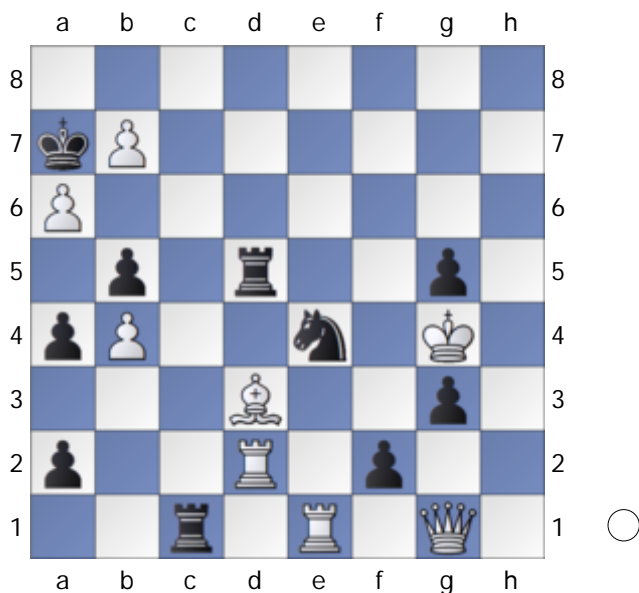


Study 1. Hlebec,Darko

1.pr. Arves Jenever 9th-corr. 2017 2016



[10.b8Q+? Nxc8=]

10...Ka5

[10...Ka7 11.Qc7+ Ka8 12.Nc6+-]

11.Qa6+!! Nxa6 12.Nc6#**1-0****1.Qxg3!**[1.Rxf2? Nxf2+! (1...gxf2? 2.b8Q+!
Kxb8 3.Qh2+-) 2.Kxg3 Rxd3+
3.Kxf2 a1Q 4.Rxc1 Qd4+=]**1...Nf6+!**

[1...Nxf3 2.Re8+-]

2.Kf3 fxe1N+! 3.Ke2! 0 Nd7 4.Qe3+!**Kxa6 5.Bxb5+!**

[5.Qe6+? Ka7 6.Qxd5 a1Q=]

5...Rxb5 6.Rxa2[6.Rd6+? Rc6! 7.Rxc6+ Kxb7 8.Qc1
Re5+ 9.Kf1 Rf5+ 10.Kxe1 a1Q
11.Rc7+ Kb6 12.Qxa1 Kxc7
13.Qxa4= 7 EGTB]**6...Rc2+**

[6...Kxb7 7.Qxc1+-]

7.Rxc2 Nxc2 8.Qe6+ Nb6 9.Qc8!

[9.b8Q? Nd4+!-+]

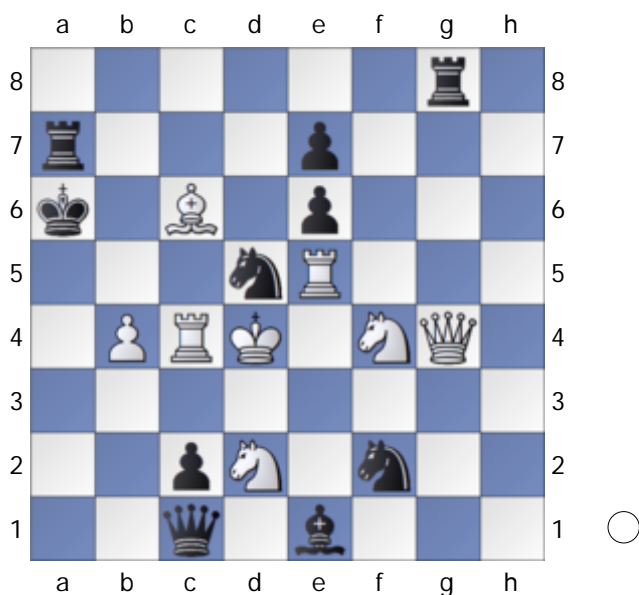
9...Nxb4[9...Nxc8 10.bxc8Q+ Kb6
11.Qxc2+-]**10.b8N+!**

[10.Qe8? Kxb7 11.Qxb5= 7 EGTB]

Study 2. Hlebec,Darko

1.comm. 5. World Cup

2017

**1.Kc5!**

[1.Qe2? Qxd2+ 2.Qxd2 Bxd2 3.Bxd5
exd5-+]

1...Nxb4

[1...Nxg4? 2.b5+ Ka5 3.Nb3#]
[1...Qxd2 2.Bb5+ Kb7 3.Bc6+ Ka6
4.Bb5+=]

2.Qxe6!

[2.Rxb4? Ne4+! 3.Rexe4 Bf2+ 4.Kc4
Rxc4 5.Rxe6 Qf1+! 6.Nxf1 c1Q+--+]

2...Rc7 3.Rxb4 Ne4+! 4.Rexe4 Bf2+**5.Red4 Rg5+ 6.Nd5 Qa3**

[6...Qa1 7.Qc8+! Rxc8 8.Rb6+ Ka7
9.Rb7+ Ka8 10.Rc7+=]

7.Nc4 c1Q

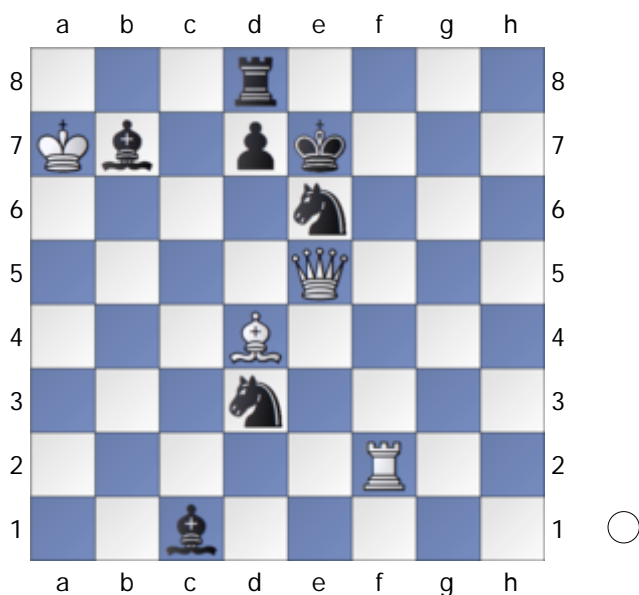
[7...Rxd5+ 8.Kxd5=]

8.Qc8+ Rxc8 Ideal stalemate on 5
pinned white pieces. Task.

1/2-1/2

Study 3. Hlebec,Darko

The Problemist, May, Vol.26. no 3 2017

**1.Qf6+ Kd6 2.Re2! Bg5**

[2...Bd5 3.Rxe6+ Bxe6 4.Qxd8+-]

3.Rxe6+! dxe6 4.Qxg5 Rd7 5.Kb6!

[5.Qg3+? e5!=]

5...Bd5

[5...e5 6.Bc3 e4 (6...Ke6 7.Qg6+ Ke7 8.Qf5!+- zz) 7.Qf6+ Kd5 8.Kb5!+- zz]

6.Qe5+!! Nxe5

[6...Ke7 7.Qg7+ Ke8 8.Qh8+ Kf7 9.Qh7+ Ke8 10.Qxd3+- EGTB-7]

7.Bc5# Original version of this study won

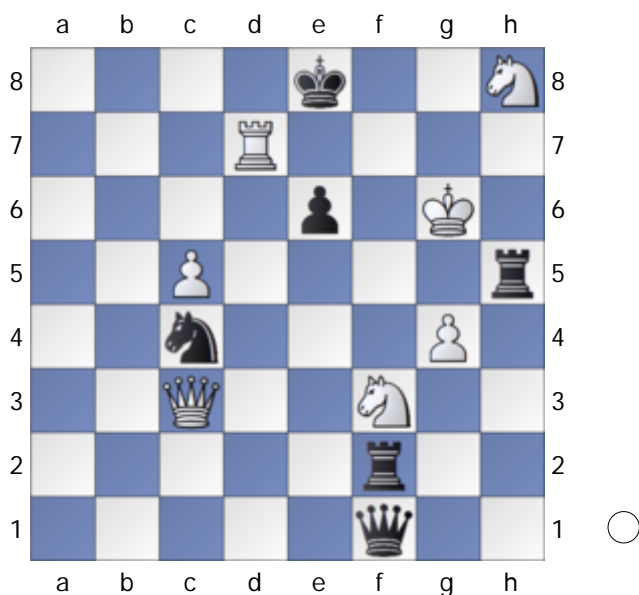
2.sp.prize in The Problemist 2014-2015 but dual was found and after that study was expelled in final Award. This is first correct example of mate by a single bishop with four active selfblocks.

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Study 4. Hlebec,Darko

3.h.m. 6.World Cup

2018

**1.Qg7! Ne5+! 2.Nxe5 Rf6+!**

[2...Rh6+ 3.Qxh6! (3.Kxh6? Rh2+!
4.Kg6 Rh6+! 5.Qxh6 Qf6+! 6.Kxf6=
stalemate) 3...Rf6+ 4.Kh7 Rxf6+
5.Kxh6+-]

3.Qxf6!

[3.Kxh5? Qh3+!= quickly leads to a
stalemate]

3...Rh6+ 4.Kxh6 Qh3+!!

[4...Qxf6+ 5.Kh7! (5.Nhg6? Qg5+!=
6.Kxg5= stalemate) 5...Qxe5
6.Rd8+- or Re7+-]

5.Qh4!!

[5.Kg6? Qh6+ 6.Kxh6= stalemate]

5...Qxh4+ 6.Kg6!

[6.Kg7? Qg5+ 7.Nhg6 (7.Kh7 Qg8+!
8.Kxg8= stalemate) 7...Qxe5+
(7...Qh6+=) 8.Nxe5=]

6...Qxh8 7.Rd8+! Ke7!

[7...Kxd8 8.Nf7+-]

8.Nc6#!

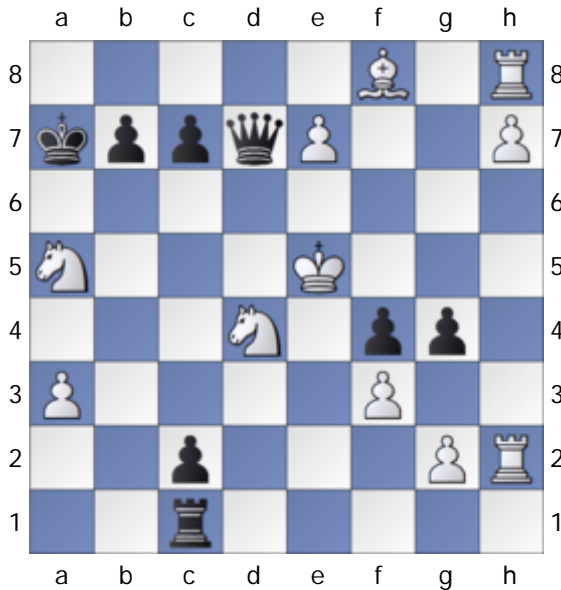
[8.Rxh8?= stalemate]

1-0

Study 5. Hlebec,Darko

4.h.m. Olympic T. Batumi

2018

**1.Ndc6+!**

[1.e8Q? Re1+ 2.Kf6 Qxd4+ 3.Kg6 Rxe8+-]

1...bxc6

[1...Kb6 2.e8Q Re1+ 3.Kf6 Rxe8 4.Bc5+! Kxc5 5.Rxe8+-]

2.e8Q!

[2.Kxf4? Re1+-]

2...Qxe8+

[2...Re1+ 3.Kf6 Qd4+ 4.Kg6 Rxe8 5.Nxc6+!+-]

3.Kxf4 Qf7+ 4.Kg3

[4.Kxg4? Qg6+!=]

4...Qxf3+! 5.gxf3 Rg1+ 6.Rg2 Rxf2+

[6...c1Q 7.Bc5+ Qxc5 8.Ra8+ Kxa8 9.h8Q+-]

7.Kxg2 gxf3+ 8.Kg3!!

[Thematic try 8.Kxf3? c1Q 9.Bc5+ Qxc5 10.Ra8+ Kxa8 11.h8Q+ Ka7 12.Qd4 Ka6!! 13.Qc4+ (13.Qxc5=) 13...Kb6 14.Qxc5+ Kxc5 15.Nb3+ Kb5 16.Na1 Ka4 17.Nc2 Kb3 18.Ke3 c5 19.Kd2 c4 20.Kc1 c3 21.Kb1 c5

22.Kc1 Ka4 23.Kb1 Kb3=]

8...c1Q 9.Bc5+! Qxc5 10.Ra8+! Kxa8

11.h8Q+ Ka7 12.Qd4!! Qxd4

[12...Qb6 13.Nxc6+-]

[12...Ka6? 13.Qxc5+-]

13.Nxc6+ Kb6 14.Nxd4 Ka5 15.Nc2

Ka4 16.Kxf3 Kb3 17.Ke3 or 17.Ke2

[17.Ke4? Kxc2 18.a4 c5 19.a5 c4

20.a6 c3 21.a7 Kb1 22.a8Q c2=]

17...Kxc2

[17...c5 18.Kd2 or 18.Kd3 c4 19.Kc1

c3 20.Kb1+- zz]

18.a4 c5 19.a5 c4 20.a6 c3 21.a7

Kb1 22.a8Q c2 23.Qb7+ Ka1

24.Kd2+-

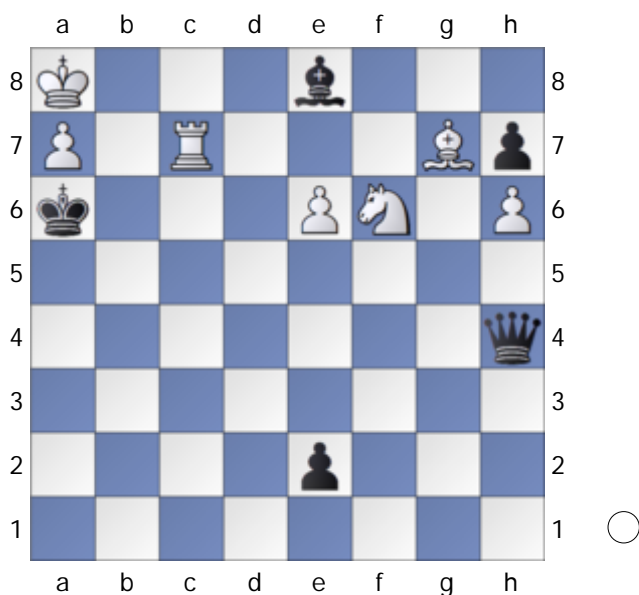
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Study 6. Hlebec,Darko

6.comm. Selivanov JT 50

2017 **1-0**

Kg6 19.h7 Kf7= stalemate]



**1.Kb8 Qb4+ 2.Kc8 Bc6! 3.Rxc6+
Kxa7 4.Rc7+ Ka8**

[4...Ka6 5.e7 e1Q 6.e8Q Qxe8+
7.Nxe8+-]

5.e7 e1Q 6.e8Q Qxe8+

[6...Qb7+ 7.Kd7+- or 7. Kd8
(7.Rxb7? Qxe8+ 8.Nxe8= stalemate)]

7.Nxe8 Qe7! 8.Ra7+!!

[8.Rxe7?= stalemate]
[8.Nf6? Qe8+! 9.Nxe8= stalemate]

8...Kxa7

[8...Qxa7 9.Nc7+-]

9.Nc7! Qe4

[9...Kb6 10.Nd5+-]
[9...Qe2 10.Bd4#]

**10.Bd4+! Qxd4 11.Nb5+ Kb6 12.Nxd4
Kc5 13.Nf5+-**

[13.Ne6+? Kd6 14.Ng5 Ke7 15.Nxh7
Kf7 16.Ng5+ Kg6 17.h7 Kg7 18.Kd7
Kh8 19.Ke6 Kg7 20.Kf5 Kh8
21.Kg6= stalemate]

[13.Kd7? Kxd4 14.Ke6 Kc5 15.Kf7
Kd6 16.Kg7 Ke7 17.Kxh7 Kf7 18.Kh8