



Hard Chess Puzzle # 0074

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Hard Chess puzzle # 0074 - Mate in 3 moves

Solve this hard chess puzzle and improve your chess games through improvement of your chess strategies and chess tactics. This hard puzzle is a subset of [kids games](#).

Puzzle No : 0074

Difficulty level : hard

Description : Mate in 3 moves

Next Move : White

Player level : Advanced

Short URL for puzzle : <https://gbud.in/gxs34t3>

Hard chess puzzle 0074

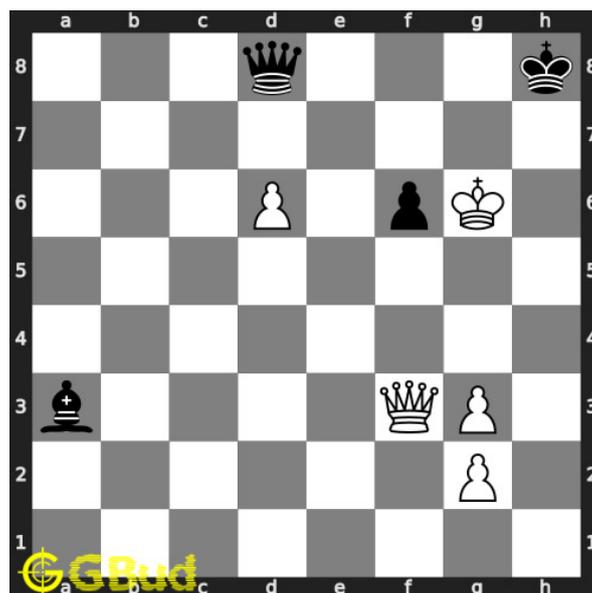


Figure 1: Solve this hard chess puzzle 0074. Mate in 3 moves @ <https://gbud.in/gxs34t3>



Figure 2: Solve this hard chess puzzle online with solution @ <https://gbud.in/gxs34t3>

Solution to hard chess puzzle 0074

At this puzzle, next **move** is by **White**. The objective of the puzzle is to mate in 3 moves.

See the interactive solution at the [puzzle page](#)

Solution 1

Initial board position This is the initial board position of hard chess puzzle 0074.

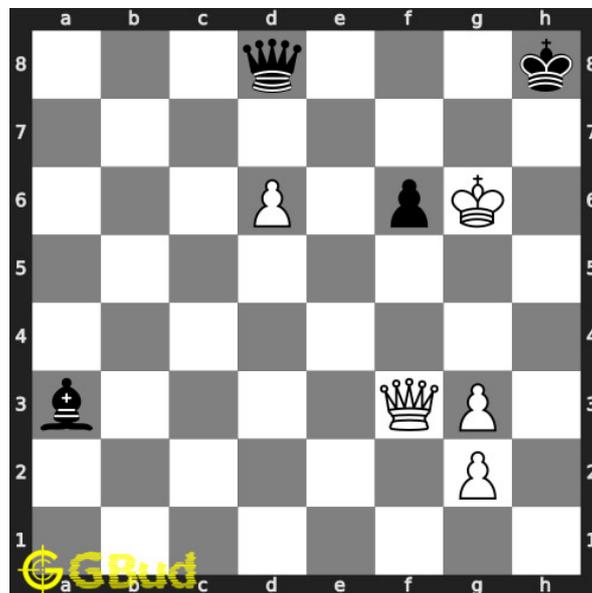


Figure 3: Initial board position of hard chess puzzle 0074

Move 1 Move by white

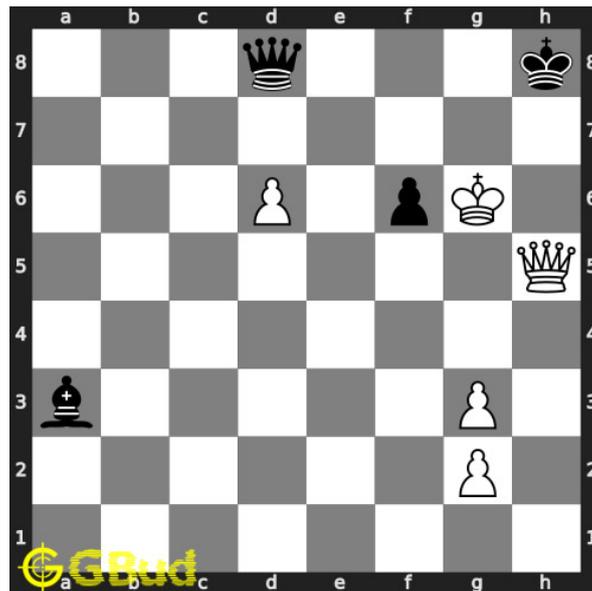


Figure 4: Qh5+ - Your queen moves to h file and gives check to the king

Move 2 Move by black

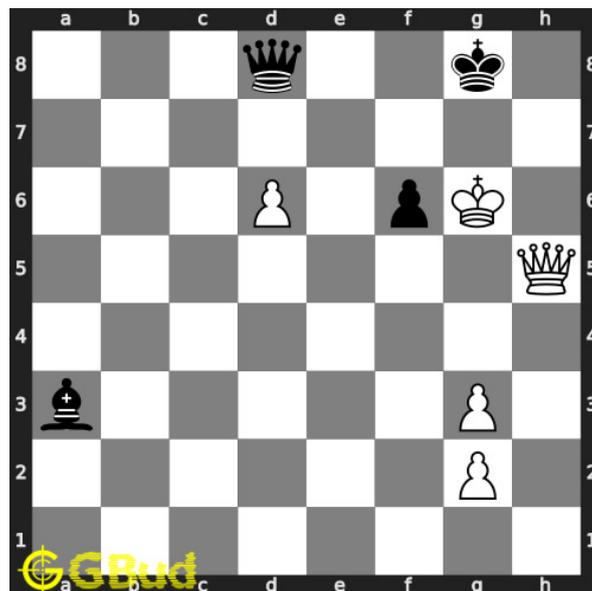


Figure 5: Kg8 - Since opponent's king can not come to g7 due to the attack from your king, it moves to g8

Move 3 Move by white

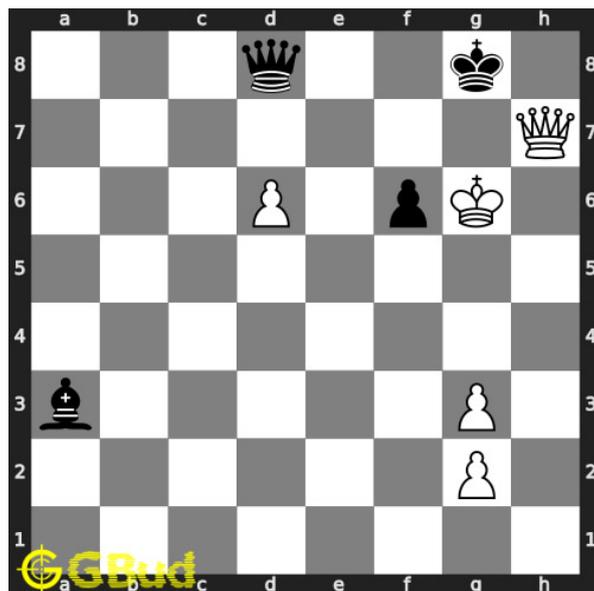


Figure 6: Qh7+ - Your queen gives the next check

Move 4 Move by black

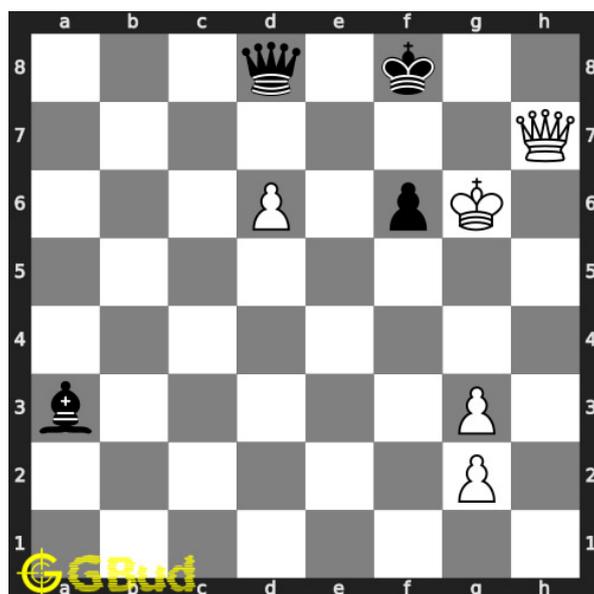


Figure 7: Kf8 - This is the only legal move available. Opponent's king can not capture your queen due to the support from your king.

Move 5 Move by white

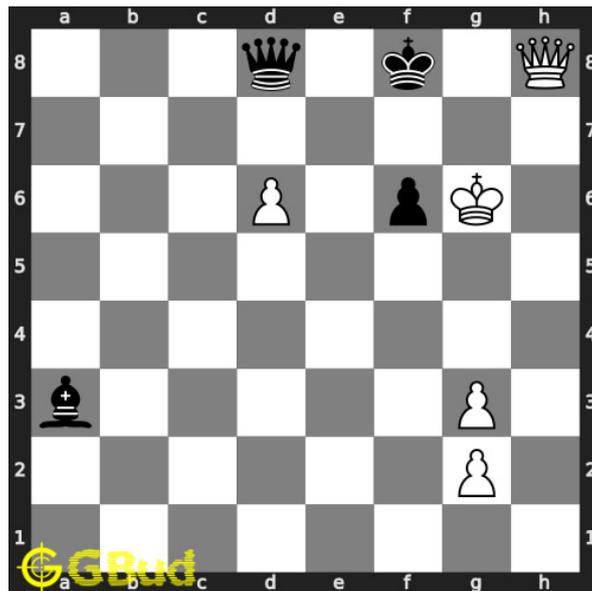


Figure 8: Qh8# - Queen moves to eighth rank and checkmate. King can not come to seventh rank due to the attack from your pawn and king. This is how you can mate in 3 moves.

Solution 2

Initial board position This is the initial board position of hard chess puzzle 0074.

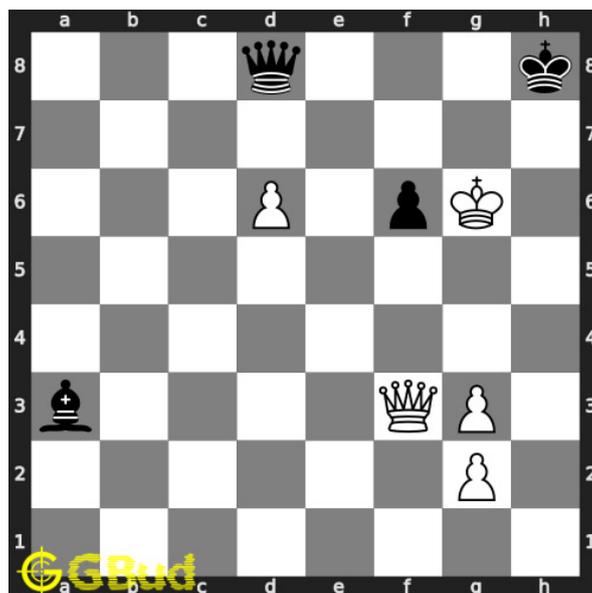


Figure 9: Initial board position of hard chess puzzle 0074

Move 1 Move by white

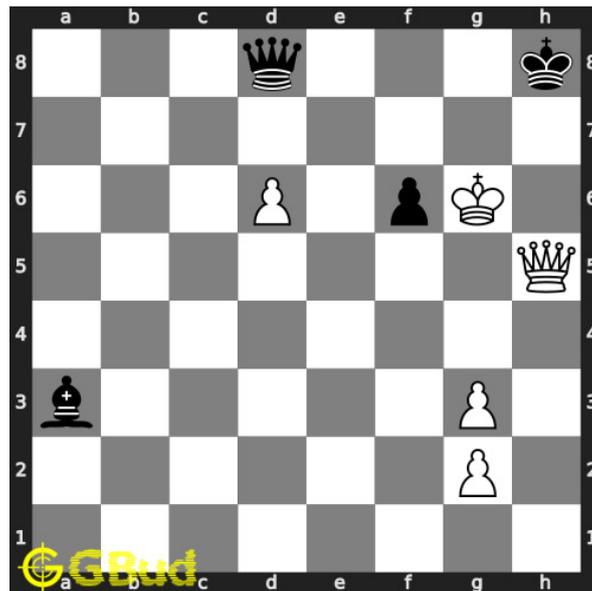


Figure 10: Qh5+ - Your queen moves to h file and gives check to the king

Move 2 Move by black

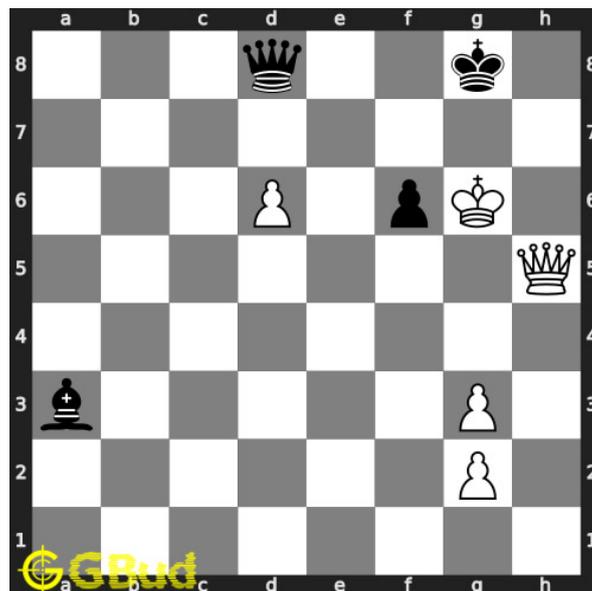


Figure 11: Kg8 - Since opponent's king can not come to g7 due to the attack from your king, it moves to g8

Move 3 Move by white

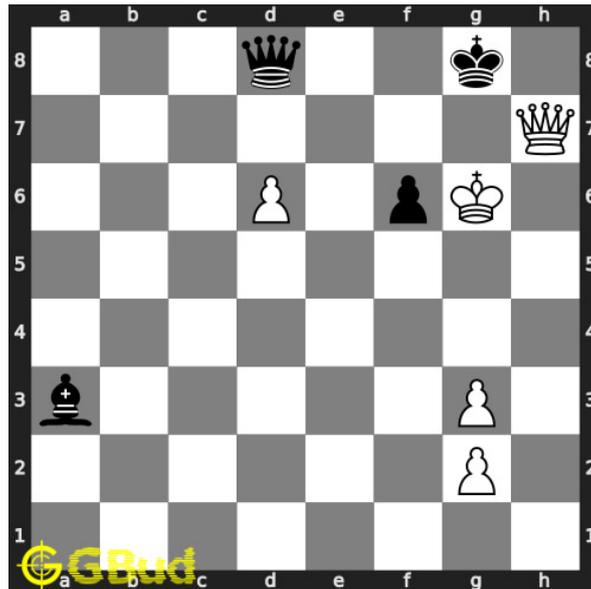


Figure 12: Qh7+ - Your queen gives the next check

Move 4 Move by black

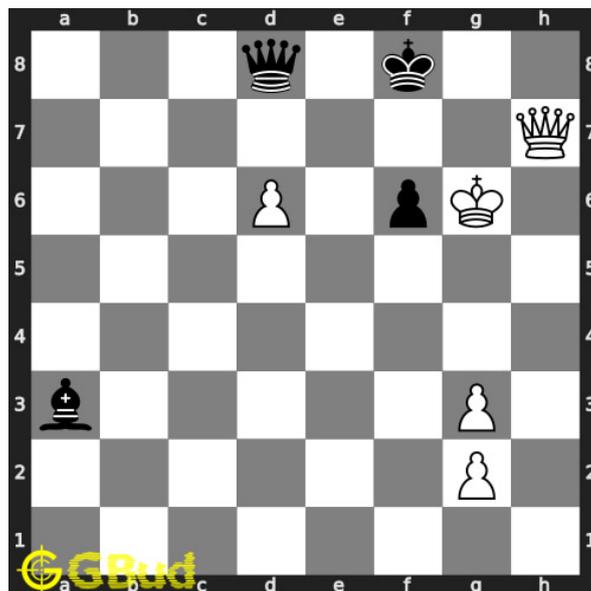


Figure 13: Kf8 - This is the only legal move available. Opponent's king can not capture your queen due to the support from your king.

Move 5 Move by white

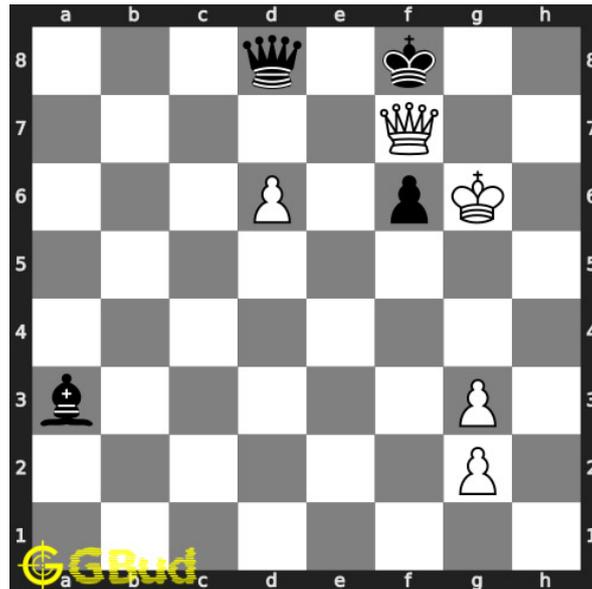


Figure 14: Qf7# - Queen moves to f7 and checkmate. King can not capture the queen due to the support from the king. This is how you can mate in 3 moves. This is called queen mate

Right moves for the solution to the hard chess puzzle 0074

Based on the objective of the puzzle, you have to make the right moves. Following are the right moves

1. Qh5+, Qh7+, Qh8#
2. Qh5+, Qh7+, Qf7#

Explanation for the moves

1. Qh5+ - Your queen moves to h file and gives check to the king
2. Qh7+ - Your queen gives the next check
3. Qh8# - Queen moves to eighth rank and checkmate. King can not come to seventh rank due to the attack from your pawn and king. This is how you can mate in 3 moves.
4. Qf7# - Queen moves to f7 and checkmate. King can not capture the queen due to the support from the king. This is how you can mate in 3 moves. This is called queen mate
5. Kg8 - Since opponent's king can not come to g7 due to the attack from your king, it moves to g8
6. Kf8 - This is the only legal move available. Opponent's king can not capture your queen due to the support from your king.

7. For right move - Your queen moved effectively to win the game. Keep up the good work.
8. For wrong move - You could have had a queen mate in 3 moves. Do not stop trying

Categories of hard chess puzzle 0074

This hard chess puzzle falls in these categories.

1. [Hard chess puzzles](#)
2. [Mate in 3 puzzles in chess](#)
3. [Endgame puzzles in chess](#)
4. [Strategy puzzles in chess](#)
5. [Mate pattern puzzles in chess](#)
6. [Queen puzzles in chess](#)

How to view the solution to hard chess puzzle 0074

To view the [solution to this puzzle](#), follow the steps given below

1. Go to the [puzzle page](#)
2. Click the solution button (Key as shown [below](#)) to view the solution

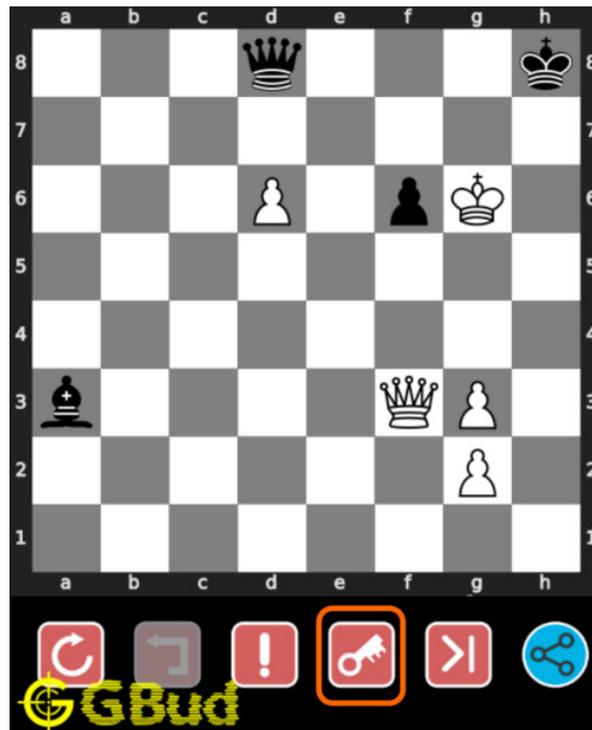


Figure 15: Click the solution button to view solutions @ <https://gbud.in/gxs34t3>

How to get help for moves in the hard chess puzzle 0074

To get help or the possible next moves in the puzzle, , follow the steps given below

1. Go to the [puzzle page](#)
2. Click the help button (exclamation mark as shown [below](#)) to get help or suggestion on next possible [move](#)

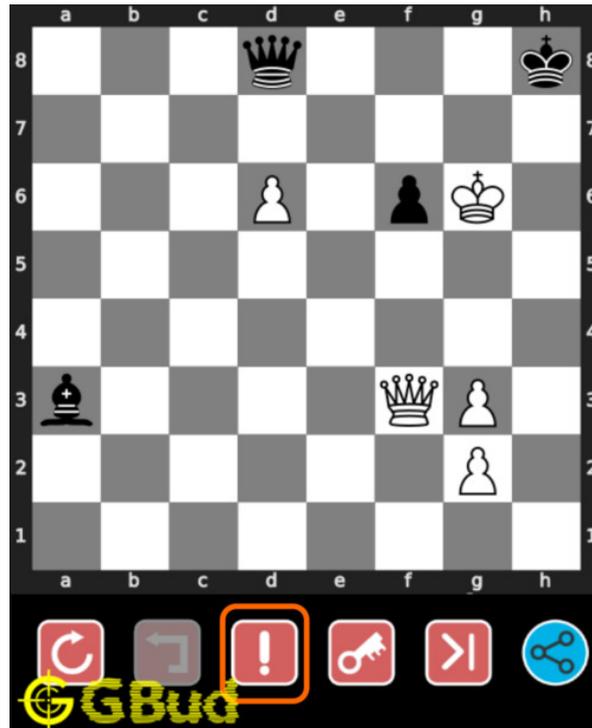


Figure 16: Click the help button to get help on next move @ <https://gbud.in/gxs34t3>



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Figure 18: Solve other puzzles @ <https://gbud.in/chsgppz>

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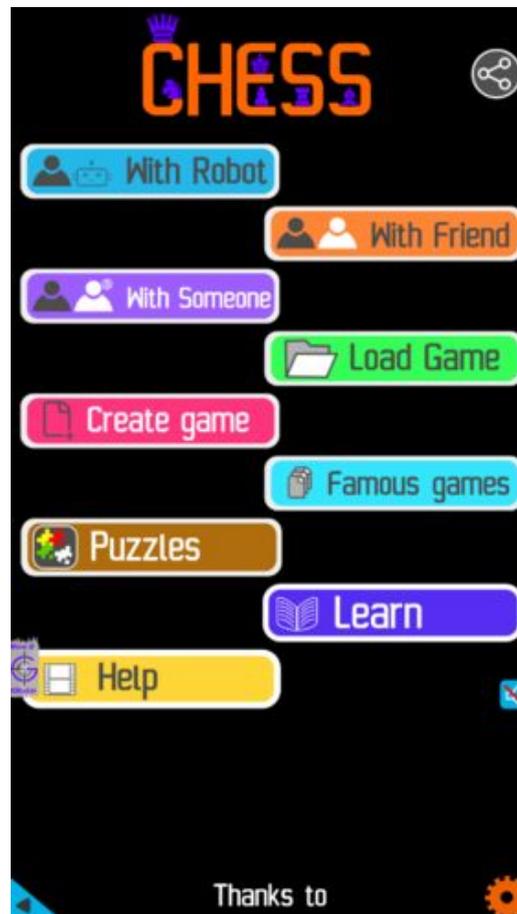


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