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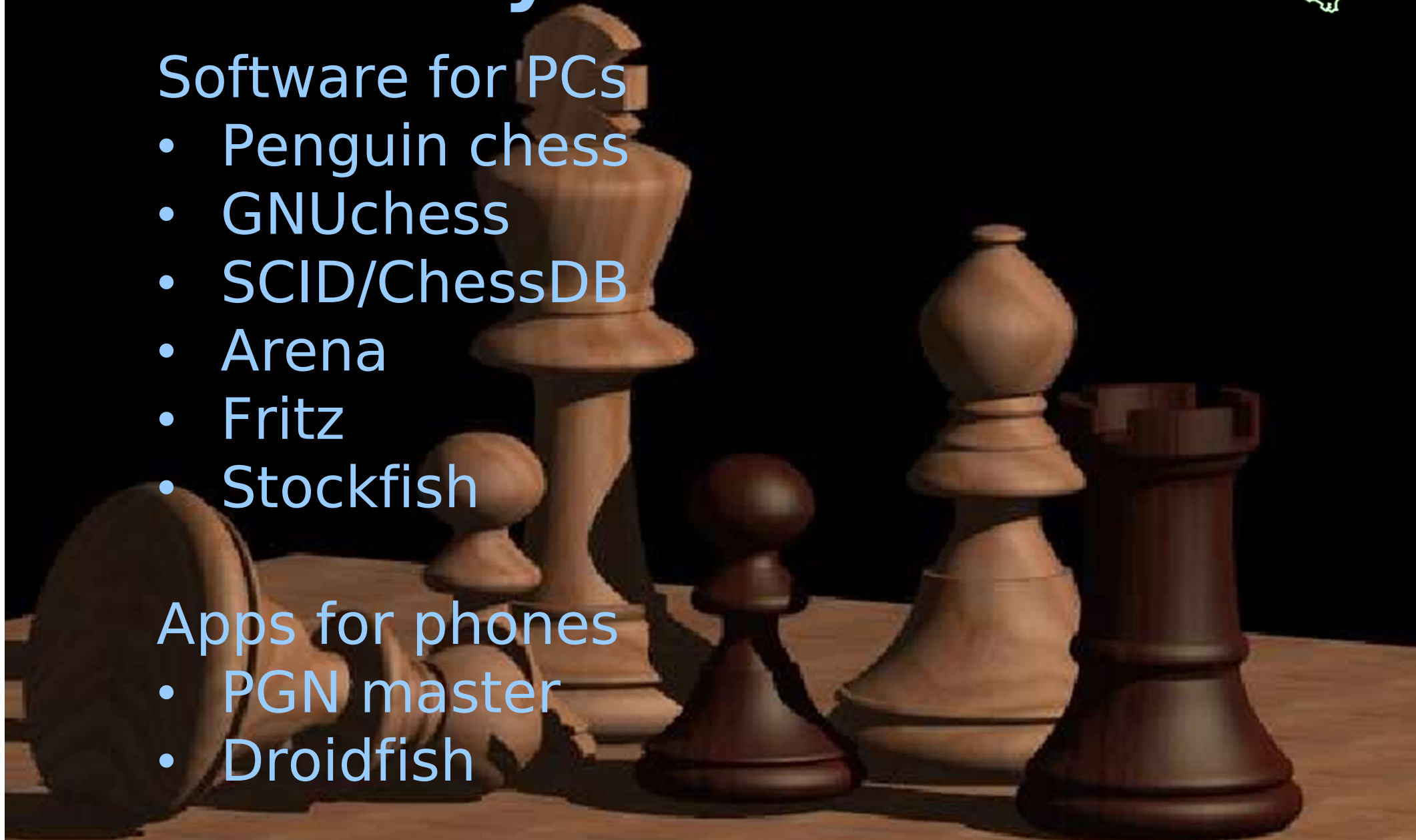
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Sunday, March 22
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vs
Jobava
The Baadur-Petroff Phenomenon
(by thegoldenband)

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(1989-)

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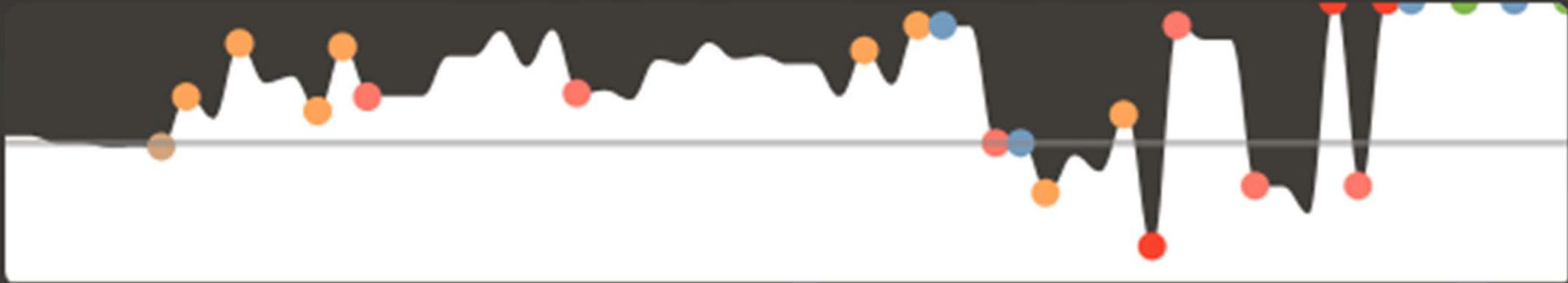
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465	Nettleship,A	1527	Haydock,N	1337	1-0	41	C24	Scarborough Found..	1.5	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.Bc
281	Newton,R	1886	Graham,O	1818	½-...	24	D12	Scarborough Major..	5.21	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 d5 3.e:
223	Newton,R	1886	Griffin-Youn..	1658	0-1	37	A48	Scarborough Major..	3.25	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.d4 Nf6 2.Nf3 g6 3.h:
147	Newton,R	1886	Slinger,T	1874	½-...	50	D05	Scarborough Major..	1.5	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.d4 e6 2.Nf3 Nf6 3.e:
41	Nezis,A	1930	Sasikumar,S	1924	0-1	39	A13	Scarborough Open..	2.16	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.Nf3 d5 2.c4 e6 3.b3.
111	Nezis,A	1930	Stonehouse,R	1927	½-...	63	A85	Scarborough Open..	4.26	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.Nf3 f5 2.c4 Nf6 3.Nc
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369	Palmer,K		Tariq,H		0-1	26	A96	Scarborough Inter..	3.15	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.c4 f5 2.Nc3 Nf6 3.Nf
373	Parker,R		Doherty,P	1809	0-1	45	A01	Scarborough Inter..	3.19	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.b3 f5 2.Bb2 Nf6 3.Bx
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26	Patel,K	1966	Davies,N	2307	0-1	60	A42	Scarborough Open..	2.1	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.e4 g6 2.d4 Bg7 3.c4.
21	Patel,K	1966	Karangad,M	1860	1-0	1	B00	Scarborough Open..	1.21		1.e4
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386	Pearce,N	1681	Burriss,N		0-1	33	B23	Scarborough Inter..	3.32	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.e4 c5 2.Nc3 a6 3.f4..
450	Pearce,N	1681	Wilson,G		½-...	20	B19	Scarborough Inter..	5.25	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.e4 c6 2.d4 d5 3.Nc3.
25	Peart,A	1942	Li,J	1786	1-0	67	B31	Scarborough Open..	1.25	Tactical Analysis 6.4 (5s)	1.e4 c5 2.Nc3 Nc6 3.B.



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5.dxc5	293	635	42.3%	2025
5.Nc3	263	247	35.0%	2026
5.Be2	153	9	30.6%	2025
5.Bf4	80	1	27.8%	2025
5.c4	77	73	30.7%	2025
5.Bg5	73	0	19.9%	2025
5.a3	72	13	37.6%	2025
5.b3	39	19	19.0%	2025
5.g3	21	8	31.0%	2025
5.Nbd2	9	26	50.0%	2026
5.Ng5	7	0	14.3%	2016
5.Rd2	6	0	8.3%	2019

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White	E...	Black	Elo B	Result	M...	Year	Notation
Bortnyk,O	2601	Carlsen,M	2837	0-1	39	2025-..	5.Bd3 cxd4 6.0-0 Nge7 7.1
Naroditsky,D	2619	Erigaisi,A	2782	1-0	110	2025-..	5.Bd3 cxd4 6.0-0 Bd7 7.N
Naroditsky,D	2619	Erigaisi,A	2777	1-0	34	2025-..	5.Bd3 Bd7 6.0-0 Rc8 7.c3
Bortnyk,O	2608	Nakamu..	2802	0-1	45	2024	5.Bd3 cxd4 6.0-0 Qb6 7.N
Nepomniac..	2771	Erigaisi,A	2712	1-0	44	2023	5.c3 Bd7 6.a3 f6 7.exf6 Nx
Nisipeanu,L	2580	Bacrot,E	2665	½-½	39	2024	5.Bd3 Nxd4 6.Nxd4 cxd4
Abdusattor..	2713	Erigaisi,A	2722	0-1	50	2022	5.Bd3 Bd7 6.0-0 Nge7 7.R
Naroditsky,D	2619	Akobian..	2564	1-0	64	2025-..	5.Bd3 cxd4 6.0-0 Nge7 7.N
Yu,Y	2720	Shiman..	2578	½-½	47	2024	5.c3 Nge7 6.Na3 Bd7 7.N
Naroditsky,D	2619	Xiong,J	2693	½-½	17	2023	5.Bd3 Bd7 6.0-0 Qb6 7.dx
Annaberdie..	2449	Carlsen,M	2837	0-1	30	2025-..	5.Bd3 cxd4 6.0-0 Nge7 7.1
Bortnyk,O	2608	Kuzubo..	2606	1-0	21	2024	5.Bd3 Qb6 6.0-0 cxd4 7.N
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3. = (-0.26): 5.Nbd2 Qc7 6.c4 cxd4 7.cxd5 exd5 8.Be2 Bf5 9.Nb3 Bb4+ 10.Kf1 Nge7 11.a3 Ba5 1...
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dxc4	14% 22K	53% 40%
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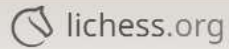
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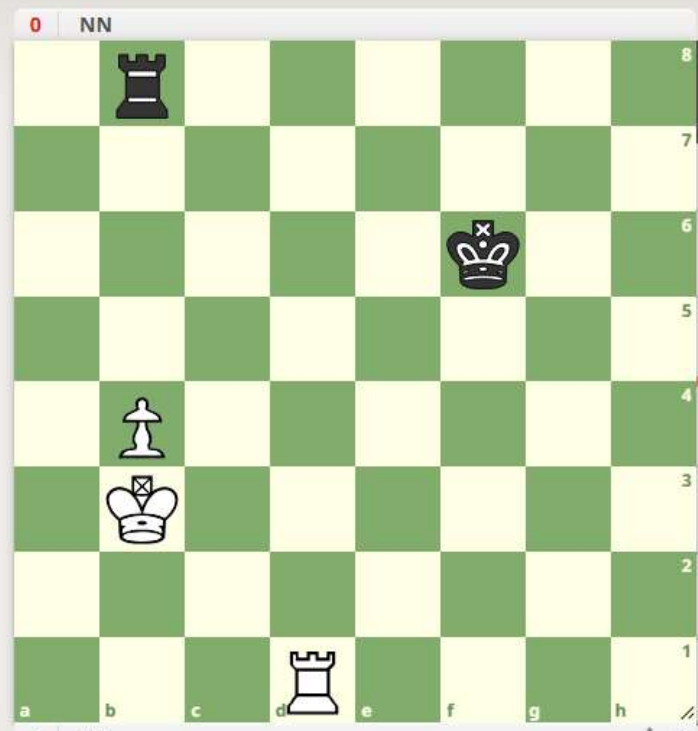


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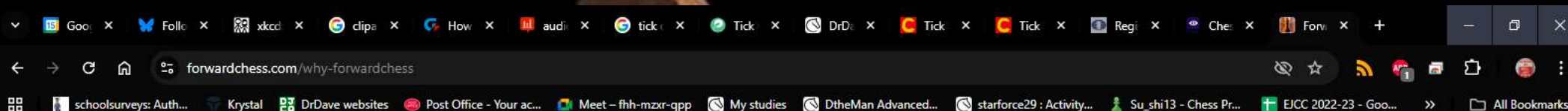
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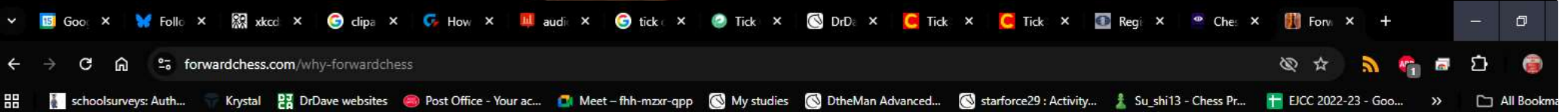
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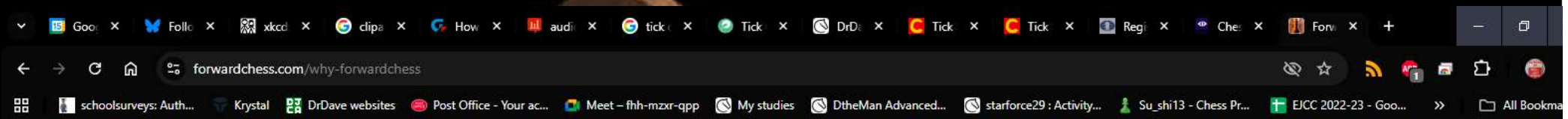
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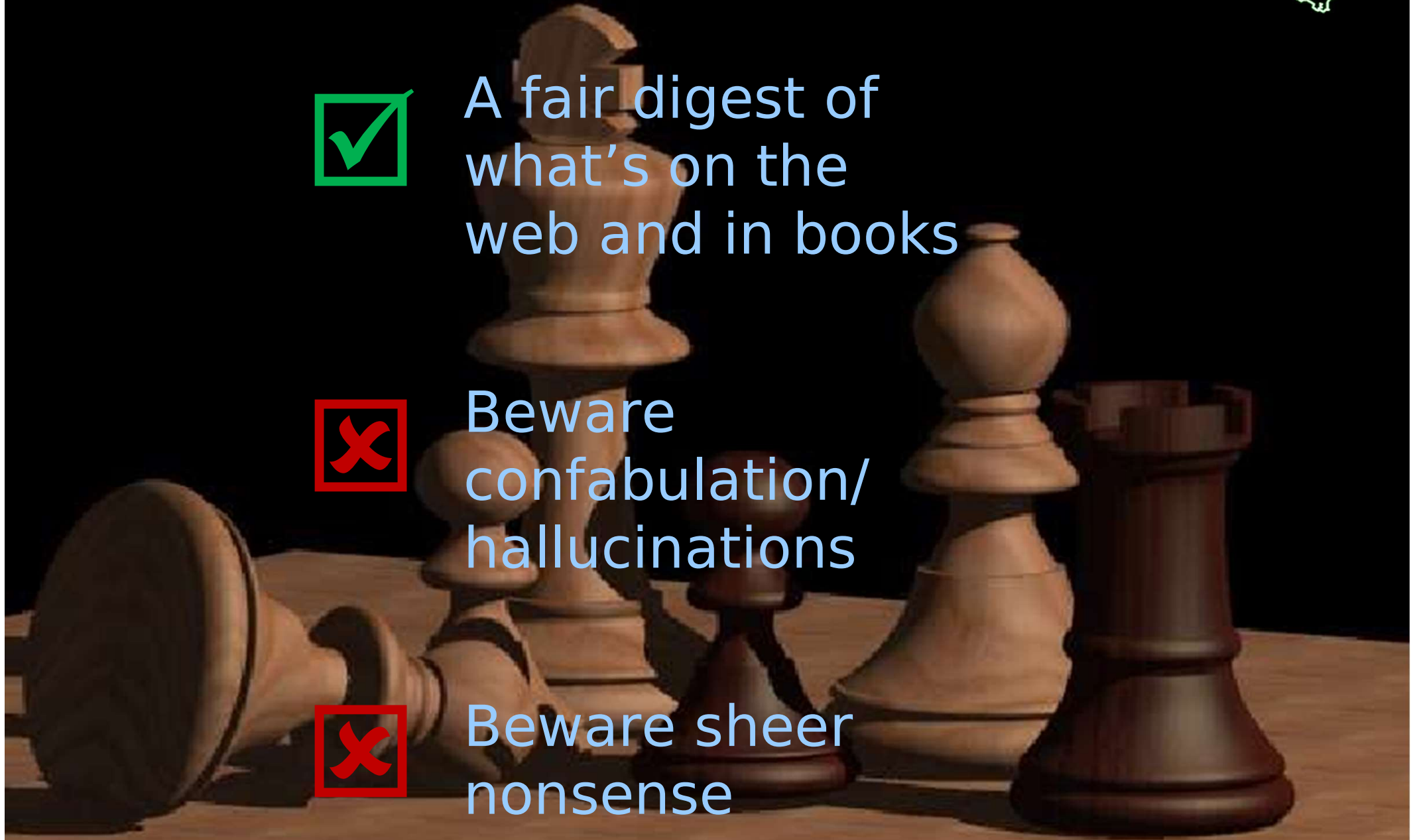
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-  Letting the engine explain everything instantly
-  Memorizing openings without understanding
-  Playing tons of games without review

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- 3–5 games (slow time control)
- Analyze every game
- 15–30 minutes tactics daily
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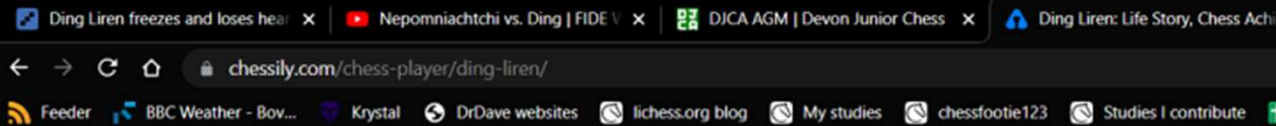
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Immortal Games: 3 Most Famous Games by Ding Liren

Ding Liren has played countless memorable games throughout his career, showcasing his exceptional talent and unique style. Here are three of his most famous games that have left a lasting impression on the chess world:

- Ding Liren vs. Wesley So (2015 Tata Steel Masters):** This game is a prime example of Liren's superb endgame skills. In a seemingly equal position, Liren managed to outplay his highly-rated opponent, Wesley So, by expertly maneuvering his pieces and exploiting small inaccuracies. The game ended in a beautiful checkmate, demonstrating Liren's ability to create winning chances even in seemingly drawn positions.
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These three games offer a glimpse into the extraordinary skill, creativity, and tenacity that define Ding Liren's chess career. As one of the world's top players, he continues to inspire and captivate fans and fellow players alike with his brilliant play and unwavering dedication to the game.

Ding Liren FAQ

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	Player	Rating	1	2	3	4	5
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4	Wesley So (United States)	2762	½	½	0		½
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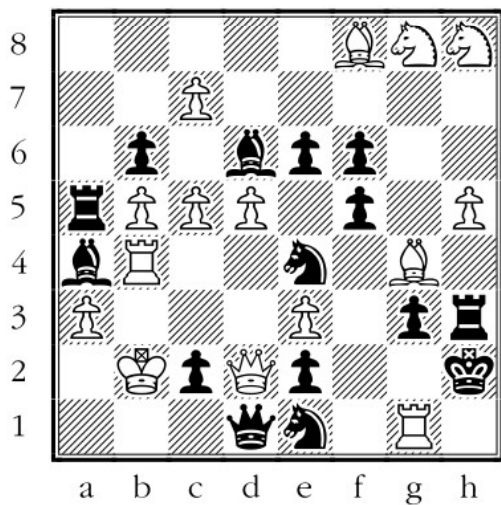
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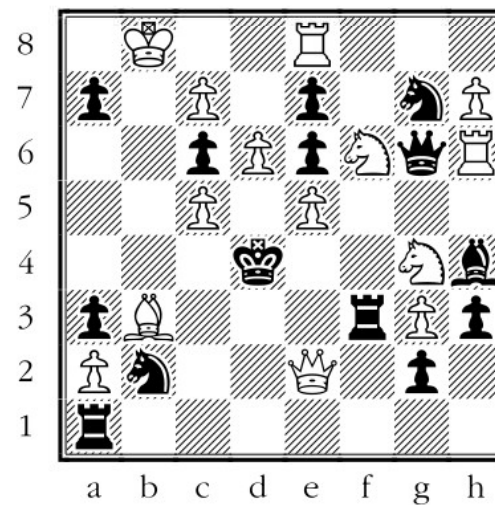
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- Find positions where there is only one good move
- Find positions where there are just two good moves
- Produce an evaluation chart for each game
- Produce a chart of evaluation and time remaining
- Strip all the comments/clock times/evaluation codes from a PGN file



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