rb7 35.h4 and White is superior] **31.Ba6 Nf7** [31...Ng4 32.b5 Bb5 33.Bb5 Rb5 34.Rd7 Ke8 35.c6 Rc5 36.Kb2 Rc6 37.Bb4 and White is winning] **32.R6d5!** [32.b5 Rb5 33.Bb5 Bb5 34.Rb6 Bc6 and White is superior] **Bd5 33.ed5 Ne5 34.b5** (and White is winning) **Ra8 35.g5 h6 36.gf6 gf6 37.Bb4 Kf7 38.c6 Rg8 39. c7 Rg1 40.Kc2 Rg4 41.Kb3 1-0** [Ivanchuk, Sulypa]

**Morozevich 2747 – Shirov 2720**  
**Pamplona 2006 – 98/355 [D90]**

**1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 g6 3.Nc3 d5 4.cd5 Nd5 5.Bd2 Nb6 6.Nf3 Bg7 7.Rc1 0-0 8.Bg5 h6 9.Bh4 g5 10.Bg3 c5 11.d5** [11.dc5 Bc3 12.Rc3 Qd1 13.Kd1 Na4 14.Rc2 Bf5 unclear] **e6** [11...Bc3!? 12.Rc3 Nd5 13.Rc5 Nf6! 14.Qd8 (14.Qc2? Na6 and Black is superior) Rd8 15.Bc7 (15.e3 Nc6 equal) Rd5! 16.Rd5 Nd5 17.Bg3 Nc6 equal] **12.d6!** [12.de6 see 29/(580)] **Nd5?!** [a novelty; 12...Nc6 13.e3 (13.e4 f5! and Black is slightly better) f5!? 14. Bb5 Bd7 15.0-0 a6 16.Be2 (16.Bc6 Bc6 unclear, with the idea 17.Ne5?! f4) e5 with counterplay] **13.h4!** [13. Nd5 ed5 a) 14.Rc5?! Qb6! 15.Rc2 (15.Rd5 Qb2 16.e3 Bc3 17.Nd2 Be6 with initiative) Bf5 with initiative; b)

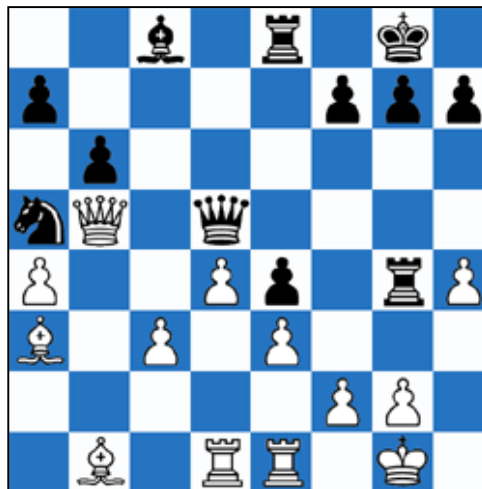
14.Qd5 Bb2 (14...Be6 15.Qb7 Qb6 with compensation) 15.Rc5 (15.Rc2!?) Na6 16.Rb5 Bc3 17.Kd1 Bd7 with compensation] **g4 14.Ne5** [14.Nd2!? Nc3 15.bc3 f5 16.e3 e5 (16...Nc6 17.Be2 and White is slightly better) 17.Nc4 f4 18.Qd5 Kh8 19.Bh2 Nc6 20.Bd3 Bd7 21.a4 Qh4 22.g3 fg3 23.Bg3 Qf6 24.Rh5 with compensation] **Qd6?** [14...Nc3 15.bc3 (15.Rc3 Nd7) Nd7 16.Nd7 (16.Ng4? f5 and Black is superior) Bd7 17.e4 f5 18.Qd2!? and White is slightly better]



**15.e4!** [15.Ng6 Qb6! 16.Nf8 Qb2 17.Nd5 ed5 with compensation] **f5!?** [15...Be5 16.Nb5! Qb6 17.Be5 and White is winning; 15...Re8 16.Nf7 Qf8 17.Nd5 ed5 18.Nd6 Bd4 19.Rc5! Bc3 20.Qd5 Be6 21.Qc5 Re7 and White is superior] **16.ef5** [16.Ng6!? f4 17.Nf4 Rf4 18.ed5! (18.Bf4?! Qf4 19.ed5 Bd4) Bc3 19.Rc3 Re4 20.Be2 Qd5 (20...e5 21.Re3 Rd4 22.Qc2 Nd7 23.0-0 and White is superior) 21.Rd3! Rd4 22.Rd4 Qd4 23.Qc2 Nc6 24.0-0 with attack; 16.ed5! f4 (16...Be5 17.Nb5 Qd5 18.Qd5 ed5 19.Be5 Re8 20.Nc7 Re5 21.Kd2 and White is winning) 17.Nc4 a) 17...Qd8 18.Bh2 Qh4 (18...ed5 19.Qd5 Qd5 20.Nd5 Re8 21.Be2 f3 22.Nce3 and White is winning; 18...Bc3 19.Rc3 ed5 20.Ne5 and White is winning) 19.g3 fg3 20.fg3 Qf6 21.Qd2 and White is winning; b) 17...Qd7! 18.Bh2 Bc3 19.Rc3 (19.b3 ed5) ed5 20.Ne5 Qe6 and White is superior] **Be5 17.Nb5 Qc6 18.Be5 ef5 19.Nd6! Nb6** [19...a6?! 20.Bc4 Be6 21.Qd2 Kh7 22.Rd1 Nc7 23.0-0 Nd7 24.Rfe1 and White is superior] **20.f3! Be6 21.Bb5 Qd5 22.Qe2!?** [22.Qd5 Bd5 23.Rc5 Nc6 24.Bc3 and White is slightly better] **N8d7** [22...Nc6?! 23.Bc6 bc6 24.Rd1 Qa2 25.fg4 and White is superior; 22...Bd7 23.Rd1 Bb5 (23...Qa2 24.0-0 Bb5 25.Qb5 Nc6 with compensation 26.Bc3) 24.Nb5 Qa2 25.Nc7 Nc6 26.Na8 Re8 27.f4 Ra8 28.0-0 and White is slightly better] **23.Bf4 gf3?** [23...Rf6 24.Rd1 Qa2 25.0-0 a6 26.Bd7 Nd7 27.Qd2 with compensation; 23...a6 24.Rd1 (24.Bc4 Nc4 25.Rd1 Nd6! 26.Rd5 Bd5 with counterplay; 24.Bd7 Bd7 25.0-0 Qd4 26.Qe3 Rf6 unclear) Qa2 25.Bd7 Bd7 26.0-0 with compensation] **24.gf3 Kh7 25.Rd1!** [25.Bd7 Nd7 26.b3 Rf6 27.Rd1 Qc6 28.Rg1 with initiative] **Qa2 26.Kf2 Rf6** [26...Rg8 27.Rhe1 Nf8 28.h5 and White is superior] **27.Rhg1 Raf8** [27...Qb3!? 28.Be5 Ne5 29.Qe5 Qc2 30.Ke1 Qb3 31.Rd2 and White is superior; 27...Rg8!? 28.Rg8 Kg8 29.Ne8! and White is superior] **28.Be5! Ne5 29.Qe5 Nd7** [29...Bd7 30.Bc4! Nc4 31.Nc4 Qc4 32.Rd7 Kh8 33.Rg6 and White is winning; 29...Qb3 30.Ne8! and White is winning; 29...Na4 30.Rd2 Nb2 31.Rb2 Qd5 32.Re2 and White is winning] **30.Bd7!** (and White is winning) **Bd7 31.Ne4! fe4** [31...R6f7 32.Nf6! Rf6 33.Rd7 R8f7 34.Qf6!] **32.Rd7 Kh8** [32...R6f7 33.Rg7; 32...R8f7 33.Qe4 Kh8 34.Rd8 Rf8 35.Rf8 Rf8 36.Qe5] **33.Rg6!** [33.Rgg7?? e3! 34.Kg2 Qb1 and Black is superior] **1-0** [Morozovich, Al. Kuzmin]

## Iv.Sokolov 2670 – Ju.Polgar 2710 Hoogeveen 2006 – 98/411 [E49]

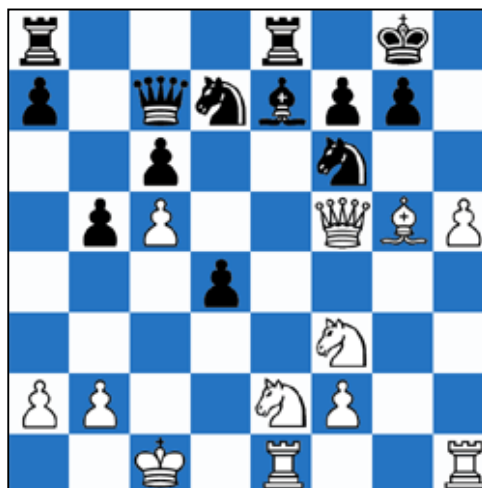
**1.d4 Nf6 2.c4 e6 3.Nc3 Bb4 4.e3 0-0 5.Bd3 d5 6.a3 Bc3 7.bc3 dc4 8.Bc4 c5 9.Ne2 Qc7 10.Ba2 b6 11.0-0 Ba6 12.Re1 Nc6 13.Ng3 Rad8** [13...Rfd8 see 89/(463)] **14.Bb2** [14.Nh5 Nh5 15.Qh5 Bd3] **e5 15.Qc2** [a novelty; 15.Rc1 Na5 16.Qf3 Rfe8 17.e4 Bc4; 15.d5! Na5 (15...e4 16.c4) 16.e4 Bc4] **Rd7** [15...cd4 16.cd4 ed4 17.Bd4; 15...Na5!? 16.de5 Bd3 17.Qc1 Qe5 18.c4 Qe6 19.e4 with initiative] **16.Rad1 Rfd8 17.h3** [17.Ne4!? Ne4 18.Qe4 Ne7; 17.Bb1 g6] **c4!?** [17...Na5 18.de5 Qe5 19.c4 Qe6 20.Bb1] **18.a4?** [18.Bb1! g6 19.a4!?; 19.Qe2] **Re8! 19.Ba3** [19.e4? ed4 20.cd4 Nb4 21.Qb1 c3 and Black is superior; 19.Ne4!? Ne4 20.Qe4 Bb7 21.Bb1 g6; 20...g6] **e4 20.Bb1 Rd5 21.Ne2 Rg5 22.Nf4 Bc8** [22...Qd7!?] **23.Qe2** [23.Ba2!? a) 23...Nd5 24.Bc4 Nf4 25.ef4 Qf4 26.Re3; b) 23...Ne7!? 24.Be7 Re7 25.d5 Ne8 26.d6 Nd6 27.Nd5 Qb7 28.Ne7 Qe7 29.Qd2 (29.Bc4 Bh3 30.Bf1 h6) Rg6 with compensation; c) 23...Na5 24.d5 Bb7 25.d6 Qd7 unclear] **Qd7 24.Qc4 Na5 25.Qb4?** [25.Qe2! Qa4 (25...Nd5 26.Bb4! Nc6 27.Rc1!) 26.Bb4 Nc6 27.Bc2 Qa6 unclear] **Nd5 26.Nd5 Qd5** [26...Rg2 27.Kg2 Qh3 28.Kg1 Qg4 29.Kf1 Ba6 30.Bd3 ed3 31.Nc7! Bc4 32.Rd2 Qh3 33.Kg1 Qg4 equal] **27.h4** [27.Kh2 Bh3! 28.gh3 (28.Qb5 Qd8 and Black is winning) Qf5 29.f4 Rh5 and Black is winning; 27.Qd6 Qf5 28.Kh1 (28.h4 Rg6 29.Qf4 Nc4 and Black is winning) Nc4 29.Qc6 Bd7! 30.Qc4 Rg2 31.Kg2 Qf3 32.Kh2 Bh3 33.Rg1 Be6 and Black is winning] **Rg4 28.Qb5**



28...Qd8! 29.g3 [29.Bd6 Bd7] a6 30.Qb4 [30.Qh5 Nc4 31.Bc1 g6 32.Qh6 Nd6 with the idea Nf5] Qh4 31. Be4 Rg3! 32.fg3 Qe4 33.Rd2 [33.d5 Nc4 34.Rd4 Qf3 35.Qc4 Qg3 36.Kf1 Bh3 37.Ke2 Re3 38.Kd2 Qe1 39. Kc2 Re2 and Black is winning] Qf3 34.Kh2 Qh5 35.Kg1 Qf3 36.Kh2 Bf5 37.e4 Be4 38.Re4 Qe4 39.d5 Nc4 0-1 [Ju.Polgar]

### V.Anand 2779 – Macieja 2622 Deutschland 2006 – 98/75 [B19]

1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3 de4 4.Ne4 Bf5 5.Ng3 Bg6 6.h4 h6 7.Nf3 Nd7 8.h5 Bh7 9.Bd3 Bd3 10.Qd3 e6 11. Bf4 Qa5 12.Bd2 Bb4 13.c3 Be7 14.c4 Qc7 15.0-0 Ngf6 16.Rde1 [16.Rhe1 see 97/66] b5 17.c5 0-0 18. Ne2 [a novelty; 18.Re2; 18.Qc2] Rfe8 19.g4 e5 [19...Ng4 a) 20.Reg1 Nf2 21.Qc2 Nh1 22.Bh6 (22.Bf4 Qd8 23.Bh6 Bf6 24.Bg7 Bg7 25.h6 Qf6 26.Rg7 Kf8 27.Ng5 Qh6) a1) 22...Bf6 23.Bg7 Bg7 24.h6 Ng3 (24...Nf6 25.Rg7 Kf8 26.Ne5 Re7 27.Nf4 and White is winning) 25.Rg3 Qg3 26.h7 Kh8 27.Ng3 and White is slightly better; a2) 22...Ng3 23.Rg3 Qg3 24.Ng3 gh6; b) 20.Rhg1 Ndf6 21.Rg2 Bf8 22.Reg1 e5 23.Qf5 (23.Rg4 e4!) Qc8 24.Qc8 Rac8 25.Rg4 Ng4 26.Rg4 ed4 27.Ned4 and White is superior] 20.Qf5 ed4 21.g5 hg5 22.Bg5



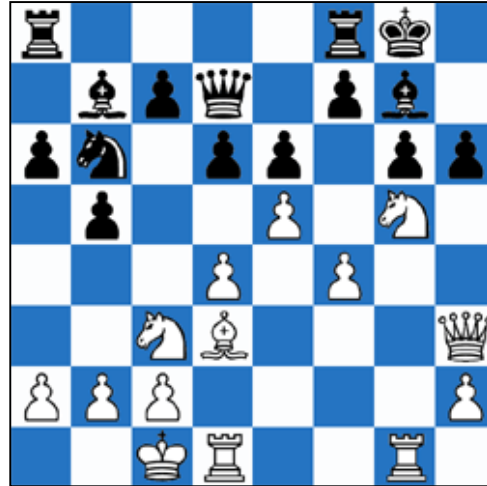
22...Nh7? [22...Nd5 23.Reg1! Bg5 (23...Bf8 24.h6 g6 25.h7 Kh8 26.Qf7 Bg7 27.Nf4 Nf4 28.Bf4 and White is winning) 24.Qg5!; 22...d3! a) 23.Reg1 de2 24.Bh6 Bf8 25.Bg7 a1) 25...Bg7 26.h6 e1Q 27.Ne1 Re1 28.Re1 Bh8 (28...Bf8 29.Reg1 Kh8 30.Qg5!) 29.h7 Kf8 30.Rhg1; a2) 25...e1Q 26.Ne1 Re1 27.Re1 Kg7 28.h6 Kh8 29.Qg5 Nh7!; b) 23.Nf4 b1) 23...Nc5 24.h6 d2 (24...Qc8 25.h7 Kh8 26.Ng6! fg6 27.Ne5! and White is winning; 24...Qd7 25.h7 Kh8 26.Ng6!! fg6 27.Ne5 and White is winning) 25.Nd2 Qd7 26.Qd7 Ncd7 27.hg7 and White is superior; b2) 23...Bc5 24.Re8 Re8 25.h6 d2 26.Kc2 Bf8 27.h7 Kh8 28.Nh4!! Qf4 29.Bf4 Re1 30.Bd2 Rh1 31.Bg5 with initiative; b3) 23...d2 24.Nd2 Bc5 25.h6 (25.Nd3 Re1 26.Re1 Bd4) Re5 26.Qh3 g6 27.h7 Kh8 28.Qh4 Rf5 b31) 29.Ne4 Ne4 30.Re4 Bf2 31.Qf2 Rg5 32.Qd4 (32.Re7 Qb6 33.Qb6 Nb6 34.Rf7 Nd5) Ne5; b32) 29.Re6 Bf2 30.Qh6 (30.Qf2 Rg5 31.Rf6 Nf6 32.Ne6 Qe5 33.Nf3 Rg1! 34.Rg1 Qe6 35.Ng5 Qc4 36.Kb1 Kg7 37.Rf1 Qd3 38.Ka1 Qd6) Ng4 31.Ng6 fg6 32.Qg6 Raf8 33.Re7 Qe5!! 34.Re5 Nde5 35. Qh5 Be3 36.Be3 Rh5 37.Rh5 equal; c) 23.Ned4! Nd5 (23...Nc5 24.h6! and White is winning; 23...Bc5 24. Bf6! d2 25.Nd2 Qd6 26.Bg7 Kg7 27.Qg4 Kh8 28.Nf5 and White is superior) c1) 24.Bd2 Bf6 25.Reg1 Nc5; c2) 24.h6 Bg5 25.Ng5 Re1 26.Re1 Qf4 (26...N7f6) 27.Qf4 Nf4 28.h7 Kh8 29.Rh1 Rf8 30.Nc6 f6 31.Ne4 Nc5! 32.Nc5 Rc8 and Black is slightly better; c3) 24.Reg1 Bg5 (24...Nc5 25.Bh6 Bf6 26.Bg7 Bg7 27.h6 Qf4 28.Kb1 and White is winning) 25.Rg5 Qf4 c31) 26.Kd1 Nf8 (26...Re4 27.h6 Qf5 28.Rf5 g6 29.h7 Kg7 30.Rf7 Kf7 31.Ng5 Kg7 32.Ne4 and White is superior) 27.h6 g6 28.h7 Kh8 (28...Nh7 29.Rg6 fg6 30.Qg6 Kf8 31.



*Rg1! and White is winning)* 29.Ne5! Re7 30.Qf4 Nf4 31.Nec6 and White is slightly better; c32) 26.Kb1 d2 (26...f6 27.Rg4! Qf5 28.Nf5 and White is superior) 27.Qf4 Nf4 28.Nd2 Re5! 29.Rhg1 Rg5 30.Rg5 and White is slightly better] **23.Bf4! Qc8 24.Ned4 Nc5 25.Qc2 Bf8** [25...Qg4 26.Be5! (26.Bd2 Bf8) Ng5 27.Reg1 (27.h6 Nf3) Qe4 28.h6! Nd3 29.Kb1 Nf2 30.Rh5] **26.Reg1 Re4 27.Be5! f6** [27...Rg4 28.Nf5 Rc4 29.Nh6 Kh8 30.Nf7 Kg8 31.Bc3! and White is winning] **28.h6 fe5 29.hg7 Be7 30.Ne5 Bd6 31.f4 Be5 32.fe5 1-0** [V. Anand]

## Dominguez Perez 2655 – Ivanchuk 2741 Barcelona 2006 — 98/59 [B06]

**1.e4 g6 2.d4 d6 3.Nc3 Bg7 4.Be3 a6 5.f4 b5 6.Bd3 Bb7 7.Nf3 Nd7 8.e5 Nh6 9.Qe2 Nb6 10.0-0-0** [a novelty; 10.a4] **Qd7 11.Rhg1 0-0** [11...b4 12.Ne4 0-0 (12...Qa4 13.Kb1 Bd5 14.b3 Qd7 15.Bd2 a5 16.f5 with initiative) 13.Kb1 (13.g4 Ng4 14.Bd2 f5 unclear) f5 14.Ned2 Ng4 unclear] **12.g4 Ng4 13.Ng5** [13.f5 Ne3 14.Qe3 b4 15.Ne4 Nd5 16.Qd2 b3!? 17.cb3 a5 unclear] **Ne3 14.Qe3 e6** [14...b4!? 15.e6 fe6 16.Ne2 Rf5 17.Ne6 Nd5 18.Qe4 unclear] **15.Qh3 h6**



**16.Nf7!! Qf7** [16...Rf7 17.Rg6 Nd5 (17...b4 18.f5! Re8 19.f6 bc3 20.Rdg1 cb2 21.Kb2 and White is winning; 17...de5 18.de5 Nd5 19.Nd5 Bd5 20.Rdg1 Kf8 21.Rh6 and White is winning; 17...Re8 18.Rdg1 Kf8 19.Rh6 de5 20.de5 Qd4 21.Ne2 Qf2 22.Rhg6 and White is winning) 18.Nd5 Bd5 19.Rdg1 Kf8 20.Rh6 Bh6 21.Qh6 Ke7 (only move) 22.Qh4 Kf8 23.Bg6 and White is winning] **17.Rg6 Qf4 18.Kb1 Rf7** [18...Bf3 19.Qe6 (19.Rf1 Rae8 20.Rg3 Nc4 21.Bc4 bc4 22.Rff3 Qd4 unclear) Rf7 (19...Kh8? 20.Rg7! Be4 21.Be4 and White is winning) 20.Rf1 Kf8 21.Qh3 Nc4 22.Bc4 bc4 23.e6 Rf5 24.Nd5 Bg4 25.e7 Kf7 26.Rg7 Kg7 27.Rf4 Bh3 28.Rf5 Bf5 29.Nc7 Kf6 30.Na8 Ke7 31.Nb6 and White is winning] **19.Rdg1** [19.Ne2! Qf2 20.Rdg1 Kf8 21.Rg7 Rg7 22.Rf1 Qf1 23.Qf1 Kg8 24.ed6 cd6 25.Qf4 and White is superior] **Kh8?** [19...Bf3! 20.Be2 Kf8 (only move) 21.Bf3 Qf3 22.Qf3 Rf3 23.Rg7 de5 24.de5 Rf1 25.Rf1 Kg7 equal] **20.R6g4?** [20.Ne2! Qd2 21.R1g5! Qg5 22.Rg5 de5 23.de5 Nc4 24.Rg7 Kg7 25.Nd4 and White is winning] **Qd2 21.Qh5 Raf8** [21...Kg8? 22.Nb5! Qf2 (22...ab5 23.Qf7! Kf7 24.Rg7 Ke8 25.Bb5 c6 26.Rg8 Kd7 27.R1g7#) 23.Qh6 Qg1 24.Rg1 ab5 25.Qh7 Kf8 26.Bg6 Rf2 27.Bf5! and White is winning] **22.a3 Re7 23.Rg7 Rg7 24.Rg7 Rf1 25.Bf1** [25.Ka2 Kg7 26.Qg6 Kf8 (only move) 27.Bf1 Qg5 28.Qg5 hg5 29.ed6 cd6 equal] **Kg7 26.Bd3 Qg5 27.Qe8 de5 28.de5 Qe5 29.Qe7 Kg8 30.Qe8 Kg7 31.Qe7 Kg8 32.Bh7 Kh8 33.Bg6 Qg7** (only move) **34.Qd8** [34.Qe6 Bc8 35.Qe8 Qg8 36.Qe4 Bd7 37.b3 and White is slightly better] **Qg8 35.Qf6 Qg7 36.Qd8 Qg8 37.Qc7 Nd5** [37...Qg6 38.Qb8 Bc8 (38...Qg8 39.Qb7 Na4 40.Na4 ba4 41.Qa6 Qg4 42.Qd6 and White is superior) 39.Qb6 Qf6 40.Na2 Qe7 41.Nb4 Kg7 42.b3 and White is superior] **38.Qe5 Qg7 39.Qb8 Qg8 40.Qe5 Qg7 41.Qe6 Qf6 42.Qf6 Nf6** [NB 9/c] **43.Bf5!** (and White is superior) **Kg7 44.Kc1 Ne8 45.Ne4 Be4 46.Be4** [NB 4/c] **Nd6 47.Bd3 a5 48.Kd2 Kf6 49.Ke3 Ke5 50.Kf3 b4 51.ab4 ab4** [NB 4/b] **52.Kg4 Kf6 53.Kf4 Ke6 54.b3 Kf6 55.Bc4 Nf5 56.Ke4 h5 57.Be2 h4 58.Bg4 Nd6 59.Kf4 Nb7 60.Bf5 Nc5 61.Kg4 h3 62.Bh7 Ne6 63.Bd3 Ke5 64.Kh3 Nf4 65.Kg4 Nd3 66.cd3 Kd4 67.h4 Kc3 68.h5 Kb3 69.h6 1-0** [Dominguez Perez, J. Ibarra]

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