



Situation:

Red is down two points and has hammer.
Yellow has made two nice draws to the 4-foot.
Red has the next shot.

Questions:

How many points does red need to score this end in order to have a chance in the 8th?

What is yellow's goal this end as far as scoring goes?

Why did yellow decide to come in immediately instead of putting up guards?

What are some options for red's next shot?

If red decides to bury their next stone behind the corner guard, what are the ways they could execute that shot?

Thinking Ahead:

If red draws down (i.e. freezes) to yellow #1, what would yellow likely do with their next shot?

If red decides to double the two yellow stones and sit top-four, what would yellow do on their next shot?