# X-ray: printable puzzles

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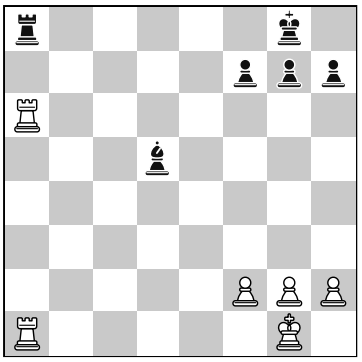
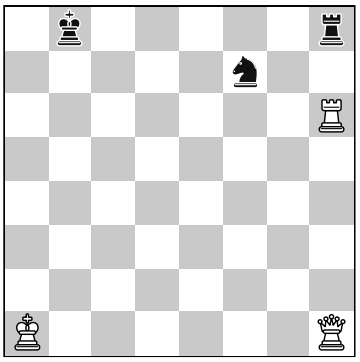


1. White to move

Your move: _____



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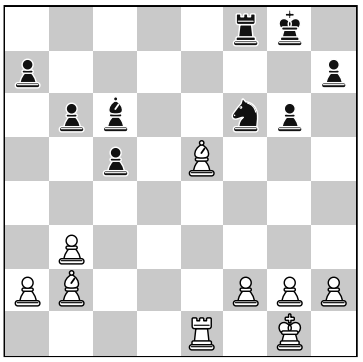

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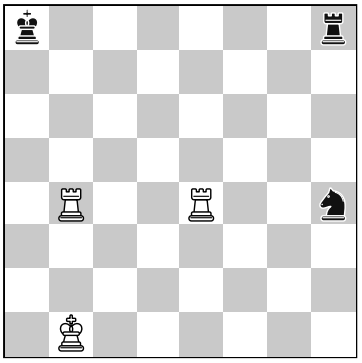

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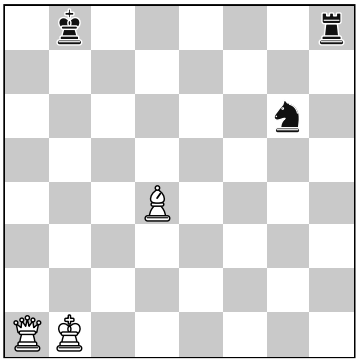

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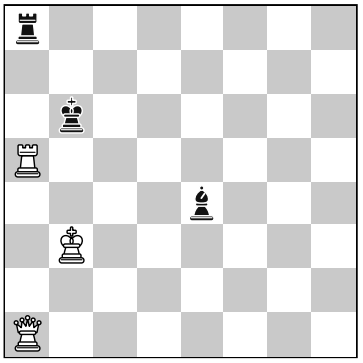
Your move: _____



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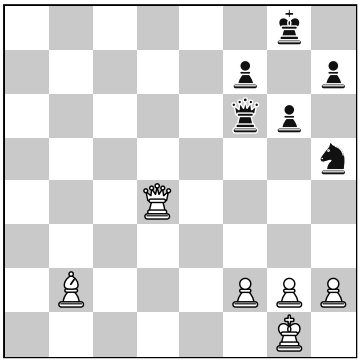

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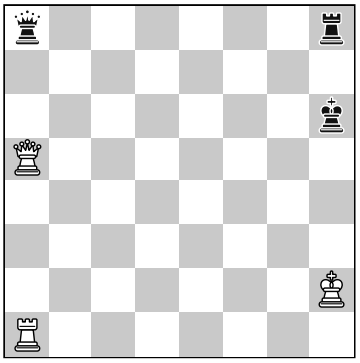

8. White to move

Your move: _____

## Answer key

1. Rxa8+ Bxa8 Rxa8#
2. Rxh8+ Nxh8 Qxh8+
3. Bxf6
4. Rxh4 Rxh4 Rxh4
5. Bxh8 Nxh8 Qxh8+
6. Rxa8 Bxa8 Qxa8
7. Qxf6 Nxf6 Bxf6
8. Qxa8 Rxa8 Rxa8

**How to read the answer notation?**

The answer gives the piece and the square it moves to. The square is the file letter (a–h, from White's left) and the rank number (1–8, from White's side).

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|---|---|
| **K** | king |
| **Q** | queen |
| **R** | rook |
| **B** | bishop |
| **N** | knight |
| **no letter** | pawn, e.g. e5 |
| **x** | capture, e.g. Rxd5 means the rook captures on d5 |
| **+** | check |
| **#** | checkmate |

Example: **Qb7#** means the queen goes to the b7 square and gives checkmate.