

Rules and regulations
of the International Concourse by Draughts Composition
“Miniature-2012”.

1. Goals and objectives:

- 1.1. Promotion of the draughts composition.
- 1.2. Recognition of the best compositions in the following categories.
- 1.3. Raise communications among draughts composers in the world.
2. The International Concourse “Miniature-2012” rules and regulations:

2.1. The Concourse consists of 3 categories follow the rules and requirements covered in the International Rules CPI FMJD for Problems (RIP, part 1) and for competitions (RIP, part 2).

2.2. All positions which are participated in Concourse shall meet requirements to “Master Level” (RM) or “Super Master Level” (RS).

2.3. Definition of categories:

2.3.1. Category «A». Miniature-100.

No Kings in initial position. Legal material balance: 4(b)x5(w), 5x5, 5x6, 6x5, 6x6, 6x7, 7x6, 7x7.
Free theme.

2.3.2. Category «B». Super miniature-100 with Kings.

Kings in initial position. Legal material balance: 4(b)x5(w), 4x6, 5x5, 5x6, 6x5. Theme: the problem should have at least 2 (two) thematical variations which are generated at any stage of king problem solution during black jump or forcing. At least one (any) variation shall contain at least 1 (one) white King sacrifice.

Sample: M. Tsvetov, “Belarus-2010”

13, 25, 32, D17, D21 (5) = 12, 30, D29, D34, D45 (5)

Solution: 50(3A)28.9.48+.A(8)18.3(16 B)21.45.26(38)48+. B(26)43.21(17)21(40 C) 17(45)50+. C(39)49+.

VP, A, B – thematical variations.

2.3.3. Category «C». Miniature-100 with multi-variations.

No Kings in initial position. Legal material balance: 4(b)x5(w), 4x6, 5x5, 5x6, 6x5, 6x6, 5x7, 6x7, 7x6, 7x7.

Theme: solution shall have at least 2 (two) thematical variations where split by variations is occurred during black jump.

Sample: V. Matus, “PWCP-II”.

1, 19, 20, 30, 36, 40 (6) = 6, 9, 11, 18, 33, 41 (6)

Solution: 7, 4, 1(29 A)418.28(45)50+. A (24)14.45+.

VP, A – thematical variations.

2.4. The Concourse timeframe: August 31, 2012 till August 31, 2013.

2.5. In each category participants can submit up to 2 (two) positions.

2.6. Eligibility requirements to positions:

2.6.1. Positions are eligible to participate in “Miniature-2012” if they didn’t participate in other competitions before concourse and don’t participate in other competitions during concourse timeframe.

2.6.2. Positions are eligible to participate in category “A” if they are new or published after 2010 (starting January 1, 2011) in traditional media or Internet.

2.6.3. Positions are eligible to participate in category “B” if they are new or published in traditional media or Internet. No time limitation for publication.

2.6.4. Positions are eligible to participate in category “C” if they are new or published after 2010 (starting January 1, 2011) in traditional media or Internet.

2.7. The Concourse Jury Committee consists of:

2.7.1. Category “A”: A. Lyahovsky (Belarus), R. Shayakhmetov (Russia), V. Shulga (Belarus), S. Žilevičius (Lithuania).

2.7.2. Category “B”: A. Kogotko (Belarus), V. Matus (Russia), R. Shayakhmetov (Russia), V. Shulga (Belarus), S. Žilevičius (Lithuania)

2.7.3. Category “C”: A. Lyahovsky (Belarus), V. Matus (Russia), R. Shayakhmetov (Russia), V. Shulga (Belarus), S. Žilevičius (Lithuania)

Concourse Coordinator – M. Lepšić (Croatia).

2.8. All concourse positions must be submitted via regular mail to Coordinator: Miljenko Lepšić, V.Becica 7, 51000 RIJEKA, CROATIA

2.8.1. Coordinator e-mail address for submission duplication: miljenko.lepsic1@ri.t-com.hr

2.8.2. The compositions must be submitted no later than December 31th,2012. Departure date is determined by the postmark on the envelope.

3. Ranking and evaluation.

3.1. In each category participants are ranked separately.

3.2. Each position is evaluated and gets rank.

3.3. Judges evaluate positions based on 100-points scale and determine the proper rank for each individual position in each category.

3.4. In case of judge(s) participation in concourse, they do not evaluate their own positions.

3.5. The final evaluation number for each individual position is calculated follow requirements covered in International Problem Rules - RIP 2.3

4. Awarding.

4.1. First three winners in each category receive prize money:

- 1st place – 50 Euro;
- 2nd place – 30 Euro;
- 3rd place – 20 Euro.

In addition, winners (1st place) in each category will receive a memorable medals.

4.2. Rules and Regulations of “Miniature-2012” concourse were reviewed and approved by CPI FMJD authorities. According to actual CPI FMJD statue, participants (if applicable) will receive classification points.

5. Publications and announcements.

The „Miniature-2012“ Rules and Regulations, positions and solutions, notes, preliminary and final results will be published on the following Internet sites and forums :

A. Kandaurov: <http://www.shashki.com/>

MIF: <http://www.minietiud.forum2x2.ru>

Planeta: <http://www.planet-ka.2x2forum.com>