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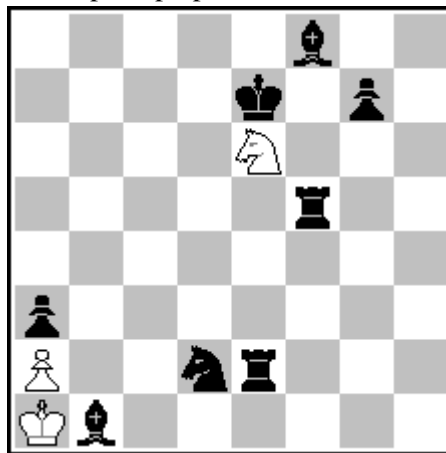
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Problem 1 – Marcos Roland

SuperProblem, TT 219, 2019

Commendation

Award: <http://superproblem.ru/index-en.html>



h#5 v (3+8)
5b2-4k1p1-4N3-5r2-8-p7-P2nr3-Kb6

- 1.Tf7? Sxf8 2.Lh7 Se6 3.Lg8 Sf4 4.Kf8 (??) 5.Te8 Sg6#
1.Lxa2! Sxf8 2.Lg8 Se6 3.Rf7 Sf4 4.Kf8 Ka2 5.Te8 Sg6#

Black and White Kniest. Tempo try.

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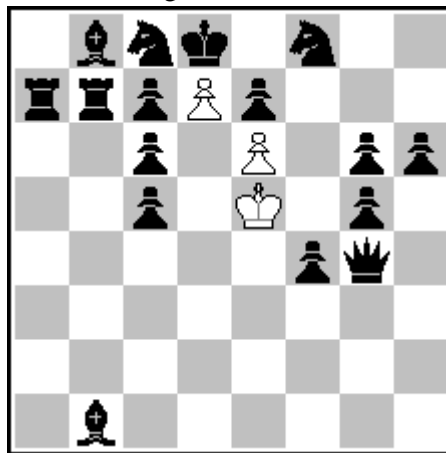
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Problem 2 – Marcos Roland

StrateGems 2019

1st Prize

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h#4 3 solutions (3+16)

1bnk1n2-rrpPp3-2p1P1pp-2p1K1p1-5pq1-8-8-1b6

- 1.Sxe6 bxc8=L 2.Sd4 Lxg4 3.Sc2 Ke6 4.Kc8 Kxe7#
1.Sxd7+ exd7 2.e6 dxc8=T+ 3.Kd7 Kf6 4.Kd6 Td8#
1.La2 dxc8=S 2.Sd7+ exd7 3.Lf7 Sd6 4.Le8 dxe8=D#

Alumwandlung. Mixed themes and motives (Kniest, Zilahi, ambush, delayed Umnov, consecutive Umnov, annihilation, mixed Phoenix, helpmate Indian, royal diagonal battery combined with diagonal black self-interference).

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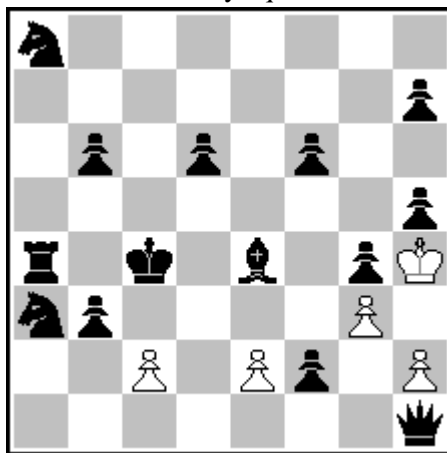
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Problem 3 – Marcos Roland

SuperProblem - TT 221, 2019

Commendation

Award: http://superproblem.ru/htm/tourneys/quick-tt/results/2019/tt-221_award.html



h#5 4 solutions (5+14)

n7/7p/1p1p1p2/7p/r1k1b1pK/np4P1/2P1Pp1P/7q

- 1.f5 Kg5 2.De1 Kf4 3.Da5 Ke3 4.Kb4 Kd4 5.b5 c3#
1.Kb5 c4+ 2.Ka6 c5 3.Lb7 c6 4.Dd5 cxb7 5.Db5 bxa8=D#
1.Lc6 Kxh5 2.Dd5+ Kxg4 3.Dc5 c3 4.Kd5+ Kf5 5.Sc4 e4#
1.Lf5 e4 2.Kd4 e5 3.Dd5 e6 4.Ke5 e7 5.Ke6 e8=D#

HOTF. Four model mates. Two mates with the pawns C and E and two mates with the same pawns promoted to queens. Both no-promoted pawns make just one move to mate, both promoted pawns make five moves to mate. Two white Excelsiors. Two black Bristols. In the mate positions, the BQ stands on each one of four adjacent squares in the same rank (a5, b5, c5, d5).

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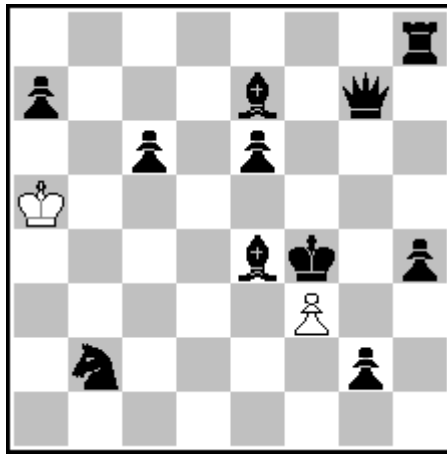
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Problem 4 – Marcos Roland

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1st Honorable Mention

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h#5 (2+11)

7r/p3b1q1/2p1p3/K7/4bk1p/5P2/1n4p1/8

Continued twins:

b) h8→d8

c) g7→e3

d) c6→f5

- a) 1.Kg5 f4+ 2.Kh6 f5 3.g1=T f6 4.Tg6 fxg7 5.Lg5 gxh8=D#
- b) 1.Ke5 f4+ 2.Kd6 f5 3.g1=L f6 4.Lc5 fxe7 5.De5 exd8=D#
- c) 1.Ke5 fxe4 2.Kd6 Kb4 3.Db6+ Kc3 4.Dc7 Kd4 5.Td7 e5#
- d) 1.Td6 Kb4 2. Dd2+ Kxd2 3.Ld5 Kd2 4.Ke5 Ke3 5.Lf6 f4#

HOTF. Four promotions (2Q,1b,1r). Check avoidance. Interferences. Sacrificial hideaway (BQ). Model mates. Chumakov theme: a) and b): BQ/BB; c) e d): BQ/BB.

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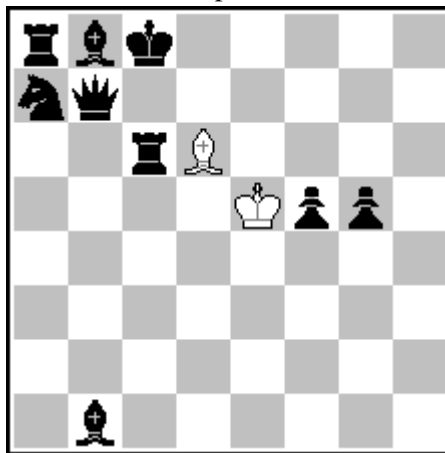
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Problem 5 – Marcos Roland

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2nd/3rd Honorable Mention

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h#5 (2+9)
rbk5/nq6/2rB4/4Kpp1/8/8/8/1b6

1.Le4 Lxb8 2. Te6+ Kxe6 3.Db1 Le5 4.Lb7 Kd6 5.Kb8 Kd7#

Platzwechsel: WK/WB and BQ/BB. Helpmate Indian. Kniest. Wigwag. Ambush. Hideaway (BQ). Sacrificial hideaway (BR).

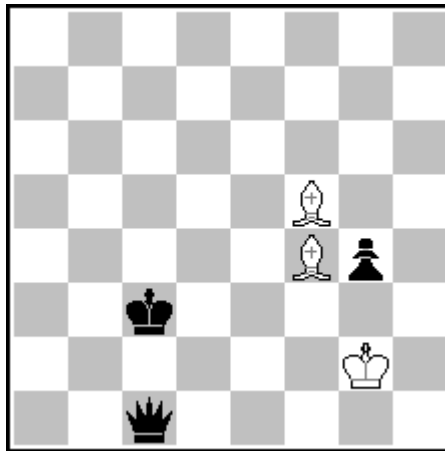
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Problem 6 – Marcos Roland

Stanislav Kirilichenko Memorial Tourney for Miniatures - 2020
2nd Prize section 6 pieces

Award issued in October/2020: <http://www.chess-kopyl.com.ua/ua/>



h#3 2 solutions (3+3)
8/8/8/5B2/5Bp1/2k5/6K1/2q5

- 1.Da1 Le6 2.Kc2 Kf2 3.Kd1 Lb3#
1.Db1 Le5+ 2.Kd2 Lxg4 3.Ke1 Lc3#

Helledie theme. Chameleon-echo model mates. The black Queen geometrically is a part of the two chameleon-echo mate pictures. So, this can be the first ever presentation of perfect echo mating positions including a piece that makes two echo hideaways. See the mate positions:

