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## Meran Variation

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.♘f3 ♘f6 4.♘c3 e6 5.e3 ♘bd7 6.♗d3 dxc4 7.♗xc4 b5

1	8.♗b3; 8.♗e2 . . . . .	7
2	8.♗d3 ♗b7 9.a3 . . . . .	18

### Classical System

8.♗d3 ♗b7 9.0-0 a6 10.e4 c5 11.d5 ♗c7

3	12.♗e2 c4 13.♗c2 ♗d6 14.dxe6 fxe6 15.♘g5 . . . . .	27
4	12.♗e2 c4 13.♗c2 ♗d6 14.dxe6 fxe6 15.♘d4 . . . . .	32
5	12.dxe6 fxe6 13.♗c2 c4 14.♘g5 . . . . .	38
6	12.dxe6 fxe6 13.♗c2 c4 14.♘d4 . . . . .	48

### Variation Dreev-Filipenko

7	12.dxe6 fxe6 13.♗c2 ♗d6 14.♘g5 ♘f8 15.f4 0-0-0 16.♗e1 . . . . .	59
8	12.dxe6 fxe6 13.♗c2 ♗d6 14.♘g5 ♘f8 15.f4 0-0-0 16.♗e2 . . . . .	70

### Modern System

8.♗d3 ♗b7 9.e4 b4 10.♘a4 c5 11.e5 ♘d7

9	12.dxc5 ♘xc5 13.♘xc5 ♗xc5 . . . . .	79
10	12.0-0 cxd4 13.♘xd4 . . . . .	92
11	12.0-0 cxd4 13.♗e1 g6 . . . . .	103
12	12.0-0 cxd4 13.♗e1 ♗e7 . . . . .	119

# Anti-Meran Variation

1.d4 d5 2.c4 c6 3.♘f3 ♘f6 4.♘c3 e6 5.e3 ♘bd7 6.♙c2

## System 6...b6

1	7.a3, 7.♙b1, 7.e4, 7.♘d2, 7.cxd5.....	129
2	7.♘e2 .....	144
3	7.♘d3 .....	150

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4	7.a3, 7.e4, 7.♘d2 .....	154
5	7.b3 0-0 8.♘d3; 8.♘b2. ....	161
6	7.♘d3 0-0 8.0-0 dxc4 9.♘xc4 a6 .....	166
7	7.♘e2 0-0 8.b3 .....	179
8	7.g4 h6 .....	188

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9	6.a3, 6.♘d2, 6.cxd5, 6.♘e2, 6.a3 .....	197
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