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August 10, 2009

Six tied for first at the US Open in Indianapolis, Indiana with 7.5/9: GM-elect Alex Lenderman, IM Jacek Stopa and GMs Sergey Kudrin, Alex Yermolinsky, Dmitry Gurevich, and Jesse Kraai. Stopa is from Poland; the other five all earn a spot into the 2010 US Championships, currently set for Saint Louis in Spring 2010. The top two GMs on tiebreak, Dmitry Gurevich and Sergey Kudrin had a blitz playoff for the official title. Gurevich won that game:

**110th U.S. Open
Indiana, 2009**
White: Kudrin, S
Black: Gurevich,

1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 d6 3.
 5.Nc3 Nc6 6.Bg5
 9.O-O b5 10.a3 O
 13.Kh1 h6 14.Bh4
 16.Rad1 Na5 17.N

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