

# 20th International Solving Contest 2024 Cat 2

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## 1. [#2] Taraba, Jozef 5th commendation Europe Echecs, 1971

1. ♖xh5! [5]

1. ♖g8? ♔f5!

1. ♖a7, ♗xd6? h4!

1. ♗d4? ♖g4!

YACPDB#:82607

## 2. [#2] Shifrin, Semjon commendation Israel Ring Tourney, 2014

1. ♗e4! [5]

1. ♗h1? ♗g2!

1. ♗d5? ♖e7!

1. ♗f3? ♗fd6!

YACPDB#:418015

## 3. [#3] Schreckenbach, Michael 1st Prize Sächsische Zeitung, 1987

1. ♖e2! ~ 2. ♖xc4+ [1]

1...b3 2. ♗c3+ [1]

1...gxf4 2. ♖e4+ [1]

1...axb5 2. ♗c6+ [1]

1... ♖d7 2. ♖e6+ [1]

YACPDB#:195008

## 4. [#5] Werner, Dieter Schach, 1999

1. ♗c2! ♖xc2 2. ♗d1+ ♖d3 3. ♖g5 f5 4. ♖xf5 [5] ~ 5. ♖d5‡

1...exd2 2. ♗d1 ~ 3. ♖g3‡

2... ♖g8 3. ♖xg8 ~ 4. ♖g3‡

2... ♖e8 3. ♖g3+ ♖e3 4. ♖xe3‡

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## 5. [+ ] Prokes, Ladislav Kulturi Zpravodaj, 1926

1. e7 ♖xb6+ 2. ♗d6! [2]

2... ♖xd6+ 3. ♖f5 ♖d5+ 4. ♖f4 [3]

4... ♖d4+ 5. ♖e3 [4]

5... ♖d1 6. ♖e2 +- [5]

\*1. ♗d6? g3! =

\*1... ♖xe4 2.b7 +-

\*2... ♖b8 3. ♗b7+ ♖b6 4. ♗d8 +-

\*4. ♖e4? ♖d1 +-

\*6. ♖f2? g3+ =

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## 6. [H#2] Krizhanivsky, Vasil 3rd Prize KoBulChess, 2015

1. ♖c5 f4      2. ♖e6 ♖d7‡ @  
1. ♗b2 f3      2. ♗d4 ♗a2‡ @  
1. ♖d4 ♗a2+    2. ♖xe4 f3‡ @  
1. ♗e6 ♖d7+    2. ♖xe5 f4‡ @

@	1	2	3	4
Pts.	1	2.5	4	5

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## 7. [#2] Einat, Paz 4th Prize Mat Plus, 2008

1. gxf5! [5]

1. ♖e3? ♜c4!  
1. ♖b6?, ♖d7? ♜d2!

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## 8. [#3] Makaronez, Leonid 1st Prize SEPA-80 JT, 2013-15

1. ♜d2! ~ 2. ♜f3+ [1]  
1...e×d2 2.c3+ [1]  
1...♖c6 2.♖xe4+ [1]  
1...♜h5 2.♖d7+ [1]  
1...♜b4 2.♜xb4 [1]

YACPDB#:488816

## 9. [#3] Grinblat, Arieh Sachmatija, 2013

1. ♖d1! ~ 2. ♜e6+ @  
1...♜d2 2. ♜e4+ @  
1...♜×d1 2. ♜a7+ @  
1...♖h4 2. ♖e5 @

@	1	2	3	4
Pts.	1	2.5	4	5

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## 10. [#4] Kutzborski, Dieter Schach, 2012

1. ♜h8!  
1...a3 2. ♜c3! ~ 3. ♖e1+ [2.5]  
1...a×b3! 2. ♖g7 ♜e5 3. ♖f7+ [2.5]

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## 11. [=] Hlinka, Michal Original, 2023

1.b7 ♜c3 2.bxc3 ♖e1+ 3. ♖a2 [1]  
3....♜f7+ 4. ♜e6 [2]  
4....♜xe6+ 5.c4 [3]  
5....♜xc4+ 6. ♖b2 ♜d3 7.b8=♖ ♖b1+ 8. ♖c3 [5]  
8....♖xb8 stalemate

\*1. ♖xb1? ♜g6+ 2. ♖a2 ♜f7+ 3. ♖a3 ♖d4! -+  
\*1....♖e1 2.b3! ♜d2+ 3. ♖a2 ±  
\*3. ♖b2? ♜g6 -+

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## 12. [S#2] Janevski, Zivko Sachmatija, 2012

1. ♖e2! ~ 2. ♔d4+ @  
1... ♗f5 2. ♗e4+ @  
1... ♘f5 2. ♖xe3+ @

1. ♖ec1? ♗f5!

@	1	2	3
Pts.	1.5	3.5	5

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