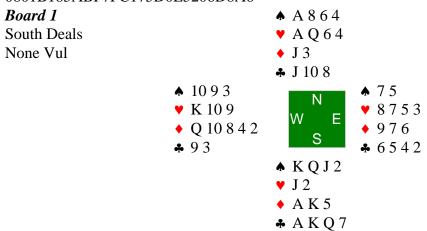
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West	North	East	South
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			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 2South Deals N-S Vul

★ K 10 9 6
▼ K 5 4
★ 10 7
★ K 8 5 3

♦ 8 4 3▼ J 9 8 3◆ A 5 4 2♣ 6 4



- **♦** A Q J 2 **♥** A Q 2
- ★ K Q 8♣ A J 7

Shape 4324 2344 4333 3442 HCP 9 3 23 5 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by South

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Board 3South Deals Both Vul

- ★ K 7 2▼ K Q J 10◆ J 9 8
- **4** 10 9 4
- ♦ 865♥ 962◆ Q105♣ J653
- N W E S A J 10 4 3 V — ↑ 7 6 4 3 2 ♣ 8 7 2
- **♠** Q9
- A 8 7 5 4 3
- ♦ A K
- ♣ A K Q

Shape 3433 5053 2623 3334 HCP 10 5 22 3 Losers 9 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 🔻	Pass	4 ♣ ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 💙
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 🔻	Pass	Pass
D			

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 4. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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♦ QJ10 Board 4 South Deals ♥ AQJ5 ♦ KJ93 N-S Vul **♣** 62 **♦** 872 **♦** 9643 **7** 6 4 3 2 **♥** K 10 9 8 ♦ 764 **•** 2 S **4** 10 5 4 **4** 983 **∧** A K 5 **Y** — ◆ A Q 10 8 5 **♣** A K Q J 7

Shape 3442 4513 3055 3433 HCP 14 0 23 3 Losers 7 10 2 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^3}$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 Y	Pass	5 ♠ ⁵
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 - 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 - 5. !D queen and !S king
- 7 N by North

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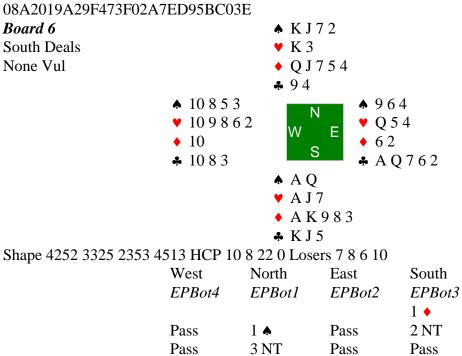
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Shape 2452 5305 3253 3433 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 7 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 •
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 •
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♦ by North



Pass

3 N by South

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Board 7 South Deals Both Vul

★ K Q 10 **♥** A Q 3 **♦** 108 **4** 10 9 7 5 2 **♦** 53

♦ 98764 **v** 10 5 4 ♦ Q94 ♣ J4

- ♥ J982 ♦ J652 S ***** 863
- **♠** AJ2
- **♥** K 7 6
- ♦ AK73
- **♣** A K Q

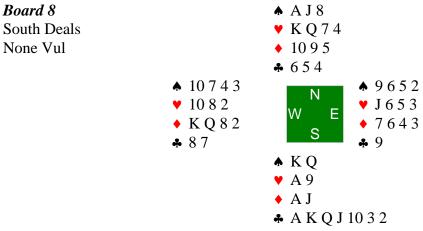
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	$4 NT^2$	Pass	5 • 3
Pass	5 Y	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	$6\mathrm{NT^6}$
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. !C queen no !S king
- 5. King ask by available bid
- 6. K=2

6 N by North

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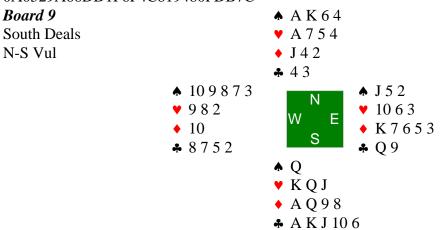


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North	East	South
EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
		2 + 1
$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
3 + 3	Pass	3 ◆
6 NT	Pass	Pass
	<i>EPBot1</i> 2 ◆ ² 3 ♣ ³	EPBot1 EPBot2 $2 • ^2$ Pass $3 • ^3$ Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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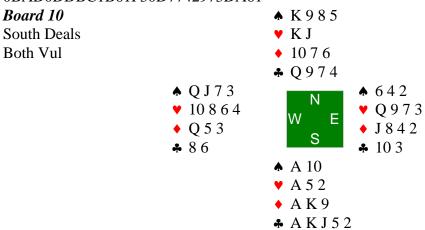
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	7 .
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 7 ♣ by South

Down 1 — NS –100

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Shape 4234 3442 2335 4432 HCP 9 3 23 5 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

7 N by South

Down 1 — NS -100

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Board 11 ♠ KJ32 South Deals **♥** A 2 None Vul ◆ 10 6 4 3 2 ♣ Q 2 **▲** 10985 **↑** 76 ♥ J 10 7 3 **9**865 ♦ J95 ◆ Q87 S **4** 9876 **4** 54 **▲** A Q 4 **♥** K Q 4 ♦ A K

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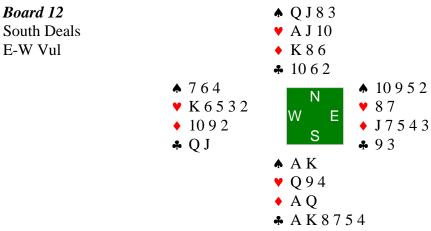
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♥ ⁵
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

♣ A K J 10 3

- - 1. strong
 - 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 - 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 4. King ask by 5 NT
 - 5. K=2

6 N by North

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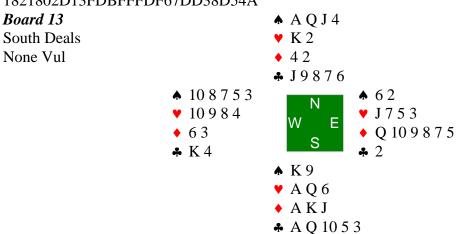


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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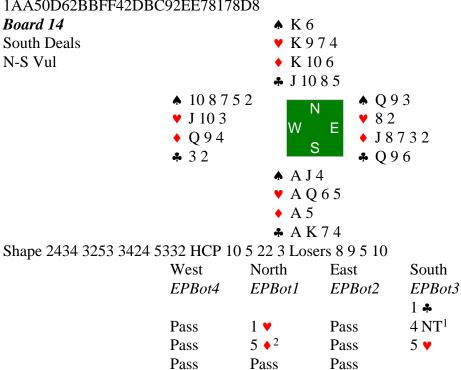
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South

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1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Made 7 — NS +710

5 ♥ by North

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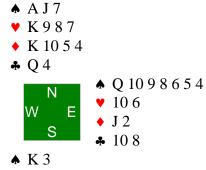
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Shape 4234 3343 4432 2434 HCP 14 0 24 2 Losers 8 12 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	g		
2. waitii	ng		
3. Stayn	nan		
6 N by So	uth		

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Board 16 South Deals E-W Vul



- ♥ AQJ4
- A Q 6
- **♣** A K J 3

Shape 3442 7222 2434 1345 HCP 13 3 24 0 Losers 8 8 4 10

A 2

♥ 532

9873

♣ 97652

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ^ 4	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁸	Pass	5 NT ⁹
Pass	6 ♦ ¹⁰	Pass	7 🕶
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6. Cue bid, surplus
- 7. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 8. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 9. King ask by 5 NT
- 10. K=1

7 ♥ by South

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★ K 8 6 Board 17 South Deals **∨** K Q 10 9 Both Vul ♦ 984 **4** 983 **▲** J 10 7 3 2 **♦** 95 **v** 43 ♥ J8652 ♦ Q 10 **♦** 632 S ♣ KQ54 **♣** J 7 6 **♠** A Q 4 **♥** A 7 ♦ A K J 7 5 ♣ A 10 2

Shape 3433 2533 3253 5224 HCP 8 2 22 8 Losers 9 11 5 8

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +660

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Board 18 **∧** K94 South Deals ♥ QJ104 None Vul **♦** 54 ♣ A Q J 8 **▲** J8753 **♠** Q 2 **v** 8652 **Y** 3 ♦ 9 7 ♦ J 10 8 6 3 2 S ♣ 9 7 **♣** 10 5 3 2 **∧** A 10 6 A K 9 7 ♦ AKQ **♣** K 6 4

Shape 3424 2164 3433 5422 HCP 13 3 23 1 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁸	Pass	5 A
Pass	5 NT ⁹	Pass	6 ♣ ¹0
Pass	6 ♥ ¹¹	Pass	Pass
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- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. artificial
 - 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 - 6. Cue bid, surplus
 - 7. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 - 8. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 9. !H queen no !C king no !D king
 - 10. King ask by available bid
 - 11. K=1
- 6 ♥ by South

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♦ K Q 2 Board 19 South Deals ♥ K874 E-W Vul **◆** 10 8 2 **4** 9 5 3 **▲** 10 7 4 **★** 863 N **♥** A 2 ♥ J 10 9 6 5 3 ◆ J964 **♦** K 3 S **♣** J 7 6 2 **♣** 108 **▲** AJ95 **♥** Q • A Q 7 5

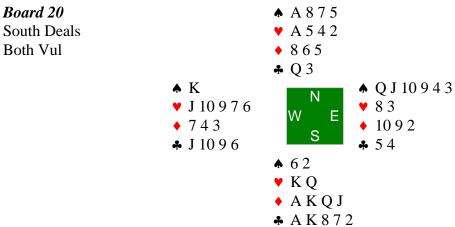
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			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		
3 N by So	outh		

♣ A K Q 4

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Shape 4432 6232 2245 1534 HCP 10 3 22 5 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman

6 N by South

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Board 21 **▲** A872 South Deals **∨** K 6 2 ♦ 652 Both Vul **♣** KJ6 **♠** J 5 **▲** 43 **v** 10 9 8 7 3 ♥ J 5 4 ◆ J 10 8 4 3 **♦** Q9 S ♣ Q874 **4** 10 5 3 **★** K Q 10 9 6 **♥** A Q • A K 7 ♣ A 9 2

Shape 4333 2524 5233 2353 HCP 11 4 22 3 Losers 9 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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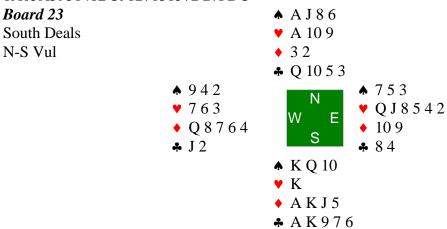
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Shape 3352 3532 3334 4225 HCP 11 6 22 1 Losers 8 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	4 🔸
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	$5 \diamond^3$
Pass	5 Y	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♦ ⁶
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. !D queen no !S king no !C king
- 5. King ask by available bid
- 6. K=0
- 6 ♦ by North

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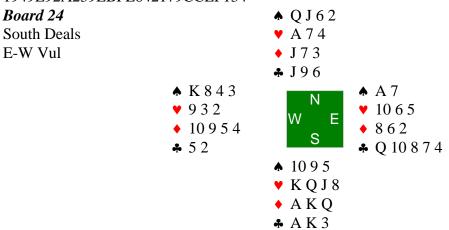


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			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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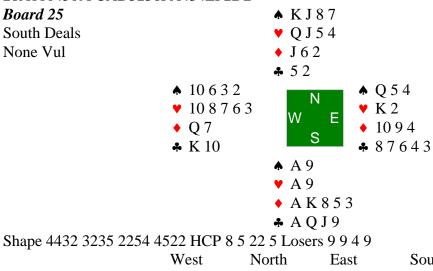


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			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
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- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

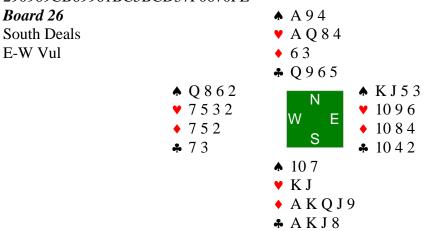
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west	North	East	South
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			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +460

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Shape 3424 4333 2254 4432 HCP 12 4 22 2 Losers 7 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
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- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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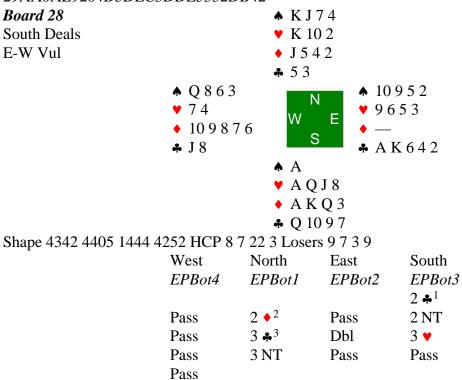
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
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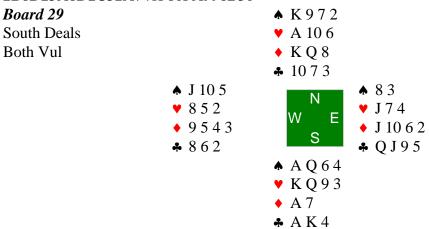
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
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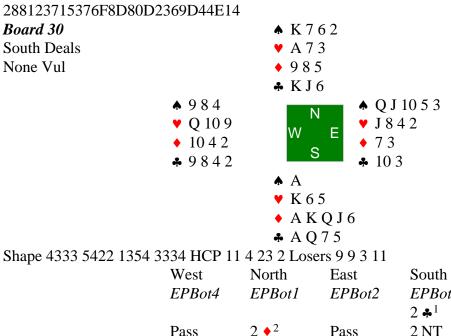
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \bullet^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ng		
2 *****			

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South



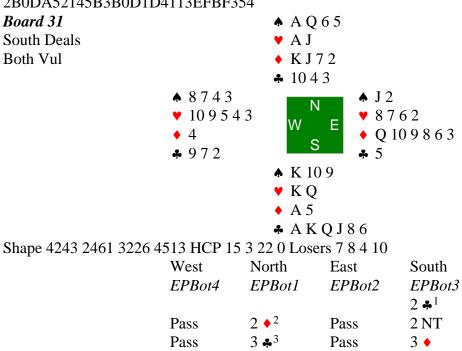
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Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman

6 N by South

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Pass 1. strong

Pass

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +2220

7 NT

Pass

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♠ K 8 7 4 Board 32 ♥ A 10 6 3 South Deals N-S Vul ♦ Q 2 **4** J 8 5 **♦** Q965 **▲** J 10 3 **v** 842 ♥ J975 **♦** 10 3 J9874 S **♣** 9742 **4** 10 **♠** A 2 ♥ K Q ♦ A K 6 5

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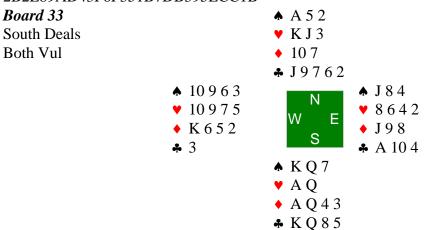
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			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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♣ A K Q 6 3

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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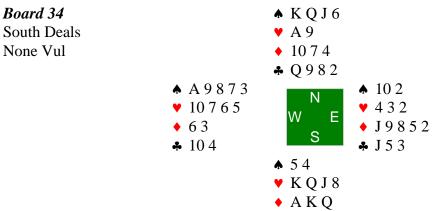
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 🚓
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

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Shape 4234 2353 2434 5422 HCP 12 2 22 4 Losers 7 11 4 9

West	North	East	South	
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3	
			2 4 ¹	
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT	
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y	
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass	
Pass				
1. stron	g			
2. waiting				

♣ A K 7 6

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 35 ♠ KQ32 **♥** K 10 7 6 South Deals N-S Vul **♦** 75 **4** 652 **♦** J9 **▲** 10 8 7 4 **y** 53 **982** ◆ J 10 9 8 3 ♦ A 4 2 S ♣ K 10 8 4 **4** 973 **▲** A 6 5 **♥** A Q J 4 ♦ K Q 6

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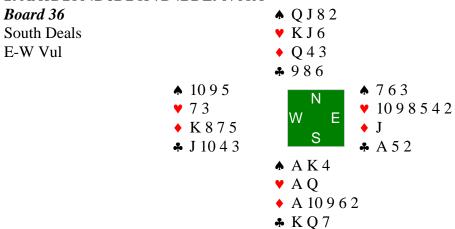
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ^ 4	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 💙	Pass	Pass
Daga			

♣ A Q J

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 4 ♥ by South

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Shape 4333 3613 3253 3244 HCP 9 5 22 4 Losers 9 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
_			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 37 **▲** AK82 South Deals **♥** K 9 8 4 None Vul **♦** 53 ♣ Q83 **▲** 10953 **▲** J764 ♥ Q 10 5 2 **♦** 98 ♦ K7642 S **4** 10 9 7 **♣** 652 **♠** Q **♥** AJ63 ♦ A Q J 10

Shape 4423 4153 1444 4423 HCP 12 4 22 2 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ ⁸	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A K J 4

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1

6 ♥ by South

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Board 38 South Deals N-S Vul

★ K J 10 6▼ A J 9 5◆ J 10♣ J 6 4

♠ Q 9 4♥ 7 6 4 3♦ 8 4♣ Q 7 5 2



- **▲** A 8 7 3
- **♥** K
- ◆ AKQ952
- ♣ A K

Shape 4423 2434 4162 3424 HCP 11 2 23 4 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 39 **▲** A 7 2 South Deals **♥** QJ9 E-W Vul ♦ Q8 ♣ J 10 8 5 3 **♦** 863 **▲** J 10 9 4 **♥** K8643 **v** 10 7 5 **◆** 10 9 7 4 **♦** 63 S **.** 7 **♣** K 9 6 2 **★** K Q 5 **♥** A 2 ♦ A K J 5 2 ♣ A Q 4

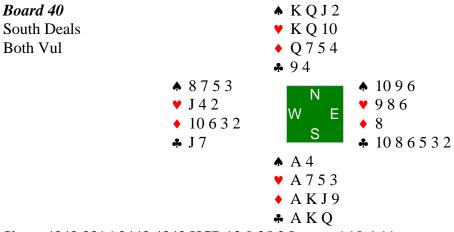
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♠ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

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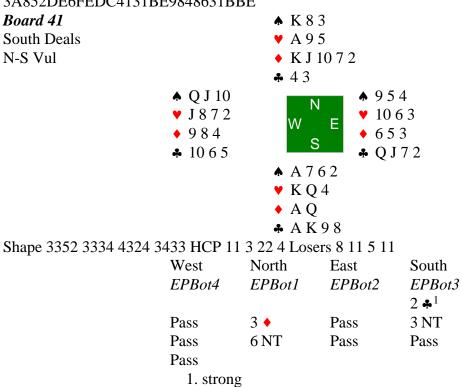
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \diamond 4$
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Gerl	oer		

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

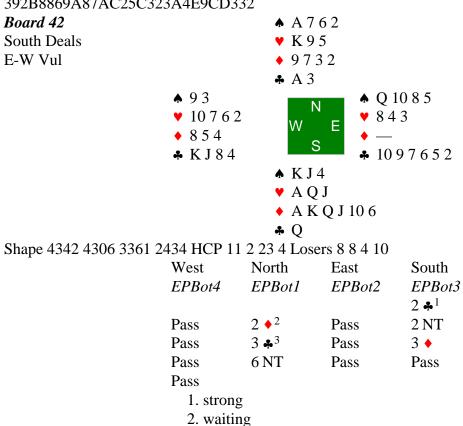
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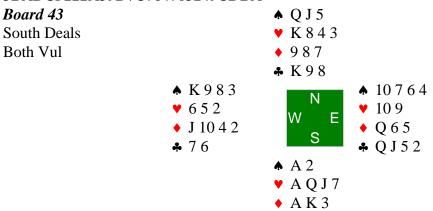
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3. Stayman 6 N by South

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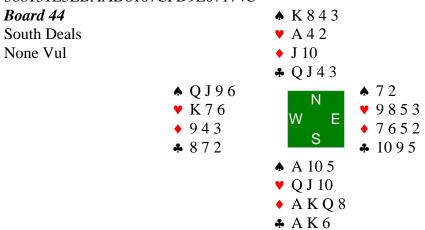
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^5}$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A 10 4 3

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

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Shape 4324 2443 3343 4333 HCP 11 0 23 6 Losers 8 11 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2 vyoiti	na		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 45 **∧** K97 South Deals ♥ QJ98 E-W Vul **♦** 95 **♣** KQ96 **♠** Q ↑ J 10 8 5 4 3 **v** 10 6 5 2 **Y** 3 ◆ J 10 8 7 **♦** 63 S **♣** 7532 ♣ J 10 8 4 **A** A 6 2 ♥ A K 7 4 ♦ AKQ42

Shape 3424 6124 3451 1444 HCP 11 2 24 3 Losers 7 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ ⁷	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^8}$
Pass	6 ♥ ⁹	Pass	7 💙
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7. !H queen and !S king
- 8. King ask by 5 NT
- 9. K=2

7 **♥** by South

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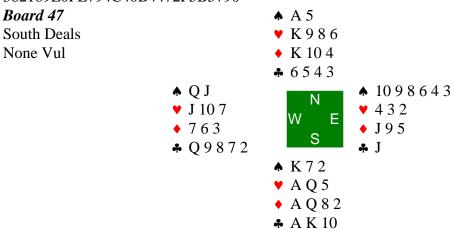
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Shape 4234 3532 4135 2542 HCP 8 6 23 3 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	5 A
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
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- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. artificial
- 6 ♠ by South

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Shape 2434 6331 3343 2335 HCP 10 2 22 6 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
3. Stayı	man		
6 N by So	outh		

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♠ QJ107 Board 48 ♥ QJ87 South Deals N-S Vul → J 8 ♣ J62 **♦** 852 **♦** 43 **v** 10 9 5 3 **v** 642 **♦** 10 5 ◆ AK976 S **4** 98 ♣ Q 10 7 4 3 **A** A K 9 6 ♥ A K • Q432

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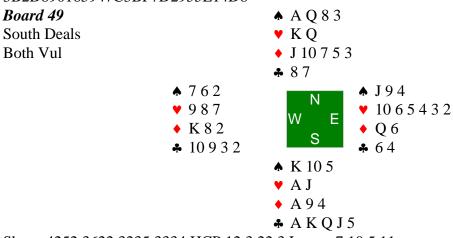
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A K 5

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

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Shape 4252 3622 3235 3334 HCP 12 3 22 3 Losers 7 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 •
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^2}$	Pass	5 + 3
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by North

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Board 50 **∧** A K 8 4 South Deals ♥ Q J **♦** 87 None Vul ♣ J9543 **♦** J 2 **♦** 97653 **9** 9 8 5 2 **v** 10 7 6 4 3 ◆ J963 ♦ Q 10 S ♣ K 7 **♣** 62 **♠** Q 10 ♥ A K ♦ A K 5 4 2

Shape 4225 5422 2254 2542 HCP 11 2 22 5 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♠ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A Q 10 8

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

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Board 51 South Deals N-S Vul A 10 5 2✓ K 9 8 7✓ J 10 6→ 9 2

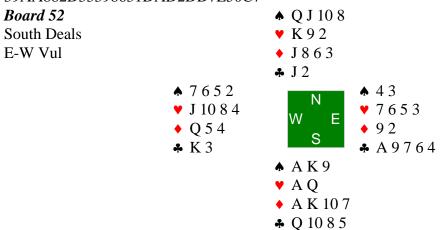
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 ▼ J 10
 Q 8 3 2
 J 10 4 3
- **★** 8 7
- **♥** A Q 3
- A K 5
- ♣ A K Q 8 7

Shape 4432 3244 2335 4432 HCP 8 8 22 2 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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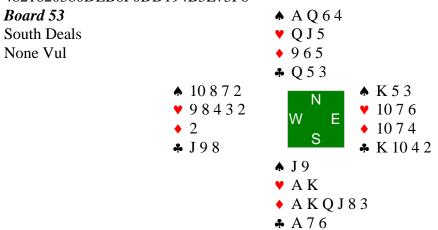


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
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3. Stayı	man		
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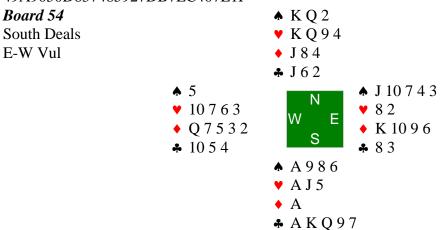


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 3433 5242 4315 1453 HCP 12 4 22 2 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 55 South Deals Both Vul







- **∧** K
- ♥ A K 10 7 5 2
- ♦ A Q 6
- ♣ A Q 7

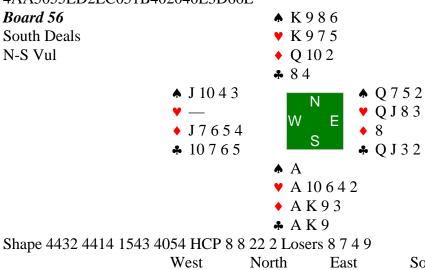
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 🔻	Pass	$3 \blacktriangle^3$
Pass	$3 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

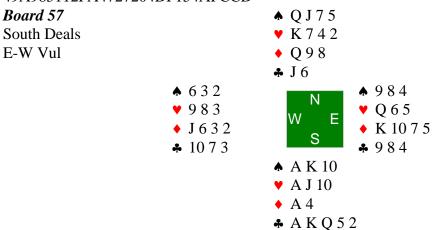
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West	North	East	South
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			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \bullet^2$	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 💙
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. stron	ng		
2. wait	ing		
4 ♥ by So	outh		
Made 7 –	-NS + 710		

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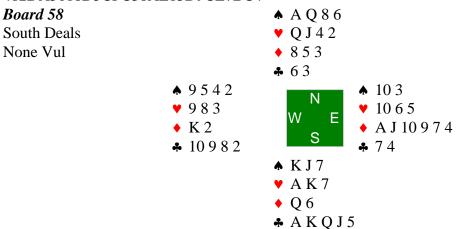
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West	North	East	South
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			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		
1. stroi	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Gerl	per		

- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

 $7 \text{ N} \times \text{ by South}$

Down 1 — NS -100

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Shape 4432 2362 3325 4324 HCP 9 5 23 3 Losers 8 9 5 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

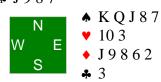
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Board 59South Deals E-W Vul

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♦ 96543♥ Q982♦ 103♣ 52



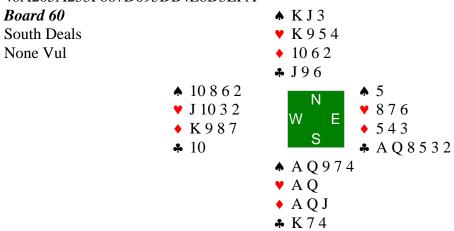
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- **♥** A 5 4
- ♦ A K Q 5
- ♣ A K Q 10 6 4

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 .
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	Pass
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- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 - 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♣ by South

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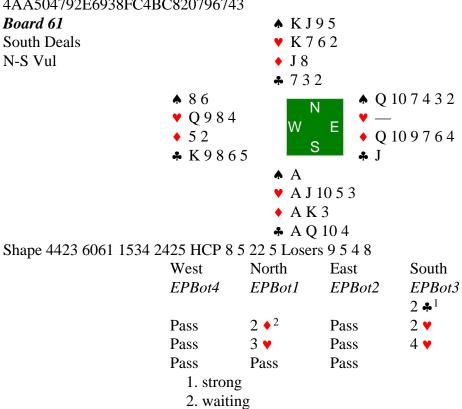


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Dbl	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3. Stayı	man		

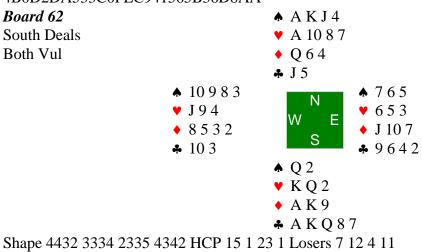
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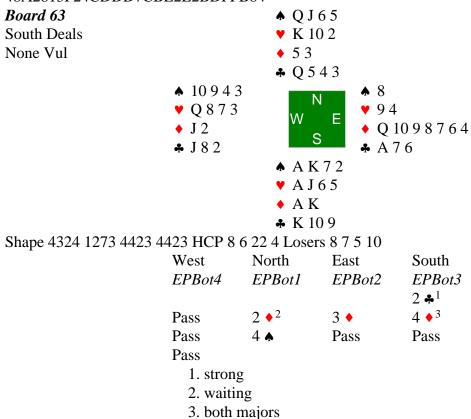
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1	~		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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4 ♠ by North

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Board 64 ★ K Q 9 3 South Deals ▼ A 7 N-S Vul ◆ 8 6 2 ★ J 10 9 3





- **♠** A 7
- **♥** KJ5
- ♦ A K Q J 7
- ♣ A K 8

Shape 4234 5323 2353 2533 HCP 10 0 25 5 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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♠ QJ85 Board 65 South Deals ▼ A 10 2 None Vul **◆** 10 7 2 ♣ Q 10 9 **♦** 942 **★** K 7 6 3 ♥ J 5 4 **9**863 • Q654 → J 8 S **4** 653 ♣ J 7 4 **♠** A 10 **♥** K Q 7 ♦ A K 9 3 ♣ A K 8 2

Shape 4333 4423 2344 3343 HCP 9 4 23 4 Losers 9 10 4 11

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

3. Stayman

6 N by South

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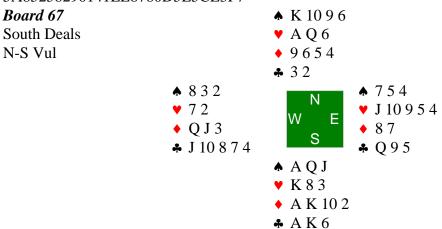
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West	North	East	South	
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3	
			2 ♣ ¹	
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT	
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 A	
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass	
Pass				
1. stron	ıg			
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \bullet^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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♠ AQ63 Board 68 **♥** KJ7 South Deals E-W Vul **♦** 63 ♣ Q842 **♦** J 7 5 4 **↑** 1092 **v** 10 8 6 3 2 **9** 9 5 **◆** 10 8 5 2 94 S **♣** J 9 7 ♣ A 10 5 **★** K 8 **♥** A Q 4 ♦ A K Q J 7

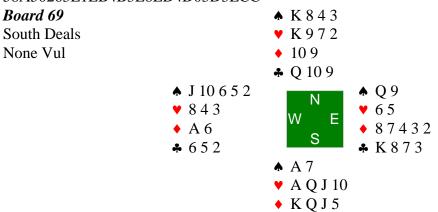
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			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3. Stayı	man		
6 N by Sc	outh		

♣ K 6 3

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West North East Son	atti
EPBot4 EPBot1 EPBot2 EP	Bot3
2 4	1
Pass $2 \diamond^2$ Pass $2 N$	JТ
Pass $3 + 3$ Pass $3 + 3$	•
Pass $3 \blacktriangle^4$ Pass $4 N$	$\sqrt{1}$
Pass $5 \bullet 6$ Pass $5 \bullet 6$	•
Pass Pass Pass	

♣ AJ4

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

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♦ K 10 Board 70 South Deals A 4 3 2 Both Vul ♦ Q85 **4** 10 6 4 2 **♦** J874 **♦** 9532 **v** 85 **♥** J96 ◆ A 6 4 3 ◆ J72 S **4** 9853 ♣ Q 7 **A** A Q 6 **♥** K Q 10 7 ♦ K 10 9 ♣ A K J

Shape 2434 4342 3433 4234 HCP 9 7 22 2 Losers 8 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	3 NT
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 Y	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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♠ KJ Board 71 South Deals **∨** K987 None Vul ◆ J 10 4 ♣ Q 10 6 5 **♦** 96543 ♠ Q 10 8 2 ♥ QJ43 **v** 10 6 2 **♦** 87 **♦** 632 S **♣** K 4 2 ***** 87 **▲** A 7 **♥** A 5 ♦ AKQ95

Shape 2434 4432 2254 5323 HCP 10 5 22 3 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ AJ93

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 72 **★** K 4 2 South Deals **♥** K 8 4 2 N-S Vul **◆** 10 9 6 **♣** K82 **▲** 10 7 **♦** 863 ♥ Q 10 9 7 6 **y** 53 ♦ J 7 4 3 **♦** 85 S ♣ A 9 6 4 3 ♣ Q 7 5 **▲** AQJ95 ♥ A J ♦ A K Q 2

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	3 ^	Pass	$3 NT^3$
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
Dace			

♣ J 10

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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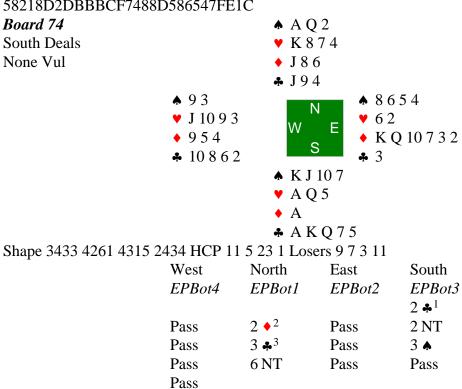
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		10, 100 10	
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wait	ing		
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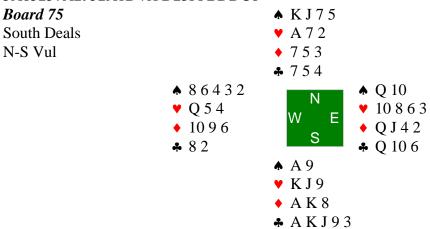
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 6 NS +690

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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wai	ting		
3 Star	man		

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +660

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♦ KJ76 Board 76 South Deals ♥ A Q 5 E-W Vul ♦ QJ6 **♣** 863 **▲** A 10 5 3 **v** 10 9 8 3 **v** 642 **♦** 10 7 5 98432 S **4** 10 9 7 5 **4** 4 2 **♦** Q942 **♥** KJ7 ◆ A K

Shape 4333 1354 4324 4432 HCP 13 0 23 4 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♠ ⁶
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
Pass			

♣ AKQJ

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by South

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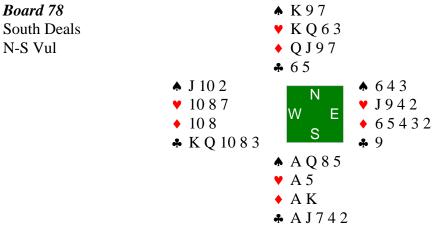
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Shape 3433 3334 5134 2542 HCP 10 1 22 7 Losers 9 12 3 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	3 A	Pass	$3 NT^3$
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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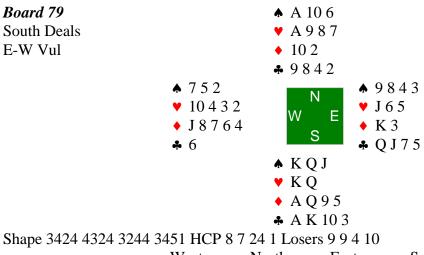


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

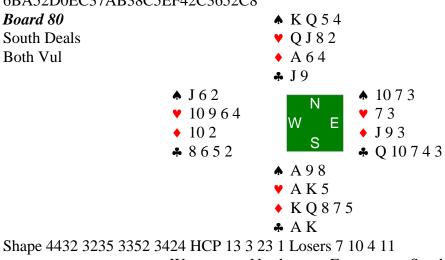
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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west	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♦ QJ65 Board 81 South Deals ▼ K 10 9 8 N-S Vul **◆** 10 5 3 ♣ Q 2 **∧** K **↑** 1098742 **v** 7 5 4 3 2 ◆ J982 ♦ K Q 7 S **4** 9 5 3 ♣ J 10 6 **▲** A 3 ♥ AQJ ♦ A 6 4

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		
3 N by So	outh		

♣ A K 8 7 4

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Board 82 **♠** AJ 10 3 **♥** KQ76 South Deals Both Vul **◆** 10 8 7 ♣ K 7 **♦** 98 **↑** 76542 **y** J983 **v** 10 2 **♦** J 5 **♦** 942 S **4** 10 9 6 5 4 ***** 832 ♠ K Q ♥ A 5 4 ♦ AKQ63 ♣ A Q J

Shape 4432 5233 2353 2425 HCP 13 0 25 2 Losers 7 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

7 N by South

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♠ KJ98 Board 83 ♥ K753 South Deals None Vul 984 ♣ Q 3 **↑** 107632 **4** ♥ J986 **v** 10 ♦ K 10 6 3 ◆ A 7 2 S **4** 10 9 8 5 2 **♣** J 6 4 **♠** A Q 5 ♥ AQ42 ◆ Q J 5 ♣ A K 7

Shape 4432 5143 3433 1435 HCP 9 4 22 5 Losers 9 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	3 NT
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 Y	Pass	Pass
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Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

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♠ A K Q 2 Board 84 ♥ Q J South Deals E-W Vul ◆ J 10 8 7 5 **4** 10 6 **♦** J87 **↑** 109643 **9** 8 6 5 2 **7** 4 ♦ 962 ♦ Q3 S ♣ J852 **4** 73 **♦** 5 ♥ A K 10 3

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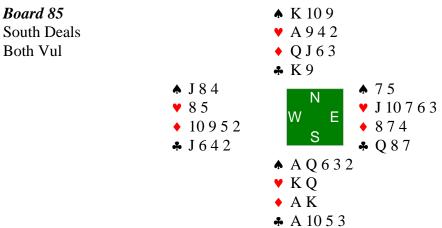
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			2 + 1
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	4 •
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	5 Y	Pass	6 ♦ ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

♦ A K 4 ♣ A K Q 9 4

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. no !D queen

7 N by North

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West	North	East	South
EPBc	ot4 EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. s	strong		
2.	waiting		

- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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Board 86 **★** K Q 7 6 South Deals **♥** K 10 7 None Vul **♦** 10 5 4 **♣** Q96 **♦** 943 **★** 10 2 ♥ J9652 ♥ Q843 ◆ Q92 **♦** 73 S ♣ K 10 7 4 **♣** 532 **▲** AJ85 **♥** A ♦ AKJ86 ♣ AJ8

Shape 4333 2434 4153 3523 HCP 10 7 22 1 Losers 8 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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♦ A 10 8 6 Board 87 South Deals ♥ Q J **♦** 542 N-S Vul ♣ Q975 **♦** K 7 5 **♦** QJ92 **v** 10 4 **9**8653 **♦** 10 8 6 ♦ J93 S **4** 10 6 3 2 ♣ J4 **★** 43 ♥ A K 7 2 ♦ A K Q 7 ♣ A K 8

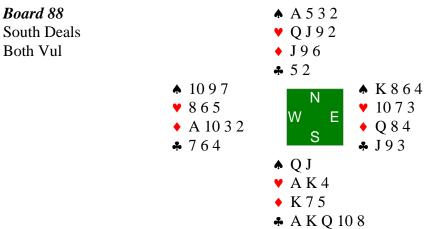
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		
3 N by So	outh		
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Board 89 South Deals None Vul

- ★ K Q 5▼ K 8 4 2◆ J 10 7 3♣ J 10
- 10972
 1096
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 90South Deals N-S Vul

★ K 10 9 4▼ A 9 7 3◆ 10 5 3♣ J 3





- **∧** A Q **∨** K J 6 4
- **♦** K 6
- ♣ A K Q 6 2

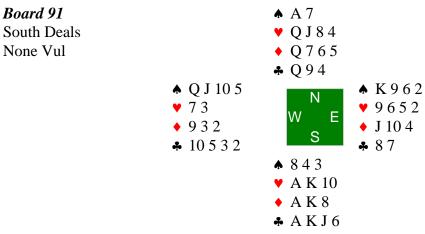
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Dbl	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

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6 N by South

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \bullet^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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Board 92 South Deals N-S Vul

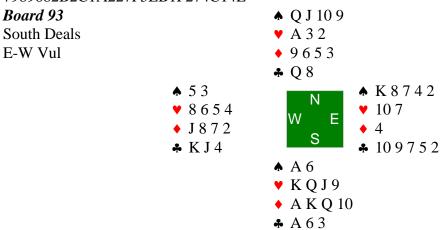
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 - ♠ A Q J 2♥ A 6 3♦ A K J
 - ♣ A 8 6

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		
2 04			

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 94 ♠ QJ52 South Deals **♥** KQ84 Both Vul **♦** 10 6 4 ***** 74 **★** K 10 8 6 4 **v** 765 **v** 109 987532 ♦ K J S **♣** J92 **4** 10 8 6 3 **▲** A 7 3 ♥ AJ32 ◆ A Q ♣ A K Q 5

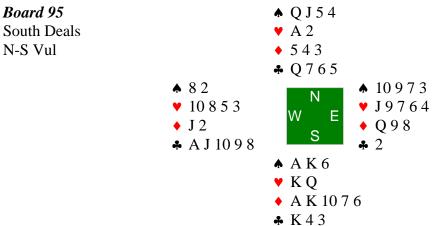
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. !H queen no !C king no !D king

6 ♥ by South

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Shape 4234 4531 3253 2425 HCP 9 3 22 6 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2 :4:	•		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

Down 1 — NS –100

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Board 96South Deals E-W Vul

- **★** K 10 9 8 **▼** K Q 2
- **♦** 10 8
- ♣ K732
- ↑ 3▼ J 4 3◆ 9 7 6 3♣ J 9 8 6 5
- N W E S A 5 4 ▼ 10 9 8 6 5 ◆ J 5 4 ♣ 10 4
- **♠** QJ762
- **♥** A 7
- ♦ A K Q 2
- ♣ A Q

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 97 **▲** A K 4 3 South Deals ♥ QJ83 **♦** 74 None Vul **♣** K 9 5 **♦** 975 **▲** J 10 8 6 2 **9** 7 5 2 **v** 10 **♦** 10 5 2 ♦ A 9 8 6 3 S **.** 3 **♣** 10 8 6 2 **♠** Q ♥ A K 6 4 ♦ KQJ ♣ A Q J 7 4

Shape 4423 5134 1435 3451 HCP 13 1 22 4 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 💙
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 Y	Pass	Pass
Dage			

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 98 **♠** AJ52 South Deals **♥** KJ6 E-W Vul ◆ 10 7 3 2 **♣** J 3 **♦** Q763 **♦** 984 **v** 8742 **9** 9 5 ◆ J 6 ♦ K984 S **4** 10 9 6 **♣** 7542 **♦** K 10 ▼ A Q 10 3 ♦ A Q 5

Shape 4342 3244 2434 4423 HCP 10 3 24 3 Losers 9 10 3 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ıg		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		
6 N by So	outh		

♣ A K Q 8

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★ K 10 5 4 Board 99 South Deals ♥ AJ7 Both Vul ◆ 1086 ♣ Q 9 7 **A** 3 **▲** J962 ♥ Q 10 8 6 2 **9** 9 5 4 3 **♦** 742 ♦ A 9 S ***** 8532 **♣** J 6 4 **♠** A Q 8 7 ♥ K ♦ KQJ53 ♣ A K 10

Shape 4333 4423 4153 1534 HCP 10 6 22 2 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 100 South Deals None Vul

- **♦** AJ72 **♥** A2
- ◆ Q 7
- ♣ A 8 7 4 3
- ♠ 9654♥ J543
- ♦ J 6 4
- **4** 10 6



- **★** K Q 3
- **♥** KQ96
- ♦ A K 5
- ♣ KQJ

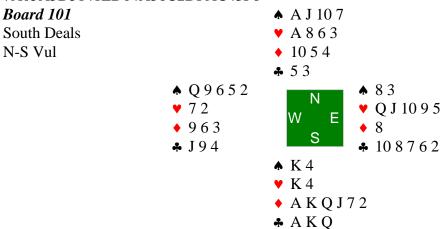
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	$4 NT^2$	Pass	$5 \wedge 3$
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Dace			

- Pass 1. strong
 - 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 - 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

7 N by North

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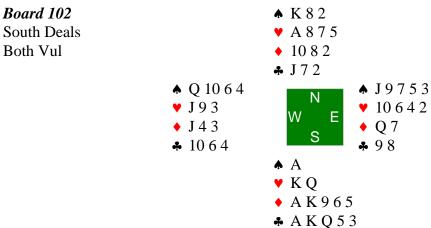
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ng		
2. wait	ing		
2 0 1			

- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=2 out of 4

6 N by South

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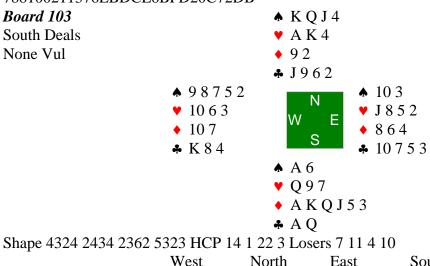
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	9		
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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★ K Q 3 Board 104 South Deals ▼ A Q 10 8 N-S Vul ♦ J432 ♣ A 9 **▲** J 10 8 7 **♦** 952 **v** 7643 **9** 9 5 2 **♦** 865 **♦** 10 9 7 S ♣ J652 ***** 83 **▲** A 6 4 ♥ KJ ♦ AKQ ♣ K Q 10 7 4

Shape 3442 3334 3235 4432 HCP 16 1 22 1 Losers 6 12 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ng		
2 woit	ina		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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Board 105 ▲ A 5 3 South Deals **♥** KJ5 E-W Vul ◆ J8763 **♣** J 10 **♦** 874 ♥ Q873 9642 ♦ K Q 10 5 942 S **4** 98732 **4** 65 **★** K Q 10 9 6 2 **♥** A 10 • A ♣ A K Q 4

Shape 3352 1435 6214 3442 HCP 10 1 22 7 Losers 9 10 2 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 🛦	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$
Pass	$5 \diamond^3$	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	7 ^
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. King ask by 5 NT
- 5. K=1
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 106 ▲ AK87 South Deals **♥** K 9 7 5 None Vul ♦ 985 **4** 73 **▲** 10 2 **♦** J 6 4 Ν **v** 10 8 2 ♥ Q643 ◆ QJ1043 **♦** 72 S ♣ J 10 2 **♣** 9854 **♦** Q953 ♥ A J ♦ A K 6 ♣ A K Q 6

Shape 4432 3424 4234 2353 HCP 10 3 23 4 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^5}$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ 8	Pass	7 🛦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 107 ∧ A K 7 4 South Deals **♥** K 4 N-S Vul ◆ J753 ♣ A Q 8 **↑** 10 9 2 **♦** 85 Ν **v** 10 8 7 5 3 **9** 9 6 2 **♦** 10 6 **♦** 42 S ♣ J9654 **4** 10 7 3 2 **♠** QJ63 ♥ AQJ ♦ AKQ98 **♣** K

Shape 4243 2524 4351 3325 HCP 17 0 22 1 Losers 6 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ ⁸	Pass	7 ^
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 108 South Deals E-W Vul

∧ K Q 4 ♥ QJ98 ♦ Q3 ♣ Q 10 9 8

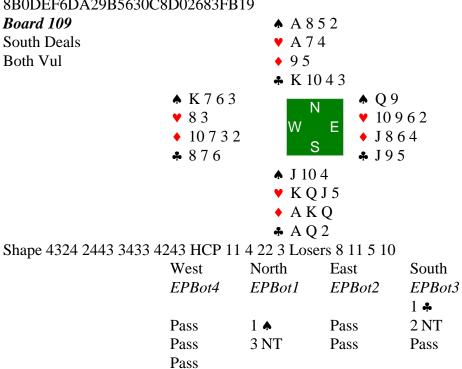
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- **♦** J9 **♥** 632 ♦ J 10 9 7 5 4 S ***** 74
- **▲** A8753
- ♥ A K 5 4
- ♦ A K
- ♣ A K

Shape 3424 2362 5422 3235 HCP 12 2 25 1 Losers 7 10 3 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^3}$	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	7 🛦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

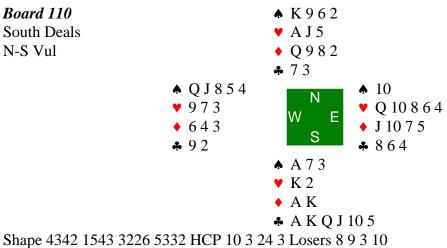
- - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 - 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♠ by South

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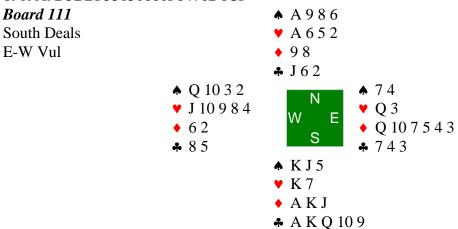
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 4423 2263 3235 4522 HCP 9 4 24 3 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 112 South Deals None Vul

▲ AQ87 **♥** K 4 ♦ J 5 2 **4** 9843 **▲** 1093

v 82 ♦ A K 7 4 **4** 10 7 5 2

♦ 652 ♥ J9765 **◆** 10 9 8 6 S **4** 6 **♦** KJ4

- ▼ A Q 10 3
- Q3
- ♣ AKQJ

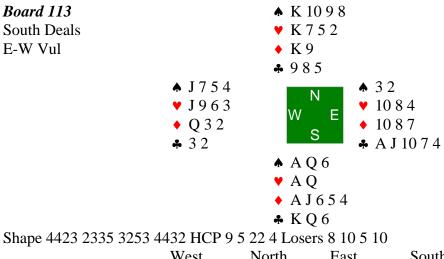
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 .			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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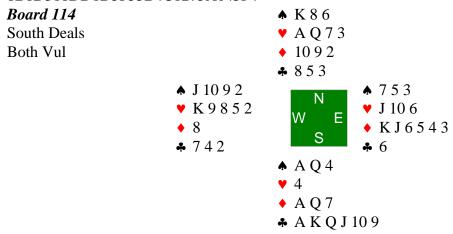
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Dbl	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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Shape 3433 3361 3136 4513 HCP 9 5 22 4 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- ass
- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 115 ▲ A 10 7 5 South Deals ♥ A 10 3 2 **♦** 32 None Vul **♣** 765 **A** 2 **▲** J963 ♥ Q754 **9**86 • Q 10 7 6 4 ♦ J95 S **4** 983 ♣ QJ2 **★** K Q 8 4 ♥ KJ ♦ A K 8 ♣ A K 10 4

Shape 4423 4333 4234 1453 HCP 8 5 23 4 Losers 9 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♣ ⁸	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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★ K Q 8 5 **Board 116** South Deals **♥** KJ95 N-S Vul **♦** 74 **♣** 954 **♦** J 10 2 **♦** 973 **v** 10 8 6 3 **v** 74 ◆ Q53 ★ K962 S **4** 10 8 7 ♣ J632 **♠** A 6 4 **♥** A Q 2 ♦ AJ108 ♣ A K Q

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1 .			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 117South Deals Both Vul

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▼ K 10 7
◆ J 2
★ K 8 7 6 4
N
A J 1
D 2
D 3 8

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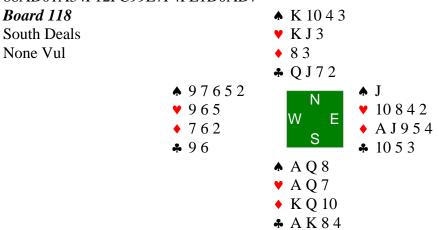
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- **♥** A Q 6
- ♦ AKQ84
- ♣ A

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 .	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	$5 \wedge 3$
Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♣ ⁵
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Dace			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 - 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
 - 4. King ask by 5 NT
 - 5. K=0
- 6 N by North

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Shape 4324 1453 3334 5332 HCP 10 6 24 0 Losers 8 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 119 ♦ K 10 3 South Deals ♥ AJ53 E-W Vul 973 ♣ Q 10 4 **♦** 96 **♦** 8754 **v** 10 9 7 6 2 ◆ KJ42 **♦** 10 8 5 S **♣** J 9 ***** 87652 **♠** A Q J 2 **♥** K Q 8 ♦ A Q 6

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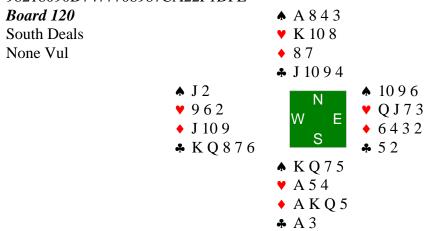
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2 wait	ino		

♣ A K 3

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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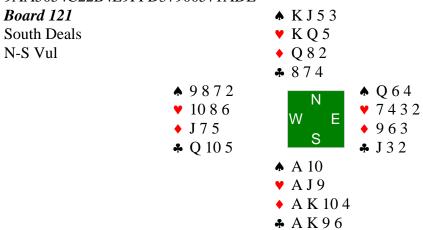


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Dbl	Rdbl	Pass	2 •
Pass	2 🛦	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. stron	ıg		
2 0			

- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 4 ♠ by North

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ng		
2. waiti	ing		
2 0.			

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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▲ A873 Board 122 South Deals ♥ AQJ5 E-W Vul ★ K96 ♣ J 4 **♦** 95 **↑** 10 6 4 2 Ν **9** 9 7 3 **∨** K 10 4 W **♦** 8743 **♦** 10 2 S **4** 10 7 3 2 **4** 9865 ♠ KQJ **v** 862 ♦ AQJ5 ♣ A K Q

Shape 4432 4324 3343 2344 HCP 15 3 22 0 Losers 7 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2 wait	ing		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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Board 123 South Deals Both Vul

★ K J 10 9
★ K Q 7 3
◆ Q 8 4
★ 10 4
W E
★ 7 4
▼ J 8 6 4
◆ J 9 6 5 3 2
★ 6

- * A J 9 8 5
 - ✓ A 2✓ A K
 - **♣** KQ732

Shape 4432 2461 4225 3325 HCP 11 2 22 5 Losers 7 9 3 10

♦ 853

v 10 9 5

♦ 10 7

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by South

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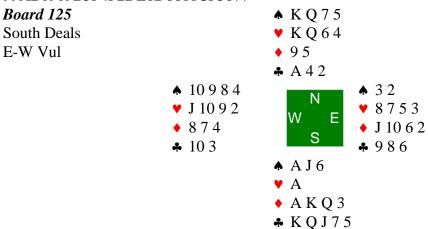
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Shape 3442 3235 5242 2524 HCP 9 4 24 3 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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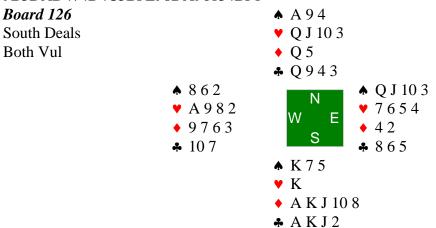


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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Shape 3424 4423 3154 3442 HCP 11 3 22 4 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 stron	œ		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 127 ★ KQ75 South Deals ♥ QJ43 None Vul **♦** Q9 ♣ J 8 7 **♦** 83 **▲** J9642 **v** 76 **v** 852 ◆ A 10 5 4 3 → J 8 S **4** 10 9 5 2 **♣** 643 **♠** A 10 ♥ A K 10 9 ◆ K 7 6 2 **♣** A K Q

Shape 4423 5323 2443 2254 HCP 11 2 23 4 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	5 📤 ⁸	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6. Cue bid, surplus
- 7. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 8. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 128 South Deals E-W Vul A 2 ✓ A J 8 3 ✓ J 10 8 5 3 ♣ Q 2 ♣ 10 9 8 ✓ 10 7 4

↑ 7 4 2 ♣ K 9 8 7

N J 6 5 4 ∨ 9 • 9 6 • J 10 6 5 4 3

★ K Q 7 3▼ K Q 6 5 2◆ A K Q♣ A

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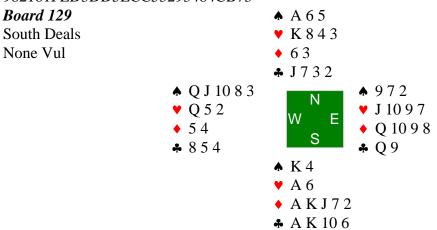
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 Y	Pass	Pass
Dogg			

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 4. !H queen and !S king

6 ♥ by South

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Shape 3424 3442 2254 5323 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		

- 3. Stayman 3 N by South

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Board 130 ♦ K 10 2 South Deals ♥ QJ63 Both Vul ♦ Q J ♣ K Q 7 4 **↑** 764 **▲** J93 Ν **v** 85 **v** 742 ◆ 108765 **♦** 942 S **4** 98652 **4** 10 3 **♠** AQ85 ♥ A K 10 9 ◆ A K 3 **♣** A J

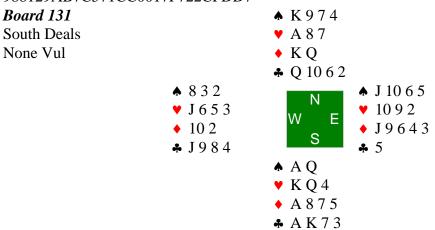
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	1 20 0 200	015 / 11 . 11	
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	,		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

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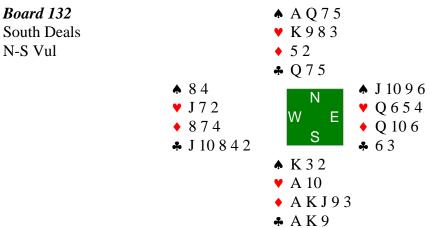


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	-	•10 / 10 0 11	
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wai	ting		

- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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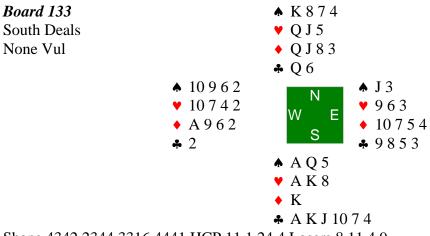


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
•			

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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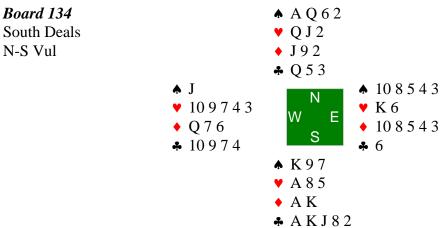
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ◆
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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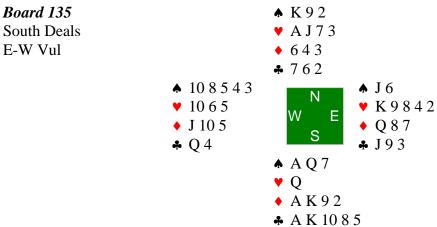
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman

6 N by South

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Shape 3433 2533 3145 5332 HCP 8 7 22 3 Losers 10 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3. Stayı	man		

- 3 N by South

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Board 136 ★ K Q 10 3 South Deals **♥** K 5 Both Vul ◆ AJ862 **4** 10 6 **▲** J942 **★** 8765 **v** 632 ♥ QJ98 **◆** 10 7 3 94 S **♣** 542 ***** 873 **♠** A ♥ A 10 7 4 ♦ K Q 5 **♣** A K Q J 9

Shape 4252 4423 1435 4333 HCP 13 3 23 1 Losers 6 10 3 12

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^2}$	Pass	$5 \diamond 3$
Pass	5 Y	Pass	6 ♣ ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- - 1. strong
 - 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 - 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 4. !D queen and !C king

7 N by North

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Board 137 **▲** A83 South Deals ♥ A 6 5 N-S Vul ♦ J8654 ***** 85 **▲** 109754 **♠** QJ2 ▼ J 9 7 3 2 **v** 10 4 W **◆** 10 7 **♦** 92 S ♣ J 9 7 4 ♣ A 10 3 **∧** K 6 **♥** KQ8 ♦ A K Q 3

Shape 3352 3523 2344 5224 HCP 9 8 22 1 Losers 9 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 •
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁴	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ KQ62

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0

6 N by South

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★ K 8 3 **Board 138** ♥ QJ83 South Deals E-W Vul ♦ Q 10 8 ♣ Q 7 2 **↑** 1095 **↑** 762 Ν **∨** K 10 9 7 6 **♥** 542 ◆ J643 **♦** 752 S ♣ J85 **4** 104 **♠** AQJ4 **♥** A ♦ A K 9 ♣ A K 9 6 3

Shape 3433 3532 4135 3343 HCP 10 3 25 2 Losers 8 10 3 12

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2. wait	ing		

- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

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Board 139 ♠ KJ10 South Deals ♥ A 10 9 7 None Vul **♦** 87 **4** 10 8 7 3 **♦** Q842 **↑** 75 **∨** K 2 ♥ J8643 **♦** 964 ◆ Q 10 5 2 S ♣ J954 **♣** 62 **▲** A 9 6 3 **♥** Q 5

Shape 3424 2542 4243 4234 HCP 8 3 23 6 Losers 9 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	σ		

♦ A K J 3 ♣ A K Q

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +460

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Board 140 ∧ KJ96 South Deals ♥ AJ2 Both Vul ♦ J2 **♣** J954 **↑** 7 **♠** Q853 **v** 10 6 5 4 **9** 8 7 3 **♦** 10 9 3 ◆ K854 S ♣ Q 7 3 2 **4** 10 6 **▲** A 10 4 2 ♥ K Q ◆ AQ76 ♣ A K 8

Shape 4324 4432 4243 1444 HCP 11 2 22 5 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 141 **∧** K9 South Deals **♥** K 9 7 3 None Vul **◆** 10 8 5 ♣ Q 10 7 4 **▲** 1086 ♠ Q742 **♥** J 5 ♥ Q 10 8 4 2 ◆ J72 ♦ K43 S ♣ J9853 **.** 2 **▲** AJ53 **♥** A 6 ♦ AQ96

Made 5 — NS +460

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		
3 N by So	outh		

♣ A K 6

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♦ QJ6 **Board 142** ♥ KJ85 South Deals N-S Vul **♦** J9 **♣** K 7 5 2 **▲** 10 8 4 **♦** 97 **v** 10 9 7 6 **4** 4 3 2 **♦** 63 ◆ Q 10 8 4 2 S ♣ QJ106 **♣** 984 ♠ A K 5 3 2 ♥ A Q ♦ A K 7 5

Shape 3424 2353 5242 3424 HCP 11 2 24 3 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A 3

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 143 ♦ K 10 2 ♥ QJ54 South Deals None Vul ♦ A 6 ♣ KJ43 **♦**963 **♦** 54 **v** 876 **v** 10 3 **♦** 87542 ♦ Q 10 9 3 S **4** 10 9 6 2 ♣ Q87 **▲** AQJ87 A K 9 2 ♦ KJ ♣ A 5

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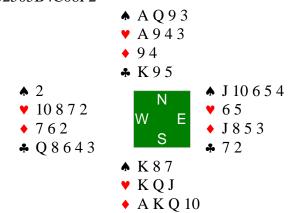
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^3}$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ∨ ⁵
Pass	7 🛦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 5. !S queen and !H king
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 144South Deals N-S Vul



* A J 10 Shape 4423 5242 3343 1435 HCP 13 2 23 2 Losers 7 10 5 9

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 etron	Œ		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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★ K 7 6 3 Board 145 South Deals ♥ KJ103 E-W Vul ♦ J 5 2 ♣ J 7 ♠ QJ1052 Ν ♥ Q82 954 W **♦** 863 • A 10 9 7 4 S **♣** 10 6 5 4 2 **4** 98 **▲** A 9 8 4 ♥ A 7 6 ♦ K Q ♣ A K Q 3

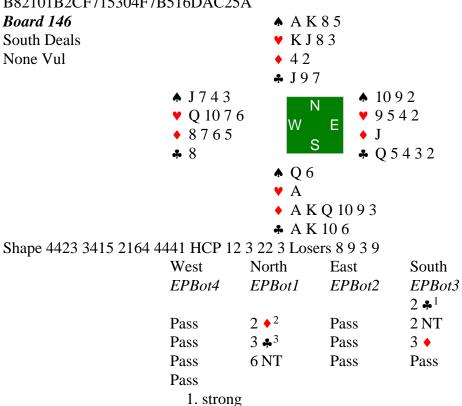
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠× by South

Down 1 — NS -100

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2. waiting 3. Stayman 6 N by South

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Board 147 ♠ AJ74 South Deals **♥** KJ63 N-S Vul 975 **4** 97 **♠** Q982 **♦** 653 **v** 7 **V** 842 ◆ J 10 8 3 ◆ K 6 4 2 S ♣ J 10 5 3 2 ♣ Q 6 **♦** K 10 **♥** A Q 10 9 5

A Q

♣ A K 8 4

Shape 4432 4342 2524 3145 HCP 9 7 22 2 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♣ ⁸	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=0

6 ♥ by South

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▲ AJ86 **Board 148** South Deals **♥** A 10 9 5 E-W Vul **♦** 97 ♣ J62 **▲** 10 7 5 3 **♦** 92 **∨** K743 **v** 86 ♦ K Q 108432 S **4** 10 5 4 **♣** 9873 **★** K Q 4 ♥ QJ2 ♦ AJ65

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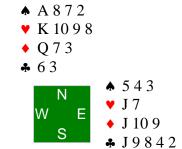
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			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	$3 *^3$	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

♣ A K Q

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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Board 149 South Deals Both Vul



- ↑ QJ106 ▼ 52 ↑ K8642 ↑ 75
- **∧** K 9 **∨** A Q 6 4 3
- A 5
- ♣ A K Q 10

Shape 4432 3235 2524 4252 HCP 9 3 22 6 Losers 8 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	7 🕶
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

7 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

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Board 150 South Deals N-S Vul

A A 9 8 2 ▼ K 9 7 6 ◆ 7 6 ♣ K J 2

↑ QJ104 ▼ 10842 • J54 • 94

- W E S ↑ 7653 ▼ J • 982 • 108765
- **♠** K
- **♥** A Q 5 3
- ◆ A K Q 10 3
- ♣ A Q 3

Shape 4423 4135 1453 4432 HCP 11 1 24 4 Losers 8 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	7 💙
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

7 **♥** by South

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Board 151 South Deals E-W Vul

- ♠ K Q 10 3
- **♥** K 6
- ◆ A 6 5
- **4** 10 8 5 4
- ♦ 8 4♥ J 9 8 4 2♦ 7 4 3 2♣ 6 2
- W E S → J97 ▼ 753 • Q1098 • J93
- **♦** A 6 5 2
- ♥ A Q 10
- ♦ KJ
- ♣ A K Q 7

Shape 4234 3343 4324 2542 HCP 12 4 23 1 Losers 7 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♠ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ 8	Pass	7 ^
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 152 South Deals Both Vul

♦ A 10 8 4 **♥** K 8 6 **•** 10 7 6 3

♣ J965♥ J75◆ J92

◆ J 9 2 **♣** 10 4 3



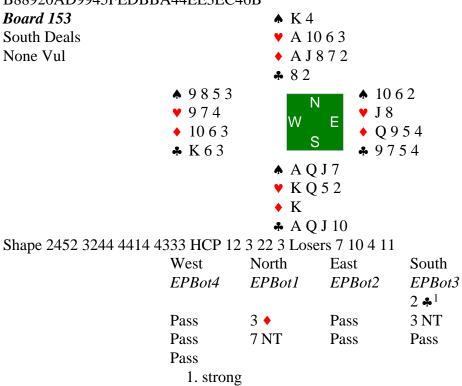
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- **♥** A Q 10 4 2
- ♦ A Q 5
- ♣ A K 2

Shape 4342 3235 2533 4333 HCP 8 7 22 3 Losers 9 8 4 12

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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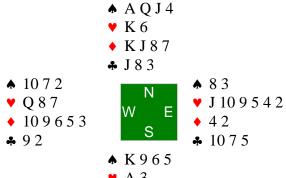


7 N by South

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Board 154 South Deals E-W Vul



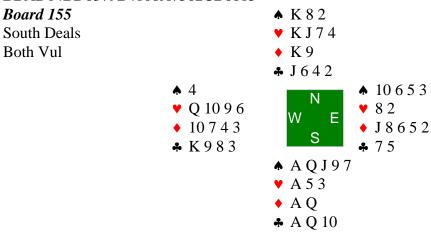
- **♥** A 3
- ♦ A Q
- ♣ A K Q 6 4

Shape 4243 2623 4225 3352 HCP 15 1 22 2 Losers 7 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	5 A
Pass	7 🛧	Pass	Pass
Dogg			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. artificial
- 7 ♠ by South

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Shape 3424 4252 5323 1444 HCP 11 1 23 5 Losers 8 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 156South Deals None Vul

A 10 7 5✓ K J 3✓ 10 4 3→ J 9 2

- ♣ QJ6♥ Q986◆ 98♣ 7643
- W E S P 3 2 P 10 7 5 4 2 P 10 8
- **★** K 8 4
- **♥** A
- ♦ A K Q J 6
- ♣ A K Q 5

Shape 4333 3532 3154 3424 HCP 9 0 26 5 Losers 10 11 2 9

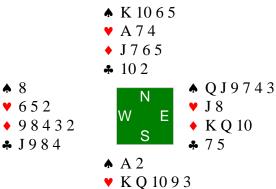
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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Board 157 South Deals Both Vul



• A

♣ AKQ63

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 🔻	Pass	$3 NT^3$
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ 8	Pass	7 🕶
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1

7 ♥× by South

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♦ QJ76 **Board 158** South Deals **♥** QJ9 None Vul **♦** J 5 ♣ J842 **♦** 32 **▲** 10854 **∨** K 10 7 **v** 8432 9743 **•** 10 S **♣** K 7 5 3 ♣ Q 10 9 6 **▲** A K 9 **♥** A 6 5 ◆ AKQ862 ♣ A

Shape 4324 4414 3361 2344 HCP 8 3 24 5 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 •
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	7 NT
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- $7 \text{ N} \times \text{by South}$

Down 1 — NS -100

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Board 159South Deals N-S Vul

 ★ K 10 6 4

 ▼ A Q 6

 ◆ J 5 3

 ♣ Q 5 3

 ▼ 7 5 4 2

 ◆ 10 8 2

 ♣ 7 6 4 2

 A Q J 7

♥ KJ10

• A 7

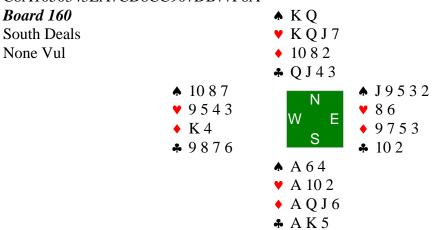
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	6 ^
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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Shape 2434 5242 3343 3424 HCP 14 1 22 3 Losers 7 10 6 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
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2. waiti	ing		
3. Stayı	man		
6 N by Sc	outh		

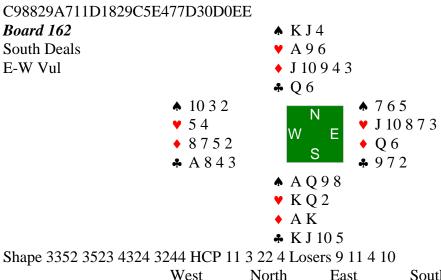
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Board 161 ★ K 8 3 2 South Deals **♥** K 8 N-S Vul ◆ Q 5 4 3 **♣** 10 7 4 **♠** Q **▲** 1094 N ♥ J762 ♥ Q 5 4 **♦** 986 ◆ J 10 7 2 S **♣** 8652 ♣ KJ93 **▲** AJ765 **Y** A 10 9 3 • A K ♣ A Q

Shape 4243 3334 5422 1444 HCP 8 6 22 4 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	3 A	Pass	$3 NT^3$
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ^
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South



West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
6 N by So	outh		
Made 6 –	– NS +990		

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Board 163 South Deals N-S Vul







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- ♦ A K Q J 9
- ♣ A K 6

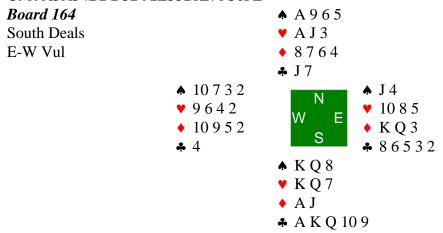
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ^ 4	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♣ ⁸	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=0

6 ♥ by South

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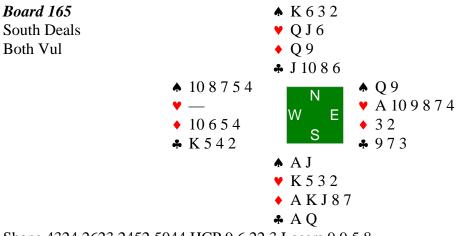
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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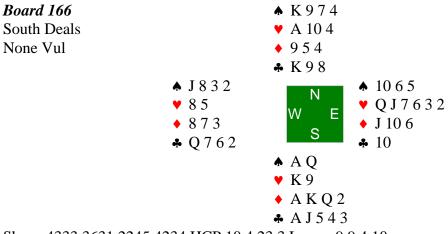


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
2 0	-		

- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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Shape 4333 3631 2245 4234 HCP 10 4 23 3 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♠ K 10 8 5 **Board 167 ♥** K 7 4 South Deals **♦** 10 5 Both Vul **♣** KJ63 **↑** 72 **♦** J94 **v** 82 ♥ QJ96 ◆ QJ976 **♦** 8432 S **4** 10 9 7 5 **4** 4 2 **♠** AQ63 **Y** A 10 5 3 ◆ A K

Shape 4324 3442 4423 2254 HCP 10 4 23 3 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A Q 8

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 168South Deals None Vul

★ K Q **▼** A Q J 8

- **♦** 93
- **♣** 10 8 4 3 2
- ♦ 9763♥ 43♦ J1054♣ 965
- W E S J 10 8 5 4 ▼ K 9 7 5 2 ◆ 8 7 ♣ 7
- **♠** A 2
- **v** 10 6
- ♦ AKQ62
- ♣ AKQJ

Shape 2425 5521 2254 4243 HCP 12 4 23 1 Losers 7 8 3 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	$4 NT^2$	Pass	$5 \diamond 3$
Pass	5 Y	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	6 ♠ ⁶
Pass	6 NT	Pass	7
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. !C queen no !S king
- 5. King ask by available bid
- 6. K=1
- 7 ♣ by South

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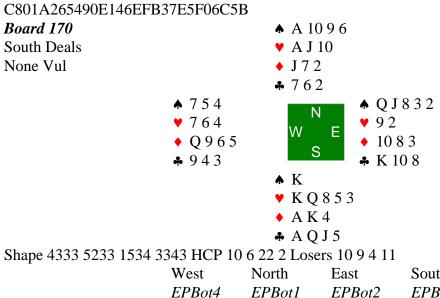
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Shape 4234 4522 3433 2254 HCP 9 5 23 3 Losers 9 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

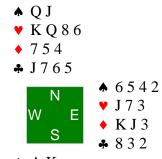
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 🕶	Pass	4 💙
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
4 ♥ by So	uth		
Made 6 —	- NS +480		

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Board 171 South Deals N-S Vul



- ♠ A K
- ▼ A 10 4 2
- ◆ AQ62
- **♣** K Q 9

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9 9 5

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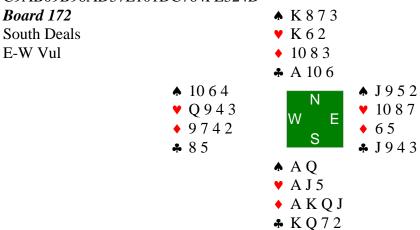
♣ A 10 4

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by South

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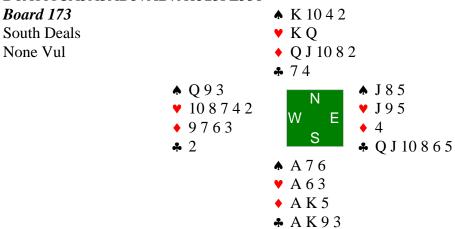
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	5		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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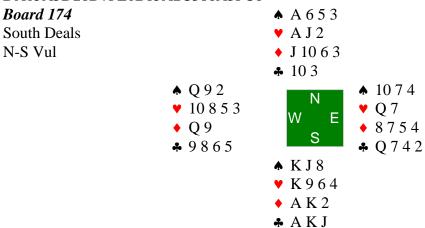
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 🔸
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 Y
Pass	5 ♠ ⁵	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 5. !D queen and !S king

6 ♦ by North

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong			

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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∧ KJ4 **Board 175** ♥ QJ97 South Deals Both Vul ♦ J63 ♣ Q84 **★** 8732 **↑** 10965 **v** 62 **V** 854 94 ◆ 10 8 7 2 S **4** 653 ♣ A K J 2 ♠ A Q ♥ A K 10 3 ♦ A K Q 5 **4** 10 9 7

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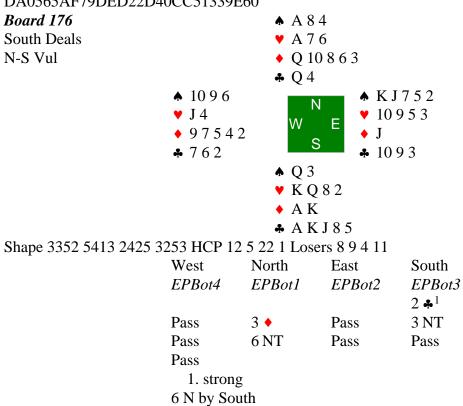
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ^ 4	Pass	4 ♦ ⁵
Pass	4 🕶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^6}$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁷	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 7. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

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Board 177 ▲ K 8 4 South Deals **♥** K 6 Both Vul ♦ QJ85 ♣ K Q 7 5 **♦** Q 10 9 6 5 **↑** 7 2 **v** 10 8 3 2 ♥ J9754 **4** ♦ 7632 S ♣ J92 **4** 10 8 **▲** AJ3 ♥ A Q ♦ A K 10 9

Shape 3244 2542 3244 5413 HCP 14 1 22 3 Losers 6 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			1 ♦
Pass	2 🚓	Pass	3 .
Pass	3 NT	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^1}$
Pass	5 ♦ ²	Pass	5 Y
Pass	$5 \triangleq^3$	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 ♥ ⁵	Pass	7
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A 6 4 3

- 1. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 2. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 3. !C queen and !S king
- 4. King ask by 5 NT
- 5. K=2
- 7 ♣ by North

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Shape 4324 5332 2335 2452 HCP 11 5 22 2 Losers 7 10 6 9

6 N by South

West	North	East	South	
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3	
			$2 *^{1}$	
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT	
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦	
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass	
Pass				
1. strong	or D			
2. waitii	ng			
3. Stayman				

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Board 179 South Deals E-W Vul

♠ QJ74 ♥ A Q ♦ J 7 6

♣ K 10 6 3

▲ 10963 **9** 9 6 4 2 ♦ K93 **♣** 52

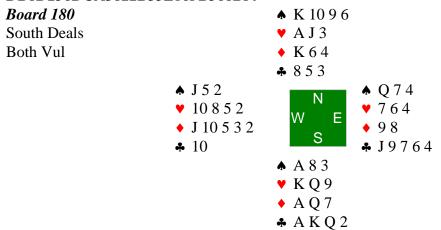
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- **▲** A K 2
- **♥** K 8 7 5
- ♦ A Q 5
- ♣ A Q 8

Shape 4234 2344 3433 4432 HCP 13 2 22 3 Losers 8 11 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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6 N by South

West	North	East	South	
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3	
			2 + 1	
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT	
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦	
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass	
Pass				
1. stron	g			
2. waiti	ng			
3. Stayman				

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Board 181 ▲ KJ86 South Deals **♥** K 10 2 None Vul **♦** 85 ♣ J984 **▲** 10 7 5 4 **♦** 93 **9** 9 6 3 ♥ QJ874 **♦** 10 9 4 ◆ Q732 S ♣ A 7 3 **♣** 52 **♠** A Q 2 **♥** A 5 ♦ A K J 6 **♣** K Q 10 6

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			$2 *^{1}$
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wait	ting		
3. Stay	man		
3 N by S	outh		
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♠ QJ62 **Board 182** South Deals ♥ A 9 6 N-S Vul ♦ A 9 **4** 9843 **▲** 10 9 7 5 **∧** K84 ♥ Q 10 7 5 **v** 42 ◆ J 10 5 4 ↑ 762 S **♣** J 7 2 **4** 10 6 5 **▲** A 3 **♥** KJ83 ♦ KQ83

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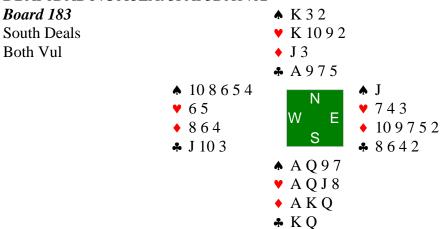
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	2		

♣ A K Q

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman

6 N by South

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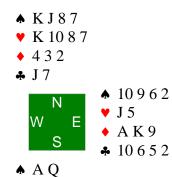
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2 woiti	na		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

7 N by South

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Board 184 South Deals N-S Vul



- ↑ 7 5♣ Q 8 4 3
 - ✓ A Q 2✓ Q J 10 8 6✓ A K 9

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9 9 6 4 3

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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♠ Q J **Board 185** South Deals ♥ A 9 4 3 E-W Vul ♦ Q94 ♣ Q863 **♦** 98543 **♦** K 10 7 6 2 ♥ J85 **v** 10 7 2 **♦** 108 → J 7 S **4** 975 ♣ J 10 4 **♠** A **♥** KQ6

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2 waiti	na		

◆ A K 6 5 3 2 ♣ A K 2

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 186 South Deals None Vul

★ K 10 4
▼ K Q 7
◆ Q 10
◆ 9 8 7 5 3

▲ J9753♥ 2◆ 7653♣ 642



- **♠** A
- **♥** J8643
- A K 9
- ♣ AKQJ

Shape 3325 4441 1534 5143 HCP 10 7 22 1 Losers 8 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	6 Y	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 187 ▲ A K 8 4 South Deals ♥ A 8 4 N-S Vul **♦** J 10 ***** 8753 **▲** 10 2 **♠** Q 6 ♥ J975 **v** 10 6 3 2 943 ◆ Q7652 S **♣** J 9 **♣** 10 6 4 2 **▲** J9753 ♥ K Q ♦ A K 8 ♣ A K Q

Shape 4324 2434 5233 2452 HCP 12 2 22 4 Losers 8 11 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ ⁷	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7. no !S queen
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 188South Deals E-W Vul

A K 8 3 **V** K 2 **•** 10 9 8 7 6 **•** 9 4

▲ J954▼ 865◆ Q43♣ J63



- ♠ Q 10 2
- **♥** AJ9
- AKJ
- ♣ A K Q 7

Shape 4252 2524 3334 4333 HCP 10 2 24 4 Losers 7 9 5 11

North	East	South
EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
		2 ♣ ¹
3 ♦	Pass	4 •
$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	$5 \diamond 3$
5 Y	Pass	6 ♦ ⁴
Pass	Pass	
	EPBot1 3 ◆ 4 NT ² 5 ♥	EPBot1 EPBot2 3 ◆ Pass 4 NT² Pass 5 ♥ Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. no !D queen
- 6 ♦ by North

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Board 189 ★ K 7 6 5 South Deals ♥ QJ7 Both Vul ♦ Q953 ***** 87 **♦** J 10 3 **♦** 9842 **♥** K 10 4 2 **A** 9 8 5 **♦** 10 8 2 **♦** 6 ♣ J 10 6 5 2 **4** 4 3 ♠ A Q **v** 63 ♦ AKJ74 ♣ A K Q 9

Shape 4342 4432 2254 3415 HCP 8 4 23 5 Losers 8 10 4 9

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wait	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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Board 190 South Deals N-S Vul A 9 6 2♥ Q J 3♦ 10 7♣ J 10 8 6

★ KJ87▼ 1096◆ J63

♦ K74

N W E S P Q 10 5 3 ▼ 8 7 4 2 • 9 5 4 ♣ 5 2

- **♠** 4
- ♥ A K 5
- ♦ AKQ82
- ♣ A Q 9 3

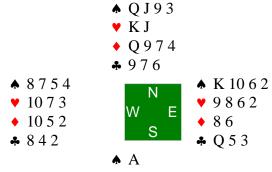
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North West East South EPBot4 EPBot1 EPBot2 EPBot3 2 **♣**¹ $2 \diamond^2$ Pass Pass 2 NT 3 + 3Pass Pass **3** ♦ Pass 3 NT Pass Pass Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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Board 191 South Deals E-W Vul



- ♥ AQ54
- ◆ A K J 3
- ♣ A K J 10

Shape 4243 4423 1444 4333 HCP 9 5 26 0 Losers 8 9 3 12

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2 waiti	nσ		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

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♦ A Q 4 **Board 192** South Deals **♥** K 7 4 3 Both Vul ♦ 1082 **♣** J 7 5 **▲** 109653 **♦** J82 ♥ Q986 ♥ J 10 2 ♦ K74 **♦** 965 S **4** 10 4 3 **4** 9 2 **★** K 7 **♥** A 5 ◆ AQJ3 ♣ A K Q 8 6 Shape 3433 3433 2245 5332 HCP 10 3 23 4 Losers 9 11 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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★ K 6 2 **Board 193** South Deals ♥ QJ83 None Vul 98 ♣ Q632 **▲** 10 8 7 3 **♠** J 5 4 **9** 7 5 4 2 **♥** A 6 **♦** 742 ◆ Q 10 6 5 3 S **♣** K 10 5 **.** 8 **♦** A Q 9 **∨** K 10 • AKJ ♣ AJ974

Shape 3424 3253 3235 4531 HCP 8 10 22 0 Losers 8 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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Board 194 ∧ K982 South Deals ♥ AJ63 E-W Vul **♦** K 9 **♣** 1096 **▲** 10 5 3 **▲** J4 **v** 10 8 2 **7** 5 ♦ 7532 • Q 10 8 6 4 S ***** 83 ♣ QJ752 **▲** AQ76 **♥** KQ94 ♦ A J ♣ A K 4

Shape 4423 2245 4423 3352 HCP 11 4 23 2 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁸	Pass	5 NT ⁹
Pass	6 ♥ ¹⁰	Pass	7 💙
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6. Cue bid, surplus
- 7. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 8. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 9. King ask by 5 NT
- 10. K=2

7 ♥ by South

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★ K 3 **Board 195** South Deals ▼ K 10 3 2 None Vul ◆ Q972 ♣ A 7 6 **↑** 7654 ♠ Q 10 9 8 2 Ν **♥** J94 **v** 765 **♦** 863 **•** 5 S ♣ J 10 9 3 ♣ Q 4 2 ♠ AJ ♥ A Q 8 ♦ A K J 10 4

Shape 2443 5314 2353 4333 HCP 12 4 22 2 Losers 7 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
•	•		

♣ K85

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 196South Deals N-S Vul

- ▲ A 8♥ K J 9 5
- **♦** 108
- ♣ K 10 8 5 4
- ★ K 10 6♥ 6 3 2◆ 9 7 4 3♣ J 9 6
- W E S Q J 9 7 3 2
 V 10 7
 6 2
 7 7 3 2
- **♦** 54
- ♥ AQ84
- ◆ A K Q J 5
- ♣ A Q

Shape 2425 6223 2452 3343 HCP 11 3 22 4 Losers 7 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 🔻	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^2}$
Pass	5 ♥ ³	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	7 💙
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 4. King ask by 5 NT
- 5. K=1
- 7 **♥** by North

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♠ QJ64 **Board 197** South Deals ♥ A 8 7 5 Both Vul ♦ J 10 **4** 7 5 4 **↑** 75 **↑** 10 9 3 2 **v** 10 9 4 **♥** J 6 ♦ K973 **♦** 8642 S ♣ QJ62 **4** 10 9 3 **▲** A K 8 ♥ KQ32 ♦ A Q 5 ♣ A K 8

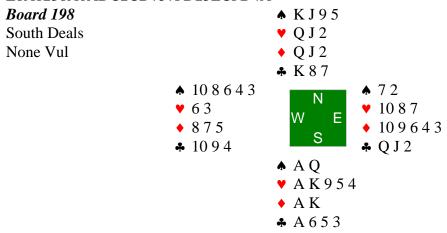
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
2 Carl	~**		

- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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Shape 4333 2353 2524 5233 HCP 13 3 24 0 Losers 8 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
Stayı	man		

- 6 N by South

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★ K Q 8 **Board 199** South Deals ♥ QJ92 N-S Vul ◆ 10 7 4 2 **4** 4 3 **♦** 543 **▲** 1096 ♥ A 6 3 ♥ K 10 8 7 4 **♦** 95 **♦** 863 S **♣** QJ985 **4** 7 2 **∧** AJ72 **y** 5 • AKQJ

Shape 3442 3532 4144 3325 HCP 8 3 22 7 Losers 8 10 4 9

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 A
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2 wait	ino		

♣ A K 10 6

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +660

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Board 200South Deals E-W Vul

★ K J 7 2▼ A 3◆ 7 5 4 2♣ Q 8 6

★ 10 8 6▼ 4 2◆ 8 6 3♣ J 9 7 3 2



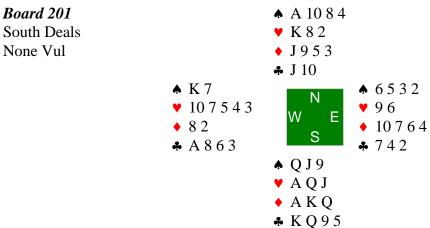
- **▲** A4
- ♥ KJ1086
- ♦ AKJ
- ♣ A K 5

Shape 4243 4432 2533 3235 HCP 10 6 23 1 Losers 8 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 4342 4243 3334 2524 HCP 9 0 24 7 Losers 9 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 202South Deals

N-S Vul

- **♠** KJ4
- **♥** K 10 2
- ♦ Q 10
- ♣ J 10 8 5 3
- ♠ Q 8 7♥ Q 9 5 3
- 9873

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- N W E S
- ♠ A 10 9 6 5 3 2
- **v** —
- ♦ 652
- **♣** 964
- **^** —
- A J 8 7 6 4
- ◆ A K J 4
- ♣ A K Q

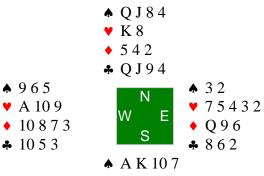
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚣
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 4 4	Pass	6 *
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♣ by South

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Board 203 South Deals E-W Vul



- ♥ QJ6
- ♦ AKJ
- ♣ A K 7

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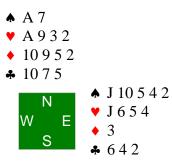
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 stron	~		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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Board 204 South Deals N-S Vul



v 10 8 7 • A 8 7 6 4 ♣ K83

♦ 98

- ♠ KQ63 ♥ K Q
- ♦ KQJ
- **♣** A Q J 9

Shape 2443 5413 4234 2353 HCP 8 2 23 7 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2. wait	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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Board 205 South Deals E-W Vul

- **♦** K J 10 **♥** A Q 5 4 **♦** 6 3 2
- **♣** K 5 2
- ♣ 8 7 6 3♥ 10 7 2◆ 9 8 7 5

♣ 64

- ♠ A Q
- **♥** KJ963
- ♦ AKJ
- ♣ A Q 9

Shape 3433 4135 2533 4342 HCP 13 3 24 0 Losers 8 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	6 ♣ ⁷	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by South

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Board 206 **▲** A 5 4 South Deals **♥** K 10 7 2 Both Vul ♦ 7632 **♣** K 3 **▲** J9876 **▲** 10 3 2 **v** 85 **♥** J94 ♦ Q 10 8 **♦** J4 S ♣ Q6542 ♣ J 10 8 **∧** K Q ♥ AQ63 ♦ AK95

Shape 3442 3325 2443 5233 HCP 10 4 22 4 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^5}$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A 9 7

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by South

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Board 207 **♦** K 10 9 South Deals ♥ A 7 6 None Vul ♦ 98732 ♣ Q3 **↑** 762 **♦** 854 **♥** K 10 8 3 ♥ J954 **♦** 65 **•** 10 S **♣** 9864 ♣ AJ1052 **▲** A Q J 3 **♥** Q 2 ♦ A K Q J 4

Shape 3352 3415 4252 3424 HCP 9 6 22 3 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 🔸
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	Pass
Pass			

♣ K 7

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♦ by North

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★ K 9 6 3 Board 208 South Deals **♥** K 8 4 2 E-W Vul ♦ Q 10 ♣ KJ8 **♠** Q 7 5 4 **♦** J82 Ν ♥ J765 W **♦** 765 J8432 S **4** 10 5 3 **♣** 9764 **♠** A 10 ♥ AQ1093 ♦ A K 9 ♣ A Q 2

Shape 4423 4054 2533 3433 HCP 12 3 23 2 Losers 8 8 4 12

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁸	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6. Cue bid, surplus
- 7. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 8. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

FBED0EA5E98B4331F855F6644650 **★** K8 Board 209 South Deals **♥** K 10 9 3 Both Vul ◆ Q6543 **4** 10 9 **▲** AJ75 **♦** 96432 **v** 875 **♥** 62 ♦ 982 ◆ J 10 7 S **♣** K 5 3 **♣** 742 **♠** Q 10 ♥ AQJ4 ◆ A K ♣ A Q J 8 6 Shape 2452 5233 2425 4333 HCP 8 3 23 6 Losers 7 10 4 11 West North East South EPBot4 EPBot1 EPBot2 EPBot3 2 **♣**¹ Pass **3** ♦ Pass 3 NT Pass Pass Pass

1. strong 3 N by South

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Board 210 ♠ A K 10 2 South Deals **∨** K 4 2 None Vul **♦** 8432 **♣** 64 **♦** Q8543 **♦** J 7 6 **983 v** 10 7 6 ♦ KJ9 **◆** 10 6 5 S **4** 10 7 **♣** J932 ♥ AQJ5 ♦ A Q 7

Shape 4342 5332 1435 3334 HCP 10 6 22 2 Losers 8 9 3 12

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 NT	Pass	7
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. stror	ng		
2 wait	ina		

♣ A K Q 8 5

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 ♣ by South

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Board 211 South Deals N-S Vul

- ★ K 9 8 2★ K 7★ K 7 5★ A J 8 3
- ↑ 10 5 4 ▼ 10 8 4 2 ◆ Q 10 2 ↑ 10 6 2
 - W E S J 3 V J 9 6 5 3 P 9 6 4 P 9 5 4
 - **▲** AQ76
 - **♥** A Q
 - ◆ AJ83
 - **♣** K Q 7

Shape 4234 2533 4243 3433 HCP 14 2 22 2 Losers 7 11 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♣ ⁷
Pass	7 ^	Pass	Pass
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- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. artificial
 - 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 - 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
 - 7. !S queen and !C king
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 212 **♠** QJ87 South Deals **♥** K 7 4 None Vul ♦ J 9 8 ♣ K 7 4 **▲** 1094 **♠** 62 ♥ Q 10 6 5 2 **y** J983 ♦ Q 4 **♦** 72 S ♣ J83 ♣ Q 10 9 6 5 **♦** A K 5 3 **♥** A ◆ A K 10 6 5 3

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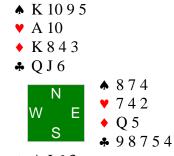
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			2 4 ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ∀ ⁷	Pass	5 NT ⁸
Pass	6 ∀ ⁹	Pass	7 ^
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A 2

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7. !S queen and !H king
- 8. King ask by 5 NT
- 9. K=2
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 213 South Deals E-W Vul



- **▲** AJ63
- **♥** K Q 8
- ◆ AJ76
- ♣ A K

Shape 4243 3325 4342 2533 HCP 13 2 22 3 Losers 7 11 5 11

♠ Q 2

♥ J9653

♦ 10 9 2

4 10 3 2

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 ∀ ⁴	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	$5 \blacktriangle^7$
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
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- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. artificial
 - 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 - 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
 - 7. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by South

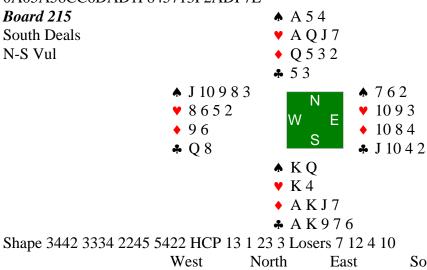
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Shape 4342 3523 2245 4333 HCP 11 4 22 3 Losers 8 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3 Stay	man		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 216South Deals E-W Vul

★ K 9 4 3
★ 7 5 3
★ 10 6
★ 10 5 4
★ 6
★ K 10 8

- ♣ J 9 8 3♥ J 10 8 5◆ Q 4♣ J 3 2
- **∧** A 6 **∨** A Q 7 2

♠ KQ72

- ◆ A 10 6 2
- ♣ A K Q

Shape 4432 3145 2443 4423 HCP 8 4 23 5 Losers 8 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

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▲ A 6 4 3 Board 217 South Deals ♥ A 7 6 **♦** 652 Both Vul ♣ J 10 2 **♠** QJ85 **♥** K8 **v** 10 9 5 4 3 2 ◆ J 10 9 7 4 **♦** 83 S **4** 9 5 ♣ Q873 **♦** K 10 7 2 🔻 Q J ♦ AKQ ♣ A K 6 4

Shape 4333 1624 4234 4252 HCP 9 2 22 7 Losers 10 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 5 ♠ by South

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Board 218 ∧ A8 South Deals **♥** KJ109 None Vul **♦** 862 ♣ J 10 7 3 **♦** 32 **♦** Q9654 ♥ A 8 5 2 **v** 764 ◆ J 10 7 5 3 S ♣ Q 2 **♣** 9854 ♠ KJ107 **♥** Q3 • A K Q 9 ♣ A K 6

Shape 2434 5314 4243 2452 HCP 9 2 22 7 Losers 9 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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★ K 5 **Board 219** ♥ K853 South Deals E-W Vul ♦ J 5 3 ♣ K 8 5 4 **♦** 98642 **♦** J3 Ν ♥ Q964 **v** 10 2 ◆ 10 9 8 4 2 **♦** 6 S **4** 962 ♣ AJ107 **▲** A Q 10 7 ♥ AJ7 • A K Q 7 ♣ Q 3

Shape 2434 2254 4342 5413 HCP 10 6 22 2 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 220 **★** K 9 7 5 South Deals **♥** A 3 Both Vul ◆ QJ752 ♣ Q 4 **♦** Q842 **♦** J6 ♥ J 10 **7** 6 5 4 2 **♦** 943 **♦** 10 8 6 S **4** 10 9 7 5 **♣** J86 **▲** A 10 3 **♥** KQ98 ◆ A K ♣ A K 3 2

Shape 4252 2533 3424 4234 HCP 12 2 23 3 Losers 7 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	5 y
Pass	5 ♠ ⁴	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. !D queen and !S king

7 N by South

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▲ A 10 Board 221 South Deals ♥ QJ107 None Vul ♦ J 10 9 6 **♣** 864 **♦** J9 **♦** 876543 **9**82 **7** 3 ♦ K854 ◆ Q32 S ♣ QJ1072 **4** 9 5 **★** K Q 2 A K 6 5 4 ◆ A 7

Shape 2443 6142 3523 2335 HCP 8 3 23 6 Losers 9 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 💙	Pass	Pass
Dace			

♣ A K 3

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 4 ♥ by South

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Board 222 **▲** A K J 7 South Deals **∨** K 6 5 4 N-S Vul **♦** 42 ♣ Q62 **♠** Q 6 4 3 **▲** 10982 ♥ J 7 2 **v** 10 9 8 3 ♦ Q3 9875 S **4** 10 7 5 4 **.** 9 **♦** 5 ♥ A Q ♦ A K J 10 6

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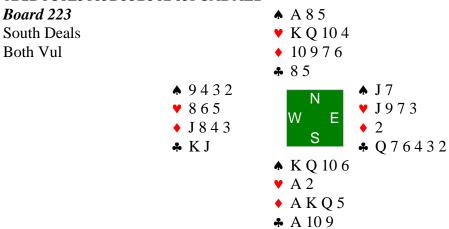
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3. Stayı	man		
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♣ A K J 8 3

7 N by South

Down 1 — NS –100

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
3 Stavi	man		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 224 **★** K 9 6 5 South Deals **♥** K 9 None Vul ♦ K 10 3 ♣ Q952 **↑** 10 8 7 4 2 ♥ A 8 6 4 ♥ Q 10 5 3 98652 **4** S **♣** 8643 ♣ J 10 7 **▲** A Q J 3 **♥** J 7 2 ◆ AQJ7

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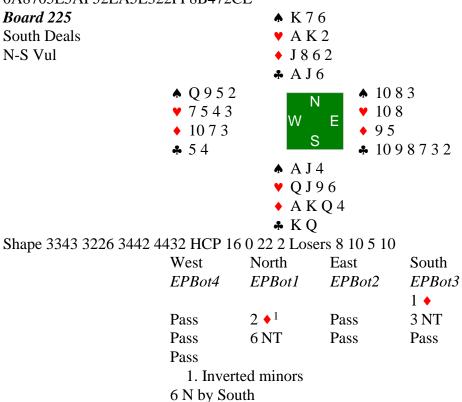
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
Dage			

♣ A K

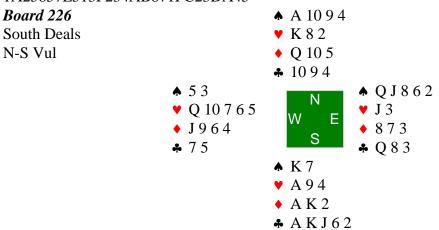
Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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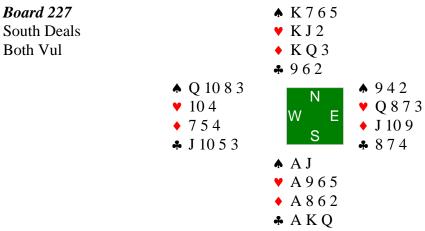


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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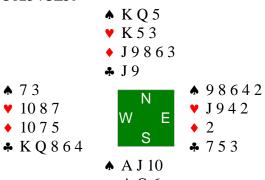
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
3. Stayı	man		

- 6 N by South

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Board 228 South Deals N-S Vul



- **♥** A Q 6
- ♦ A K Q 4
- ♣ A 10 2

Shape 3352 5413 3343 2335 HCP 10 1 24 5 Losers 8 10 5 9

↑ 73

v 10 8 7

◆ 10 7 5

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 •
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by North

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♠ A 10 6 4 Board 229 South Deals **♥** QJ96 E-W Vul → J 4 **4** 10 8 7 **▲** J98 **↑** 73 **v** 5 **v** 10 8 7 4 3 2 ♦ K 10 5 3 ◆ Q62 S ♣ J9632 **\$** 54 **★** K Q 5 2 ♥ A K ♦ A 9 8 7

Shape 4423 2632 4243 3145 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 stron	σ		

♣ A K Q

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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♠ QJ52 Board 230 South Deals A K 5 4 **♦** 85 E-W Vul **♣** 764 **↑** 763 **▲** 10 4 ♥ J876 ♥ Q 10 3 ♦ A 9 107643 S ♣ J 10 9 3 **♣** 8 5 2 **▲** A K 9 8

- **9** 9 2
- ♦ KQJ2
- **♣** A K Q

Shape 4423 2353 4243 3424 HCP 10 2 22 6 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^5}$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by South

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★ K 9 8 7 Board 231 South Deals **♥** K 8 4 None Vul **♦** 852 ♣ Q95 ♠ Q 10 2 **▲** J6543 **v** 10 7 ♥ J9532 ◆ J7643 K S **4** 764 **4** 10 8 **♠** A ♥ A Q 6 ◆ A Q 10 9 ♣ A K J 3 2

Shape 4333 5512 1345 3253 HCP 8 5 24 3 Losers 9 9 3 10

3 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wai	ting		
3. Stay	yman		

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♠ A 10 4 Board 232 South Deals ♥ AJ103 N-S Vul ◆ Q 10 9 5 **♣** 54 **♦** 873 **♦** J 5 2 **9** 9 8 7 6 4 **♥** Q 2 **♦** 86 ◆ J742 S **4** 10 7 6 ♣ QJ32 **★** KQ96 **♥** K 5 ♦ A K 3

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2 wait	ino		

♣ A K 9 8

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 233South Deals
Both Vul

- ♣ 10 6 4♥ 10 9 6♦ 7 5 3
- **4** J 8 7 5
- **▲** A 5 2
- ✓ A Q 3✓ A 2
- ♣ A K Q 9 4

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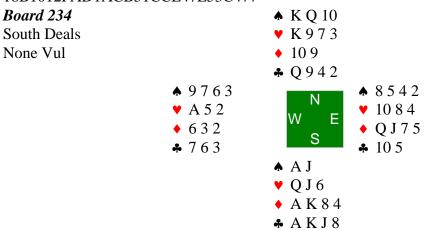
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \bullet^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 3424 4342 2344 4333 HCP 10 3 23 4 Losers 7 10 5 11

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2 waiti	nσ		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♠ QJ87 Board 235 ♥ K843 South Deals N-S Vul ♦ Q J **♣** KJ7 **♦** 652 **▲** 10 4 3 Ν **♥** 62 **v** 10 9 5 **♦** 963 **♦** 10 5 4 S ♣ Q9832 **4** 10 6 5 4 **♦** A K 9 **♥** A Q J 7 ◆ A K 8 7 2 ♣ A

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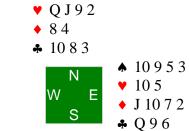
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

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Board 236 South Deals E-W Vul



♠ A K 7 2

◆ 9 6♣ J 7 5 4

♦ J 6 4

♥ K843

- **♦** Q 8 **♥** A 7 6
- A K Q 5 3
- ♣ A K 2

Shape 4423 4243 2353 3424 HCP 10 3 22 5 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♦ QJ7 Board 237 South Deals ♥ K 10 8 7 None Vul **♦** 643 **♣** K93 **A** 2 **♦** K96543 ♥ J9642 **y** 53 ♦ J98 **♦** 10 7 5 S ♣ J 8 7 2 ♣ Q 10 **♠** A 10 8 ♥ A Q • A K Q 2

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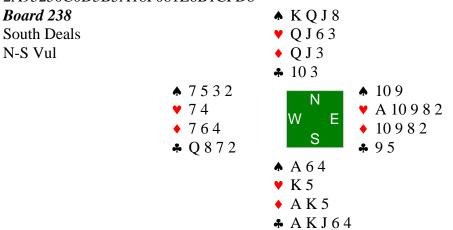
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
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♣ A 6 5 4

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Shape 4432 2542 3235 4234 HCP 12 4 22 2 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 239South Deals E-W Vul

A A Q 8 **∨** K 9 8 **→** J 8 4 3 2

♣ J 7 4 3 2♥ 10 4

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- * 95

 N
 V
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- **♠** K 10
- **♥** AJ2
- ♦ A Q 10
- **♣** A K Q J 2

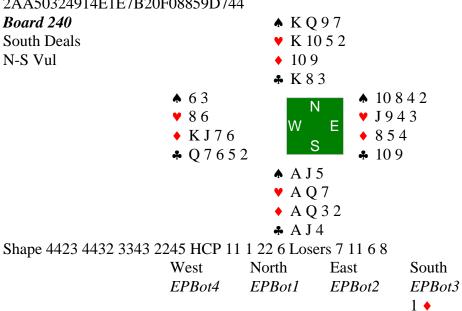
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	4 🔸
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South

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3 ♠

Pass

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Pass

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4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

2 NT

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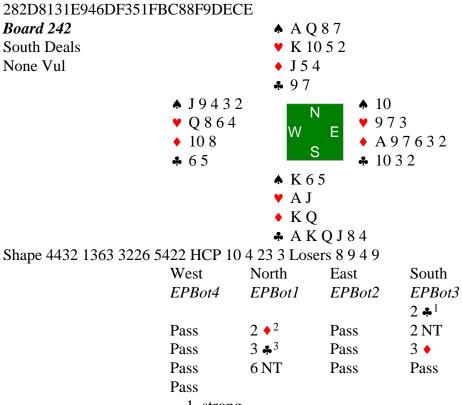
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Shape 4333 2335 4333 3442 HCP 9 2 22 7 Losers 9 11 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
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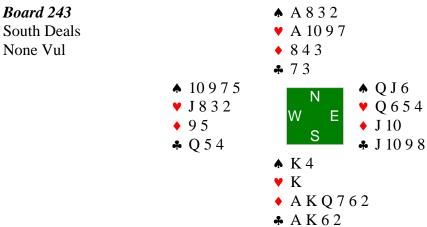
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South



- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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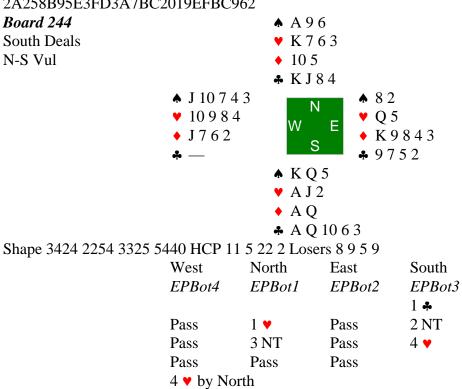


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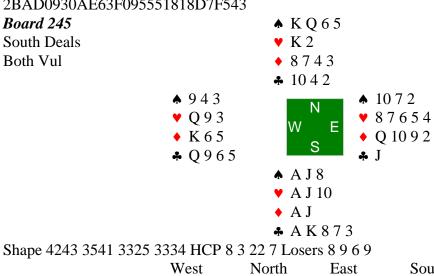
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			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
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1. stron	g		
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3. Stayı	man		

3 N by South

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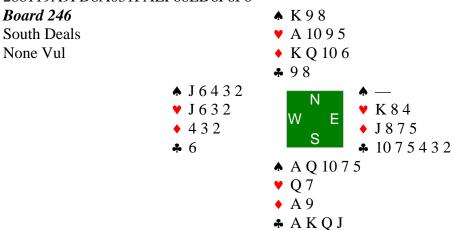


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			1 🚓
Pass	1 \land	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	Pass	Pass	
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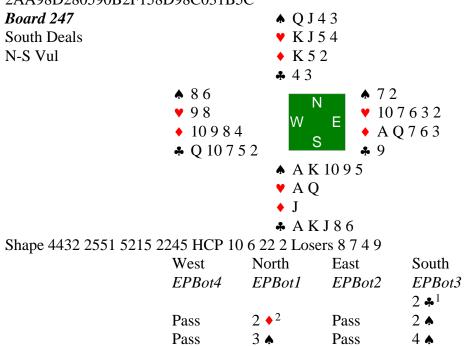


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^3}$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♣ ⁵
Pass	7 🛦	Pass	Pass
Dogg			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 - 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 - 5. !S queen and !C king
- 7 ♠ by South

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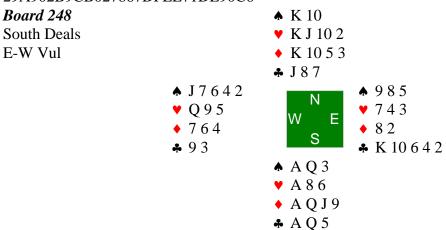
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 waiting
 by South

Made 6 — NS +680

Pass

Pass

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Shape 2443 3325 3343 5332 HCP 11 3 23 3 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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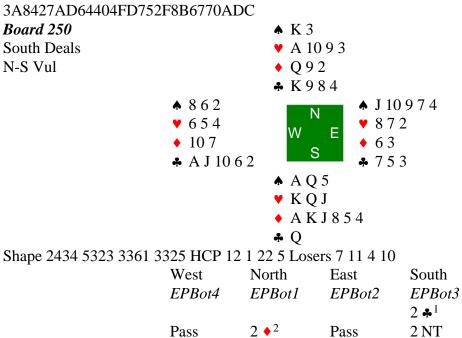
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Shape 2434 5350 3424 3235 HCP 9 3 24 4 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♣ 8	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=0

6 ♥ by South



Pass Pass

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

3 + 3

6 NT

Pass

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

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Board 251 South Deals E-W Vul

★ K 7▼ K 10 9 7◆ A 2★ K 10 9 7 4

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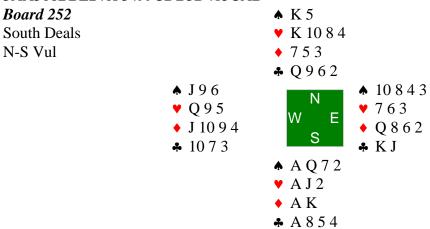
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman

7 N by South

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Shape 2434 4342 4324 3343 HCP 8 6 22 4 Losers 8 9 5 11

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +660

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♦ KJ93 Board 253 South Deals **∨** A 6 5 4 E-W Vul ♦ Q8 ***** 862 **↑** 742 **▲** 1085 **∨** K98 **v** 10 2 ◆ J 10 9 7 5 **♦** 432 S **4** 9 4 3 ♣ J 10 7 5 **♦** A Q 6 ♥ QJ73 ♦ A K 6 ♣ A K Q

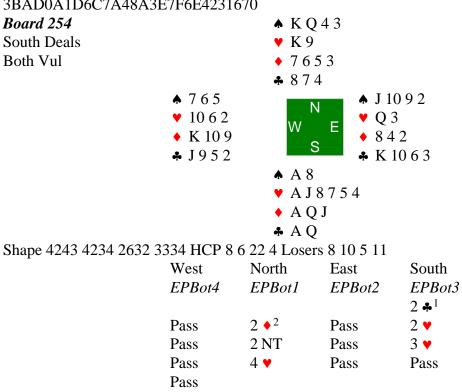
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong			
2 waitin	σ		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

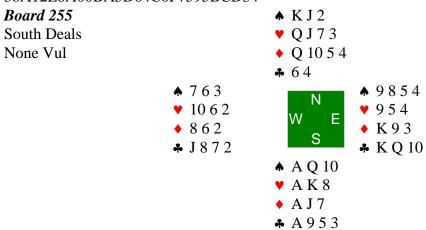
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1. strong 2. waiting 4 ♥ by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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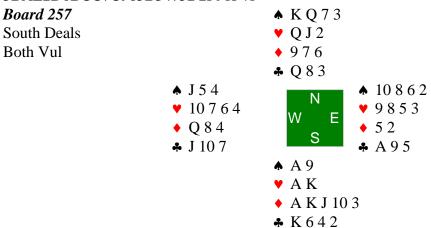
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Shape 4432 3442 3334 3235 HCP 12 0 22 6 Losers 8 11 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	9		
2. waitii	ng		
2 0			

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 4333 4423 2254 3433 HCP 10 4 22 4 Losers 8 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 258 **↑** A 5 4 2 South Deals **♥** K Q 5 4 N-S Vul ♦ K4 **4** 10 8 4 **♠** Q 7 6 **♦** J 10 9 8 3 **v** 10 3 **♥** J9862 ◆ J652 **♦** 10 7 S **4** 7653 **.** 9 **∧** K

♣ A K Q J 2 Shape 4423 5521 1255 3244 HCP 12 2 23 3 Losers 7 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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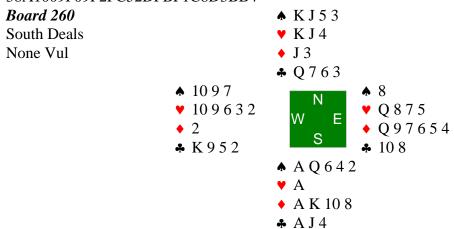
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Shape 4432 3424 4153 2434 HCP 8 5 23 4 Losers 9 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by South

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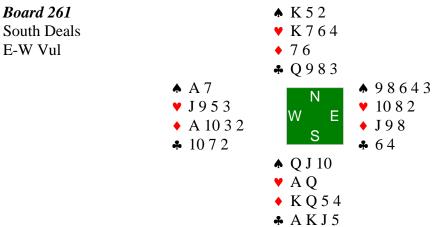
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	3 ^	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^3}$	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	5 Y	Pass	6 ♦ ⁵
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
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Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5. !S queen and !D king

6 ♠ by South

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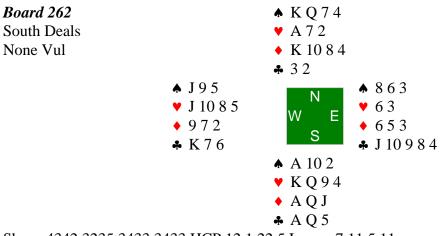


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	West	North	East	South
	EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
				2 + 1
	Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
	Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
	Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
	Pass			
	1. strong			
	2. waitin	g		
	2 0			

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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Shape 4342 3235 3433 3433 HCP 12 1 22 5 Losers 7 11 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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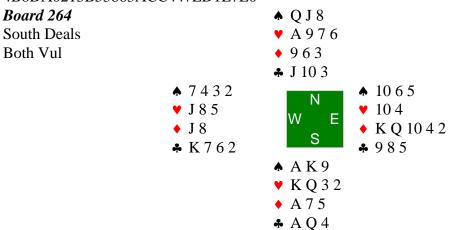
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
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- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +460

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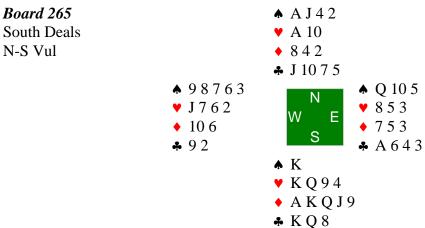


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 3 N by South

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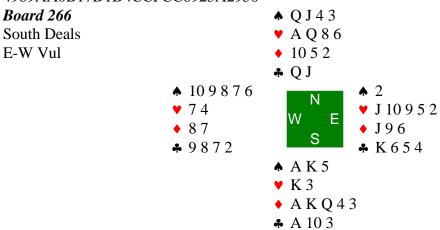


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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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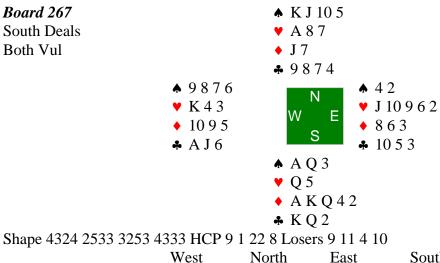


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2 vyoiti	no		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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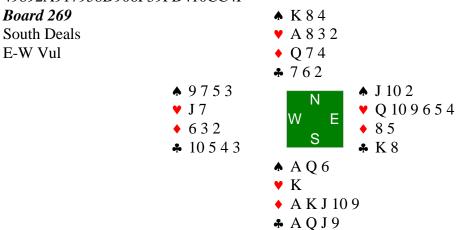
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Shape 2434 3532 3334 5143 HCP 12 3 22 3 Losers 7 10 6 9

West	North	East	South		
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3		
			2 ♣ ¹		
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT		
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦		
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass		
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1. stro					
2. waiting					
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- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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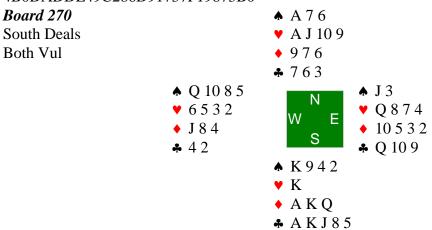
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Shape 3433 2443 4135 4432 HCP 9 5 23 3 Losers 10 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 271 **♠** A Q 2 South Deals **♥** QJ84 ♦ J32 None Vul **♣** 963 **▲** J 10 8 7 3 **♦** 96 Ν **♥** K 10 6 **v** 72 ♦ 765 10984 S **4** 4 2 ♣ K 10 8 7 5 **♦** K 5 4 **Y** A 9 5 3 ♦ AKQ

Shape 3433 2245 3433 5332 HCP 10 3 23 4 Losers 9 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁸	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

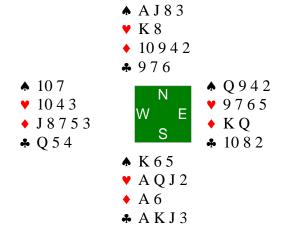
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6. Cue bid, surplus
- 7. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 8. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 272 South Deals N-S Vul

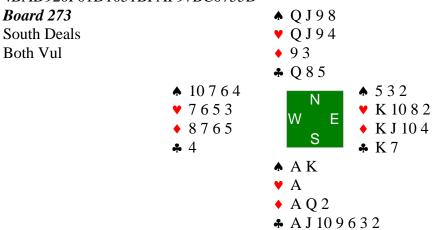


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
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- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 NS +660

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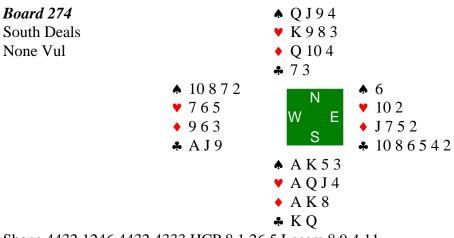


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 6 ♣ by South

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Shape 4432 1246 4432 4333 HCP 8 1 26 5 Losers 8 9 4 11

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3. Gerb	er		
4. A=3	out of 4		
6 N by So	outh		

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Board 275 **♠** A 6 South Deals **♥** K 5 4 2 N-S Vul ♦ AJ3 ♣ J 7 5 2 **♦** 542 **▲** J 10 9 7 ♥ Q 10 9 3 **v** 876 **♦** 85 **◆** 10 6 4 2 S **♣** 9843 ♣ Q 10 ♠ KQ83 ♥ A J ♦ KQ97 ♣ A K 6

Shape 2434 4342 4243 3424 HCP 13 3 22 2 Losers 8 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2 wait	ina		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 276 **♦** KJ75 South Deals **♥** A 9 4 None Vul **♦** 10 4 ♣ Q 10 9 3 **♦** 92 **♦** 8643 ♥ Q 10 6 **v** 52 **♦** 7532 ♦ KQ86 S **♣** 6542 **♣** J 8 7 **♠** A Q 10 **♥** KJ873 ◆ A J 9 ♣ A K

Shape 4324 4243 3532 2344 HCP 10 6 22 2 Losers 8 9 5 10

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West	North	East	South			
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3			
			2 + 1			
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT			
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y			
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass			
Pass						
1. strong						
2. wait	ing					

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 277 **∧** K4 South Deals **♥** KJ62 N-S Vul ◆ A876 **4** 10 9 6 ♠ Q 10 7 2 **♦** J963 **v** 10 8 7 5 **9** 9 3 **♦** J4 ◆ Q 10 5 3 S ♣ J 7 5 4 2 **4** 3 **▲** A85 ♥ A Q 4 ♦ K92 ♣ A K Q 8

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong			

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 278 **♠** A 3 South Deals ♥ A 10 8 3 E-W Vul ♦ K 10 9 2 ♣ J 10 7 **▲** J954 **▲** 10862 Ν ♥ J75 **9** 9 6 2 **♦** 654 **♦** 73 S ♣ K43 **4** 9652 **♦** K Q 7 **♥** K Q 4 ♦ AQJ8 ♣ A Q 8

Shape 2443 4324 3343 4333 HCP 12 0 23 5 Losers 8 11 4 11

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3. Stayı	man		
7 N by Sc	outh		

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♠ QJ2 **Board 279** ♥ Q J South Deals ♦ K87 Both Vul ♣ J 10 8 4 3 **4** 5 **▲** 109643 ♥ A K 10 5 3 **9** 9 6 4 2 **◆** 10 6 5 4 2 **♦** 93 S **4** 765 **4** 2 **▲** A K 8 7 **v** 87 • AQJ ♣ A K Q 9

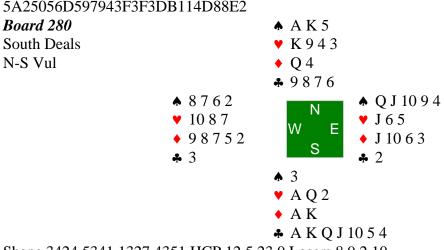
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠ ³
Pass	5 4	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5 & by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2 vyoiti	na		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 281 ♠ KJ10 **♥** K Q 10 5 South Deals E-W Vul **♦** 53 **♣** J 6 4 2 **♦** 9643 **↑** 75 **♥** J864 **9** 9 3 2 **◆** 10 8 6 2 ♦ KQ74 S **4** 10 5 **♣** 973 ♠ AQ82 **♥** A 7 ◆ AJ9 ♣ A K Q 8

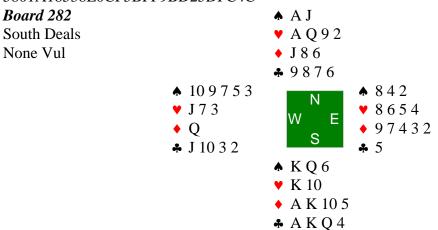
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 A
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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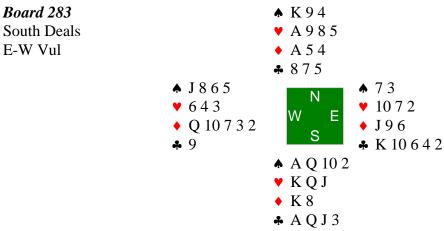


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 3433 2335 4324 4351 HCP 11 4 22 3 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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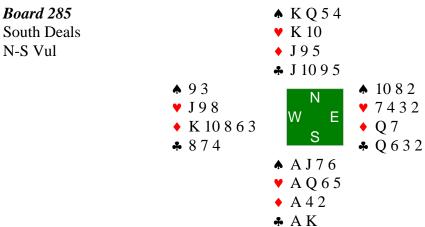
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Shape 4324 2452 4333 3334 HCP 14 4 22 0 Losers 6 9 6 12

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			1 🚓
Pass	1 🛧	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^1}$	Pass	$5 \diamond^2$
Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^3$	Pass	6 ♥ ⁴
Pass	7 🛦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- - 1. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 - 2. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 3. King ask by 5 NT
 - 4. K=2
- 7 ♠ by North

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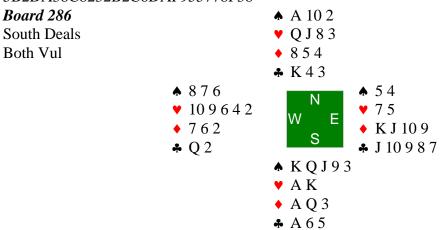
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pacc			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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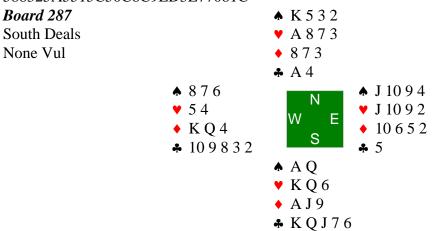


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 A
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2 wai	tina		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 4432 4441 2335 3235 HCP 11 2 22 5 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 -4	_		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♠ Q J Board 288 South Deals ♥ AJ32 N-S Vul ◆ J 10 9 7 ♣ K 10 2 **♦** K 8 7 **↑** 10 6 5 4 3 2 Ν **9** 9 7 6 4 **♥** Q **♦** 532 **♦** 84 S ♣ J 6 5 **♣** 9843

- **∧** A 9
- **♥** K 10 8 5
- ♦ A K Q 6
- ♣ A Q 7

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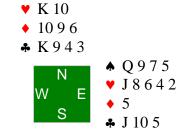
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 289 South Deals None Vul



▲ A 6 4

♠ KJ102

- **♥** A 5
- ♦ AKQJ7
- ♣ A Q 7

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♥ Q973

♦ 8432

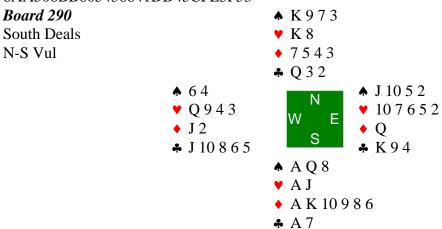
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

7 N by South

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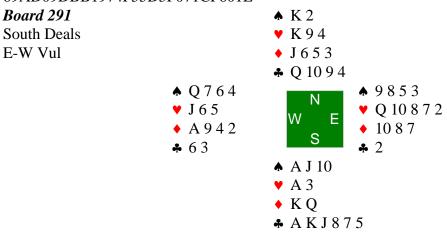


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	5		
2. waitir	ng		
2 0			

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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Shape 2344 4531 3226 4342 HCP 9 2 22 7 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South			
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3			
			1 ♣			
Pass	1 •	Pass	3 NT			
Pass	4 🐥	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^1}$			
Pass	5 ♣²	Pass	6 ♣			
Pass	Pass	Pass				
1. Blackwood 0314, for !C						
2. A=0/5 or 3/5						
6 ♣ by South						
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Board 292 ♠ K 10 8 2 South Deals **♥** K 7 5 Both Vul ♦ KQ63 **4** 98 **♦** J 6 **♦** 975 ♥ Q82 **v** 10 6 4 3 ◆ J 8 7 5 2 **♦** 94 S ♣ Q 7 3 ♣ J 10 6 2

▲ A Q 4 3

∨ AJ9

♦ A 10

♣ A K 5 4

Shape 4342 3424 4324 2353 HCP 11 1 22 6 Losers 7 11 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^5}$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♥ ⁸	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=2
- 6 ♠ by South

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▲ KJ7 Board 293 South Deals ▼ K 10 8 5 N-S Vul ♦ K954 **4** 5 3 **♦** 654 **▲** 10 8 3 2 Ν **v** 64 ♥ J973 ◆ J 8 7 2 **♦** 10 6 S ♣ Q 10 9 8 **♣** J 6 4 **♦** A Q 9 **♥** A Q 2 ♦ A Q 3

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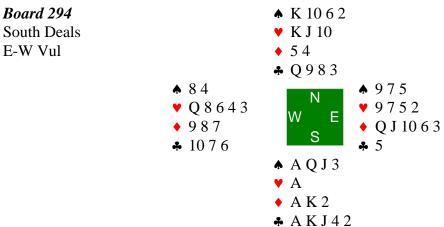
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2:4:	-		

♣ A K 7 2

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

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Shape 4324 3451 4135 2533 HCP 9 3 26 2 Losers 8 9 3 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
	_		

- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

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Board 295South Deals E-W Vul

- AQJ7KJ9872
- **♦** 10 6 3 **♥** 10 6 2
- ◆ J8653
- **4** 9 6
- * 1072

 N
 W
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 * KQ1094

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- **★** K 9 2
- ♥ AQ54
- A
- ♣ A K Q 5 4

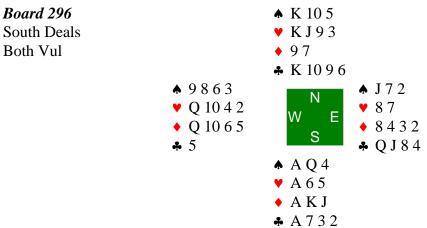
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♣ ⁸	Pass	7 🕶
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=0

7 ♥ by South

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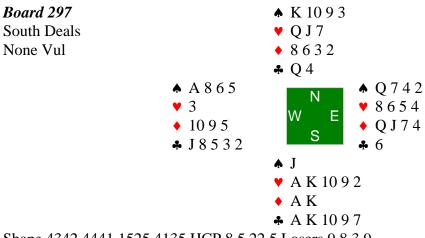


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2 wait	ino		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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Shape 4342 4441 1525 4135 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 9 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 🔻	Pass	$3 NT^3$
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 💙
Pass	Pass	Pass	
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 4 ♥ by South

6A85059D79FB18DEA31DF75230EB **Board 298 ★** K 9 6 3 South Deals ♥ A K N-S Vul ♦ Q86 **4** 10 7 5 2 **▲** 10 8 5 2 **♦** J4 ♥ J 10 5 3 **Q**9864 **♦** 743 ♦ J 10 9 2 S **4** 93 ***** 84 **▲** A Q 7 **♥** 72 ♦ A K 5 ♣ A K Q J 6 Shape 4234 2542 3235 4432 HCP 12 4 23 1 Losers 7 9 4 11 North West East South EPBot4 EPBot1 EPBot2 EPBot3 2 **♣**¹ $2 \diamond^2$ Pass Pass 2 NT 3 + 3Pass Pass **3** ♦ Pass 6 NT Pass Pass

1. strong

Pass

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♠ A 10 8 2 Board 299 South Deals **♥** K 7 5 Both Vul **♦** J9 **♣** J943 **♦** Q97 **♦** J4 ♥ Q32 **v** 10 9 8 ◆ Q432 ◆ 10 8 7 5 S **4** 10 7 5 ♣ Q862 **★** K 6 5 3 **♥** AJ64 • A K 6 ♣ A K

Shape 4324 2344 4432 3343 HCP 9 5 22 4 Losers 9 9 5 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♠ KJ42 Board 300 South Deals ♥ QJ5 N-S Vul ♦ 632 **♣** J 7 3 **♦** 93 **▲** 10 7 5 **v** 10 8 **9** 9 7 4 2 ♦ KQ54 ♦ J 10 8 S ♣ A 10 8 6 **♣** 9 5 4 2 **▲** AQ86 ♥ A K 6 3 ♦ A 9 7 **♣** K Q

Shape 4333 2434 4432 3244 HCP 8 1 22 9 Losers 10 11 5 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4 ♠ by South

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♠ A 10 9 4 **Board 301** South Deals **∨** K865 E-W Vul ♦ QJ4 **4** 76 **♦** J86 **↑** 732 **y** J 10 9 3 **7** 7 2 **♦** 72 10983 S ♣ AJ 109 **♣** 8432 **♦** K Q 5 **♥** A Q 4 ♦ A K 6 5

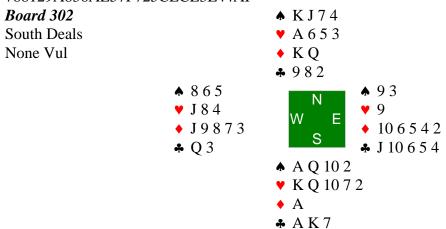
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

♣ K Q 5

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 4423 2155 4513 3352 HCP 13 1 22 4 Losers 8 9 3 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 🔻	Pass	4 💙
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^3}$	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	5 A	Pass	6 ♣ ⁵
Pass	7 🕶	Pass	Pass
Pacc			

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5. !H queen and !C king

7 ♥ by South

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Board 303South Deals N-S Vul



♣ Q 10 9 8 3

- ♦ 9874♥ Q10872♦ 75♣ K7
- \blacktriangle A K
- ♥ AJ65
- ♦ A Q 10 4
- ♣ AJ4

Shape 4225 3253 2443 4522 HCP 9 3 23 5 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 *
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

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♦ A 10 6 Board 304 South Deals ♥ AJ76 Both Vul ♦ A 5 ***** 7532 **♦** 985 **♠** Q 7 4 2 **9** 9 5 4 3 **v** 10 8 2 109874 ◆ Q32 S **4** 986 **4** 10 **★** KJ3 ♥ K Q ♦ KJ6 ♣ A K Q J 4

Shape 3424 4351 3235 3433 HCP 13 2 23 2 Losers 8 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
•	•		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 305South Deals N-S Vul









- **★** K 6 3
- ♥ AQJ2
- ♦ KQ95
- ♣ A K

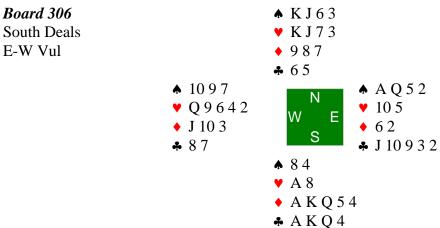
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by South

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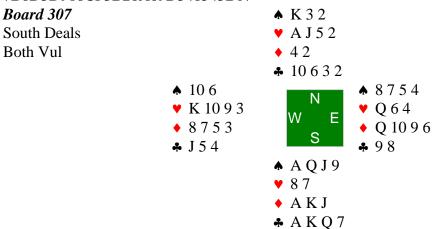


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West	North	East	South
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			2 4 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wai	ting		
2 Stor	rmon		

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 A
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	nσ		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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▲ KJ7 Board 308 South Deals ♥ QJ64 None Vul ♦ Q954 **4** 98 **♦** Q984 **▲** 10 3 2 **v** 73 **v** 10 2 ♦ J86 ◆ K732 S ♣ Q 6 4 3 2 **♣** J 7 5 **♠** A 6 5 AK985 ♦ A 10 ♣ A K 10

Shape 3442 3235 3523 4243 HCP 9 3 22 6 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 309 **♠** AJ64 South Deals **Y** A 10 3 E-W Vul **♦** 93 ***** 8742 **♦** 932 **★** K 8 7 5 **9** 9 8 7 ♥ J 6 4 **◆** 10 8 7 6 **♦** 542 S ♣ K 10 3 **♣** J96 **♠** Q 10 ▼ KQ52 • AKQJ ♣ A Q 5

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
2 Story	mon		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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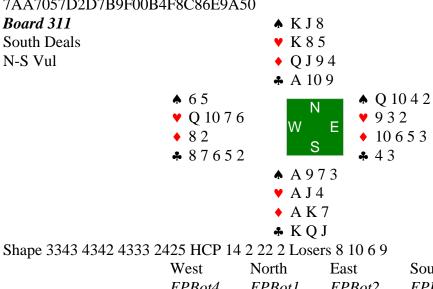
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Shape 3424 5323 3343 2353 HCP 12 2 23 3 Losers 8 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

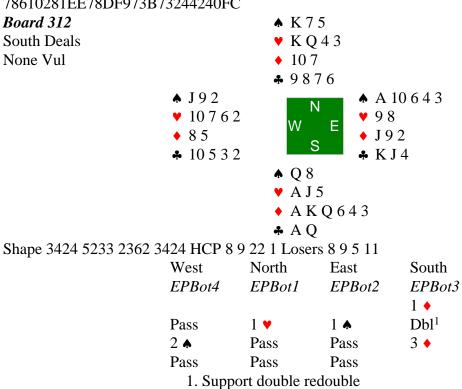
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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South EPBot4 EPBot1 EPBot2 EPBot3 1 ♣ Pass 1 • Pass 2 NT $4 \, NT^1$ Pass Pass 6 NT Pass Pass Pass 1. Quantitative 4 NT 6 N by South Made 6 — NS +1440

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3 ♦ by South

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♦ K Q 2 **Board 313** South Deals ♥ A 9 7 6 N-S Vul ♦ Q86 ♣ K 9 2 **▲** J 10 8 4 **↑** 765 Ν **v** 10 8 4 ♥ Q532 ◆ J9532 **•** 10 S **4** 10 8 6 4 3 **.** 7 **▲** A 9 3 ♥ KJ ♦ A K 7 4

Shape 3433 3415 3244 4351 HCP 14 2 22 2 Losers 7 9 5 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

♣ A Q J 5

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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Board 314South Deals E-W Vul

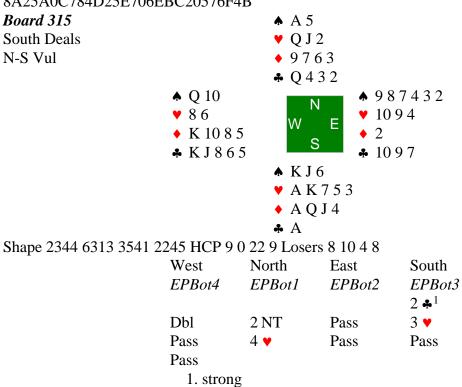
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- **4** 10 9 5 2
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- W E S 986543 • 9 • K53 • K73
- ♠ A Q
- ♥ KJ102
- ♦ AQJ6
- ♣ A Q 4

Shape 3424 6133 2443 2443 HCP 10 6 23 1 Losers 8 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ ⁸	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

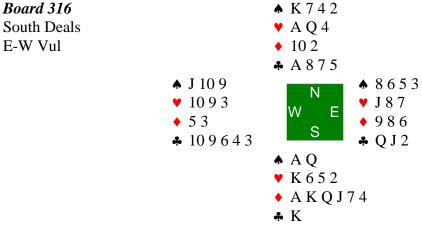
- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1
- 6 ♥ by South

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4 ♥ by South

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Shape 4324 4333 2461 3325 HCP 13 4 22 1 Losers 7 11 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 stron	œ		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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Board 317 ♠ KJ106 South Deals ♥ A82 Both Vul ♦ Q43 ♣ K 10 7 **♦** 98 **↑** 732 **v** 10 7 5 4 **9** 9 6 3 **♦** 62 ◆ J 10 7 5 S ♣ Q9653 ♣ J 4 2 **♠** A Q 5 4 ♥ KQJ

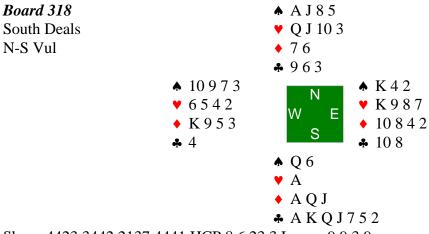
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ 8	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

◆ A K 9 8◆ A 8

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1
- 6 ♠ by South

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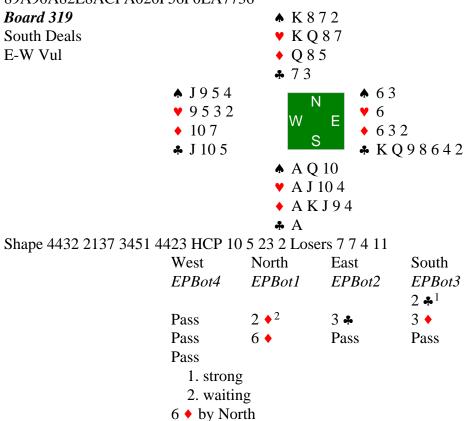


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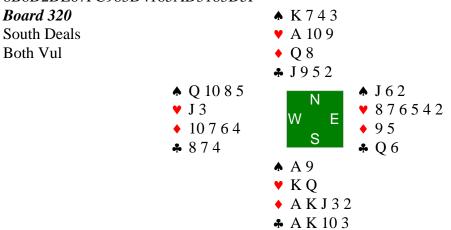
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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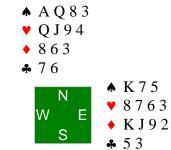
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 .			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Board 321 South Deals E-W Vul



- **♠** J4
- ♥ A K 10
- A Q 4
- ♣ AKQ94

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★ 10 9 6 2

◆ 10 7 5

♣ J 10 8 2

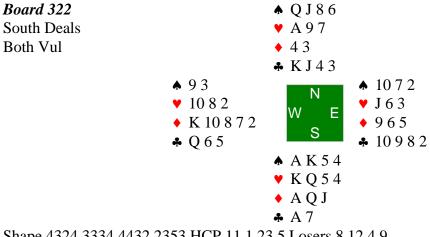
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ◆
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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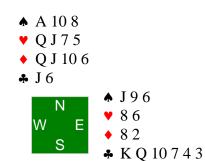
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 323South Deals N-S Vul



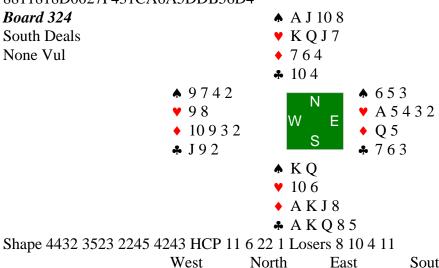
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- **♥** A K 3
- A K 4 3
- ♣ A

Shape 3442 3226 5341 2434 HCP 11 6 23 0 Losers 8 8 3 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	3 A	Pass	$3 NT^3$
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	5 A
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
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- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Cue bid, surplus
 - 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 6 ♠ by South

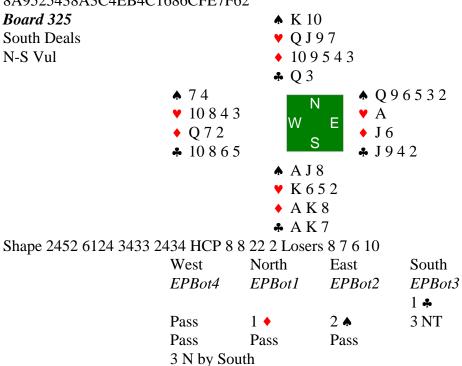
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west	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 326 ∧ KQ9 South Deals **♥** A 8 5 2 E-W Vul ◆ AQ82 **4** 10 8 **↑** 10 4 2 **▲** J8763 Ν **v** 10 9 7 **4** 4 3 ♦ J954 **♦** 7 S ♣ 97432 **♣** J 6 5 **♠** A 5 **♥** KQJ6 ♦ K 10 6 3

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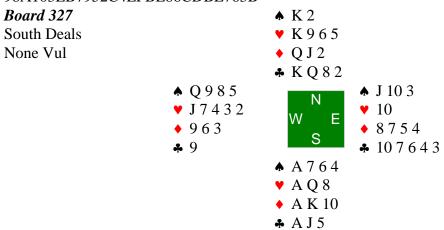
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A K Q

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3 Stay	man		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 328South Deals N-S Vul

- **A** A J 5 **∀** K 7 5 3 **→** 7 6 5
- **♣** 10 4 3
- 10961084AJ98365
- N Q 8 4 3 2 ∨ 2 • 10 4 2 • Q J 9 7
- **★** K 7
- ♥ AQJ96
- ♦ K Q
- ♣ A K 8 2

Shape 3433 5134 2524 3352 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 10 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

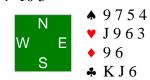
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Board 329 South Deals E-W Vul

♣ Q J 10 6♥ A 7 4◆ J 7 5 2♣ 10 3

★ K▼ 10 5 2◆ Q 10 4 3♣ 8 7 5 4 2



- **▲** A832
- **♥** KQ8
- ♦ A K 8
- **♣** A Q 9

Shape 4342 4423 4333 1345 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 9 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
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Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

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Board 330 South Deals Both Vul

- **★** K 10 8 2 **♥** A 2 ♦ A 6
- **4** 10 9 6 5 3
- **♦** 654 ♥ J765 ◆ J943 **♣** 82
- **▲** J973 **v** 10 9 4 3 **♦** 872 ♣ J 4
- ♠ A Q **♥** KQ8
- ♦ K Q 10 5
- ♣ A K Q 7

Shape 4225 4432 2344 3442 HCP 11 2 25 2 Losers 7 11 3 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Gerber
 - 4. A=2 out of 4

7 N by South

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Board 331 South Deals E-W Vul

- ♠ Q J 7 5♥ A Q 8♦ Q 8 4♣ J 7 2
- ♦ 982▼ 7642♦ 106♣ 9643
- **♠** A K 6 3
- **∨** K3
- A 7 5
- ♣ A K Q 5

Shape 4333 2452 4234 3424 HCP 12 5 23 0 Losers 8 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ^
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 332 **∧** K 7 ♥ QJ94 South Deals Both Vul ♦ Q852 **♣** 872 **▲** J93 ♠ Q 10 8 4 2 **v** 763 **v** 10 2 **◆** 10 9 7 6 ♦ K J S ♣ Q93 ♣ J 10 6 5 **▲** A 6 5 A K 8 5 ♦ A 4 3

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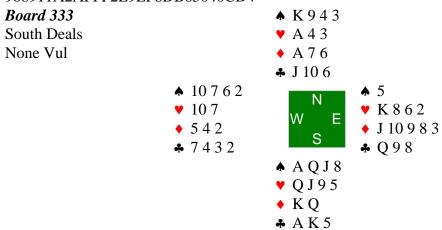
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ A K 4

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
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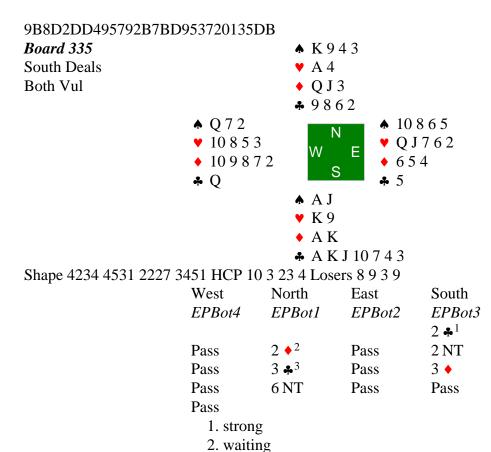
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* A K Q J Shape 2434 6511 2254 3244 HCP 11 2 22 5 Losers 7 8 4 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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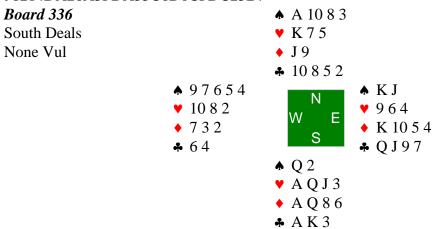
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South



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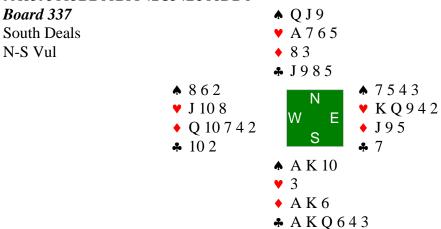
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 🔻	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stror	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		
4 ♥ by So	outh		

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Shape 3424 4531 3136 3352 HCP 8 6 23 3 Losers 9 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	6 *	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 ♣ by South

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♠ QJ102 Board 338 **♥** K 5 South Deals ♦ KJ6 Both Vul **4** 9874 **★** K 9 7 3 **♦** 654 ♥ QJ10 **v** 8742 **◆** 10 9 2 **♦** 7543 S **♣** 652 **4** 10 3 **∧** A8 **♥** A 9 6 3 ♦ A Q 8 ♣ AKQJ

Shape 4234 3442 2434 4333 HCP 10 0 24 6 Losers 8 11 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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♠ A Q 5 Board 339 South Deals **♥** A Q 10 8 None Vul **♦** 10 9 8 **♣** QJ3 **▲** 1096 **▲** J8743 ♥ J9532 **v** 64 **♦** 765 S **4** 987642 **4** 10 5 **★** K 2 **∨** K 7 ◆ AKQJ432 ♣ A K

Shape 3433 5206 2272 3532 HCP 15 1 23 1 Losers 7 8 2 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

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Board 340 ★ KJ92 South Deals **♥** K 4 N-S Vul ◆ KQ986 ***** 85 **♦** Q43 **▲** 10765 **v** 82 ♥ J 10 9 7 6 5 **♦** 743 S ♣ J 10 9 4 3 ♣ Q 2 **∧** A8 ♥ A Q 3 ♦ AJ 105

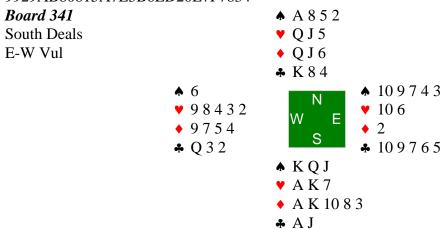
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
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Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^2}$	Pass	$5 \diamond 3$
Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♦ ⁵
Pass	7 🔸	Pass	Pass
Pass			

♣ A K 7 6

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 - 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 4. King ask by 5 NT
 - 5. K=1
- 7 ♦ by North

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Shape 4333 5215 3352 1543 HCP 13 0 25 2 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

7 N by South

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Board 342 ▲ A 6 3 South Deals ♥ A 10 8 6 None Vul ♦ QJ10 ♣ K 10 4 **♦** J 5 2 ♠ 98 ♥ QJ95 **7** 4 3 2 94 ♦ 87652 S **♣** 9532 ***** 86 **▲** K Q 10 7 4 ♥ K ♦ A K 3 **♣** A Q J 7

Shape 3433 2452 5134 3424 HCP 14 0 22 4 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^3}$	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♥ ⁵
Pass	7 ^	Pass	Pass
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Pass

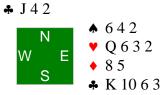
- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 5. !S queen and !H king
- 7 ♠ by South

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Board 343South Deals N-S Vul

♦ QJ107 **♥** A5 **•** 10643

♦ 95♥ K 10874◆ Q 97♣ 987



- **▲** A K 8 3
- **♥** J9
- ♦ A K J 2
- ♣ A Q 5

Shape 4243 3424 4243 2533 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 9 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$	Pass	5 ♦ ⁶
Pass	6 A	Pass	Pass
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- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. artificial
 - 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 - 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by South

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♦ K 5 2 Board 344 ♥ AQ76 South Deals E-W Vul ♦ 984 ♣ Q 10 6 **♦** Q986 **♦** A 10 7 4 ♥ J 10 5 4 3 **♦** 76 10 5 3 2 S **4** 9874 **4** 3 2 **♦** J3 ♥ K82 ♦ AKQJ

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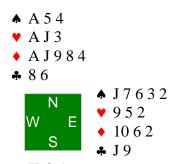
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

♣ A K J 5

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 345South Deals Both Vul



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- ♣ Q 10 5 3
 - **∧** KQ9
 - ♥ K Q
 - ♦ K Q 3
 - ♣ A K 7 4 2

Shape 3352 5332 3235 2524 HCP 14 2 22 2 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 🔸
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^2}$	Pass	$5 \wedge 3$
Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 ♠ ⁵
Pass	7 🔸	Pass	Pass
Pacc			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 - 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
 - 4. King ask by 5 NT
 - 5. K=3
- 7 ♦ by North

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▲ A 9 6 2 **Board 346** South Deals ♥ QJ6 N-S Vul **♦** 763 **♣** Q94 **♦** J3 **▲** 10 8 7 5 **v** 10 8 4 **9** 9 5 2 ◆ Q92 ♦ K 10 8 5 S **♣** K 7 6 5 2 **4** 10 3 **♦** K Q 4 ♥ A K 7 3 ♦ AJ4

Shape 4333 4342 3433 2335 HCP 9 3 22 6 Losers 9 10 6 9

Down 1 — NS –100

2333 1101	, 3 22 0 2 050	1000	
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stroi	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		
6 N by So	outh		

♣ AJ8

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▲ A873 **Board 347** ♥ KQ83 South Deals E-W Vul ♦ J 6 ♣ K 10 4 **♦** QJ962 **▲** 10 5 **v** 10 4 ♥ J9762 **♦** 854 **♦** 10 3 S **4** 753 **♣** J986

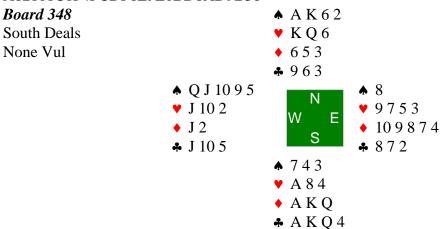
- **★** K 4
- **♥** A 5
- ◆ AKQ972
- ♣ A Q 2

Shape 4423 5224 2263 2533 HCP 13 4 22 1 Losers 7 9 3 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 7 N by South

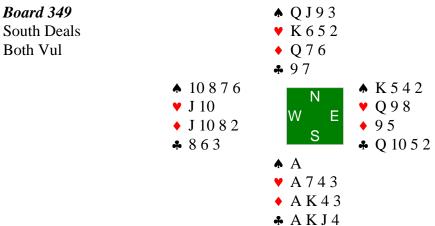
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West	North	East	South
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			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
3. Stay	man		
6 N by So	outh		

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Shape 4432 4324 1444 4243 HCP 8 7 23 2 Losers 8 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 A
Pass	6 ∀ ⁷	Pass	Pass
Pacc			

Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. no !H queen

6 ♥ by South

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Board 350 South Deals None Vul A 98 A 763 NUMBER NUMB

♠ AQJ6

♦ 9874

♣ K 10 5 4

∨ 43 **→** 1032

- ★ A K 10 8★ K J 7
- **♣** A J

Shape 2434 4234 4432 3343 HCP 10 3 23 4 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 351 ♦ K 10 **♥** K Q 5 4 South Deals N-S Vul **♦** 75 **4** 98643 **♦** 97532 **♠** Q 8 4 ♥ J 10 6 **9** 9 8 7 3 **♦** 842 **♦** 1096 S ♣ Q 5 ♣ A 7 2 **▲** AJ6 **♥** A 2 ♦ A K Q J 3

Shape 2425 3433 3253 5332 HCP 8 6 23 3 Losers 7 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♣ KJ10

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

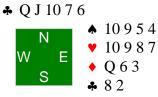
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Board 352South Deals Both Vul

★ K J 7♥ Q J◆ 10 9 5

♠ Q 8 6 3♥ A 6 4 3♦ 8 4 2♣ 9 3



- **♠** A 2
- ♥ K 5 2
- ◆ A K J 7
- ♣ A K 5 4

Shape 3235 4432 2344 4432 HCP 10 2 22 6 Losers 9 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	4 ♠ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁴	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

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Board 353South Deals None Vul

A 6✓ A Q 8 7✓ 6 3 2

♦ K 10 8 3

- ♥ 3 2 ♦ J 10 8 4 ♣ 9 8 3
- * Q J 10 7

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 V
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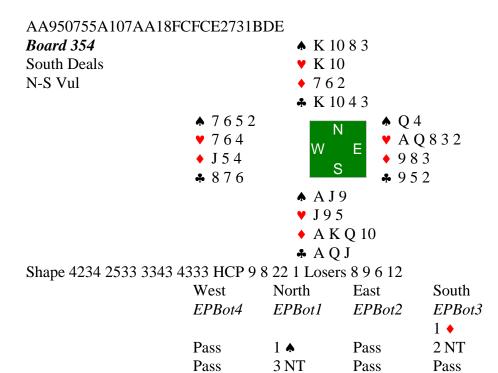
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 V 9 5 4
 7 5
 6 6 5 4
- **♠** Q 7
- ♥ KJ106
- ♦ A K Q 9
- ♣ A K 2

Shape 2434 5323 2443 4243 HCP 13 1 22 4 Losers 7 11 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♠ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

6 ♥ by South



Pass

3 N by South

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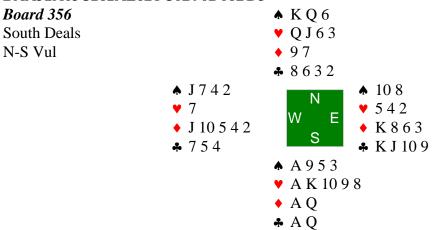
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Shape 4432 2434 3244 4333 HCP 11 5 22 2 Losers 8 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \bullet^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ng		
2. wait	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 3424 2344 4522 4153 HCP 8 7 23 2 Losers 8 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 🔻
Pass	3 v	Pass	$3 NT^3$
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Cue bid, surplus
- 4. Cue bid, surplus
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

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Board 357 **♠** A 6 5 4 South Deals **♥** K 10 9 E-W Vul ◆ J 4 3 2 **4** 73 **♦** 932 ♠ Q 10 7 **♥** 532 ♥ J874 **♦** 876 ♦ A Q 10 S **4** 652 ♣ J984 **▲** KJ8 **♥** A Q 6 ♦ K95

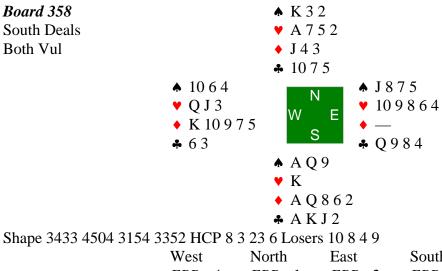
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

♣ A K Q 10

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1 stron	σ		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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♠ AJ54 **Board 359 ♥** K93 South Deals N-S Vul • A 7 5 **4** 10 5 4 **▲** 1096 **♠** Q82 **v** 10 6 5 4 2 **v** 87 **♦** 642 ◆ J 10 9 3 S ♣ Q 8 **♣** J 7 6 3 **★** K 7 3 A Q J ♦ K Q 8

Shape 4333 3244 3334 3532 HCP 12 4 22 2 Losers 9 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		
2 Story	mon		

♣ A K 9 2

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 360 South Deals E-W Vul

▲ AJ7 A 7 6 5 ♦ J93 ***** 864

★ K 10 8 5 **v** 10 8 4 **◆** 10 8 6 2 **4** 10 2



- **♦** 64
- **∨** K9
- A K Q 5
- **♣** A K Q J 9

Shape 3433 4423 2245 4342 HCP 10 5 22 3 Losers 10 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pacc			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. waiting
 - 3. Stayman
 - 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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Board 361 South Deals Both Vul

A 1094✓ K82✓ K62♣ 842

♣ J 2♥ J 7 6 3♦ 10 9 3♣ A 7 6 3

W E S Q 7 6 5 3 W 9 4 • 8 7 5 4 • 10 5

- **★** K 8
- **♥** A Q 10 5
- A Q J
- **♣** KQJ9

Shape 4333 5242 2434 2434 HCP 10 2 22 6 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 362 A JSouth Deals ♥ QJ102 None Vul 97432 **4** 4 3 **∧** K 6 2 **↑** 1098754 **v** 873 **9** 9 6 5 ◆ J 10 8 6 S ♣ K Q 10 8 **4** 765 **♠** Q 3

♦ A K Q 5 ♣ AJ92

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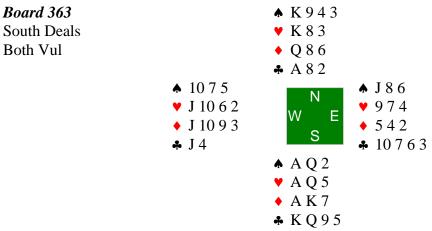
West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	4 🔸
Pass	4 ♠ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 🔸
Pass	Pass	Pass	

♥ A K 4

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♦ by North

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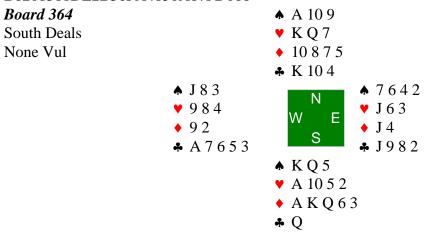


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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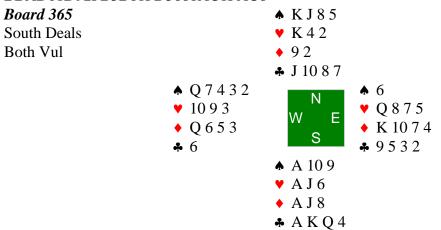
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			1 ♦
Pass	2 • ¹	Pass	4 🔸
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 NT^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 🔸
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. Inverted minors
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♦ by South

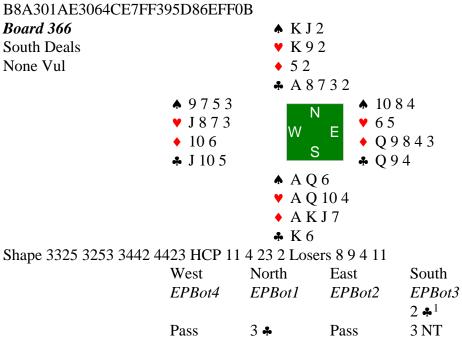
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South



6 NT

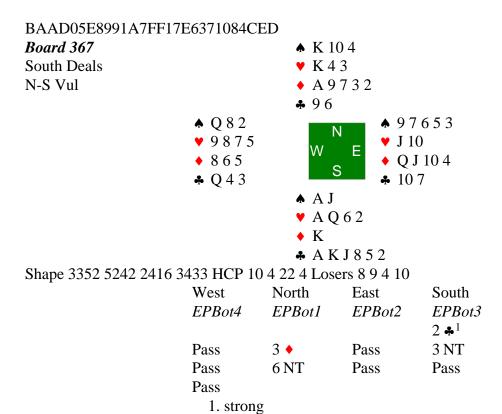
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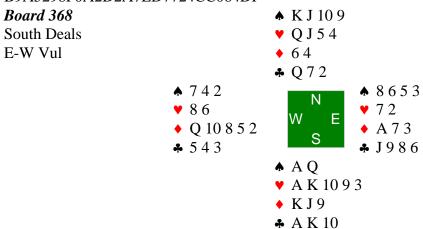
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1. strong 6 N by South



6 N by South

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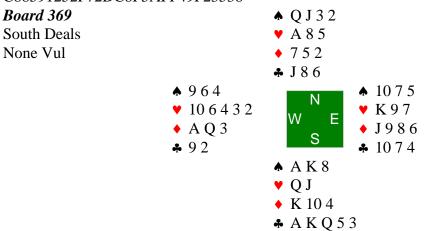
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

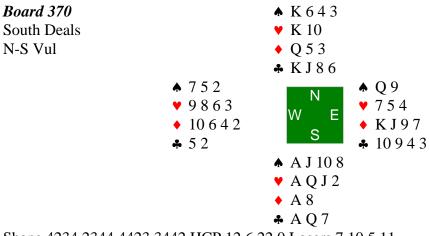
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West	North	East	South
EPBc	ot4 EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1.	strong		
2.	waiting		
3.	Stayman		
3 N b	y South		

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Shape 4234 2344 4423 3442 HCP 12 6 22 0 Losers 7 10 5 11

West North Fast

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 371 **♠** QJ63 South Deals **♥** K 9 5 E-W Vul ♦ A 6 4 3 **4** 64 **♦** 942 **★** 10 5 **v** 8762 ♥ Q 10 4 3 • Q 10 7 5 **♦** 982 S **4** 10 5 ♣ J983 **▲** AK87 ♥ A J ♦ KJ ♣ A K Q 7 2

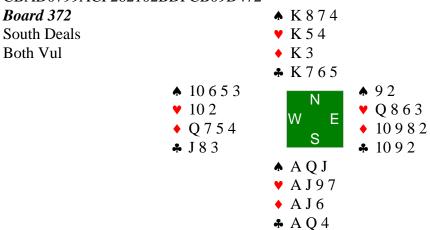
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

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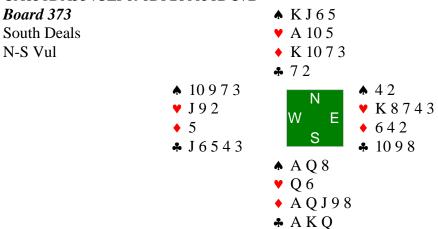


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
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Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
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- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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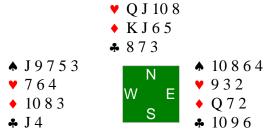
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 1
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Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 374 South Deals E-W Vul



★ K 2

- \triangle A Q
- ♥ A K 5
- ♦ A 9 4
- ♣ A K Q 5 2

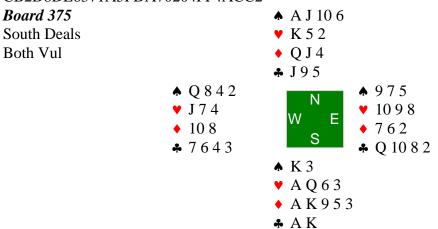
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	4 ♦ ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

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Shape 4333 3334 2452 4324 HCP 12 2 23 3 Losers 9 11 3 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♦ QJ32 Board 376 South Deals ♥ AJ104 ♦ J 9 2 None Vul **4** 74 **▲** 1086 **♦** 975 Ν ♥ K9852 ♥ Q **◆** 10 7 5 3 ♦ Q64 S ♣ Q 10 9 5 3 2 **.** 6 **♠** A K 4 **v** 763 ♦ A K 8 ♣ A K J 8

Shape 4432 3136 3334 3541 HCP 9 6 22 3 Losers 9 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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Board 377South Deals
E-W Vul

A 8 6 5▼ K 7 5◆ Q J♣ J 10 6 3

♣ J 9 3♥ Q J 8 6 4◆ 9 8 2♣ 8 2

- W E S Q 10 7 2 • 10 7 6 5 • 9 7 5
- **★** K 4
- ♥ A 9 3
- ♦ A K 4 3
- ♣ A K Q 4

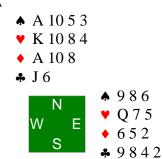
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 378 South Deals N-S Vul



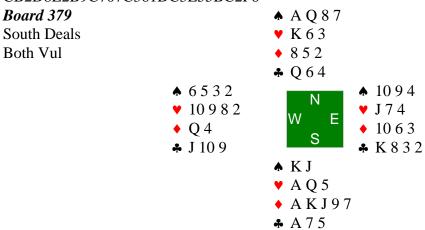
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- **♦** KQJ2
- **♥** A 2
- ♦ KJ
- ♣ A K Q 10 7

Shape 4432 3334 4225 2452 HCP 12 2 23 3 Losers 8 11 3 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♦ 8	Pass	7 ^
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=1
- 7 ♠ by South

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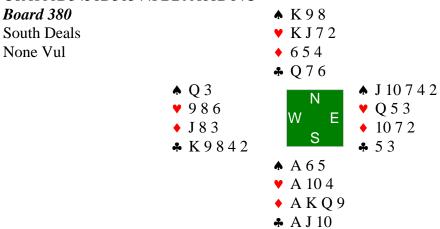


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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
2. waiti	ng		
2 (40			

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Shape 3433 5332 3343 2335 HCP 9 3 22 6 Losers 9 10 6 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stro	ng		
2. wait	ing		
3. Stay	man		

- 4. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South

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Board 381South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ Q J **♥** K 6

♦ K Q 10 7

♣ KJ752

♠ 109762♥ J8

♦ J 4 3

***** 863



- **▲** A K 3
- ▼ A Q 10 7 2
- ♦ A 2
- ♣ A Q 10

Shape 2245 3442 3523 5233 HCP 15 0 23 2 Losers 6 11 4 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	$5 \diamond 3$
Pass	5 Y	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Daga			

- Pass
 - 1. strong
 - 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 - 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 - 4. !C queen and !S king

7 N by North

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♠ QJ52 **Board 382** South Deals ♥ QJ104 None Vul ♦ K 10 9 **♣** J 6 **♦** 8643 **▲** 1097 **9** 6 **♥** 873 **♦** 84 ◆ J765 S **♣** K 9 5 4 3 ♣ Q 7 2 ♠ A K ♥ A K 5 2 ◆ AQ32 ♣ A 10 8

Shape 4432 3343 2443 4225 HCP 10 3 24 3 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 v
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ◆
Pass	6 ♦ ⁷	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7. !H queen and !D king

6 ♥ by South

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♠ QJ32 **Board 383** South Deals ▼ K 5 3 2 N-S Vul ♦ A 10 ***** 862 **♦** 986 **▲** 10 7 5 4 **y** 7 ♥ J 10 9 8 6 • Q7542 **•** 3 S **♣** K 7 4 3 **♣** J 10 9 ♠ A K **♥** A Q 4 ♦ KJ986 ♣ A Q 5

Shape 4423 4513 2353 3154 HCP 10 2 23 5 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2 waiti	inσ		

- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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Board 384 **▲** AJ97 South Deals **♥** K 6 5 E-W Vul **♦** 73 ♣ Q864 **★** K 10 4 3 **★** 8 5 2 **v** 42 ♥ J 10 8 7 ♦ J42 ♦ Q965 S **4** 10 9 3 2 **♣** J 7 **♠** Q6 **♥** A Q 9 3 ◆ A K 10 8

Shape 4324 3442 2443 4234 HCP 10 4 22 4 Losers 8 10 5 10

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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	, ,		
2. waitin	ıg		
3. Staym	ian		
6 N by Sou	ıth		
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♣ A K 5

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Board 385South Deals E-W Vul

★ K 9 7♥ Q J 8 4◆ 10 5

♣ K Q 10 2

♣ J 10 5 3 2 ♥ 7 5 3 ♦ 6 2 ♣ 7 4 3 N Q 8 6 4 V 9 6 • Q 9 8 4 3 • J 9

- **♠** A
- ♥ A K 10 2
- ◆ A K J 7
- ♣ A865

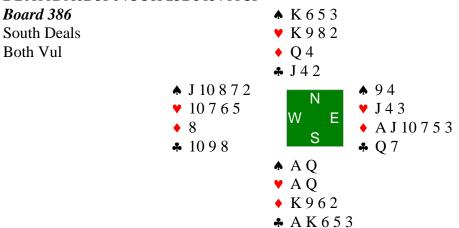
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♣ ⁶	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ ⁷	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 7. !H queen and !S king

6 ♥ by South

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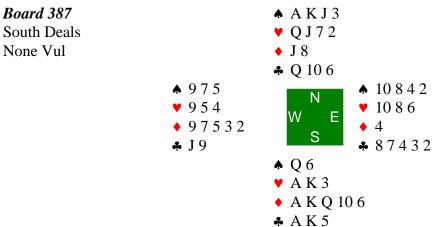
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EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 .			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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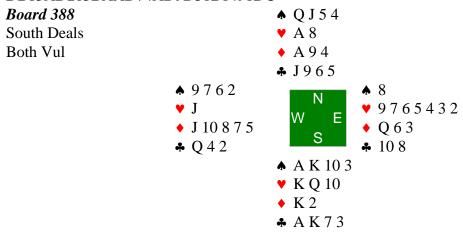
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ ³	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
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- 2. waiting
- 3. Gerber
- 4. A=3 out of 4

7 N by South

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Shape 4234 1732 4324 4153 HCP 12 2 22 4 Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 ∀ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♠ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♣ 8	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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Board 389 ♠ A 2 South Deals **♥** K 7 6 2 None Vul ◆ 432 ♣ Q952 **▲** 109543 **▲** J876 ♥ QJ10 **9** 5 **♦** 10 7 5 ♦ K986 S ***** 87 **♣** J 6 3 **∧** K Q **♥** A 8 4 3 • AQJ

Shape 2434 4243 2434 5332 HCP 9 5 23 3 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^6}$	Pass	5 4 ⁷
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♥ ⁸
Pass	6 Y	Pass	Pass
Pass			

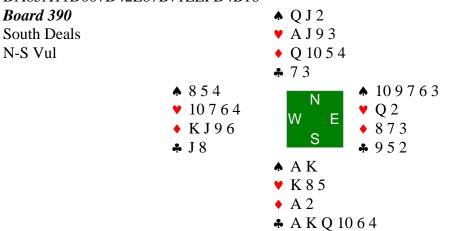
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Pass

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 7. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 8. no !H queen

6 ♥ by South

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Shape 3442 5233 2326 3442 HCP 10 2 23 5 Losers 8 11 3 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. strong	<u>,</u>		
2. waitin	ıg		
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- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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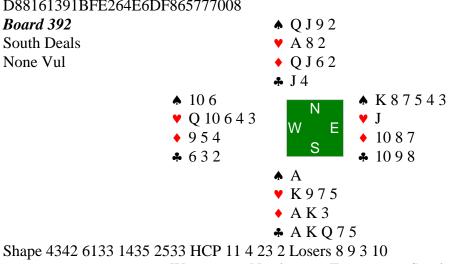
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Shape 4333 2344 4243 3523 HCP 8 4 22 6 Losers 9 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	4 🛦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by South

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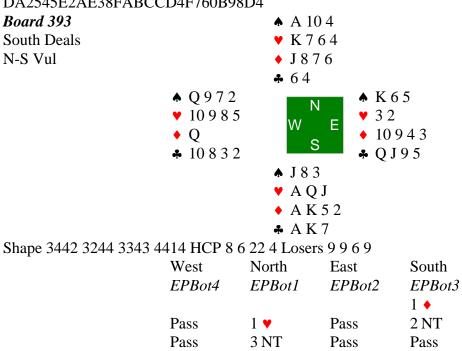


west	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 4 ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman

6 N by South

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Pass

3 N by South

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Board 394 South Deals E-W Vul

▼ KQ43 **♦** 763 ***** 754 **♦** 9874 **♦** 6532 **v** 875 **v** 1096 ♦ J 10 5 ♦ A Q 2 S **♣** Q93 **♣** J 6 2 ♠ A K **♥** AJ2

♠ QJ10

♦ K984

♣ A K 10 8

Shape 3433 4333 2344 4333 HCP 8 7 22 3 Losers 9 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	σ		

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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♦ A 10 9 Board 395 South Deals **♥** K 10 5 2 N-S Vul → J 4 **4** 6532 **♠** Q85 **↑** 763 **v** 8764 **9** 9 3 ♦ K 6 5 98732 S ♣ AJ4 **4** 10 9 7 ♠ KJ42

♥ AQJ

♦ A Q 10

♣ K Q 8

Shape 3424 3253 4333 3433 HCP 8 0 22 10 Losers 9 11 5 9

3 N by South

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
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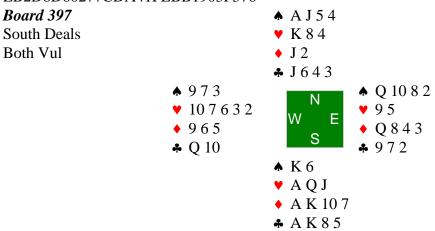
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Shape 4432 4513 4144 1354 HCP 9 4 22 5 Losers 8 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 Y
Pass	6 ∀ ⁷	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. !S queen and !H king
- 6 ♠ by South

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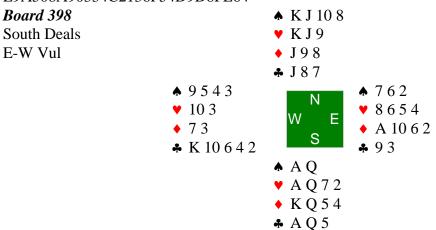
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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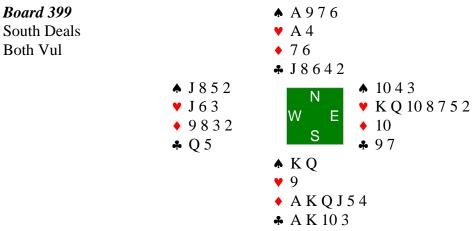
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 v
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Shape 4225 3712 2164 4342 HCP 9 5 22 4 Losers 8 7 3 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 .	Pass	4 🚓
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^2$	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 4 ⁴
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
- 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 4. no !C queen
- 6 ♣ by South

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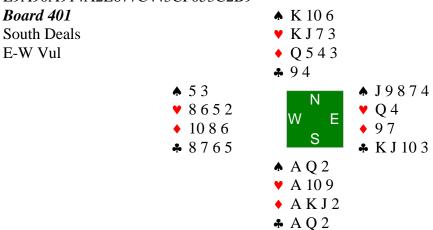
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Shape 4423 2254 3442 4324 HCP 10 3 23 4 Losers 8 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	4 ♣ ⁵
Pass	4 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁸	Pass	5 A
Pass	5 NT ⁹	Pass	6 ♣ ¹0
Pass	6 ♦ ¹¹	Pass	6 Y
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 6. Cue bid, surplus
- 7. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 8. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 9. !H queen no !C king no !D king
- 10. King ask by available bid
- 11. K=0
- 6 ♥ by South

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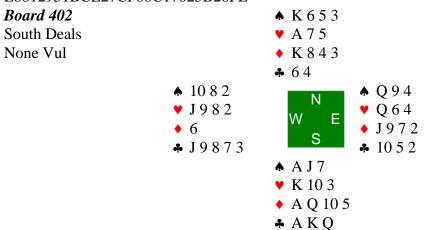
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 + 3	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT^4}$	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

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Shape 4342 3343 3343 3415 HCP 10 5 23 2 Losers 8 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 • ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	ıg		
2. waiti	ing		

- 3. Stayman
- 6 N by South

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♦ KJ97 **Board 403** South Deals ♥ K82 N-S Vul **♦** 76 ♣ J765 **↑** 10 5 3 2 **♠** Q84 ♥ Q 10 6 **9** 9 5 3 ♦ J85 **◆** 10 4 3 2 S ♣ K 10 3 **♣** 842 **∧** A 6 **♥** AJ74

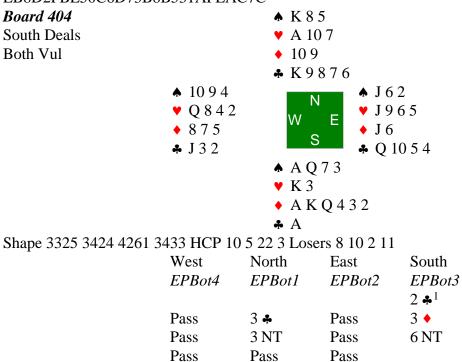
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 y
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. stron	g		
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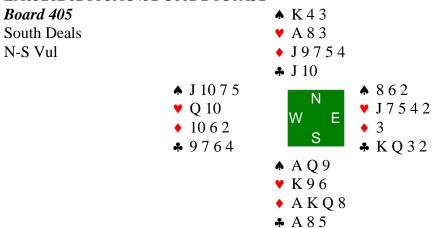
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South

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1. strong 6 N by North

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Shape 3352 3514 3343 4234 HCP 9 6 22 3 Losers 9 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	3 ◆	Pass	4 •
Pass	4 ♥ ²	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^3$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁴	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♦ by North

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Board 406South Deals E-W Vul







- ♠ QJ104
- **♥** K95
- A K
- ♣ A K Q 10

Shape 4324 2263 4324 3532 HCP 11 2 22 5 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
			2 + 1
Pass	$2 \diamond^2$	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 A
Pass	4 v ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ∀ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
- 6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South

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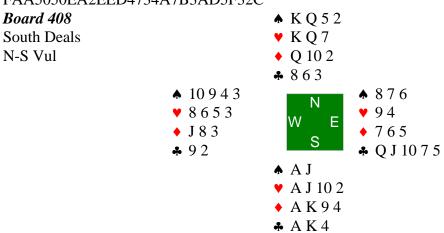
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. Quantitative 4 NT

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- ★ K 9 5 3▼ K 8 7 2
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- W E S Q J 6 2 ♥ 9 5 • 9 4 3 • 10 6 5 4
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West	North	East	South
EPBot4	EPBot1	EPBot2	EPBot3
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Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 🔻
Pass	3 ♠ ⁴	Pass	$4 \mathrm{NT}^5$
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	$5 \mathrm{NT}^7$
Pass	6 ♥ ⁸	Pass	7 🕶
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- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3. Stayman
- 4. artificial
- 5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
- 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7. King ask by 5 NT
- 8. K=2
- 7 ♥ by South