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Crash test dummy ^[2]

Crashtest Dummy (CTD), a [Chess Engine Communication Protocol](#) and [UCI](#) compliant experimental chess engine by [Richard Pijl](#), intended as a test bed for his primary engine [The Baron](#). Richard started with CTD in about 2004, when he was getting nowhere with improving the Baron. When CTD was able to play a game, he decided to give the Baron one more look, instantly removed the bug that was blocking improvement and kept CTD in a drawer. At another point Richard was about to retire the Baron and to work only on CTD, as its successor ^[1]. Crashtest Dummy played the [ICT 2007](#), the [DOCCC 2007](#), and the [CPT 2008](#), operated by [Tessa Pijl](#).

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