



Champions Rapid - Final Ranking & Results

August 23, 2009, Main Station Zurich



Vladimir Kramnik

At the Champions Rapid, after seven rounds and some seven hours, the former World Champion Kramnik pulled ahead of Anand.

Topalov and Ponomariov shared the third place. Local hero Werner Hug of the Schachgesellschaft Zürich showed his skills and tied Karpov and Polgar as seventh. (chr)

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Rank	Name	Elo	FED	Scores	SB
1	GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759	RUS	5	16,25
2	GM Anand Viswanathan	2788	IND	4½	14,25
3	GM Topalov Veselin	2813	BUL	4	13,00
4	GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727	UKR	4	12,50
5	GM Khalifman Alexander	2612	RUS	3	9,25
6	GM Polgar Judit	w 2687	HUN	2½	10,00
7	IM Hug Werner	2453	SUI	2½	8,50
8	GM Karpov Anatoly	2644	RUS	2½	7,25

Rank	Name	Elo	FED	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Scores	SB
1	GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759	RUS	*	½	1	½	1	½	½	1	5	16,25
2	GM Anand Viswanathan	2788	IND	½	*	½	½	½	½	1	1	4½	14,25
3	GM Topalov Veselin	2813	BUL	0	½	*	1	1	½	½	½	4	13,00
4	GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727	UKR	½	½	0	*	½	½	1	1	4	12,50
5	GM Khalifman Alexander	2612	RUS	0	½	0	½	*	1	½	½	3	9,25
6	GM Polgar Judit	2687	HUN	½	½	½	½	0	*	½	0	2½	10,00
7	IM Hug Werner	2453	SUI	½	0	½	0	½	½	*	½	2½	8,50
8	GM Karpov Anatoly	2644	RUS	0	0	½	0	½	1	½	*	2½	7,25



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1th Round

GM Anand Viswanathan	2788	½ - ½	GM Topalov Veselin	2813
GM Karpov Anatoly	2644	0 - 1	GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727
GM Polgar Judit	2687	½ - ½	GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759
GM Khalifman Alexander	2612	½ - ½	IM Hug Werner	2453

2th Round

GM Topalov Veselin	2813	½ - ½	IM Hug Werner	2453
GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759	1 - 0	GM Khalifman Alexander	2612
GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727	½ - ½	GM Polgar Judit	2687
GM Anand Viswanathan	2788	1 - 0	GM Karpov Anatoly	2644

3th Round

GM Karpov Anatoly	2644	½ - ½	GM Topalov Veselin	2813
GM Polgar Judit	2687	½ - ½	GM Anand Viswanathan	2788
GM Khalifman Alexander	2612	½ - ½	GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727
IM Hug Werner	2453	½ - ½	GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759

4th Round

GM Topalov Veselin	2813	0 - 1	GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759
GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727	1 - 0	IM Hug Werner	2453
GM Anand Viswanathan	2788	½ - ½	GM Khalifman Alexander	2612
GM Karpov Anatoly	2644	1 - 0	GM Polgar Judit	2687

5th Round

GM Polgar Judit	2687	½ - ½	GM Topalov Veselin	2813
GM Khalifman Alexander	2612	½ - ½	GM Karpov Anatoly	2644
IM Hug Werner	2453	0 - 1	GM Anand Viswanathan	2788
GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759	½ - ½	GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727

6th Round

GM Topalov Veselin	2813	1 - 0	GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727
GM Anand Viswanathan	2788	½ - ½	GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759
GM Karpov Anatoly	2644	½ - ½	IM Hug Werner	2453
GM Polgar Judit	2687	0 - 1	GM Khalifman Alexander	2612

7th Round

GM Khalifman Alexander	2612	0 - 1	GM Topalov Veselin	2813
IM Hug Werner	2453	½ - ½	GM Polgar Judit	2687
GM Kramnik Vladimir	2759	1 - 0	GM Karpov Anatoly	2644
GM Ponomariov Ruslan	2727	½ - ½	GM Anand Viswanathan	2788