

死活妙機

Shikatsu Myoki

“It is a matter of life and death, a road either to safety or to ruin.

Hence it is a subject of inquiry which can on no account be neglected.”

— Sun Tzu: The Art of War

Preface

Shikatsu Myoki is a classical life-and-death collection by Honinbo Shusai, first published in 1910. Its practical, game-like problems are aimed at strong dan players.

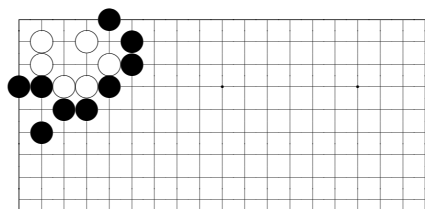
This booklet contains the 120 main problems, taken from Sensei’s Library, omitting the variations, and retaining its four thematic sections. All positions are shown as **black to play**.

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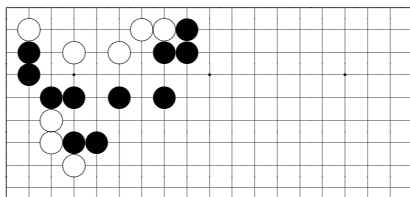
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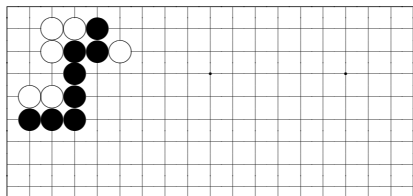
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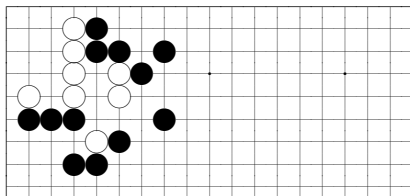
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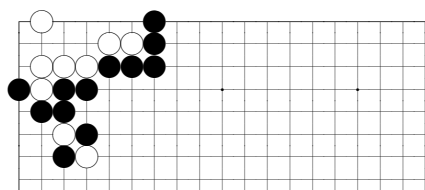
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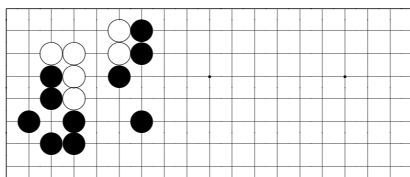
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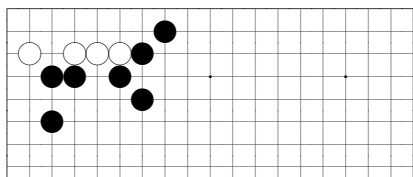
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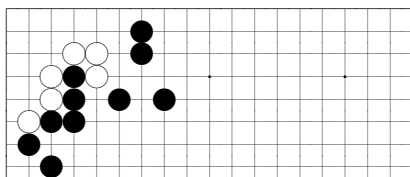
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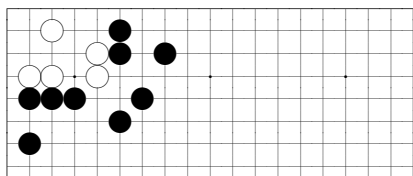
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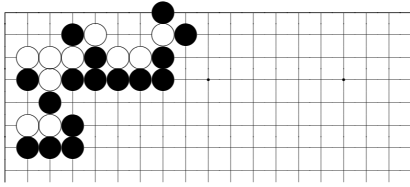
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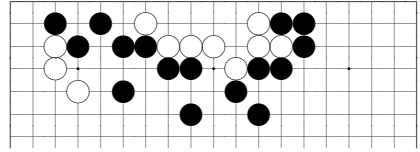
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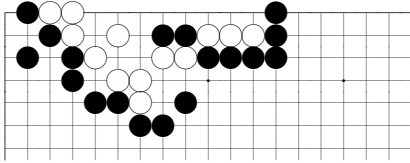
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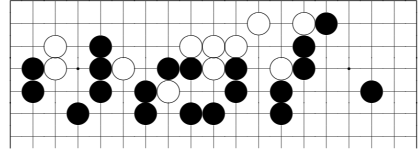
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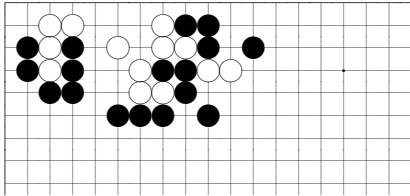
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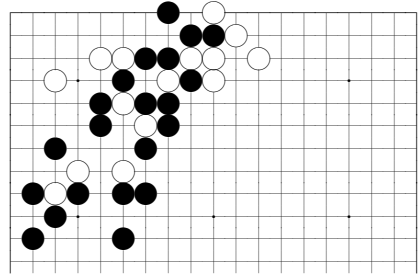
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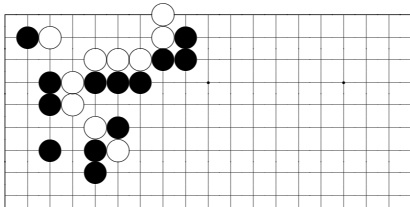
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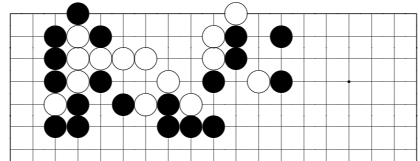
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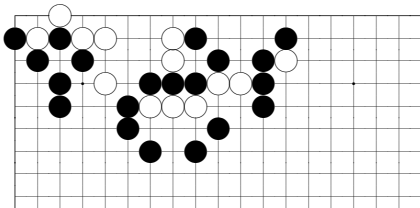
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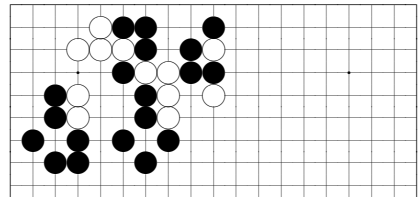
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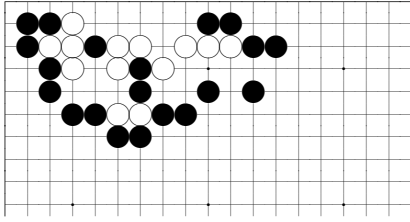
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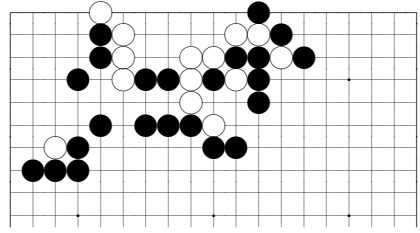
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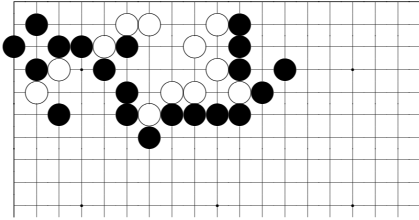
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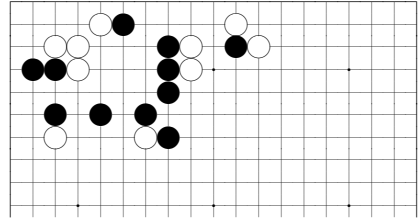
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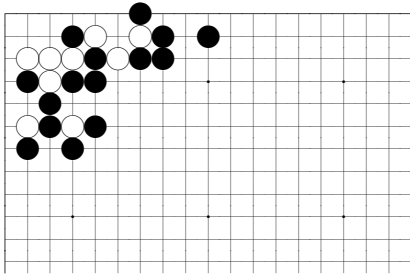
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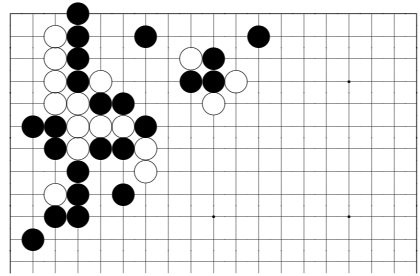
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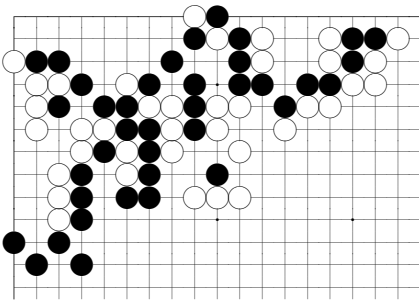
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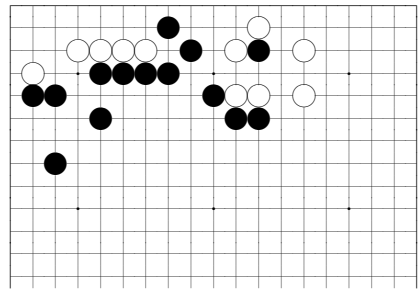
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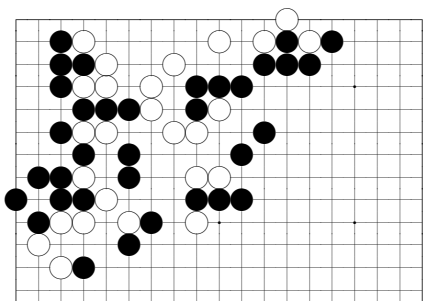
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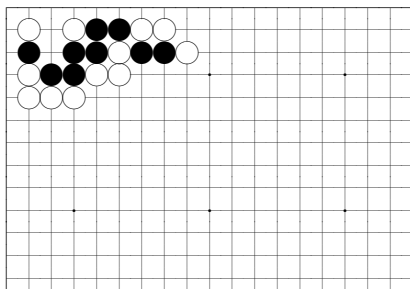
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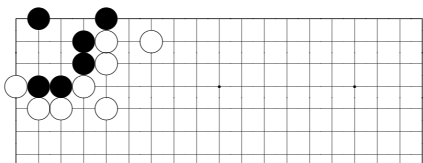
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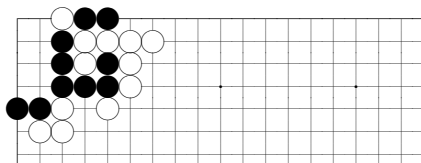
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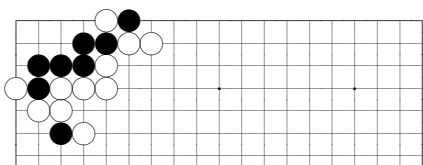
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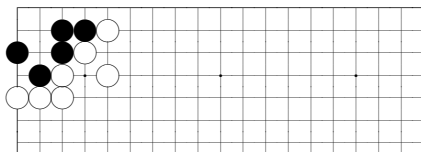
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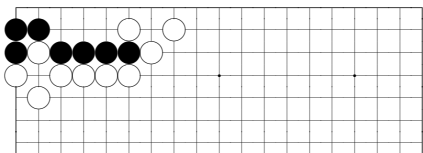
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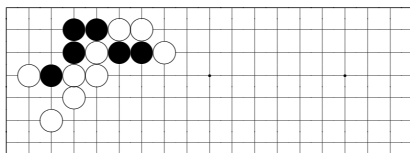
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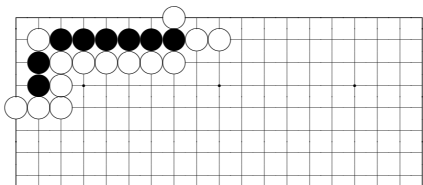
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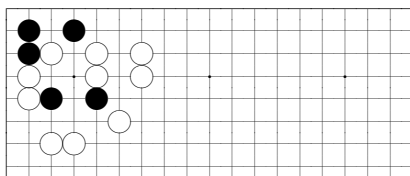
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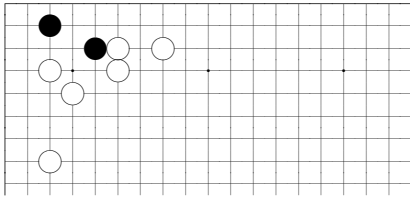
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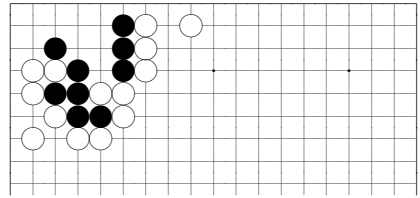
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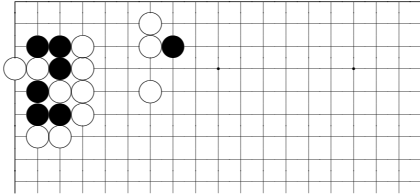
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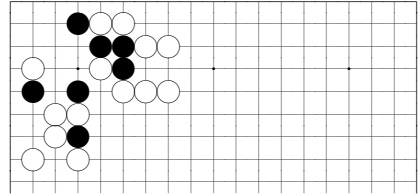
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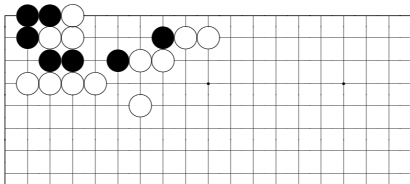
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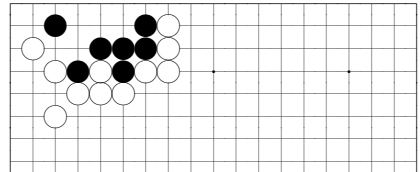
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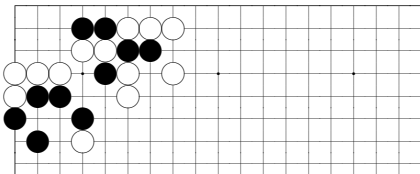
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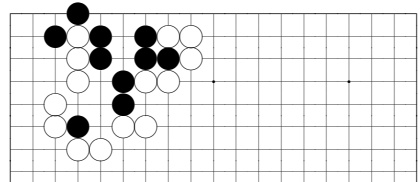
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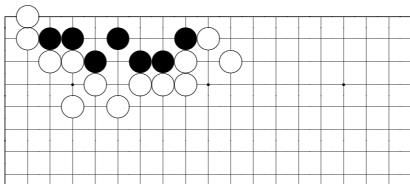
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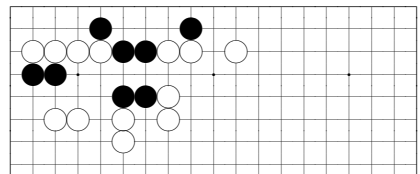
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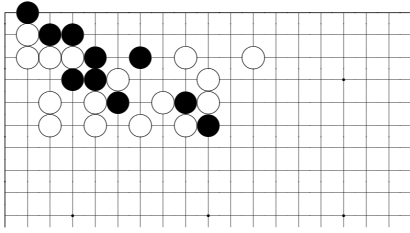
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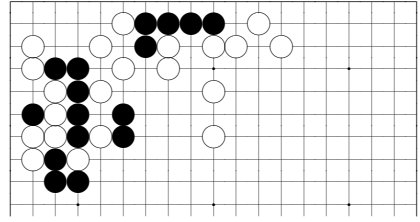
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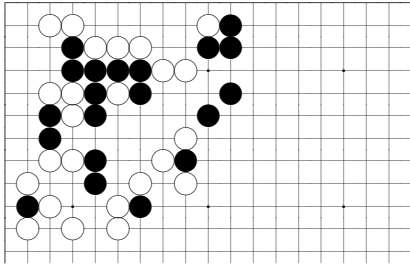
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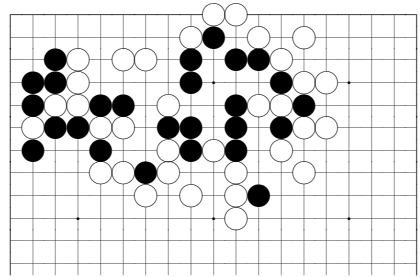
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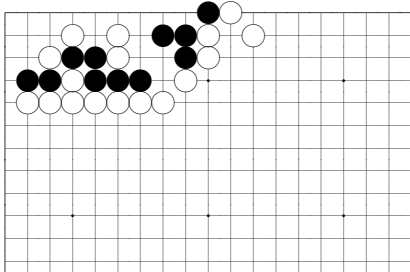
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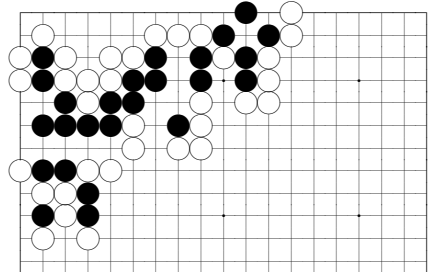
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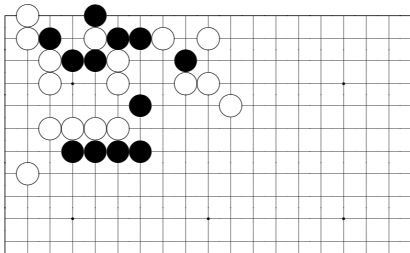
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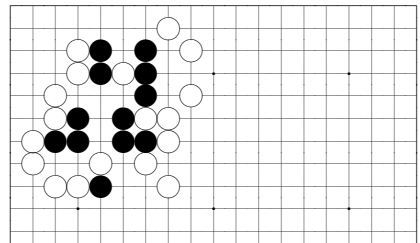
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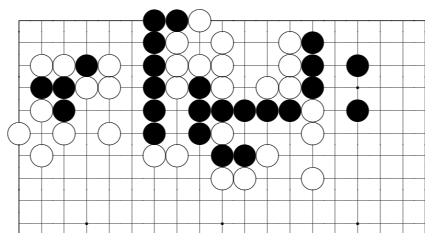
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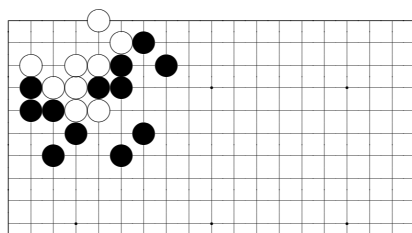
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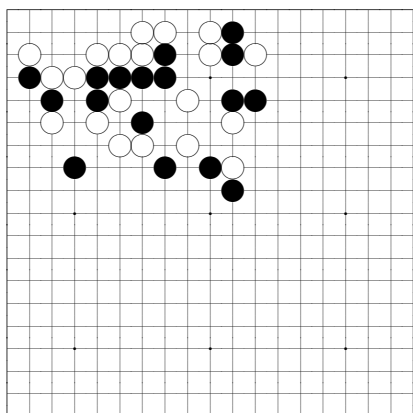
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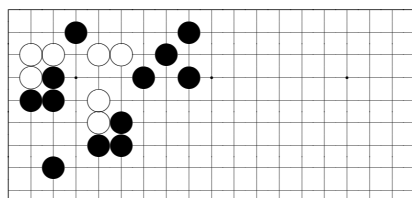
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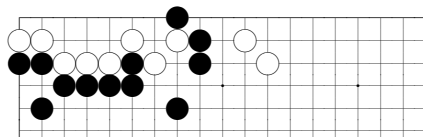
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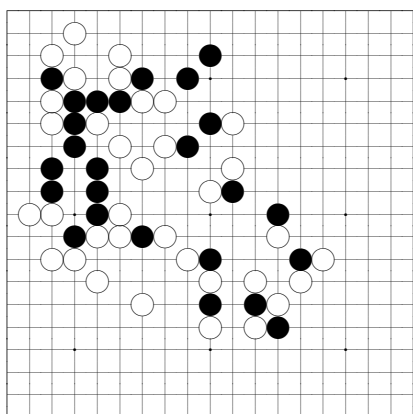
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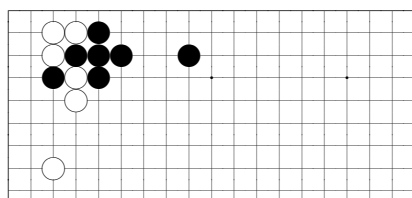
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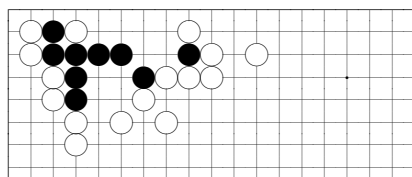
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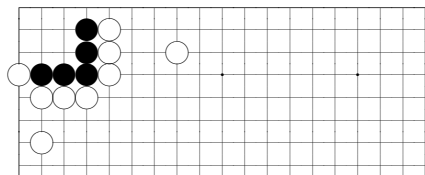
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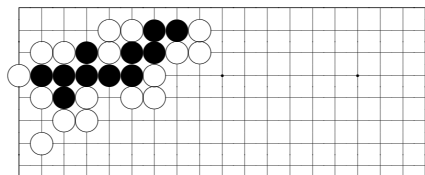
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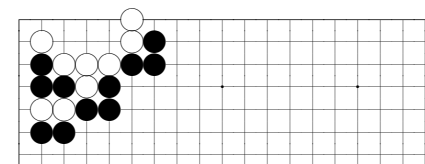
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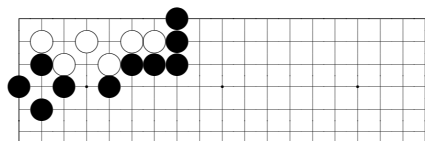
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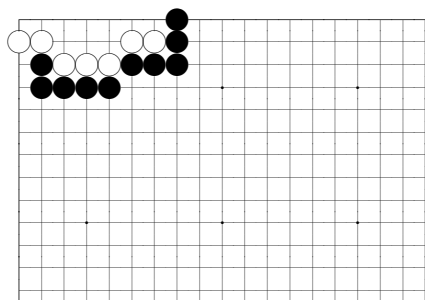
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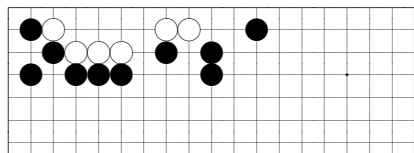
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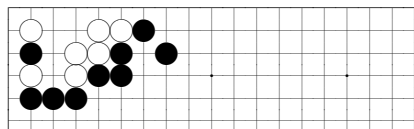
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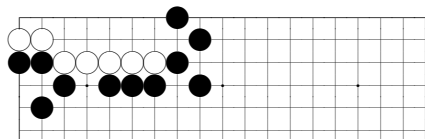
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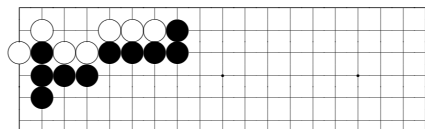
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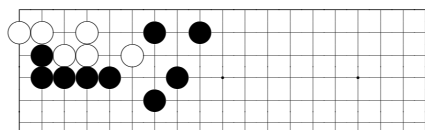
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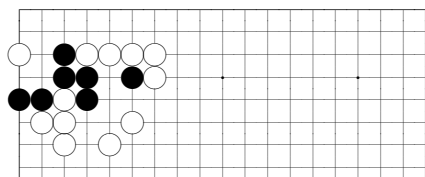
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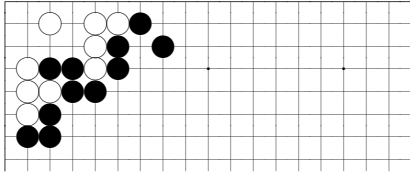
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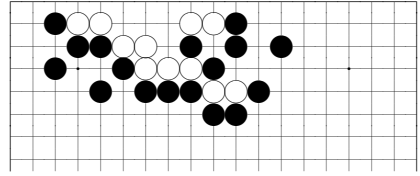
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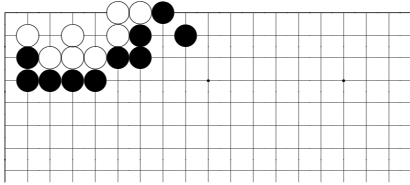
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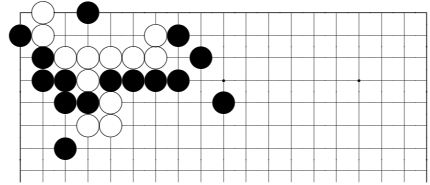
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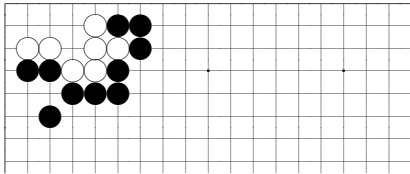
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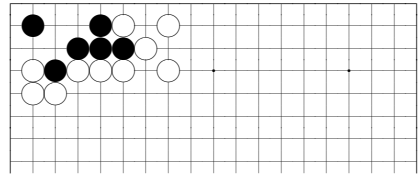
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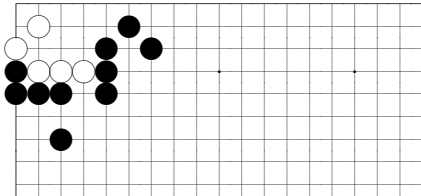
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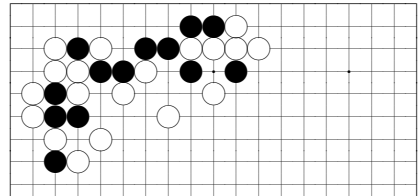
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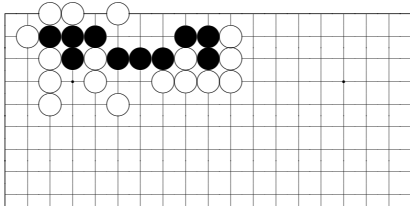
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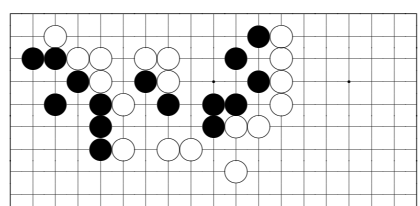
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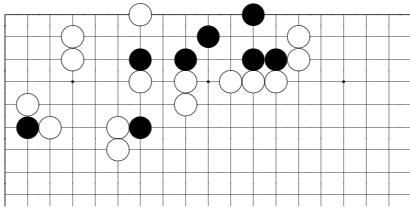


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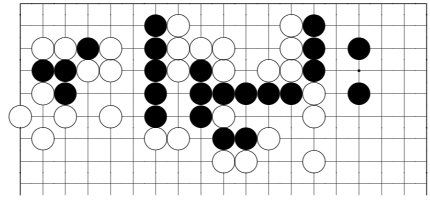


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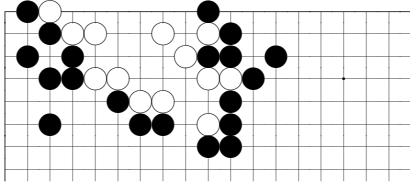




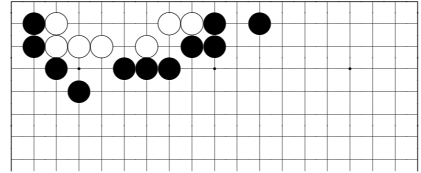
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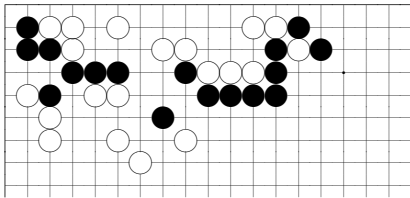
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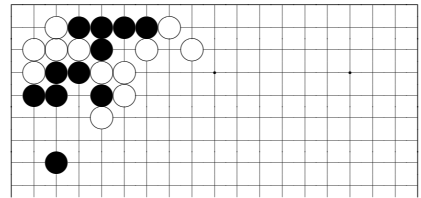
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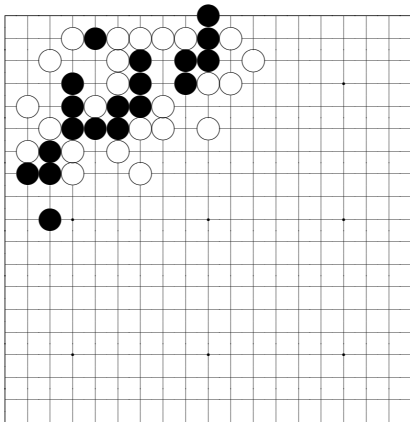
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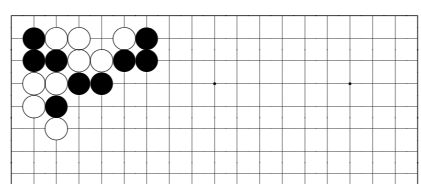
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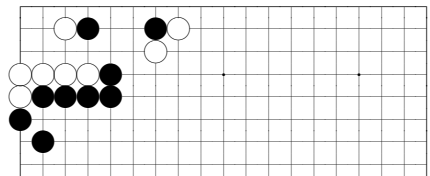
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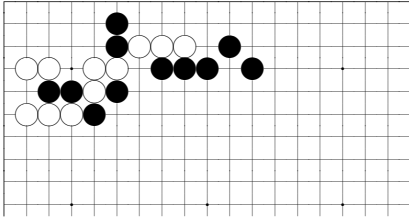
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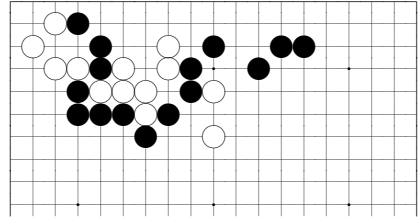
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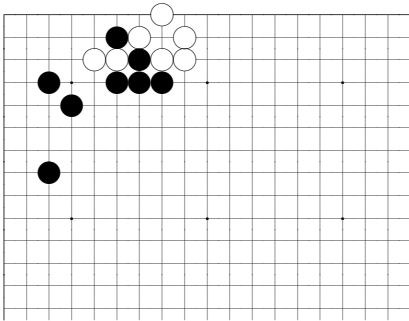
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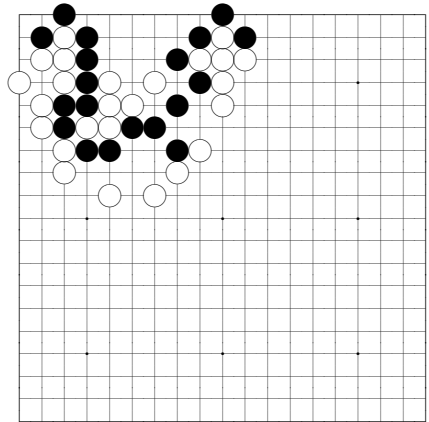
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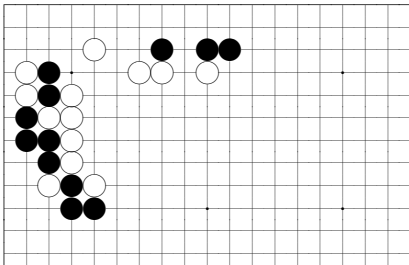
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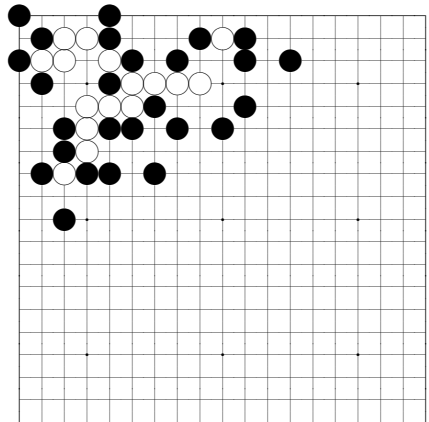
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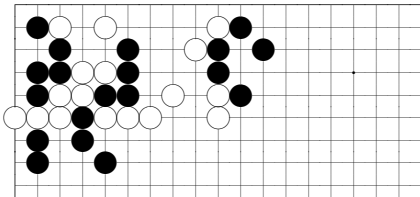
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problem 4-10



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