

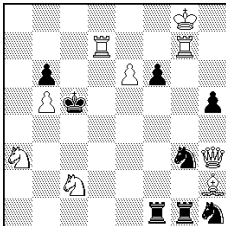
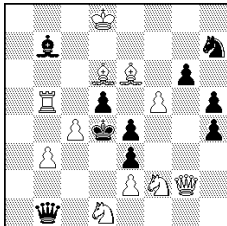
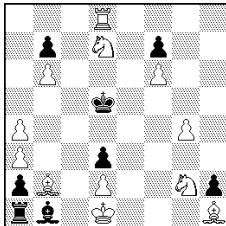
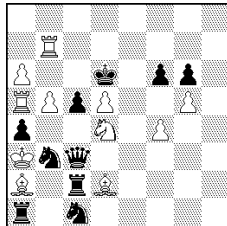
Announcement of the *League of Macedonian Problemists (LMP) 2012*

Each composer may participate with an unlimited number of problems, but only one of his/her entries per round will score points. Ten problems will be ranked in four rounds and will be awarded points as follows: 1st Place - 12 points; 2nd Pl. - 10 pts; 3rd Pl. - 9 pts; 10th Pl. - 2 pts; a correct, non-anticipated and thematic problem - 1 point. The overall ranking will be based on the sum of points from all rounds. In the event of a tie, the best placed problems will count.

Please, send problems by **30 September 2012** to *Zoran Gavrilovski*, P. fah 137, Skopje MK-1001, Macedonia (e-mail: mprobl@yahoo.com). The awards will be published at the end of 2012.

Theme (for all sections): “Dual avoidance, which can be reciprocal [N_o 2], cyclic [N_o 4] or free [N_o 3]. Triple avoidance is also allowed [N_o 1].”

Judges: #2 – *Predrag Žuvić* (Croatia); #3 – *Zlatko Mihajloski* (Macedonia); **S#2-4** – *Živko Janevski* (Macedonia); **H#2** – *Silvio Baier* (Germany).

1. Michael Keller 2 nd Pr. <i>Idee und Form</i> 1991	2. Živko Janevski 3 rd H.M. <i>ECSC Ty.</i> 2011	3. Nenad Petrović <i>U.S. Problem Bulletin</i> 1985	4. Valery Gurov 1 st Pr. <i>Probleemblad</i> 2001
			
#2 ^{v v v} 9+8	#3 11+10	S#2 12+8	H#2 3 solutions 11+10
<p><i>1.Td8/Td4/Td3?</i> (2.Tc7#) 1...Se2/Se4/Sf5! 1.T.d2! (2.Tc7#) 1...Se2 2.Ld6# A [B/C?] 1...Se4 2.De3# B [C/A?] 1...Sf5 2.Dc3# C [B/A?]</p>	<p>1.Ke7! (2.Lc5+ Ke5 3.Dh2#) 1...D:b3 2.D:e4+ d:e4 3.Le5# [2.Le5+? K:c4!] 1...D:d1 2.Le5+ K:e5 3.D:e4# [2.D:e4+? Kc3!] 1...g:f5 2.Dg7+ Sf6 3.D:f6#</p>	<p>1.Ld4! (zugzwang) 1...Kc6 2.Sf8 [Sc5?] Lc2# 1...Ke6 2.Sb8 [Se5?] Lc2# 1...Kc4/Ke4/Kd4/Kd6 2.Sc5/Se5/Se3/Sf4 Lc2#</p>	<p>1.D:a5 f5 [b6?] 2.S:d4 Lf4# 1.D:d2 b6 [a7?] 2.S:a5 Sb5# 1.D:d4 a7 [f5?] 2.S:d2 Ta6#</p>