

2 boards f

09ABEF63B9640E8E86921C0D5CCE

Board 1

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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E

N

		♠ Q 10 3
		♥ 6 5 3
		♦ 10 7
		♣ 9 8 7 6 2

		♠ A J 8 7 6
		♥ A K Q 10
		♦ A J
		♣ J 4

Shape 3523 3325 5422 2173 HCP 11 2 20 7 Losers 8 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 6 — NS +480

26 boards f

18AA99A78086576C2C0970DEC844

Board 2

South Deals

None Vul

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

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W		E
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♠ 9 8 5 2
♥ K 9 4
♦ 8 7 4
♣ A 10 4

♠ A K Q J 10
♥ A Q 8 7
♦ J 5
♣ K 6

Shape 2542 4333 5422 2146 HCP 10 7 20 3 Losers 8 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
 4 ♥ by South
 Made 5 — NS +450

29 boards f

1881E9EE0CE1C48356D40ECFD14A

Board 3

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 5
♥ A J 9 8 5 4 2
♦ K 2
♣ 8 4

♠ K Q 10 9 6 4 3
♥ —
♦ 9 7 6
♣ J 9 6

♠ A 8
♥ K Q 10
♦ A 10 8 3
♣ A K 10 3

♠ 7 2
♥ 7 6 3
♦ Q J 5 4
♣ Q 7 5 2

W N E S

Shape 2722 2344 2344 7033 HCP 9 5 20 6 Losers 7 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
4 ♥ by North			
Made 6 — NS +480			

39 boards f

28928DAF6DCA5DD4C4C18BD70C84

Board 4

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 7 6 4

♥ —

♦ 8 7 4 2

♣ 8 7 3 2

♠ 3

♥ K 10 7 6 5 3 2

♦ 10 5

♣ Q 5 4

♠ J 9

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ K Q J 9 3

♣ A 10

♠ A K Q 5 2

♥ Q J

♦ A 6

♣ K J 9 6

W N E S

Shape 1723 2452 5224 5044 HCP 5 15 20 0 Losers 7 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	3 ♥ ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. Weak Jump Shifts 3

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

44 boards f

2B89A582EADBDE81CB44C36ACB9E

Board 5

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ —
♥ A Q 8 7 6 5 3
♦ K 6
♣ 10 7 5 3

♠ J 10 9 7 5 3
♥ —
♦ A J 10 7 4 3
♣ 6

♠ 6 4
♥ 10 9 2
♦ Q 8 5
♣ Q J 9 4 2

♠ A K Q 8 2
♥ K J 4
♦ 9 2
♣ A K 8

W N E S

Shape 0724 2335 5323 6061 HCP 9 5 20 6 Losers 5 9 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

49 boards f

3AA58F4229DFCDDCB9487780FABA

Board 6

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J
♥ K Q 9 6 4
♦ K 10 9 8
♣ K 10 5

♠ 10 9 8 3
♥ 7 5 3 2
♦ Q 4
♣ 8 6 4

♠ Q 6 5
♥ 10 8
♦ J 7 6 3 2
♣ Q 3 2

♠ A K 7 4 2
♥ A J
♦ A 5
♣ A J 9 7

W N E S

Shape 1543 3253 5224 4423 HCP 12 5 21 2 Losers 6 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
6 N by North
Made 6 — NS +1440

51 boards f

3BA7A11CE4497246750862ABC8CE

Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 3 2		♠ Q 6
♥ 9 7		♥ 10 8 6 3 2
♦ 10 6 4 3		♦ A J 8 7
♣ Q J 6 3		♣ A 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 9 8 7 5
♥ Q
♦ K 9 5
♣ 9 8 5 2

♠ A K 4
♥ A K J 5 4
♦ Q 2
♣ K 10 7

Shape 2542 5134 3523 3244 HCP 11 5 20 4 Losers 8 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 NT ¹	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♠ ³	Pass	5 NT ⁴
Pass	6 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
 4. King ask by 5 NT
 5. K=0
- 6 ♥ by South
 Made 6 — NS +1430

57 boards f


3B8FA1838CC0B2C36E4B1564F870

Board 8

South Deals

Both Vul

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



	♠ A K Q J 9	
	♥ K 7 4	
	♦ A J 7	
	♣ K 5	

Shape 1624 4162 5332 3325 HCP 13 5 21 1 Losers 5 7 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ ¹	Pass	4 ♦ ²
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	5 NT ⁵	Pass	6 ♥ ⁶
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 2. surplus
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. King ask by 5 NT
 6. K=2
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1460

63 boards f

39A9678642CDD5335C409D0B9CBC

Board 9

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9		♠ 8 4
♥ 8 2		♥ Q J 10 6 4
♦ 10 7 5 3 2		♦ J 8 6
♣ 7 6 3 2		♣ K 8 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 7 6
♥ 9 7 5 3
♦ K Q 9
♣ Q J

♠ A Q 5 3 2
♥ A K
♦ A 4
♣ A 10 9 5

Shape 2533 4432 5224 2254 HCP 7 12 21 0 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
 3 N by North
 Made 4 — NS +430

86 boards f

5BAF89E6577A43098490B8CD5031

Board 10

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 10 9 3
♥ J 6 3
♦ 9 6 3 2
♣ Q 10

♠ A K 7 6 5
♥ A Q
♦ A 4
♣ K 8 4 2

Shape 2533 4342 5224 2344 HCP 11 4 20 5 Losers 8 11 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
 3 N by North
 Made 5 — NS +660

89 boards f

5B898FBD31B038329007D623E27E

Board 11

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 2		♠ A K Q 10 7
♥ 7 5		♥ 4 3
♦ J 10 8 7 4 3		♦ K Q 2
♣ 8 5 3 2		♣ A Q J

Shape 5323 1264 5233 2623 HCP 11 1 21 7 Losers 8 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 NT ¹	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥ ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♣ ⁵
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Jacoby 2 NT
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. surplus
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by South
- Made 6 — NS +1430

105 boards f

6BAD0B6C761B22E009593B6411B0

Board 12

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ J 5 2

♦ K 10 7 6 5

♣ Q 8 4 2

♠ K 10 9 7 5 3

♥ K 7

♦ J 4

♣ K 10 5

♠ Q J 6 4

♥ 10 6 3

♦ 9 8 3 2

♣ J 9

W

N

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♠ A 2

♥ A Q 9 8 4

♦ A Q

♣ A 7 6 3

Shape 6223 4342 2524 1354 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	3 ♦ ¹	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. Fourth suit game force
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

108 boards f

6BEFAD47C646844AEAD9D5EBE259

Board 13

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ —

♥ Q J 10 9 8

♦ Q J 10 9 5

♣ A Q 4

♠ A J 7 6 5 4 3

♥ —

♦ 8 7 6 4 2

♣ 9

W N E S

♠ K 9

♥ A K 7 4 3

♦ A K

♣ K 6 5 2

♠ Q 10 8 2

♥ 6 5 2

♦ 3

♣ J 10 8 7 3

Shape 0553 4315 2524 7051 HCP 12 3 20 5 Losers 5 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	1 ♥
Pass			Pass
4 ♥ by South			
Made 7 — NS +710			

116 boards f

7AA1BD8E8C18D647E109C88AD350

Board 14

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 5 3
♥ K
♦ A 7 3 2
♣ J 10 5 2

♠ 10 6
♥ Q J 8 6 5 4
♦ K Q J
♣ 8 3

♠ 8 2
♥ 10 9 3 2
♦ 10 6 5 4
♣ Q 9 4

♠ A K Q J 4
♥ A 7
♦ 9 8
♣ A K 7 6

W

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Shape 2632 2443 5224 4144 HCP 9 2 21 8 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

118 boards f

7B918EAF05B08DC81609BCFD608

Board 15

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 4 3		♠ 9 2
♥ —		♥ K J 9 7 4 2
♦ 10 9 5 2		♦ 3
♣ J 9 8 6 2		♣ Q 10 5 4

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♥

♦

♣

♠ A K Q 7 5
♥ Q 6
♦ K Q 8 4
♣ A 7

Shape 2614 2542 5242 4045 HCP 6 12 20 2 Losers 7 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
 3 N by North
 Made 3 — NS +600

119 boards f

78A1EB0E9928DF56C6E314367D25

Board 16

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 7 6

♥ 4 3

♦ 8 7 5 4 2

♣ 10 5

♠ Q 10 5 4 2

♥ Q 7

♦ K J 10

♣ K 9 6

♠ 8 3

♥ J 9 8 5

♦ Q 9 3

♣ Q 8 7 4

♠ A J

♥ A K 10 6 2

♦ A 6

♣ A J 3 2

W N E

S

Shape 5233 2434 2524 4252 HCP 11 5 21 3 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	3 ♦ ¹	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. Fourth suit game force
3 N by South
Made 6 — NS +490

122 boards f

78612CBEA5AD523807C43E640E08

Board 17

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6

♥ Q 8 5

♦ J 7 6 4

♣ K 8 6 4 2

♠ K 8 7 5 3 2

♥ 7 6 3 2

♦ 8 2

♣ 7

♠ A 9 4

♥ 9

♦ K Q 10 5 3

♣ Q 9 5 3

♠ Q J 10

♥ A K J 10 4

♦ A 9

♣ A J 10

W N E S

Shape 6421 3154 3523 1345 HCP 3 11 20 6 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Dbl	1 ♥
2 ♣	3 ♥	Pass	Rdbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
4 ♥ by South			
Made 5 — NS +450			

124 boards f

7BAAA02D12D510142BD7EA00BF7C

Board 18

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 6 5

♥ 3 2

♦ A 7 5

♣ K 9 8 4 2

♠ Q J 9 8 7 4

♥ 4

♦ 10 8 6

♣ 7 6 3

♠ 2

♥ J 10 9 8 6

♦ K J 9 4

♣ A J 5

♠ A K 3

♥ A K Q 7 5

♦ Q 3 2

♣ Q 10

W N E S

Shape 6133 1543 3532 3235 HCP 3 10 20 7 Losers 9 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♥
1 ♥ by South			
Made 1 — NS +80			

128 boards f

88AC212C2686745C3802D88D0298

Board 19

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5

♥ 9 7

♦ J 10 9

♣ A Q 9 8 7 5 2

♠ K Q J 7 6 3

♥ 10 6 4 3

♦ 7 5 2

♣ —

♠ 9 8

♥ 8 5 2

♦ A Q 8 4

♣ J 10 6 3

♠ A 10 4 2

♥ A K Q J

♦ K 6 3

♣ K 4

W

N
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E

Shape 6430 2344 4432 1237 HCP 6 7 20 7 Losers 7 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	4 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
4 ♠ by North			
Made 5 — NS +450			

142 boards f

8AA419A2EE068863FA6FCFC8C990

Board 20

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 5 4 3

♥ 7

♦ Q 8 2

♣ A 9 4 2

♠ K 10

♥ 10 9 5 4 3

♦ J 6 5

♣ 8 6 5

♠ 8 6

♥ K 2

♦ K 9 7 4 3

♣ Q J 10 7

♠ A Q 9 2

♥ A Q J 8 6

♦ A 10

♣ K 3

W N E S

Shape 2533 2254 4522 5134 HCP 4 9 20 7 Losers 10 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♥
1 ♥ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

154 boards f

9861E967971411E21CCA363E17A8

Board 21

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 6
♥ 5 4
♦ Q J 10 5 3
♣ 10 7 2

♠ 10 9 7 5 4 3
♥ 6
♦ K 6 2
♣ Q J 3

♠ A Q
♥ J 10 9 7 3
♦ 7 4
♣ 8 6 5 4

♠ J 2
♥ A K Q 8 2
♦ A 9 8
♣ A K 9

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Shape 6133 2524 2533 3253 HCP 6 7 21 6 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +420			

177 boards f

BA8FA5451E59B840A0014FC052B8

Board 22

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4

♥ 9 2

♦ 8 7 6 4 3

♣ 9 8 7 4 2

♠ J 6

♥ A Q 8 6 5 4

♦ A J 5

♣ A 5

♠ Q 10 8 5 3

♥ J 10 3

♦ 10 9 2

♣ J 3

♠ A K 9 7 2

♥ K 7

♦ K Q

♣ K Q 10 6

W

N

E

S

Shape 2632 5332 5224 1255 HCP 16 4 20 0 Losers 6 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass
6 N by South			
Made 7 — NS +1470			

180 boards f

BA67A1B9004C28BE7C6C38091A94

Board 23

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —

♥ Q 8 7 5

♦ K J

♣ J 10 9 7 6 5 2

♠ J 9 5 4 3

♥ J 10 4

♦ 10 8 7 6

♣ A

♠ A 10 7 6

♥ 3 2

♦ Q 9 5 4 3

♣ 8 3

♠ K Q 8 2

♥ A K 9 6

♦ A 2

♣ K Q 4

W N E

S

Shape 5341 4252 4423 0427 HCP 6 6 21 7 Losers 9 8 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
3 N by South			
Made 3 — NS +600			

181 boards f

B9AA20A01104D9FF683232DB54E6

Board 24

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 4 2	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 7 3
♥ 8 6 5		♥ J 9 4 3
♦ 8		♦ 10 3 2
♣ K Q 10 7 3		♣ A 6 5 2

♠ A Q	
♥ A K Q 7 2	
♦ A 9 7 4	
♣ J 9	

Shape 5152 2434 2542 4315 HCP 10 5 20 5 Losers 6 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 NT ¹	Pass	5 ♣ ²
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

185 boards f

BBBD9188684D080B4B9E434A7AA4

Board 25

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ —

♥ A 3

♦ Q J 9 8 7 4 3

♣ Q J 9 2

♠ 9 8

♥ Q 10 9 8 7 5 4

♦ 2

♣ 8 7 5

♠ J 10 7 5 4 3

♥ K 6

♦ K 5

♣ 6 4 3

♠ A K Q 6 2

♥ J 2

♦ A 10 6

♣ A K 10

Shape 2713 6223 5233 0274 HCP 2 7 21 10 Losers 8 8 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♦	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass
4 ♥ by North			
Made 5 — NS +650			

192 boards f

C8A861201834113E1A78626738BE

Board 26

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —		♠ Q J 10 9 8 7 3
♥ 10 8 6 3 2		♥ —
♦ 10 4		♦ A J 7 6 3
♣ A Q J 10 6 3		♣ 4

♠

♥

♦

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♥

♦

♣

♠ A 2	♠ K 6 5 4
♥ A K Q 5 4	♥ J 9 7
♦ K Q 9 5	♦ 8 2
♣ K 9	♣ 8 7 5 2

Shape 7051 4324 2542 0526 HCP 8 4 21 7 Losers 5 10 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Db1	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

CA3526A3A376117E5315D22BF313

Board 27

South Deals

N-S Vul

193 boards f

♠ 5 3		♠ A K 9 6 4 2
♥ A 10 8 3		♥ —
♦ Q J 9 7 5 3 2		♦ 8
♣ —		♣ Q J 7 4 3 2
	<div>♠ N ♥ W ♦ S ♣ E</div>	♠ 10 8 7
		♥ 9 7 6 5 2
		♦ 4
		♣ K 10 8 5
		♠ Q J
		♥ K Q J 4
		♦ A K 10 6
		♣ A 9 6

Shape 6016 3514 2443 2470 HCP 10 3 20 7 Losers 4 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♦	6 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
6 ♠ by North			
Made 6 — NS +1430			

194 boards f

C911A91DA14C84009FF65C77C688

Board 28

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 3		♠ A Q 8
♥ 6 4		♥ 10 9 8 3 2
♦ Q 10 7 5		♦ A J 8
♣ 10 9 8 5 2		♣ 7 4

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W		E
	S	

♠ 10 5 4
♥ A Q 7 5
♦ 9 6 4 3
♣ 6 3

♠ K J 9 7 2
♥ K J
♦ K 2
♣ A K Q J

Shape 3532 3442 5224 2245 HCP 11 6 21 2 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
 6 ♠ by South
 Made 6 — NS +980

204 boards f

CBAD1AA4B29CD46B15007B339328

Board 29

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9		♠ K 7 6 4 2
♥ J 5 4		♥ 6
♦ K 8 5 2		♦ Q 9 7
♣ Q 10 9 6 2		♣ 8 5 4 3
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 8 5
		♥ K 10 9 7 3
		♦ J 6 4 3
		♣ K J
		♠ A Q J 10 3
		♥ A Q 8 2
		♦ A 10
		♣ A 7

Shape 5134 2542 5422 1345 HCP 5 8 21 6 Losers 8 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ ²	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♠

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

233 boards f

EB258DBABFCAC038C1C267B69142

Board 30

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7 6

♥ Q J 8 4

♦ Q 10 8

♣ 9 8

♠ A 8

♥ K 10 9 7 6 2

♦ A 5 4

♣ J 5

♠ 5 2

♥ 3

♦ 9 7 6 3 2

♣ Q 10 6 4 2

♠ K Q J 4 3

♥ A 5

♦ K J

♣ A K 7 3

W N E

S

Shape 2632 2155 5224 4432 HCP 12 2 21 5 Losers 7 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by North

Made 6 — NS +1440

237 boards f

E801212E339863F87667E6141C8E

Board 31

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 10 2

♥ K Q 9 6 5

♦ A K J 9

♣ A K

N

W E

S

♠ 9 7 6

♥ 10 4 3

♦ Q 3 2

♣ Q 7 5 2

Shape 6223 3334 2542 2344 HCP 15 4 20 1 Losers 6 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 NT ³	Pass	6 ♣ ⁴
Pass	6 ♦ ⁵	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !S queen no !H king no !C king no !D king

4. King ask by available bid

5. K=0

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

247 boards f

F8AD2298262A66B4721537401F04

Board 32

South Deals


None Vul

♠ —

♥ 8 7 5

♦ J 9 8 6 5 2

♣ Q 8 4 2



♠ K J 10 6 5 3 2

♥ 4 2

♦ Q 10

♣ 5 3

♠ A Q 8

♥ A K J 10 9

♦ K 7 4

♣ A 6

♠ 9 7 4

♥ Q 6 3

♦ A 3

♣ K J 10 9 7

Shape 7222 3325 3532 0364 HCP 6 10 21 3 Losers 8 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ²	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

261 boards f

0921A86E87BE37331F2DFA1CD665

Board 34

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 3		♠ A 9 8 7 6 4
♥ 10 9 8 5		♥ J
♦ Q 10 7 6 4		♦ A 8
♣ K 4		♣ J 9 8 7

♠

♥

♦

♣

N

W E

S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ K J 10	♠ Q 2
♥ A K Q 6 2	♥ 7 4 3
♦ K 5	♦ J 9 3 2
♣ A 6 2	♣ Q 10 5 3

Shape 6124 2344 3523 2452 HCP 10 5 20 5 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♥ ²	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

265 boards f

0BA2AF976B3C69B6DA0A30009108

Board 35

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7

♥ 10 8 5

♦ J 9 7 6 2

♣ 10 5 4 2

W

N

E

S

♠ J 9

♥ Q 7 3

♦ A 5 4 3

♣ A 8 7 6

♠ A K Q 8 3

♥ A K J 9

♦ K 10

♣ 9 3

Shape 5323 2344 5422 1354 HCP 8 11 20 1 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +650			

1A85999304302ACAA80949903BC0

Board 36

South Deals

N-S Vul

273 boards f

♠ 8 2

♥ 10 3

♦ Q 10 4 2

♣ J 10 7 4 2

♠ J 10 9 6 3

♥ A J 8 6 5 2

♦ —

♣ Q 3

♠ 5

♥ K Q 4

♦ K 9 8 7 6 5 3

♣ 9 8

♠ A K Q 7 4

♥ 9 7

♦ A J

♣ A K 6 5

W N E S

Shape 5602 1372 5224 2245 HCP 8 8 21 3 Losers 7 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass			Pass
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +680			

274 boards f

19A3A8AC0034D6F5250A121EACD2

Board 37

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W
N
E

S

		♠ —
		♥ 9 5 4 2
		♦ 10 9 8 7
		♣ 9 6 5 4 2

♠ A K Q 3
♥ A K Q 7 3
♦ K 6
♣ 8 7

Shape 6241 0445 4522 3235 HCP 11 0 21 8 Losers 7 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Dbl	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT ²	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♥ ⁶	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. surplus

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

279 boards f

18AD840163644CD879488A855C78

Board 38

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q
♥ K Q 9 6 5 4
♦ 8 7 6 5 2
♣ J

♠ 8
♥ 7 2
♦ K 10 4
♣ K 10 9 8 6 3 2

♠ J 10 9 7 6 3 2
♥ 8 3
♦ A 9 3
♣ 5

♠ A K 5 4
♥ A J 10
♦ Q J
♣ A Q 7 4

W N E S

Shape 1651 7231 4324 1237 HCP 8 5 21 6 Losers 6 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	6 ♥	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
6 ♥ by North			
Down 1 — NS -50			

285 boards f

18909369AC03007C163619EC50C8

Board 39

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 7 6 5
♥ 10 9 2
♦ Q 5 2
♣ K 10

♠ 4 2
♥ 8 6
♦ 7 6
♣ A J 9 8 4 3 2

♠ Q 8 3
♥ A K 7 5 3
♦ J 8 4
♣ 7 6

♠ A K J
♥ Q J 4
♦ A K 10 9 3
♣ Q 5

W N E S

Shape 5332 3532 3352 2227 HCP 5 10 20 5 Losers 9 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	3 NT	4 ♣	2 NT
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♣× by West			
Down 2 — NS +300			

291 boards f

2BA5ABD48E2A995AC7C2C37ACA8D

Board 40

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10
♥ J 7 6 5 3 2
♦ A Q 7
♣ K 7 5

♠ Q 7 6 5 3
♥ 4
♦ K 10 9 8 4 3
♣ Q

♠ 8 4
♥ Q 9 8
♦ 6 5
♣ J 10 8 6 4 3

♠ A K J 9 2
♥ A K 10
♦ J 2
♣ A 9 2

W N E S

Shape 1633 2326 5323 5161 HCP 10 3 20 7 Losers 7 9 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 7 — NS +710

295 boards f

282D8911A73C27DC5F2CEFDCF049

Board 41

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 5 4 3

♥ 10 3

♦ J 9

♣ 10 8 6 4 3

♠ A Q 10 9 6

♥ K 2

♦ K 2

♣ J 9 7 5

♠ 7 2

♥ Q 8 7 4

♦ A 10 8 7 6 5 4

♣ —

♠ K J

♥ A J 9 6 5

♦ Q 3

♣ A K Q 2

W

N

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S

Shape 5224 2470 2524 4225 HCP 13 6 20 1 Losers 6 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	3 ♦	1 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Dbl
Pass			Pass
3 N by North			
Made 6 — NS +490			

310 boards f

3B8D6DD4542C5C548D540A4480F4

Board 42

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 2

♥ 2

♦ 5

♣ Q J 10 9 8 6 4 3 2

♠ 10 5

♥ A 7 5 4 3

♦ Q J 8 6 4 2

♣ —

♠ K J 9 8 6 4

♥ Q J 9 8 6

♦ 3

♣ 5

♠ A 7 3

♥ K 10

♦ A K 10 9 7

♣ A K 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 2560 6511 3253 2119 HCP 7 7 21 5 Losers 6 6 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♣	6 ♦	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
6 ♦ by North			
Made 7 — NS +1390			

327 boards f

48B22563231816151640CE7826A4

Board 43

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5
♥ A 4
♦ K 9 8 7 3 2
♣ 10 6 4 2

♠ K J 10 9 8 7 3
♥ 6 5
♦ 10 4
♣ Q J

♠ Q 6 4
♥ 10 9 8 7
♦ 5
♣ A 9 7 5 3

♠ A 2
♥ K Q J 3 2
♦ A Q J 6
♣ K 8

W N E S

Shape 7222 3415 2542 1264 HCP 7 6 20 7 Losers 8 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
4 ♠ by North			
Made 5 — NS +450			

332 boards f

4BAD63D287376420D91C20981894

Board 44

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8 6 5 3
♥ J
♦ J 10 9 2
♣ K J 10

♠ Q 7
♥ 10
♦ 7 4 3
♣ 9 8 6 5 4 3 2

♠ K 9
♥ Q 7 6 4 3 2
♦ K Q 8 5
♣ Q

♠ A J 4 2
♥ A K 9 8 5
♦ A 6
♣ A 7

W N E S

Shape 5143 2641 4522 2137 HCP 6 12 20 2 Losers 9 5 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♠

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

336 boards f

58A17918F52FE1BE1F2AE8445E38

Board 45

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 5
♥ K J 8 2
♦ J 4
♣ Q 5 4 2

♠ Q 10 7 6 2
♥ 4
♦ K Q 6 5 2
♣ 10 7

♠ K 4 3
♥ Q 7 3
♦ 10 8 7 3
♣ 8 6 3

♠ A 8
♥ A 10 9 6 5
♦ A 9
♣ A K J 9

W

N

E

S

Shape 5152 3343 2524 3424 HCP 7 5 20 8 Losers 6 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 N by North			
Made 4 — NS +430			

356 boards f

6AAD82819E471AC888744328F5FE

Board 46

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3 2

♥ 6 3 2

♦ K Q 5

♣ 8 7 6 4

♠ 9 4

♥ K Q 10 8 7 5

♦ A J 2

♣ 10 5

♠ 10 6 5

♥ J 9

♦ 9 8 7 4

♣ K J 9 2

♠ A K Q J 7

♥ A 4

♦ 10 6 3

♣ A Q 3

W N E S

Shape 2632 3244 5233 3334 HCP 10 5 20 5 Losers 7 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
4 ♥ by North
Made 7 — NS +710

359 boards f

68E189C665329246CFCACDE35FF8

Board 47

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10

♥ K Q 8 7 6 5

♦ K 6 2

♣ 7 4 3

♠ A Q 7 6 5 4 2

♥ 10 2

♦ Q J 8

♣ 2

W N E

S

♠ J 8 3

♥ 9 3

♦ 7 5 3

♣ Q 10 9 8 6

♠ K 9

♥ A J 4

♦ A 10 9 4

♣ A K J 5

Shape 1633 3235 2344 7231 HCP 8 3 20 9 Losers 7 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♠	6 ♥	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
6 ♥ by North			
Down 1 — NS −50			

362 boards f

68818492BBE552374F8C05DEDF24

Board 48

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 4 3		♠ 8 5 2
♥ J 8		♥ A K 7 6 5
♦ K 10 8 5 2		♦ J
♣ K 6 2		♣ J 8 7 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7
♥ Q 9 4 3
♦ 7 6 4 3
♣ Q 9 4

♠ A K Q J 6
♥ 10 2
♦ A Q 9
♣ A 10 5

Shape 3514 2443 5233 3253 HCP 9 4 20 7 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 NT ⁴	Pass	5 ♦ ⁵
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 NT ⁶
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. surplus
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=1/5 or 4/5
6. !S queen no !C king no !D king no !H king

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

6BAD033C2C53F86F6B2419985043

Board 49

South Deals

Both Vul

364 boards f

♠ 9

♥ Q 9

♦ 9 7 5 4

♣ Q J 9 6 4 3

♠ K Q J 6 5

♥ K 2

♦ 6

♣ K 10 8 7 2

♠ A 4

♥ A J 8 7 6

♦ A Q J 8

♣ A 5

♠ 10 8 7 3 2

♥ 10 5 4 3

♦ K 10 3 2

♣ —

W

N

E

S

Shape 5215 5440 2542 1246 HCP 12 3 20 5 Losers 5 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			
3 N by North			
Made 6 — NS +690			

371 boards f

7B6E2D0CA7133A65FA72A8800074

Board 50

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7

♥ 9 7 6 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ Q 5 4 3 2

♠ K Q 10 9 3

♥ Q 4 3

♦ J 8 2

♣ J 10

♠ A 8 6 2

♥ 10

♦ 10 6 4 3

♣ A 9 7 6

♠ J 5 4

♥ A K J 8 5

♦ A K Q

♣ K 8

N

W S E

Shape 5332 4144 3532 1435 HCP 9 8 21 2 Losers 8 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦ ²	Pass	3 NT ³
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. surplus

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

389 boards f

89258B294C3C4647CE046C7AA860

Board 51

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7

♥ 10 4

♦ J 10 7 5

♣ J 10 6 5 3 2

♠ A Q 10 6

♥ K J 9 8 7 6

♦ 2

♣ K 8

♠ J 9 8 5 4 2

♥ —

♦ A 9 8 6

♣ 9 7 4

♠ K 3

♥ A Q 5 3 2

♦ K Q 4 3

♣ A Q

W N E S

Shape 4612 6043 2542 1246 HCP 13 5 20 2 Losers 5 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	4 ♦ ¹	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +980

400 boards f

98A18FC95AC8709418CED8A0824C

Board 52

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7
 ♥ K Q 10 6 3 2
 ♦ Q J 10 7 5
 ♣ K

♠ Q 10 6 5
 ♥ 9
 ♦ 8
 ♣ 10 9 8 7 5 4 2

♠ J 9 2
 ♥ J 8 7 5
 ♦ K 6 2
 ♣ J 6 3

♠ A K 8 4 3
 ♥ A 4
 ♦ A 9 4 3
 ♣ A Q

W N E S

Shape 1651 3433 5242 4117 HCP 11 6 21 2 Losers 5 11 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

409 boards f

9BAE8F83D56ACE369AC84DFA1388

Board 53

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 4

♥ 8 4

♦ 10 7 6 4 2

♣ 6 2

♠ 8 3

♥ K Q 9 6 5 2

♦ J 8

♣ K Q 3

♠ 10 5

♥ J 7 3

♦ Q 3

♣ A 10 9 8 7 4

♠ A K Q 7 2

♥ A 10

♦ A K 9 5

♣ J 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 2623 2326 5242 4252 HCP 11 7 21 1 Losers 6 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 6 — NS +690

412 boards f

9BA1278EA87C6BE2163D3BF21A1B

Board 54

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4		♠ K 7 6 5 3 2
♥ 10 6 5 4		♥ Q
♦ J 9 5 3 2		♦ K 7
♣ J 10		♣ K 9 5 2

	♠ 10 9
	♥ 7 3 2
	♦ A 8 4
	♣ Q 8 7 4 3

	♠ A Q J
	♥ A K J 9 8
	♦ Q 10 6
	♣ A 6



Shape 6124 2335 3532 2452 HCP 11 6 21 2 Losers 6 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ¹	Pass	5 ♣ ²
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

413 boards f

98B2B9A02F15795EB71407761FA8

Board 55

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ A K 9 7 4

♦ 10 7 6 5 4

♣ Q 6 2

♠ J 10 6 5 3

♥ 5

♦ K 9 2

♣ J 7 5 3

♠ 9 8 4

♥ 10 8 6 3

♦ J 8 3

♣ A 8 4

W

N

E

S

♠ A K Q 7 2

♥ Q J 2

♦ A Q

♣ K 10 9

Shape 5134 3433 5323 0553 HCP 5 5 21 9 Losers 9 11 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♠ ¹	4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass			Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
4 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +450

415 boards f

99A3A9D02C8412F81376EA2235D4

Board 56

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 5 2		♠ J 9 7 4 3
♥ 8 6 3		♥ 10
♦ J		♦ A Q 9 7 4
♣ Q J 10 8 2		♣ A 7

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 6
♥ Q 9 7 2
♦ 10 6 3 2
♣ 9 6 5 4

♠ A K 10
♥ A K J 5 4
♦ K 8 5
♣ K 3

Shape 5152 1444 3532 4315 HCP 11 2 21 6 Losers 6 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦ ¹	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT ²	Pass	4 NT ³
Pass	5 ♥ ⁴	Pass	5 NT ⁵
Pass	6 ♣ ⁶	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. NMF after 2 NT rebid
 2. surplus
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
 5. King ask by 5 NT
 6. K=0
- 6 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

419 boards f

ABAFB583CAC148C4EE703FAB5282

Board 57

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 8 7		♠ 5
♥ K 6 5		♥ Q J 10 9 8 2
♦ J 9 4		♦ K 8
♣ 9 8 6		♣ A Q 5 4

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 6 3
♥ 3
♦ Q 10 6 3 2
♣ J 7 3 2

♠ A K Q 4 2
♥ A 7 4
♦ A 7 5
♣ K 10

Shape 1624 3154 5332 4333 HCP 12 3 20 5 Losers 5 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ¹	Pass	5 ♣ ²
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

436 boards f

BAA72285C080AB8352D8416F7B5C

Board 58

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 5 4 3 2
♥ 7 6 2
♦ 9 6 3
♣ K 7

♠ A Q 10 9 8
♥ A K 9 4
♦ A Q
♣ Q 5

Shape 1525 5332 5422 2164 HCP 10 3 21 6 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♦ ³
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

440 boards f

B999A33511A5B3D6FE0E1C1A3C90

Board 59

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7		♠ Q J 6 5 4 3
♥ Q 9 7 3		♥ 6
♦ 7 6 5 3		♦ K J 9 2
♣ 5 3 2		♣ K 9

♠ —

♥ A J 8 5 4 2

♦ Q 10 8

♣ 8 7 6 4

N

W E

S

♠ A K 10 9 2
♥ K 10
♦ A 4
♣ A Q J 10

Shape 6142 0634 5224 2443 HCP 10 7 21 2 Losers 6 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	4 ♥ ¹	Dbl	1 ♠
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	6 ♣ ⁴	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !S queen and !C king

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980


450 boards f

C92BA5182ED4152FE48011D2BC44

Board 60

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 6232 1552 3523 3136 HCP 11 6 20 3 Losers 7 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ¹	Pass	5 ♣ ²
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

453 boards f

C98AAB88C407976E9D0DFC3A5EC7

Board 61

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 5 2		♠ 10 6 4
♥ 5 4		♥ A Q J 10 6 2
♦ 8 7 6 5 3		♦ —
♣ Q J 5		♣ K 10 9 2

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 3
♥ 9 7 3
♦ J 10 9 2
♣ A 8 4 3

♠ A K Q 9 7
♥ K 8
♦ A K Q 4
♣ 7 6

Shape 3604 2344 5242 3253 HCP 10 5 21 4 Losers 6 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ²
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♦ ⁵	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

470 boards f

DBA48F91FD9E524F96284BC87408

Board 62

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 4

♥ J 3

♦ 6 5 4 2

♣ A 6 4 3 2

♠ 6 2

♥ K 8 5 4 2

♦ A 7 3

♣ K 8 5

♠ 9 8 5 3

♥ Q 10 9 7

♦ Q 9

♣ 10 9 7

♠ A K Q 10 7

♥ A 6

♦ K J 10 8

♣ Q J

W N E

S

Shape 2533 4423 5242 2245 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass			Pass

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

476 boards f

DBAC882C7E6901D7780ED2865484

Board 63

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 6
♥ K 9 6 4 2
♦ 8 4 3 2
♣ 8

♠ 8 5
♥ J 7
♦ K 10 7
♣ A K Q 7 3 2

♠ J 10 7 3
♥ 8 5 3
♦ 9 5
♣ J 6 5 4

♠ A K 4 2
♥ A Q 10
♦ A Q J 6
♣ 10 9

W N E S

Shape 3541 4324 4342 2236 HCP 5 2 20 13 Losers 8 11 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass			Pass
3 N by South			
Down 3 — NS -300			