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Atak,

a [Chess Engine Communication Protocol](#) compatible chess engine by [Mateusz Łuksik](#) written in [C](#), initially as part of his Master's thesis from [Rzeszów University of Technology](#) in 2002 ^[1], and first public released in September 2005 ^[2]. Early versions were standalone chess programs with an own [GUI](#) ^[3]. Atak had its over the board debut at the [1st Polish Computer Chess Championship in 2002](#) and was regularly participant of subsequent [Polish Computer Chess Championship](#), winning the [PCCC 2010](#). Atak 6.8 played the [IGWT 2014](#), where it lost from later winner [Chiron 2](#).

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1.e4 e5 2.f4 exf4 3.Nf3 d6 4.Bc4 g5 5.h4 g4 6.Ng5 Nh6 7.d4 Qe7 8.Bxf4  
Nd7  
9.O-O Nb6 10.Bb3 Bg7 11.a4 a5 12.Qd2 Bd7 13.Nc3 O-  
O 14.Rae1 Qd8 15.e5 d5  
16.Nxd5 Nxd5 17.Bxd5 Bf5 18.Bxb7 Rb8 19.Ne4 Bxe4 20.Bxe4 f5 21.Bc6 Nf7  
  
22.e6 Bxd4+ 23.Rf2 Qf6 24.Bd5 Nd6 25.e7+ Rf7 26.Bxd6 cxd6 27.e8=Q+ Rxe  
8  
28.Rxe8+ Kg7 29.Bxf7 Kxf7 30.Rb8 g3 31.Rb7+ 1-0
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- [Atak 6.2 Released](#) by [Mateusz Łuksik](#), [CCC](#), September 05, 2008
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