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Doctor Who ^[3]

Doctor?,

is the commercial successor of [Bobby II](#) by [Hans-Joachim Kraas](#) and [Günther Schrüfer](#). It was market by [ChessBase](#) as 16-bit engine in 1995 as analysis engine for [ChessBase/Windows 1.0](#), and in 1998 as 32-bit add-on engine of the [Fritz 5.32](#) package ^{[1][2]}. Doctor? was written in [C](#) and is therefor available for various hardware platforms and operating systems.

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Program Characteristics

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- STC-Search (solution tree cost oriented search) ^[5]
- Ample chess knowledge in evaluation function and search heuristics.
- positional playing style with tactical surprises.
- written fully in C
- implemented on [Atari ST](#), [PC](#) ([Unix](#), Win3.x, Win95/98, WinNT), [Mac](#), [Sun](#), BiiN

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