

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 1	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1087	
Vul: None	♦ 873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 653	

Board: 2	♠ Q9	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J1085	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQJ9	

Board: 3	♠ 84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A87	
Vul: EW	♦ J642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J984	

Board: 4	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1093	
Vul: Both	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ964	

Board: 5	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	
Vul: NS	♦ J9865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 875	

Board: 6	♠ AQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1084	

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Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109	♠ QJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ1087	♥ KJ952	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 6	♦ 873	♦ QJ92	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 653	♣ AJ				
Contract: 3♥ N			1. Extended acceptance after NT			

Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ 2				
Vul: NS	♥ J1085	♥ Q732		1♣	1♠	X
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ KJ92	4♠	AP		
South HCP: 6	♣ AKQJ9	♣ 7653				
Contract: 4♠ E						

Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 84	♠ KJ973				
Vul: EW	♥ A87	♥ 95				1♠
North HCP: 6	♦ J642	♦ A3	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ J984	♣ AKQ6				
Contract: 1♠ S						

Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ QJ8742		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A1093	♥ KJ	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ K4	♦ J8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ964	♣ 872	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ10	♠ 64				
Vul: NS	♥ 105	♥ AQ				1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ J9865	♦ KQ103	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 875	♣ AJ1094				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 6	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ73	♠ K92				
Vul: EW	♥ 53	♥ Q2		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K8	♦ AQ94	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK1084	♣ J972				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 1	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ952	
Vul: None	♦ QJ92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ	

Board: 2	♠ 2	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q732	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 7653	

Board: 3	♠ KJ973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ6	

Board: 4	♠ QJ8742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ J8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 872	

Board: 5	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ103	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ1094	

Board: 6	♠ K92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J972	

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Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109	♠ QJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ1087	♥ KJ952	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 6	♦ 873	♦ QJ92	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 653	♣ AJ				
Contract: 3♥ N			1. Extended acceptance after NT			

Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ 2				
Vul: NS	♥ J1085	♥ Q732		1♣	1♠	X
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ KJ92	4♠	AP		
South HCP: 6	♣ AKQJ9	♣ 7653				
Contract: 4♠ E						

Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 84	♠ KJ973				
Vul: EW	♥ A87	♥ 95				1♠
North HCP: 6	♦ J642	♦ A3	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ J984	♣ AKQ6				
Contract: 1♠ S						

Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ QJ8742		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A1093	♥ KJ	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ K4	♦ J8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ964	♣ 872	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ10	♠ 64				
Vul: NS	♥ 105	♥ AQ				1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ J9865	♦ KQ103	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 875	♣ AJ1094				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 6	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ73	♠ K92				
Vul: EW	♥ 53	♥ Q2		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K8	♦ AQ94	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK1084	♣ J972				
Contract: 3N N						

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Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 7	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10976	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 8	

Board: 8	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ102	

Board: 9	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK854	
Vul: EW	♦ K532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K5	

Board: 10	♠ KQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ93	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 95	

Board: 11	♠ 10852	West Bids 4NT if possible. East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J92	
Vul: None	♦ J1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ Q9	

Board: 12	♠ 87	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10754	

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Board: 7	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ K9				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ K10976	♥ AQJ54				
North HCP: 5	♦ Q10642	♦ AK73	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 8	♣ 54				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 8	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ Q976				
Vul: None	♥ Q5	♥ K1094				
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ82	♦ 53	1NT		AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ KJ102	♣ 953				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 9	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108	♠ AQJ6				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK854	♥ QJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K532	♦ Q7	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 17	♣ K5	♣ AJ1083	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N			1. Fourth suit			

Board: 10	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ9	♠ A876				
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ93	♥ 6542		1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ	♦ A8	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ 95	♣ J86				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10852	♠ KQ74				1♦
Vul: None	♥ J92	♥ 64	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣	Pass
North HCP: 4	♦ J1052	♦ AKQ96	Pass ²	Pass		
South HCP: 17	♣ Q9	♣ K4	1. Unusual 4NT			
Contract: 5♣ E			2. bidable suit			

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 87	♠ Q3				
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ8	♥ 742		1♣	Pass	1♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K3	♦ Q875	1♠	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A10754	♣ K962				
Contract: 2♣ N						

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Board: 7	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ54	
Vul: Both	♦ AK73	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 54	
Board: 8	♠ Q976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1094	
Vul: None	♦ 53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 953	
Board: 9	♠ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: EW	♦ Q7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ1083	
Board: 10	♠ A876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6542	
Vul: Both	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J86	
Board: 11	♠ KQ74	West Bids 4NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 64	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKQ96	
HCP: 17	♣ K4	You bid first.
Board: 12	♠ Q3	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 742	
Vul: NS	♦ Q875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K962	

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Board: 7	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ K9				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ K10976	♥ AQJ54				
North HCP: 5	♦ Q10642	♦ AK73	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 8	♣ 54				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 8	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ Q976				
Vul: None	♥ Q5	♥ K1094				
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ82	♦ 53		1NT	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ KJ102	♣ 953				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 9	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108	♠ AQJ6				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK854	♥ QJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K532	♦ Q7	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 17	♣ K5	♣ AJ1083	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit

Board: 10	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ9	♠ A876				
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ93	♥ 6542		1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ	♦ A8	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ 95	♣ J86				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10852	♠ KQ74				1♦
Vul: None	♥ J92	♥ 64	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣	Pass
North HCP: 4	♦ J1052	♦ AKQ96	Pass ²	Pass		
South HCP: 17	♣ Q9	♣ K4				
Contract: 5♣ E						

1. Unusual 4NT
2. bidable suit

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 87	♠ Q3				
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ8	♥ 742		1♣	Pass	1♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K3	♦ Q875	1♠	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A10754	♣ K962				
Contract: 2♣ N						

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Board: 13	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK53	
Vul: Both	♦ 632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K10654	

Board: 14	♠ AQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ A10643	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 94	

Board: 15	♠ KJ97	West Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A653	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 764	
HCP: 9	♣ J8	Partner bids first.

Board: 16	♠ KQ976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ 63	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ	

Board: 17	♠ Q942	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	
Vul: None	♦ KQ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K103	

Board: 18	♠ AQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ942	
Vul: NS	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A3	

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Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ QJ				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK53	♥ 72	Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10	♦ 632	♦ AK1074	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ K10654	♣ AQ98	1. Splinter			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ3	♠ 986				
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ K9854		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ A10643	♦ 85	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 7	♣ 94	♣ A75	AP			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ97	♠ AQ53				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A653	♥ K7	1♦	X	2♦	3♠
North HCP: 9	♦ 764	♦ A5	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ J8	♣ A7532				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ976	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ9	♥ A854	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 63	♦ A10752	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ	♣ A73	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 17	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q942	♠ K3				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 105	♥ AQ972	1♠	X	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 10	♦ KQ95	♦ A10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ K103	♣ A964				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 18	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ9	♠ K102				
Vul: NS	♥ KJ942	♥ AQ753	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ J5	♦ Q1043	Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 14	♣ A3	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

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Board: 13	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1074	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ98	

Board: 14	♠ 986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9854	
Vul: None	♦ 85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A75	

Board: 15	♠ AQ53	West Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A5	
HCP: 17	♣ A7532	You bid first.

Board: 16	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A854	
Vul: EW	♦ A10752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A73	

Board: 17	♠ K3	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ972	
Vul: None	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A964	

Board: 18	♠ K102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ753	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1043	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	

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Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ QJ				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK53	♥ 72	Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10	♦ 632	♦ AK1074	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ K10654	♣ AQ98	1. Splinter			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ3	♠ 986		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ K9854	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A10643	♦ 85	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 94	♣ A75				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ97	♠ AQ53				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A653	♥ K7	1♦	X	2♦	3♠
North HCP: 9	♦ 764	♦ A5	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ J8	♣ A7532				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ976	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ9	♥ A854	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 63	♦ A10752	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ	♣ A73	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 17	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q942	♠ K3				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 105	♥ AQ972	1♠	X	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 10	♦ KQ95	♦ A10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ K103	♣ A964				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 18	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ9	♠ K102		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ KJ942	♥ AQ753	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ J5	♦ Q1043	Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 14	♣ A3	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

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Board: 19	♠ Q8642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ K83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K104	

Board: 20	♠ KJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: Both	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ964	

Board: 21	♠ J762	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q82	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 752	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ Q42	Partner bids first.

Board: 22	♠ KQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ764	
Vul: EW	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 65	

Board: 23	♠ Q10432	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 10432	
HCP: 6	♣ J2	Partner bids first.

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Board: 19
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q8642
 ♥ KQ
 ♦ K83
 ♣ K104

South:
 ♠ K10
 ♥ AJ108
 ♦ QJ1072
 ♣ A7

West North East South
 Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT
 Pass 2♦¹ Pass 3♥²
 Pass 3NT AP
 1. Two Way New Minor Forcing
 2. artificial

Board: 20
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ KJ76
 ♥ 109
 ♦ AK
 ♣ AJ964

South:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ QJ52
 ♦ Q109762
 ♣ 107

West North East South
 1NT Pass 3♣¹
 Pass 3♦² AP
 1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 21
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2♠ W

North:
 ♠ J762
 ♥ Q82
 ♦ 752
 ♣ Q42

South:
 ♠ K8
 ♥ J6
 ♦ AQ43
 ♣ AJ1053

West North East South
 1NT
 2♣¹ Pass 2♦² Pass
 2♠ AP
 1. Cappelletti, any 6+ suit
 2. automat

Board: 22
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ KQ105
 ♥ AQ764
 ♦ A10
 ♣ 65

South:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ KJ3
 ♦ J865
 ♣ AQ84

West North East South
 1♥ Pass 2♣
 Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥
 Pass 3♠¹ Pass 4♣²
 Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♦
 Pass 5NT⁴ Pass 6♣
 Pass 6♥ AP
 1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
 2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
 3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥
 4. King ask by 5NT

Board: 23
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3♠ N

North:
 ♠ Q10432
 ♥ K3
 ♦ 10432
 ♣ J2

South:
 ♠ AJ87
 ♥ Q7
 ♦ AKJ65
 ♣ 75

West North East South
 1NT
 2♥¹ 2♠ 3♥ 3♠
 AP
 1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m

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Board: 19	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ108	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ1072	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A7	

Board: 20	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ52	
Vul: Both	♦ Q109762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 107	

Board: 21	♠ K8	West Bids 2♣ if possible. East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ43	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1053	
		You bid first.

Board: 22	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ J865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ84	

Board: 23	♠ AJ87	West Bids 2♥ if possible. East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ65	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 75	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 19
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q8642
 ♥ KQ
 ♦ K83
 ♣ K104

South:
 ♠ K10
 ♥ AJ108
 ♦ QJ1072
 ♣ A7

West North East South
 Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT
 Pass 2♦¹ Pass 3♥²
 Pass 3NT AP
 1. Two Way New Minor Forcing
 2. artificial

Board: 20
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ KJ76
 ♥ 109
 ♦ AK
 ♣ AJ964

South:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ QJ52
 ♦ Q109762
 ♣ 107

West North East South
 1NT Pass 3♣¹
 Pass 3♦² AP
 1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 21
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2♠ W

North:
 ♠ J762
 ♥ Q82
 ♦ 752
 ♣ Q42

South:
 ♠ K8
 ♥ J6
 ♦ AQ43
 ♣ AJ1053

West North East South
 1NT
 2♣¹ Pass 2♦² Pass
 2♠ AP
 1. Cappelletti, any 6+ suit
 2. automat

Board: 22
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ KQ105
 ♥ AQ764
 ♦ A10
 ♣ 65

South:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ KJ3
 ♦ J865
 ♣ AQ84

West North East South
 1♥ Pass 2♣
 Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥
 Pass 3♠¹ Pass 4♣²
 Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♦
 Pass 5NT⁴ Pass 6♣
 Pass 6♥ AP
 1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
 2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
 3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥
 4. King ask by 5NT

Board: 23
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3♠ N

North:
 ♠ Q10432
 ♥ K3
 ♦ 10432
 ♣ J2

South:
 ♠ AJ87
 ♥ Q7
 ♦ AKJ65
 ♣ 75

West North East South
 1NT
 2♥¹ 2♠ 3♥ 3♠
 AP
 1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 24	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ872	

Board: 25	♠ K962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K52	
Vul: EW	♦ K9652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 10	

Board: 26	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8752	
Vul: Both	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK76	

Board: 27	♠ J2	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 865	
Vul: None	♦ K1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A975	

Board: 28	♠ AKQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: NS	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A9872	

Board: 29	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K943	
Vul: Both	♦ 1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ QJ72	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ 10976		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ Q9	♥ K76	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ3	♦ 972	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ872	♣ AQ3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K962	♠ AQJ7	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Vul: EW	♥ K52	♥ 107	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 9	♦ K9652	♦ Q10	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 10	♣ KQJ43	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. Splinter			

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ Q1082				
Vul: Both	♥ K8752	♥ J4	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ K8	♦ A752				
South HCP: 7	♣ AK76	♣ 942				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J2	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 865	♥ AK943	2♣ ¹	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ K1052	♦ 74	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 16	♣ A975	♣ K1083				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ5	♠ J4		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J9	♥ 10874	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K7	♦ Q1065	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ A9872	♣ QJ3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ	♠ AK543				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K943	♥ J2	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 9	♦ 1032	♦ QJ85	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ72	♣ A9	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3♥ N			2. artificial			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 24	♠ 10976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K76	
Vul: None	♦ 972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AQ3	

Board: 25	♠ AQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ43	

Board: 26	♠ Q1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: Both	♦ A752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 942	

Board: 27	♠ AQ	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK943	
Vul: None	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K1083	

Board: 28	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10874	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ QJ3	

Board: 29	♠ AK543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J2	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ 10976		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ Q9	♥ K76	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ3	♦ 972	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ872	♣ AQ3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K962	♠ AQJ7	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Vul: EW	♥ K52	♥ 107	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 9	♦ K9652	♦ Q10	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 10	♣ KQJ43	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. Splinter			

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ Q1082				
Vul: Both	♥ K8752	♥ J4	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ K8	♦ A752				
South HCP: 7	♣ AK76	♣ 942				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J2	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 865	♥ AK943	2♣ ¹	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ K1052	♦ 74	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 16	♣ A975	♣ K1083				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ5	♠ J4		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J9	♥ 10874	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K7	♦ Q1065	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ A9872	♣ QJ3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ	♠ AK543				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K943	♥ J2	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 9	♦ 1032	♦ QJ85	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ72	♣ A9	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3♥ N			2. artificial			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 30	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1054	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q4	
Board: 31	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A84	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q52	
Board: 32	♠ KQJ8	West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 54	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ94	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ Q6	West Doubles 4♣ if possible.
		You bid first.
Board: 33	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ943	
Vul: None	♦ J42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K96	
Board: 34	♠ AKJ76	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 43	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ42	
HCP: 15	♣ K10	You bid first.
Board: 35	♠ J832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K873	
Vul: EW	♦ K52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 87	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ J964		1♥	AP	
Vul: None	♥ KQ1054	♥ —				
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQJ	♦ 986532				
South HCP: 4	♣ Q4	♣ K53				
Contract: 1♥ N						

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J7	♠ K843				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A84	♥ KQ1095	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ1072	♦ K5	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ²
South HCP: 15	♣ Q52	♣ A8	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ S			1. forcing 1NT			
			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 32	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ8	♠ A72		1♦	Pass	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ 54	♥ 63	1♥	X	2♥	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ94	♦ 103	Pass	Pass	3♥	4♣
South HCP: 4	♣ Q6	♣ 1087432	X	AP		
Contract: 4♣X S						

Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ K9543				1♠
Vul: None	♥ KJ943	♥ A1082	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J42	♦ K5	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K96	♣ AJ	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 34	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ76	♠ Q98542				
Vul: NS	♥ 43	♥ 9		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ42	♦ Q973	3♥	Pass	4♥	AP
South HCP: 5	♣ K10	♣ J2				
Contract: 4♥ W						

Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J832	♠ 75				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K873	♥ AQJ65	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦ ¹
North HCP: 7	♦ K52	♦ AQ96	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 87	♣ A4	1. Two way game tries			
Contract: 4♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 30	♠ J964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ 986532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ K53	
Board: 31	♠ K843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1095	
Vul: NS	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	
Board: 32	♠ A72	West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 103	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 4	♣ 1087432	West Doubles 4♣ if possible.
		Partner bids first.
Board: 33	♠ K9543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1082	
Vul: None	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ	
Board: 34	♠ Q98542	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q973	
HCP: 5	♣ J2	Partner bids first.
Board: 35	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ65	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ96	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A4	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 30	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ J964	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ KQ1054	♥ —	1♥ AP
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQJ	♦ 986532	
South HCP: 4	♣ Q4	♣ K53	
Contract: 1♥ N			

Board: 31	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ J7	♠ K843	
Vul: NS	♥ A84	♥ KQ1095	1♥
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ1072	♦ K5	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2♣
South HCP: 15	♣ Q52	♣ A8	Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT ²
Contract: 4♥ S			Pass 4♥ AP
			1. forcing 1NT
			2. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 32	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ8	♠ A72	
Vul: EW	♥ 54	♥ 63	1♦ Pass Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ94	♦ 103	1♥ X 2♥ 3♣
South HCP: 4	♣ Q6	♣ 1087432	Pass Pass 3♥ 4♣
Contract: 4♣ X S			X AP

Board: 33	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ K9543	
Vul: None	♥ KJ943	♥ A1082	1♠
North HCP: 12	♦ J42	♦ K5	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2♥
South HCP: 15	♣ K96	♣ AJ	Pass 4♥ AP
Contract: 4♥ S			1. forcing 1NT

Board: 34	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ76	♠ Q98542	
Vul: NS	♥ 43	♥ 9	1NT Pass 2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ42	♦ Q973	3♥ Pass 4♥ AP
South HCP: 5	♣ K10	♣ J2	
Contract: 4♥ W			

Board: 35	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ J832	♠ 75	
Vul: EW	♥ K873	♥ AQJ65	1♥
North HCP: 7	♦ K52	♦ AQ96	Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦ ¹
South HCP: 17	♣ 87	♣ A4	Pass 4♥ AP
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Two way game tries

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 36 ♠ K753 West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ AKJ65 East Bids X♥ if possible.
Vul: Both ♦ 86
HCP: 16 ♣ KQ You bid first.

Board: 37 ♠ 10432 West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S ♥ — East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: NS ♦ K8543 West Redoubles if possible.
HCP: 3 ♣ 9743 East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
Partner bids first.

Board: 38 ♠ AKQJ2 East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ K2 West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW ♦ QJ95 East Bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 16 ♣ 72 You bid first.

Board: 39 ♠ J953 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ 108752
Vul: Both ♦ 76
HCP: 1 ♣ 106 Partner bids first.

Board: 40 ♠ KJ72 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N ♥ QJ876
Vul: None ♦ Q3
HCP: 16 ♣ AK You bid first.

Board: 41 ♠ 76 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ A64
Vul: EW ♦ KJ9743
HCP: 9 ♣ J7 Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K753	♠ Q62		1♥	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ65	♥ 1092	2♠	X	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 86	♦ K72	Pass	4♥	X♥	AP
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ	♣ A1093				
Contract: 4♥X N						

Board: 37	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10432	♠ AQ				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ QJ54	1♥	Pass	2♣ ¹	X
North HCP: 3	♦ K8543	♦ J7	XX	Pass	2♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ 9743	♣ KQJ105	4♥	AP		
Contract: 4♥ W			1. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 38	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ2	♠ 96		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ K2	♥ Q10543	2NT	Pass	3♦	AP
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ95	♦ 73	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
South HCP: 9	♣ 72	♣ AQJ4				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 39	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J953	♠ 86				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 108752	♥ AK96	AP			
North HCP: 1	♦ 76	♦ J10943				
South HCP: 15	♣ 106	♣ AK				
Contract: 1♦ S						

Board: 40	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ72	♠ AQ9		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ QJ876	♥ AK1053	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ Q3	♦ 8	Pass	4♠ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 13	♣ AK	♣ 7432	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N			AP			
			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 41	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 76	♠ AKJ43				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A64	♥ 103	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ9743	♦ 106				
South HCP: 17	♣ J7	♣ AKQ8				
Contract: 3♦ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 36 ♠ Q62 West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ 1092 East Bids X♥ if possible.
Vul: Both ♦ K72
HCP: 9 ♣ A1093 Partner bids first.

Board: 37 ♠ AQ West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S ♥ QJ54 East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: NS ♦ J7 West Redoubles if possible.
HCP: 16 ♣ KQJ105 East Bids 2♥ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.
You bid first.

Board: 38 ♠ 96 East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ Q10543 West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW ♦ 73 East Bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 9 ♣ AQJ4 Partner bids first.

Board: 39 ♠ 86 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ AK96
Vul: Both ♦ J10943
HCP: 15 ♣ AK You bid first.

Board: 40 ♠ AQ9 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N ♥ AK1053
Vul: None ♦ 8
HCP: 13 ♣ 7432 Partner bids first.

Board: 41 ♠ AKJ43 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ 103
Vul: EW ♦ 106
HCP: 17 ♣ AKQ8 You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K753	♠ Q62		1♥	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ65	♥ 1092	2♠	X	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 86	♦ K72	Pass	4♥	X♥	AP
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ	♣ A1093				
Contract: 4♥X N						

Board: 37	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10432	♠ AQ				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ QJ54	1♥	Pass	2♣ ¹	X
North HCP: 3	♦ K8543	♦ J7	XX	Pass	2♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ 9743	♣ KQJ105	4♥	AP		
Contract: 4♥ W			1. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 38	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ2	♠ 96		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ K2	♥ Q10543	2NT	Pass	3♦	AP
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ95	♦ 73	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
South HCP: 9	♣ 72	♣ AQJ4				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 39	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J953	♠ 86				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 108752	♥ AK96	AP			
North HCP: 1	♦ 76	♦ J10943				
South HCP: 15	♣ 106	♣ AK				
Contract: 1♦ S						

Board: 40	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ72	♠ AQ9		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ QJ876	♥ AK1053	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ Q3	♦ 8	Pass	4♠ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 13	♣ AK	♣ 7432	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N			AP			
			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 41	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 76	♠ AKJ43				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A64	♥ 103	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ9743	♦ 106				
South HCP: 17	♣ J7	♣ AKQ8				
Contract: 3♦ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 42	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9763	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J10	

Board: 43	♠ Q1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K98	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ985	

Board: 44	♠ A765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10865	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K9	

Board: 45	♠ J10832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 7	

Board: 46	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ62	
Vul: None	♦ AQ873	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

Board: 47	♠ J96532	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K43	
Vul: NS	♦ Q94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 5	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 42
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♣ S

North:
♠ KQ
♥ Q9763
♦ AKJ4
♣ J10

South:
♠ 10632
♥ 84
♦ 93
♣ AKQ86

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♣
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. artificial			

Board: 43
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ Q1084
♥ K98
♦ A
♣ AQ985

South:
♠ AJ65
♥ AJ
♦ Q6532
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			

Board: 44
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 5
Contract: 1♥ N

North:
♠ A765
♥ A10865
♦ AQ
♣ K9

South:
♠ J84
♥ 42
♦ K9432
♣ J74

West	North	East	South
	1♥	AP	

Board: 45
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ J10832
♥ A5
♦ KQJ84
♣ 7

South:
♠ 95
♥ KQ83
♦ A7
♣ AK1052

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			

Board: 46
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 103
♥ KQ62
♦ AQ873
♣ AJ

South:
♠ 97
♥ A3
♦ K10964
♣ KQ98

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 47
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 6
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ W

North:
♠ J96532
♥ K43
♦ Q94
♣ 5

South:
♠ A4
♥ Q6
♦ KJ832
♣ AK63

West	North	East	South
			1♦
3♣	AP		

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 42	♠ 10632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: Both	♦ 93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AKQ86	

Board: 43	♠ AJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ Q6532	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K4	

Board: 44	♠ J84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: NS	♦ K9432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J74	

Board: 45	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ83	
Vul: Both	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1052	

Board: 46	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: None	♦ K10964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ98	

Board: 47	♠ A4	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ832	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK63	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 42
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♣ S

North:
♠ KQ
♥ Q9763
♦ AKJ4
♣ J10

South:
♠ 10632
♥ 84
♦ 93
♣ AKQ86

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♣
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. artificial			

Board: 43
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ Q1084
♥ K98
♦ A
♣ AQ985

South:
♠ AJ65
♥ AJ
♦ Q6532
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. Splinter			

Board: 44
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 5
Contract: 1♥ N

North:
♠ A765
♥ A10865
♦ AQ
♣ K9

South:
♠ J84
♥ 42
♦ K9432
♣ J74

West	North	East	South
	1♥	AP	

Board: 45
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ J10832
♥ A5
♦ KQJ84
♣ 7

South:
♠ 95
♥ KQ83
♦ A7
♣ AK1052

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			

Board: 46
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 103
♥ KQ62
♦ AQ873
♣ AJ

South:
♠ 97
♥ A3
♦ K10964
♣ KQ98

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Inverted minors			

Board: 47
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 6
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ W

North:
♠ J96532
♥ K43
♦ Q94
♣ 5

South:
♠ A4
♥ Q6
♦ KJ832
♣ AK63

West	North	East	South
			1♦
3♣	AP		

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 48	♠ A762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ862	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q8	
Board: 49	♠ J95	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J1042	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q872	
HCP: 7	♣ K7	Partner bids first.
Board: 50	♠ AJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 106	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ98	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q9	
Board: 51	♠ 932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q107	
Vul: EW	♦ 64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AQJ109	
Board: 52	♠ AQ974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q3	
Vul: Both	♦ AK63	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 109	
Board: 53	♠ 4	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ52	
Vul: NS	♦ A982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q954	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A762	♠ 83		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ K4	♥ A9875	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ862	♦ K3	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ Q8	♣ J952				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J95	♠ AQ64				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J1042	♥ AK863	Pass	2♥	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
North HCP: 7	♦ Q872	♦ 95	4♣	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ K7	♣ A10				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Unusual 2NT			
			2. artificial			

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ76	♠ Q95		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ 106	♥ AKQJ53	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQ98	♦ 10	1. Texas			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q9	♣ J102				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 932	♠ KJ104				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q107	♥ KJ864	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ 64	♦ A3				
South HCP: 15	♣ AQJ109	♣ K6				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ974	♠ J6		1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q3	♥ —	Pass	3♣ ²	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AK63	♦ QJ1095	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ 109	♣ AJ8432	2. automat			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ A3				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ52	♥ AK974	4♠	5♥	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ A982	♦ Q543				
South HCP: 17	♣ Q954	♣ A7				
Contract: 5♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 48	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9875	
Vul: EW	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J952	
Board: 49	♠ AQ64	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK863	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 95	
HCP: 17	♣ A10	You bid first.
Board: 50	♠ Q95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ53	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J102	
Board: 51	♠ KJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ864	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K6	
Board: 52	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ8432	
Board: 53	♠ A3	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK974	
Vul: NS	♦ Q543	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A7	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A762	♠ 83		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ K4	♥ A9875	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ862	♦ K3	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ Q8	♣ J952				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J95	♠ AQ64				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J1042	♥ AK863	Pass	2♥	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
North HCP: 7	♦ Q872	♦ 95	4♣	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ K7	♣ A10				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Unusual 2NT			
			2. artificial			

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ76	♠ Q95		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ 106	♥ AKQJ53	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQ98	♦ 10	1. Texas			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q9	♣ J102				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 932	♠ KJ104				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q107	♥ KJ864	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ 64	♦ A3				
South HCP: 15	♣ AQJ109	♣ K6				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ974	♠ J6		1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q3	♥ —	Pass	3♣ ²	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AK63	♦ QJ1095	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ 109	♣ AJ8432	2. automat			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ A3				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ52	♥ AK974	4♠	5♥	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ A982	♦ Q543				
South HCP: 17	♣ Q954	♣ A7				
Contract: 5♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 54	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ942	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ94	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q4	

Board: 55	♠ KJ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK107	
Vul: Both	♦ 65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 654	

Board: 56	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1032	
Vul: None	♦ AQ109	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A6	

Board: 57	♠ KQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ62	
Vul: EW	♦ A2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1052	

Board: 58	♠ AQ864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ96	

Board: 59	♠ 2	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q97	
Vul: None	♦ Q986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J10653	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ 653		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ942	♥ AJ3				
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ94	♦ 76	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q4	♣ AJ865				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 55	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ94	♠ AQ1085				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK107	♥ Q2	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 11	♦ 65	♦ KJ108	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 654	♣ A7				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			

Board: 56	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ A1074		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ KQ1032	♥ J98	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ109	♦ 6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A6	♣ QJ542				
Contract: 4♥ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Splinter			

Board: 57	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ108	♠ A972				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AJ62	♥ Q4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ A2	♦ KQ1073	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 1052	♣ A3				
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Stayman			

Board: 58	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ864	♠ 2		1NT	Pass	3♠ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ 42	♥ K1096				
North HCP: 15	♦ K3	♦ AQJ98	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ96	♣ J102				
Contract: 3N N			1. Splinter			

Board: 59	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 2	♠ KQ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q97	♥ A543				
North HCP: 5	♦ Q986	♦ K4	1♠	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ J10653	♣ KQ872				
Contract: 4♣ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 54	♠ 653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ 76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ865	

Board: 55	♠ AQ1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ108	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A7	

Board: 56	♠ A1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J98	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ542	

Board: 57	♠ A972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q4	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ1073	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Board: 58	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1096	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J102	

Board: 59	♠ KQ	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A543	
Vul: None	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ872	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ 653		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ942	♥ AJ3				
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ94	♦ 76	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q4	♣ AJ865				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 55	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ94	♠ AQ1085				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK107	♥ Q2	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 11	♦ 65	♦ KJ108	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 654	♣ A7				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			

Board: 56	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ A1074		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ KQ1032	♥ J98	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ109	♦ 6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A6	♣ QJ542				
Contract: 4♥ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Splinter			

Board: 57	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ108	♠ A972				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AJ62	♥ Q4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ A2	♦ KQ1073	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 1052	♣ A3				
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Stayman			

Board: 58	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ864	♠ 2		1NT	Pass	3♠ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ 42	♥ K1096				
North HCP: 15	♦ K3	♦ AQJ98	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ96	♣ J102				
Contract: 3N N			1. Splinter			

Board: 59	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 2	♠ KQ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q97	♥ A543				
North HCP: 5	♦ Q986	♦ K4	1♠	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ J10653	♣ KQ872				
Contract: 4♣ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 60	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ76	
Vul: NS	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K843	

Board: 61	♠ QJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1063	
Vul: Both	♦ 1063	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A9	

Board: 62	♠ KQ983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K987	

Board: 63	♠ 97432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K6	

Board: 64	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1053	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q854	

Board: 65	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ952	
Vul: None	♦ 1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q32	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 60	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ A73		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ76	♥ 1052				
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ AKJ94	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K843	♣ 96				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 61	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ85	♠ A9				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J1063	♥ Q854	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 1063	♦ AQJ85	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A9	♣ K6				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 62	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ983	♠ J76		1♠	AP	
Vul: None	♥ AQ	♥ K10652				
North HCP: 17	♦ QJ	♦ 1052				
South HCP: 4	♣ K987	♣ 103				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97432	♠ K10				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q8	♥ K9632	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ94	♦ AQ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ K6	♣ QJ87	AP			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ QJ963		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AQ1053	♥ 62				
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ	♦ 1043	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ Q854	♣ A103				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ J4				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQJ952	♥ A1073	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 1083	♦ AKQ52	Pass	3NT ¹	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15	♣ Q32	♣ J9	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
Contract: 5♥ N			AP			

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 60	♠ A73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1052	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 96	

Board: 61	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q854	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K6	

Board: 62	♠ J76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10652	
Vul: None	♦ 1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 103	

Board: 63	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9632	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ87	

Board: 64	♠ QJ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 62	
Vul: EW	♦ 1043	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A103	

Board: 65	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1073	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J9	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 60	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ A73		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ76	♥ 1052				
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ AKJ94	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K843	♣ 96				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 61	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ85	♠ A9				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J1063	♥ Q854	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 1063	♦ AQJ85	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A9	♣ K6				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 62	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ983	♠ J76				
Vul: None	♥ AQ	♥ K10652		1♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ QJ	♦ 1052				
South HCP: 4	♣ K987	♣ 103				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97432	♠ K10				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q8	♥ K9632	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ94	♦ AQ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ K6	♣ QJ87	AP			
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ QJ963				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ1053	♥ 62		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ	♦ 1043	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ Q854	♣ A103				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ J4				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KQJ952	♥ A1073	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 1083	♦ AKQ52	Pass	3NT ¹	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15	♣ Q32	♣ J9	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
Contract: 5♥ N			AP			

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 66	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1052	
Vul: NS	♦ AK76	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 84	
Board: 67	♠ 1063	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ65	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ QJ	
Board: 68	♠ AQJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ52	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 106	
Board: 69	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K987	
Vul: NS	♦ A73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ53	
Board: 70	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1074	
Vul: EW	♦ 108	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ93	
Board: 71	♠ Q109	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ 85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ QJ76543	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ A3		1♥	Pass	3♣
Vul: NS	♥ AK1052	♥ 73	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK76	♦ 853				
South HCP: 10	♣ 84	♣ KQJ1075				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1063	♠ J9	Pass	2♣ ¹	X	3♣ ²
Vul: EW	♥ AJ65	♥ KQ1097	Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 10	♦ Q1074	♦ AJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ	♣ A953	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. artificial			
			3. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 68	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ84	♠ K10953		1♠	Pass	4♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ52	♥ 743	AP			
North HCP: 17	♦ A10	♦ Q85				
South HCP: 8	♣ 106	♣ K7				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 69	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J7	♠ AQ94				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K987	♥ AQ543	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A73	♦ J5	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ53	♣ A2	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Jacoby 2NT			

Board: 70	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ A43		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK1074	♥ Q9	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ 108	♦ KQ93				
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ93	♣ 10764				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 71	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q109	♠ KJ				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 4	♥ KQJ86	1NT	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 5	♦ 85	♦ AK93				
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ76543	♣ 102				
Contract: 3♣ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 66	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 73	
Vul: NS	♦ 853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQJ1075	
Board: 67	♠ J9	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1097	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A953	
Board: 68	♠ K10953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 743	
Vul: Both	♦ Q85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K7	
Board: 69	♠ AQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ543	
Vul: NS	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A2	
Board: 70	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 10764	
Board: 71	♠ KJ	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ86	
Vul: Both	♦ AK93	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 102	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ A3		1♥	Pass	3♣
Vul: NS	♥ AK1052	♥ 73	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK76	♦ 853				
South HCP: 10	♣ 84	♣ KQJ1075				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1063	♠ J9	Pass	2♣ ¹	X	3♣ ²
Vul: EW	♥ AJ65	♥ KQ1097	Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 10	♦ Q1074	♦ AJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ	♣ A953	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. artificial			
			3. limit raise or better in ♥			

Board: 68	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ84	♠ K10953		1♠	Pass	4♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ52	♥ 743	AP			
North HCP: 17	♦ A10	♦ Q85				
South HCP: 8	♣ 106	♣ K7				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 69	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J7	♠ AQ94				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K987	♥ AQ543	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A73	♦ J5	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ53	♣ A2	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Jacoby 2NT			

Board: 70	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ A43		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK1074	♥ Q9	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ 108	♦ KQ93				
South HCP: 11	♣ AJ93	♣ 10764				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 71	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q109	♠ KJ				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 4	♥ KQJ86	1NT	3♣	AP	
North HCP: 5	♦ 85	♦ AK93				
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ76543	♣ 102				
Contract: 3♣ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 72	♠ AQ1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: None	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK83	

Board: 73	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1087	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 753	

Board: 74	♠ A10765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ AK85	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 52	

Board: 75	♠ K1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: None	♦ KQ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ	

Board: 76	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	
Vul: NS	♦ 105	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K9764	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 72			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♠	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: None	♠ AQ1052	♠ J863	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♥ Q8	♥ K	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 12	♦ Q3	♦ AJ84	Pass	5♠	AP	
Contract: 5♠ N	♣ AK83	♣ QJ75				
			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 73			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: EW	♠ 87	♠ AQJ2	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 7	♥ Q1087	♥ KJ642	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♦ AJ62	♦ 98				
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ 753	♣ A4				
			1. Two way game tries			

Board: 74			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♠ A10765	♠ KQ42	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♥ A2	♥ KQ6	AP			
South HCP: 13	♦ AK85	♦ J7				
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ 52	♣ Q643				
			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			

Board: 75			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: None	♠ K1075	♠ AJ93	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 18	♥ J4	♥ AKQ86	Pass	3NT ¹	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♦ KQ63	♦ J5	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
Contract: 6♠ N	♣ AKQ	♣ 108	Pass	6♠	AP	
			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 76			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	AP	
Vul: NS	♠ AKQ7	♠ 6532				
North HCP: 16	♥ A6	♥ K4				
South HCP: 4	♦ 105	♦ J976				
Contract: 1N N	♣ K9764	♣ 532				

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 72	♠ J863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ AJ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ75	

Board: 73	♠ AQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ642	
Vul: EW	♦ 98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Board: 74	♠ KQ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ6	
Vul: Both	♦ J7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q643	

Board: 75	♠ AJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ86	
Vul: None	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 108	

Board: 76	♠ 6532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: NS	♦ J976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 532	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 72			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♠	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: None	♠ AQ1052	♠ J863	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♥ Q8	♥ K	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 12	♦ Q3	♦ AJ84	Pass	5♠	AP	
Contract: 5♠ N	♣ AK83	♣ QJ75				
			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 73			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: EW	♠ 87	♠ AQJ2	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 7	♥ Q1087	♥ KJ642	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♦ AJ62	♦ 98				
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ 753	♣ A4				
			1. Two way game tries			

Board: 74			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♠ A10765	♠ KQ42	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♥ A2	♥ KQ6	AP			
South HCP: 13	♦ AK85	♦ J7				
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ 52	♣ Q643				
			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			

Board: 75			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: None	♠ K1075	♠ AJ93	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 18	♥ J4	♥ AKQ86	Pass	3NT ¹	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♦ KQ63	♦ J5	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
Contract: 6♠ N	♣ AKQ	♣ 108	Pass	6♠	AP	
			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 76			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	AP	
Vul: NS	♠ AKQ7	♠ 6532				
North HCP: 16	♥ A6	♥ K4				
South HCP: 4	♦ 105	♦ J976				
Contract: 1N N	♣ K9764	♣ 532				

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 77	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	

Board: 78	♠ KJ	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ109	
Vul: None	♦ A7543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Board: 79	♠ 93	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ 8753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ KQ8652	

Board: 80	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10976	
Vul: EW	♦ AK832	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

Board: 81	♠ QJ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ43	
Vul: None	♦ AJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 77
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K85
♥ KQJ9
♦ QJ1095
♣ 8

South:
♠ 104
♥ A8752
♦ A6
♣ AKQ3

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Jacoby 2NT			
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 78
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 2
Contract: 3♦ N

North:
♠ KJ
♥ QJ109
♦ A7543
♣ A3

South:
♠ 107532
♥ 7
♦ 1096
♣ Q985

West	North	East	South
	1♦	1NT	Pass
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
AP			

Board: 79
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ 93
♥ Q
♦ 8753
♣ KQ8652

South:
♠ KQ1062
♥ 92
♦ AK
♣ AJ43

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	3♥	AP
1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 80
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K9
♥ 10976
♦ AK832
♣ AQ

South:
♠ AQJ62
♥ KJ
♦ Q95
♣ KJ6

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			
2. artificial			

Board: 81
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ QJ72
♥ KQ43
♦ AJ107
♣ 9

South:
♠ 103
♥ A10
♦ KQ853
♣ AQ32

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Stayman			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 77	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8752	
Vul: Both	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ3	

Board: 78	♠ 107532	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ 1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ Q985	

Board: 79	♠ KQ1062	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: NS	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ43	

Board: 80	♠ AQJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ Q95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ6	

Board: 81	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ853	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ32	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 77
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ K85
♥ KQJ9
♦ QJ1095
♣ 8

South:
♠ 104
♥ A8752
♦ A6
♣ AKQ3

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Jacoby 2NT			
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 78
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 2
Contract: 3♦ N

North:
♠ KJ
♥ QJ109
♦ A7543
♣ A3

South:
♠ 107532
♥ 7
♦ 1096
♣ Q985

West	North	East	South
	1♦	1NT	Pass
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
AP			

Board: 79
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♥ E

North:
♠ 93
♥ Q
♦ 8753
♣ KQ8652

South:
♠ KQ1062
♥ 92
♦ AK
♣ AJ43

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	3♥	AP
1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 80
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K9
♥ 10976
♦ AK832
♣ AQ

South:
♠ AQJ62
♥ KJ
♦ Q95
♣ KJ6

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			
2. artificial			

Board: 81
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ QJ72
♥ KQ43
♦ AJ107
♣ 9

South:
♠ 103
♥ A10
♦ KQ853
♣ AQ32

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	3NT	AP	
1. Stayman			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 82	♠ KQ1076	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ64	
HCP: 15	♣ J5	You bid first.

Board: 83	♠ 97542	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: EW	♦ 1083	
HCP: 4	♣ A103	Partner bids first.

Board: 84	♠ A1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ974	
HCP: 15	♣ Q6	You bid first.

Board: 85	♠ 76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10543	
Vul: NS	♦ J1052	
HCP: 2	♣ J75	Partner bids first.

Board: 86	♠ AKQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A732	
Vul: EW	♦ K2	
HCP: 16	♣ 73	You bid first.

Board: 87	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ94	
Vul: Both	♦ A54	
HCP: 14	♣ Q85	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ1076	♠ 4		1NT	2♣ ¹	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ K108632	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ64	♦ Q1093	AP			
South HCP: 5	♣ J5	♣ 107				
Contract: 3♥ N			1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97542	♠ 108				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 92	♥ AK86	Pass	Pass	1♠	2♥
North HCP: 4	♦ 1083	♦ AK942	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A103	♣ J5				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1093	♠ K85		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ K6	♥ AQJ83	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ974	♦ J62	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q6	♣ J5				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 76	♠ KJ1043				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 10543	♥ A7	AP			
North HCP: 2	♦ J1052	♦ AQ76				
South HCP: 17	♣ J75	♣ K3				
Contract: 1♠ S						

Board: 86	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ92	♠ J8		1♠	AP	
Vul: EW	♥ A732	♥ KJ8				
North HCP: 16	♦ K2	♦ 10654				
South HCP: 6	♣ 73	♣ J1064				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 87	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q74	♠ K5				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ94	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ A54	♦ KQJ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q85	♣ AK943				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 82	♠ 4	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K108632	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 107	

Board: 83	♠ 108	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK86	
Vul: EW	♦ AK942	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J5	

Board: 84	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ83	
Vul: Both	♦ J62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J5	

Board: 85	♠ KJ1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ76	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K3	

Board: 86	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ 10654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J1064	

Board: 87	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK943	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ1076	♠ 4		1NT	2♣ ¹	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ K108632	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ64	♦ Q1093	AP			
South HCP: 5	♣ J5	♣ 107				
Contract: 3♥ N						1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97542	♠ 108				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 92	♥ AK86	Pass	Pass	1♠	2♥
North HCP: 4	♦ 1083	♦ AK942	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A103	♣ J5				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1093	♠ K85		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ K6	♥ AQJ83	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ974	♦ J62	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ Q6	♣ J5				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 76	♠ KJ1043				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 10543	♥ A7	AP			
North HCP: 2	♦ J1052	♦ AQ76				
South HCP: 17	♣ J75	♣ K3				
Contract: 1♠ S						

Board: 86	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ92	♠ J8		1♠	AP	
Vul: EW	♥ A732	♥ KJ8				
North HCP: 16	♦ K2	♦ 10654				
South HCP: 6	♣ 73	♣ J1064				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 87	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q74	♠ K5				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ94	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ A54	♦ KQJ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q85	♣ AK943				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 88	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K2	
Vul: None	♦ AK97	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ1097	

Board: 89	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 986	
Vul: EW	♦ 10872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A952	

Board: 90	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ643	
Vul: Both	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ86	

Board: 91	♠ J52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A105	
Vul: None	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ1054	

Board: 92	♠ AKQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	
Vul: NS	♦ K1098	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A2	

Board: 93	♠ J1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: Both	♦ 972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ4	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 88	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ J	
Vul: None	♥ K2	♥ AJ105	West North East South
North HCP: 16	♦ AK97	♦ J10862	1NT AP
South HCP: 7	♣ KJ1097	♣ 854	
Contract: 1N N			

Board: 89	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ Q5	♠ AK97	
Vul: EW	♥ 986	♥ KJ1043	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2NT
North HCP: 6	♦ 10872	♦ KQ	Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A952	♣ 107	AP
Contract: 4♥ S			1. forcing 1NT

Board: 90	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ 86	
Vul: Both	♥ KQ643	♥ J8	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J2	♦ Q83	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ QJ86	♣ AK9532	
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 91	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ J52	♠ AKQ7	
Vul: None	♥ A105	♥ KQJ76	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2♣
North HCP: 10	♦ J5	♦ 64	Pass 4♥ AP
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ1054	♣ Q6	1. forcing 1NT
Contract: 4♥ S			

Board: 92	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ85	♠ 642	
Vul: NS	♥ 63	♥ KQ7	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K1098	♦ J765	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ A2	♣ KJ9	
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 93	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ J1053	♠ KQ874	
Vul: Both	♥ A96	♥ J10	Pass 2♣ ¹ Pass 3♦ ²
North HCP: 10	♦ 972	♦ AQJ3	Pass 4♣ AP
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ4	♣ Q9	1. Stayman
Contract: 4♠ N			2. artificial

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 88	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ105	
Vul: None	♦ J10862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 854	

Board: 89	♠ AK97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1043	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 107	

Board: 90	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ Q83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AK9532	

Board: 91	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ76	
Vul: None	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q6	

Board: 92	♠ 642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ J765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ9	

Board: 93	♠ KQ874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q9	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 88	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ J	
Vul: None	♥ K2	♥ AJ105	West North East South
North HCP: 16	♦ AK97	♦ J10862	1NT AP
South HCP: 7	♣ KJ1097	♣ 854	
Contract: 1N N			

Board: 89	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ Q5	♠ AK97	
Vul: EW	♥ 986	♥ KJ1043	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2NT
North HCP: 6	♦ 10872	♦ KQ	Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A952	♣ 107	AP
Contract: 4♥ S			1. forcing 1NT

Board: 90	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ 86	
Vul: Both	♥ KQ643	♥ J8	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J2	♦ Q83	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ QJ86	♣ AK9532	
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 91	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ J52	♠ AKQ7	
Vul: None	♥ A105	♥ KQJ76	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2♣
North HCP: 10	♦ J5	♦ 64	Pass 4♥ AP
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ1054	♣ Q6	1. forcing 1NT
Contract: 4♥ S			

Board: 92	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ85	♠ 642	
Vul: NS	♥ 63	♥ KQ7	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K1098	♦ J765	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ A2	♣ KJ9	
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 93	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ J1053	♠ KQ874	
Vul: Both	♥ A96	♥ J10	Pass 2♣ ¹ Pass 3♦ ²
North HCP: 10	♦ 972	♦ AQJ3	Pass 4♣ AP
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ4	♣ Q9	1. Stayman
Contract: 4♠ N			2. artificial

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 94	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ654	
Vul: None	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK97	

Board: 95	♠ A64	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A109732	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 1085	
HCP: 8	♣ 3	Partner bids first.

Board: 96	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ843	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK82	

Board: 97	♠ 1098765	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 654	
Vul: None	♦ K92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 10	

Board: 98	♠ Q973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: NS	♦ A9742	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Board: 99	♠ 764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ J3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KJ973	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J4	♠ A9832		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ QJ654	♥ K10	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A6	♦ 1042	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK97	♣ Q105				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A64	♠ KJ75				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A109732	♥ KQ	Pass	1♥	3♣	X
North HCP: 8	♦ 1085	♦ AJ432	4♣	X♣	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 3	♣ K7				
Contract: 4♣X E						

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ KQ94		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K10	♥ Q9842	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ843	♦ K9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AK82	♣ J7	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1098765	♠ K2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 654	♥ J7	Pass	Pass	1NT	2♦
North HCP: 3	♦ K92	♦ A873	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 10	♣ AKQ62				
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q973	♠ AK652		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A10	♥ K962	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♦ ²
North HCP: 15	♦ A9742	♦ 8	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ	♣ J109	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N			2. Splinter			

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 764	♠ AQJ2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ QJ8	♥ 107	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ J3	♦ A9752				
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ973	♣ A4				
Contract: 2N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 94	♠ A9832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: None	♦ 1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q105	
Board: 95	♠ KJ75	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AJ432	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K7	
Board: 96	♠ KQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9842	
Vul: EW	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J7	
Board: 97	♠ K2	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	
Vul: None	♦ A873	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ62	
Board: 98	♠ AK652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K962	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J109	
Board: 99	♠ AQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: EW	♦ A9752	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J4	♠ A9832		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ QJ654	♥ K10	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A6	♦ 1042	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK97	♣ Q105				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A64	♠ KJ75				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A109732	♥ KQ	Pass	1♥	3♣	X
North HCP: 8	♦ 1085	♦ AJ432	4♣	X♣	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 3	♣ K7				
Contract: 4♣X E						

Board: 96	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ KQ94		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K10	♥ Q9842	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ843	♦ K9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AK82	♣ J7	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1098765	♠ K2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 654	♥ J7	Pass	Pass	1NT	2♦
North HCP: 3	♦ K92	♦ A873	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 10	♣ AKQ62				
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q973	♠ AK652		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A10	♥ K962	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♦ ²
North HCP: 15	♦ A9742	♦ 8	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ	♣ J109	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N			2. Splinter			

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 764	♠ AQJ2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ QJ8	♥ 107	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 8	♦ J3	♦ A9752				
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ973	♣ A4				
Contract: 2N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 100	♠ KJ752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: Both	♦ K1086	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ	

Board: 101	♠ 742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K82	
Vul: NS	♦ J9432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A7	

Board: 102	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9875	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K652	

Board: 103	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 752	
Vul: Both	♦ 654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ A10985	

Board: 104	♠ Q9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ AJ52	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K4	

Board: 105	♠ Q105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: EW	♦ 86532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 983	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 100	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ KJ752	♠ A8	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ Q5	♥ 93		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K1086	♦ Q7432				
South HCP: 6	♣ AQ	♣ 10982				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 101	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ 742	♠ AK63	West	North	East	South
Vul: NS	♥ K82	♥ Q6				1NT
North HCP: 8	♦ J9432	♦ K10865	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A7	♣ K10				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 102	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ 109742	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 865		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ Q9875	♦ J64	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 1	♣ K652	♣ 108				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 103	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ A4	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ 752	♥ AKJ94				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ 654	♦ A732	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A10985	♣ 76				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 104	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ Q9875	♠ J42	West	North	East	South
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ Q8643		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ52	♦ 73	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 3	♣ K4	♣ 763				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 105	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ Q105	♠ A8	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ K3	♥ J6542				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ 86532	♦ AQJ9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 983	♣ K7				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 100	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 93	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 10982	

Board: 101	♠ AK63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ K10865	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10	

Board: 102	♠ 109742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 865	
Vul: EW	♦ J64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 1	♣ 108	

Board: 103	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ94	
Vul: Both	♦ A732	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 76	

Board: 104	♠ J42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8643	
Vul: None	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 763	

Board: 105	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J6542	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K7	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 100	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ KJ752	♠ A8	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ Q5	♥ 93		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K1086	♦ Q7432				
South HCP: 6	♣ AQ	♣ 10982				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 101	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ 742	♠ AK63	West	North	East	South
Vul: NS	♥ K82	♥ Q6				1NT
North HCP: 8	♦ J9432	♦ K10865	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A7	♣ K10				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 102	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ 109742	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 865		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ Q9875	♦ J64	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 1	♣ K652	♣ 108				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 103	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ A4	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ 752	♥ AKJ94				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ 654	♦ A732	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A10985	♣ 76				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 104	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ Q9875	♠ J42	West	North	East	South
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ Q8643		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ52	♦ 73	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 3	♣ K4	♣ 763				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 105	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ Q105	♠ A8	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ K3	♥ J6542				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ 86532	♦ AQJ9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 983	♣ K7				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 106	♠ KQJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: Both	♦ Q654	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K4	

Board: 107	♠ 97653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K92	
Vul: None	♦ A52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K5	

Board: 108	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 103	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK732	

Board: 109	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 64	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A753	

Board: 110	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ95	
Vul: None	♦ AJ72	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 73	

Board: 111	♠ 10975432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q852	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ107	♠ 9843		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ A7	♥ Q5432				
North HCP: 15	♦ Q654	♦ K972	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ K4	♣ —				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 107	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97653	♠ AK102				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K92	♥ A10863	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 10	♦ A52	♦ K9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K5	♣ J7				
Contract: 4♥ S						

1. Two way game tries

Board: 108	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ AK		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ 103	♥ AKJ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	5NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ32	♦ K965	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 20	♣ AK732	♣ Q104				
Contract: 6N N						

1. Stayman

Board: 109	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ63	♠ 10852				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 64	♥ AKJ32				
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ7	♦ K8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 15	♣ A753	♣ KJ	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 110	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ J42		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ KQJ95	♥ 87632	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ72	♦ Q8	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ 73	♣ KQ6				
Contract: 3♥ S						

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 111	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10975432	♠ AJ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 3	♥ AQ652	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 6	♦ A	♦ 9764	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q852	♣ A6				
Contract: 4♠ S						

1. Texas

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 106	♠ 9843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5432	
Vul: Both	♦ K972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ —	

Board: 107	♠ AK102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10863	
Vul: None	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J7	

Board: 108	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ K965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ Q104	

Board: 109	♠ 10852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ32	
Vul: Both	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ	

Board: 110	♠ J42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 87632	
Vul: None	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KQ6	

Board: 111	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ652	
Vul: NS	♦ 9764	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A6	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ107	♠ 9843		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ A7	♥ Q5432	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ Q654	♦ K972				
South HCP: 5	♣ K4	♣ —				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 107	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97653	♠ AK102				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K92	♥ A10863	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 10	♦ A52	♦ K9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K5	♣ J7				
Contract: 4♥ S						

1. Two way game tries

Board: 108	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ AK		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ 103	♥ AKJ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	5NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ32	♦ K965	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 20	♣ AK732	♣ Q104				
Contract: 6N N						

1. Stayman

Board: 109	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ63	♠ 10852				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 64	♥ AKJ32	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ7	♦ K8	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A753	♣ KJ				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 110	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ J42		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ KQJ95	♥ 87632	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ72	♦ Q8	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ 73	♣ KQ6				
Contract: 3♥ S						

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 111	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10975432	♠ AJ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 3	♥ AQ652	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 6	♦ A	♦ 9764	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q852	♣ A6				
Contract: 4♠ S						

1. Texas

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 112	♠ AQ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ108	

Board: 113	♠ AQ8753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K87	
Vul: None	♦ J9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J4	

Board: 114	♠ A10765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ93	
Vul: NS	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J7	

Board: 115	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J96543	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ8	

Board: 116	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1087	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK652	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 112
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AQ963
♥ A6
♦ J6
♣ AQ108

South:
♠ J872
♥ K8
♦ AK2
♣ KJ65

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT ²
Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♦ ⁴
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♣
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
5. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 113
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AQ8753
♥ K87
♦ J9
♣ J4

South:
♠ KJ102
♥ A9
♦ AK654
♣ 73

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♠	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 114
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A10765
♥ AQ93
♦ A3
♣ J7

South:
♠ 4
♥ J1087
♦ KQJ54
♣ A32

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
	AP		

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 115
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♥ S

North:
♠ 5
♥ J96543
♦ KQJ
♣ AJ8

South:
♠ K943
♥ K10
♦ A9
♣ KQ1043

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	4♣ ²
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣	Pass	5♥
	AP		

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥

Board: 116
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ K2
♥ J1087
♦ AQ
♣ AK652

South:
♠ Q653
♥ AQ63
♦ J876
♣ 8

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 112	♠ J872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ65	

Board: 113	♠ KJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: None	♦ AK654	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 73	

Board: 114	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1087	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A32	

Board: 115	♠ K943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ1043	

Board: 116	♠ Q653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ63	
Vul: Both	♦ J876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 8	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 112
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ AQ963
♥ A6
♦ J6
♣ AQ108

South:
♠ J872
♥ K8
♦ AK2
♣ KJ65

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT ²
Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4♦ ⁴
Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♣
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
5. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 113
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ AQ8753
♥ K87
♦ J9
♣ J4

South:
♠ KJ102
♥ A9
♦ AK654
♣ 73

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♠	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 114
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A10765
♥ AQ93
♦ A3
♣ J7

South:
♠ 4
♥ J1087
♦ KQJ54
♣ A32

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
	AP		

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 115
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♥ S

North:
♠ 5
♥ J96543
♦ KQJ
♣ AJ8

South:
♠ K943
♥ K10
♦ A9
♣ KQ1043

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	4♣ ²
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♣	Pass	5♥
	AP		

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥

Board: 116
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ K2
♥ J1087
♦ AQ
♣ AK652

South:
♠ Q653
♥ AQ63
♦ J876
♣ 8

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 117 ♠ 109652
Dealer: S ♥ 107653
Vul: NS ♦ —
HCP: 0 ♣ 1042

West Doubles 1NT if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3NT if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 118 ♠ AK108
Dealer: N ♥ K2
Vul: EW ♦ A6
HCP: 16 ♣ Q9863

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 119 ♠ Q8
Dealer: S ♥ 82
Vul: Both ♦ Q1098542
HCP: 4 ♣ 64

East Bids 1NT if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 120 ♠ A2
Dealer: N ♥ 74
Vul: None ♦ AK87
HCP: 15 ♣ KJ543

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 121 ♠ 943
Dealer: S ♥ A1084
Vul: EW ♦ A4
HCP: 13 ♣ KQ87

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 122 ♠ AQ62
Dealer: N ♥ A8
Vul: Both ♦ J3
HCP: 15 ♣ A10974

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 117	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109652	♠ J3				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 107653	♥ AQ	X ¹	2♥	2NT	Pass ²
North HCP: 0	♦ —	♦ Q10642	3NT	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ 1042	♣ KQJ6	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 3N E			2. artificial			

Board: 118	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK108	♠ Q943		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K2	♥ AJ93	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 16	♦ A6	♦ J32	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ Q9863	♣ 72	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 119	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q8	♠ J2				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 82	♥ KQ965	Pass	Pass	1NT	2♣
North HCP: 4	♦ Q1098542	♦ AJ	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 17	♣ 64	♣ AQ95	AP			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 120	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A2	♠ Q9865				
Vul: None	♥ 74	♥ J95		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AK87	♦ 92	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ KJ543	♣ Q86				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 121	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 943	♠ AKQ87				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A1084	♥ 62	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 13	♦ A4	♦ J1098	Pass	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ87	♣ AJ	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N			2. artificial			

Board: 122	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ62	♠ K10843				
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ 64		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ J3	♦ K9762	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ A10974	♣ 5				
Contract: 2♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 117 ♠ J3
Dealer: S ♥ AQ
Vul: NS ♦ Q10642
HCP: 15 ♣ KQJ6

West Doubles 1NT if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3NT if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 118 ♠ Q943
Dealer: N ♥ AJ93
Vul: EW ♦ J32
HCP: 8 ♣ 72

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 119 ♠ J2
Dealer: S ♥ KQ965
Vul: Both ♦ AJ
HCP: 17 ♣ AQ95

East Bids 1NT if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 120 ♠ Q9865
Dealer: N ♥ J95
Vul: None ♦ 92
HCP: 5 ♣ Q86

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 121 ♠ AKQ87
Dealer: S ♥ 62
Vul: EW ♦ J1098
HCP: 15 ♣ AJ

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 122 ♠ K10843
Dealer: N ♥ 64
Vul: Both ♦ K9762
HCP: 6 ♣ 5

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 117	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109652	♠ J3				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 107653	♥ AQ	X ¹	2♥	2NT	Pass ²
North HCP: 0	♦ —	♦ Q10642	3NT	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ 1042	♣ KQJ6	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 3N E			2. artificial			

Board: 118	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK108	♠ Q943		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K2	♥ AJ93	Pass	2♣	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 16	♦ A6	♦ J32	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ Q9863	♣ 72	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 119	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q8	♠ J2				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 82	♥ KQ965	Pass	Pass	1NT	2♣
North HCP: 4	♦ Q1098542	♦ AJ	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 17	♣ 64	♣ AQ95	AP			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 120	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A2	♠ Q9865				
Vul: None	♥ 74	♥ J95		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AK87	♦ 92	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ KJ543	♣ Q86				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 121	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 943	♠ AKQ87				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A1084	♥ 62	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 13	♦ A4	♦ J1098	Pass	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ87	♣ AJ	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N			2. artificial			

Board: 122	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ62	♠ K10843				
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ 64		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ J3	♦ K9762	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ A10974	♣ 5				
Contract: 2♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 123	♠ 109	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 8762	
Vul: None	♦ J4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ J9653	

Board: 124	♠ A1084	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK852	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ 64	You bid first.

Board: 125	♠ K1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K82	
Vul: Both	♦ 9542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q9	

Board: 126	♠ AQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ84	
Vul: None	♦ 32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 72	

Board: 127	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ43	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 74	

Board: 128	♠ K975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 93	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K7	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 123	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109	♠ A874				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 8762	♥ 94	Pass	Pass	X ¹	2♦
North HCP: 2	♦ J4	♦ KQ762	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J9653	♣ AQ	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 124	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1084	♠ 6		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ QJ10962	2♦ ²	X	2♠	AP
North HCP: 15	♦ AK852	♦ 764	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 3	♣ 64	♣ 982	2. automat			
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1054	♠ AJ962				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ K82	♥ A1063	Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	3NT ²
North HCP: 8	♦ 9542	♦ A3	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9	♣ K8	1. 1M-3M inviting			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 126	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ2	♠ K87		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ AKJ84	♥ 7	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 32	♦ 1098764	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ 72	♣ K104	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 127	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 64	♠ KQJ3				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ43	♥ 106	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ1042	♦ A5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 74	♣ AQ652	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 128	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K975	♠ A83				
Vul: EW	♥ 93	♥ AK10		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 62	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ K7	♣ QJ1065				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 123	♠ A874	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 94	
Vul: None	♦ KQ762	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ	

Board: 124	♠ 6	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10962	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 764	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 3	♣ 982	Partner bids first.

Board: 125	♠ AJ962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1063	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8	

Board: 126	♠ K87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ 1098764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K104	

Board: 127	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	
Vul: NS	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ652	

Board: 128	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: EW	♦ 62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ1065	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 123	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109	♠ A874				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 8762	♥ 94	Pass	Pass	X ¹	2♦
North HCP: 2	♦ J4	♦ KQ762	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J9653	♣ AQ	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 124	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1084	♠ 6		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ QJ10962	2♦ ²	X	2♠	AP
North HCP: 15	♦ AK852	♦ 764	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 3	♣ 64	♣ 982	2. automat			
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1054	♠ AJ962				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ K82	♥ A1063	Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	3NT ²
North HCP: 8	♦ 9542	♦ A3	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9	♣ K8	1. 1M-3M inviting			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 126	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ2	♠ K87		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ AKJ84	♥ 7	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 32	♦ 1098764	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ 72	♣ K104	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 127	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 64	♠ KQJ3				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ43	♥ 106	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ1042	♦ A5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 74	♣ AQ652	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 128	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K975	♠ A83				
Vul: EW	♥ 93	♥ AK10		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 62	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ K7	♣ QJ1065				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 129	♠ J63	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J103	
Vul: None	♦ A765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q52	
Board: 130	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ742	
Vul: NS	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQJ	
Board: 131	♠ AKQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ7	
Vul: EW	♦ J83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 3	
Board: 132	♠ KJ643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ64	
Board: 133	♠ A765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A984	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 102	
Board: 134	♠ AQ542	East Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J1098	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A7	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ A7	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 129	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J63	♠ AQ1052				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J103	♥ K5				
North HCP: 8	♦ A765	♦ K8	2♣ ¹	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q52	♣ A1064	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 130	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J4	♠ K53				
Vul: NS	♥ AQ742	♥ J95		1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ 74	♦ AJ9863	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQJ	♣ 10				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ73	♠ 109652				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ7	♥ K6	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 17	♦ J83	♦ AKQ5	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 16	♣ 3	♣ A4	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ643	♠ A875				
Vul: Both	♥ A3	♥ J9654		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K3	♦ A974	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ64	♣ —	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ N			AP			

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A765	♠ KQ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A984	♥ J10	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ10	♦ K8753	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 102	♣ AK95	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ542	♠ J97				
Vul: EW	♥ J1098	♥ 432		1♠	X	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A7	♦ 652	Pass	Pass	X	Pass
South HCP: 5	♣ A7	♣ KJ102	3♦	3♠	AP	
Contract: 3♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 129	♠ AQ1052	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: None	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A1064	
Board: 130	♠ K53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J95	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ9863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 10	
Board: 131	♠ 109652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A4	
Board: 132	♠ A875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9654	
Vul: Both	♦ A974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ —	
Board: 133	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: NS	♦ K8753	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK95	
Board: 134	♠ J97	East Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 432	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 652	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ KJ102	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 129	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J63	♠ AQ1052				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J103	♥ K5				
North HCP: 8	♦ A765	♦ K8	2♣ ¹	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q52	♣ A1064	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 130	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J4	♠ K53				
Vul: NS	♥ AQ742	♥ J95		1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ 74	♦ AJ9863	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQJ	♣ 10				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ73	♠ 109652				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ7	♥ K6	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 17	♦ J83	♦ AKQ5	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 16	♣ 3	♣ A4	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ643	♠ A875				
Vul: Both	♥ A3	♥ J9654		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K3	♦ A974	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ64	♣ —	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ N			AP			

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A765	♠ KQ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A984	♥ J10	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ10	♦ K8753	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 102	♣ AK95	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ542	♠ J97				
Vul: EW	♥ J1098	♥ 432		1♠	X	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A7	♦ 652	Pass	Pass	X	Pass
South HCP: 5	♣ A7	♣ KJ102	3♦	3♠	AP	
Contract: 3♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 135	♠ A2	West Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K1086	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ753	
HCP: 10	♣ 103	Partner bids first.
Board: 136	♠ KQ653	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ J9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1087	
Board: 137	♠ 8742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10952	
Vul: EW	♦ 85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A	
Board: 138	♠ AQ	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K2	
Vul: Both	♦ 5432	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1086	
Board: 139	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A94	
Vul: None	♦ K863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K983	
Board: 140	♠ A432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 97	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1032	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 135			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: Both	♠ A2	♠ K4	1♦	Pass	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 10	♥ K1086	♥ A752	1♠	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 16	♦ QJ753	♦ 62	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ 103	♣ AKQ85	Pass	4♥	AP	

1. strength cue bid

Board: 136			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ KQ653	♠ A109		1NT	4♥	AP
North HCP: 15	♥ AJ	♥ K86				
South HCP: 7	♦ J9	♦ 1073				
Contract: 4♥ E	♣ A1087	♣ 9542				

Board: 137			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: EW	♠ 8742	♠ AQ				
North HCP: 11	♥ AK10952	♥ 84	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 15	♦ 85	♦ AQ943	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ A	♣ K763				

Board: 138			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♠ AQ	♠ 10	X	Pass ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 16	♥ K2	♥ AQJ654	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 11	♦ 5432	♦ Q109	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ AK1086	♣ Q74				

1. artificial
2. strength cue bid

Board: 139			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♠
Vul: None	♠ 93	♠ AK874				
North HCP: 10	♥ A94	♥ 53	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 17	♦ K863	♦ A7	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N	♣ K983	♣ AQ105				

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 140			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♠ A432	♠ K107				
North HCP: 15	♥ 97	♥ AQJ4	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♦ AK1032	♦ Q875	AP			
Contract: 3N N	♣ A8	♣ 52				

1. Stayman

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 135	♠ K4	West Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A752	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 62	
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ85	You bid first.

Board: 136	♠ A109	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K86	
Vul: None	♦ 1073	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 9542	

Board: 137	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 84	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ943	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K763	

Board: 138	♠ 10	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ654	
Vul: Both	♦ Q109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q74	

Board: 139	♠ AK874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 53	
Vul: None	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ105	

Board: 140	♠ K107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ Q875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 52	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 135			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: Both	♠ A2	♠ K4	1♦	Pass	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 10	♥ K1086	♥ A752	1♠	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 16	♦ QJ753	♦ 62	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ 103	♣ AKQ85	Pass	4♥	AP	
			1. strength cue bid			

Board: 136			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ KQ653	♠ A109		1NT	4♥	AP
North HCP: 15	♥ AJ	♥ K86				
South HCP: 7	♦ J9	♦ 1073				
Contract: 4♥ E	♣ A1087	♣ 9542				

Board: 137			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: EW	♠ 8742	♠ AQ				
North HCP: 11	♥ AK10952	♥ 84	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 15	♦ 85	♦ AQ943	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ A	♣ K763				

Board: 138			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♠ AQ	♠ 10	X	Pass ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 16	♥ K2	♥ AQJ654	Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 11	♦ 5432	♦ Q109	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ AK1086	♣ Q74	1. artificial			
			2. strength cue bid			

Board: 139			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♠
Vul: None	♠ 93	♠ AK874				
North HCP: 10	♥ A94	♥ 53	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 17	♦ K863	♦ A7	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N	♣ K983	♣ AQ105	1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 140			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♠ A432	♠ K107				
North HCP: 15	♥ 97	♥ AQJ4	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♦ AK1032	♦ Q875	AP			
Contract: 3N N	♣ A8	♣ 52	1. Stayman			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 141	♠ 9862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 983	
Board: 142	♠ AK97	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK853	
Board: 143	♠ KJ864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J98	
Board: 144	♠ J8	East Doubles 4♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A1094	
Vul: EW	♦ AK975	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K4	
Board: 145	♠ A876532	East Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: None	♦ K8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 974	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9862	♠ AK				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK	♥ Q6543	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ75	♦ AJ	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 983	♣ Q752	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S			2. artificial			

Board: 142	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK97	♠ 864		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ K8	♥ A105	1♠	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ 64	♦ KJ83	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AK853	♣ 1096				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ864	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J7	♥ AK62	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK8	♦ 75	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 16	♣ J98	♣ AK542	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S			1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			
			2. artificial			

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ AK97		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A1094	♥ KJ83	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ AK975	♦ Q	Pass	4♣ ²	X	4♦ ³
South HCP: 15	♣ K4	♣ Q1053	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ⁴
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
			AP			
			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A876532	♠ KJ104				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 9	♥ K8654	Pass	1♠	X	3♠
North HCP: 7	♦ K8	♦ A10	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 974	♣ A3				
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 141	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6543	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q752	

Board: 142	♠ 864	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A105	
Vul: None	♦ KJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 1096	

Board: 143	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK62	
Vul: NS	♦ 75	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK542	

Board: 144	♠ AK97	East Doubles 4♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ83	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q1053	

Board: 145	♠ KJ104	East Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K8654	
Vul: None	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9862	♠ AK				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK	♥ Q6543	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ75	♦ AJ	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 983	♣ Q752	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S			2. artificial			

Board: 142	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK97	♠ 864		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ K8	♥ A105	1♠	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ 64	♦ KJ83	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AK853	♣ 1096				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ864	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J7	♥ AK62	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK8	♦ 75	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 16	♣ J98	♣ AK542	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S			1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			
			2. artificial			

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ AK97		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A1094	♥ KJ83	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ AK975	♦ Q	Pass	4♣ ²	X	4♦ ³
South HCP: 15	♣ K4	♣ Q1053	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ⁴
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
			AP			
			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A876532	♠ KJ104				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 9	♥ K8654	Pass	1♠	X	3♠
North HCP: 7	♦ K8	♦ A10	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 974	♣ A3				
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 146	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A743	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1083	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 62	
Board: 147	♠ 1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 643	
Vul: EW	♦ 85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ A9876	
Board: 148	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ1096	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A642	
Board: 149	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 87652	
Board: 150	♠ AQJ95	West Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 102	
Vul: EW	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ93	
Board: 151	♠ 963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	
Vul: Both	♦ 752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ AK1095	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ A1073		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A743	♥ Q95	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ AK1083	♦ J65	Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ 62	♣ AK10	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. Two Way New Minor Forcing
2. artificial

Board: 147	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1074	♠ A853				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 643	♥ K2				
North HCP: 4	♦ 85	♦ AK432	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A9876	♣ J5				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 148	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ AK109632		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQ	♥ J107	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ1096	♦ A4	Pass	5♣	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 15	♣ A642	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 5♠ N						

1. Texas
2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ QJ85				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J4	♥ A8				
North HCP: 8	♦ AK1053	♦ 64	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 87652	♣ AKJ109				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 150	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ95	♠ 10432		1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 102	♥ AKJ64	X	3♦ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ A7	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ93	♣ 84				
Contract: 4♠ N						

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 151	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 963	♠ A10752				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 76	♥ 53				
North HCP: 7	♦ 752	♦ AKJ8	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AK1095	♣ QJ				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 146	♠ A1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q95	
Vul: NS	♦ J65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK10	
Board: 147	♠ A853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: EW	♦ AK432	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J5	
Board: 148	♠ AK109632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J107	
Vul: Both	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	
Board: 149	♠ QJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: NS	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ109	
Board: 150	♠ 10432	West Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ64	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 84	
Board: 151	♠ A10752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 53	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ A1073		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A743	♥ Q95	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ AK1083	♦ J65	Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ 62	♣ AK10	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			
			2. artificial			

Board: 147	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1074	♠ A853				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 643	♥ K2				
North HCP: 4	♦ 85	♦ AK432	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A9876	♣ J5				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 148	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ AK109632		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQ	♥ J107	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ1096	♦ A4	Pass	5♣	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 15	♣ A642	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 5♠ N			1. Texas			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ QJ85				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J4	♥ A8				
North HCP: 8	♦ AK1053	♦ 64	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 87652	♣ AKJ109				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 150	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ95	♠ 10432		1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 102	♥ AKJ64	X	3♦ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ A7	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ93	♣ 84				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 151	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 963	♠ A10752				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 76	♥ 53				
North HCP: 7	♦ 752	♦ AKJ8	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AK1095	♣ QJ				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 152	♠ AJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: None	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQJ2	

Board: 153	♠ A10764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q63	
Vul: EW	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q852	

Board: 154	♠ 76	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ109	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ972	

Board: 155	♠ J843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ1072	
Vul: None	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K4	

Board: 156	♠ AK1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ42	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 65	

Board: 157	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 105432	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q74	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 152	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ106	♠ K2		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ 105	♥ AK982	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 95	♦ A7642	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQJ2	♣ 9	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 153	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10764	♠ J5				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q63	♥ AK985	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 8	♦ 7	♦ QJ83	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q852	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 154	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 76	♠ K84				
Vul: Both	♥ KQ109	♥ J8		1♣	1♥	2♣
North HCP: 15	♦ A10	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ972	♣ J10654				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 155	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J843	♠ AK				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ1072	♥ A3	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ A4	♦ KQ875	Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ K4	♣ 10985	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			
			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK1074	♠ J863		1♠	Pass	3♠ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ KQ42	♥ A53				
North HCP: 15	♦ K10	♦ 852	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 65	♣ KJ3	1. 1M-3M inviting			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ QJ53				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 105432	♥ AKQJ9	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ KQ7	♦ A9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q74	♣ 92	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 152	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK982	
Vul: None	♦ A7642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9	

Board: 153	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK985	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ	

Board: 154	♠ K84	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ K97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J10654	

Board: 155	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: None	♦ KQ875	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10985	

Board: 156	♠ J863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A53	
Vul: NS	♦ 852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KJ3	

Board: 157	♠ QJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 92	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 152	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ106	♠ K2		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ 105	♥ AK982	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ 95	♦ A7642	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQJ2	♣ 9	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 153	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10764	♠ J5				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q63	♥ AK985	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 8	♦ 7	♦ QJ83	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q852	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 154	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 76	♠ K84				
Vul: Both	♥ KQ109	♥ J8	1♣	1♥		2♣
North HCP: 15	♦ A10	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ972	♣ J10654				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 155	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J843	♠ AK				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ1072	♥ A3	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ A4	♦ KQ875	Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ K4	♣ 10985	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			
			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK1074	♠ J863		1♠	Pass	3♠ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ KQ42	♥ A53	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K10	♦ 852	1. 1M-3M inviting			
South HCP: 9	♣ 65	♣ KJ3				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ QJ53				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 105432	♥ AKQJ9	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ KQ7	♦ A9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q74	♣ 92	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

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Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 158	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ42	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1073	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q8	

Board: 159	♠ 96	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ832	
Vul: NS	♦ 109532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 5	

Board: 160	♠ AK862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J3	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ	

Board: 161	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ752	
Vul: None	♦ Q4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A983	

Board: 162	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ432	
Vul: NS	♦ 43	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A5	

Board: 163	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J642	
Vul: EW	♦ 542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ KJ109	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A5	♠ J862		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ42	♥ A108	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ1073	♦ 95				
South HCP: 9	♣ Q8	♣ A753				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 96	♠ AJ52				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ832	♥ K5	Pass	2♦	3♣	AP
North HCP: 3	♦ 109532	♦ A7				
South HCP: 15	♣ 5	♣ K10632				
Contract: 3♣ E						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK862	♠ Q53		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ J3	♥ AQ8	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ104	♦ A653	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ	♣ 752	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q3	♠ J5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ752	♥ KJ1064	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠ ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ Q4	♦ AJ108	Pass	2NT ²	Pass	3♣ ³
South HCP: 15	♣ A983	♣ KQ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♦ ⁴
Contract: 4♥ N			Pass	4♥	AP	
			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Cue bid, surplus			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ3	♠ 75		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AJ432	♥ KQ108	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ 43	♦ A7	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A5	♣ QJ1042	1. Jacoby 2NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ Q9642				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J642	♥ K7				
North HCP: 5	♦ 542	♦ KQJ3	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ109	♣ A4				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 158	♠ J862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108	
Vul: None	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A753	

Board: 159	♠ AJ52	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: NS	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10632	

Board: 160	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ A653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 752	

Board: 161	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1064	
Vul: None	♦ AJ108	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Board: 162	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ108	
Vul: NS	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ1042	

Board: 163	♠ Q9642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A5	♠ J862		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ42	♥ A108	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ1073	♦ 95				
South HCP: 9	♣ Q8	♣ A753				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 96	♠ AJ52				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ832	♥ K5	Pass	2♦	3♣	AP
North HCP: 3	♦ 109532	♦ A7				
South HCP: 15	♣ 5	♣ K10632				
Contract: 3♣ E						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK862	♠ Q53		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ J3	♥ AQ8	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ104	♦ A653	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ	♣ 752	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q3	♠ J5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ752	♥ KJ1064	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠ ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ Q4	♦ AJ108	Pass	2NT ²	Pass	3♣ ³
South HCP: 15	♣ A983	♣ KQ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♦ ⁴
Contract: 4♥ N			Pass	4♥	AP	
			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Cue bid, surplus			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ3	♠ 75		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AJ432	♥ KQ108	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ 43	♦ A7	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A5	♣ QJ1042	1. Jacoby 2NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ Q9642				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J642	♥ K7				
North HCP: 5	♦ 542	♦ KQJ3	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ109	♣ A4				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 164	♠ KJ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ976	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Board: 165	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ53	
Vul: NS	♦ A107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K1092	

Board: 166	♠ AKJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: EW	♦ Q862	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q5	

Board: 167	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ97	

Board: 168	♠ AJ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: None	♦ J8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQJ2	

Board: 169	♠ 872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ2	
Vul: EW	♦ 954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ103	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ75	♠ AQ63		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q7	♥ 65	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ976	♦ AJ53	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A4	♣ J98	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 165	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q5	♠ AK1082				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ53	♥ K1064	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ A107	♦ KQ	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 15	♣ K1092	♣ 85	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 166	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ86	♠ 103		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A7	♥ J98654	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q862	♦ K4				
South HCP: 4	♣ Q5	♣ 1098				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 167	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 75	♠ A10632				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 74	♥ AK109	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ987	♦ J4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ97	♣ K6	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 168	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ94	♠ Q8		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ 42	♥ AK6				
North HCP: 16	♦ J8	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQJ2	♣ 1076543				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 169	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 872	♠ AQJ64				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ2	♥ A6				
North HCP: 11	♦ 954	♦ KJ106	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ103	♣ J7				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 164	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J98	

Board: 165	♠ AK1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1064	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 85	

Board: 166	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J98654	
Vul: EW	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 1098	

Board: 167	♠ A10632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK109	
Vul: Both	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K6	

Board: 168	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK6	
Vul: None	♦ A5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1076543	

Board: 169	♠ AQJ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J7	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ75	♠ AQ63		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q7	♥ 65	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ976	♦ AJ53	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ A4	♣ J98	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 165	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q5	♠ AK1082				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ53	♥ K1064	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ A107	♦ KQ	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 15	♣ K1092	♣ 85	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 166	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ86	♠ 103		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A7	♥ J98654	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q862	♦ K4				
South HCP: 4	♣ Q5	♣ 1098				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 167	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 75	♠ A10632				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 74	♥ AK109	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ987	♦ J4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ97	♣ K6	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 168	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ94	♠ Q8		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ 42	♥ AK6				
North HCP: 16	♦ J8	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQJ2	♣ 1076543				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 169	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 872	♠ AQJ64				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ2	♥ A6				
North HCP: 11	♦ 954	♦ KJ106	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ103	♣ J7				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 170	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A654	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ962	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K5	

Board: 171	♠ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1083	
Vul: None	♦ J843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 172	♠ A10964	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK86	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ 72	You bid first.

Board: 173	♠ A10984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J105	
Vul: Both	♦ J54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q3	

Board: 174	♠ A7	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1083	
Vul: None	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ84	

Board: 175	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ109	
Vul: NS	♦ Q875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ2	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 170
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ K4	♠ AQ653		1♦	Pass	1♠
♥ A654	♥ QJ10	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
♦ AJ962	♦ KQ8	Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
♣ K5	♣ 102	AP			

1. Two Way New Minor Forcing
 2. artificial

Board: 171
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ AKQ2	♠ 109				1NT
♥ Q1083	♥ A6	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
♦ J843	♦ AKQ95	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	6NT
♣ A	♣ Q1093	AP			

1. Stayman
 2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 172
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A10964	♠ QJ8732		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
♥ KQ	♥ 4	2♦ ²	Pass	3♣	AP
♦ AK86	♦ 742	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
♣ 72	♣ 543	2. automat			

Board: 173
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A10984	♠ J3				1NT
♥ J105	♥ 96	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
♦ J54	♦ AQ93	Pass	2NT	AP	
♣ Q3	♣ AKJ75				

Board: 174
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♣X W

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A7	♠ K8632		1NT	Pass	2♥
♥ AJ1083	♥ K96	3♣	Pass	Pass	XA♠♠
♦ K5	♦ Q43	AP			
♣ QJ84	♣ 73				

Board: 175
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ 109	♠ K8				1NT
♥ AJ109	♥ K2	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
♦ Q875	♦ AK63	Pass	3NT	AP	
♣ AQ2	♣ K9654	1. Stayman			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 170	♠ AQ653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 102	

Board: 171	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q1093	

Board: 172	♠ QJ8732	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 742	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 3	♣ 543	Partner bids first.

Board: 173	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ75	

Board: 174	♠ K8632	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: None	♦ Q43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 73	

Board: 175	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ AK63	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K9654	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 170
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ K4	♠ AQ653		1♦	Pass	1♠
♥ A654	♥ QJ10	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
♦ AJ962	♦ KQ8	Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
♣ K5	♣ 102	AP			

1. Two Way New Minor Forcing
 2. artificial

Board: 171
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ AKQ2	♠ 109				1NT
♥ Q1083	♥ A6	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
♦ J843	♦ AKQ95	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	6NT
♣ A	♣ Q1093	AP			

1. Stayman
 2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 172
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 3♣ E

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A10964	♠ QJ8732		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
♥ KQ	♥ 4	2♦ ²	Pass	3♣	AP
♦ AK86	♦ 742	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
♣ 72	♣ 543	2. automat			

Board: 173
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A10984	♠ J3				1NT
♥ J105	♥ 96	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
♦ J54	♦ AQ93	Pass	2NT	AP	
♣ Q3	♣ AKJ75				

Board: 174
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 3♣X W

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A7	♠ K8632		1NT	Pass	2♥
♥ AJ1083	♥ K96	3♣	Pass	Pass	XA♠♠
♦ K5	♦ Q43	AP			
♣ QJ84	♣ 73				

Board: 175
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ 109	♠ K8				1NT
♥ AJ109	♥ K2	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
♦ Q875	♦ AK63	Pass	3NT	AP	
♣ AQ2	♣ K9654	1. Stayman			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 176	♠ K863	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 54	
Vul: EW	♦ AK532	
HCP: 15	♣ AJ	You bid first.

Board: 177	♠ J109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K865	
Vul: None	♦ K5	
HCP: 11	♣ A864	Partner bids first.

Board: 178	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ974	
HCP: 15	♣ K732	You bid first.

Board: 179	♠ Q543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK62	
Vul: EW	♦ 73	
HCP: 9	♣ 1063	Partner bids first.

Board: 180	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 108	
Vul: Both	♦ AK64	
HCP: 16	♣ AJ986	You bid first.

Board: 181	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: NS	♦ Q10763	
HCP: 9	♣ A95	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 176			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	2♣ ¹	2♥
Vul: EW	♠ K863	♠ AQ954	Pass	2NT ²	Pass	4♦ ³
North HCP: 15	♥ 54	♥ J103	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 10	♦ AK532	♦ 4	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 4♠ N	♣ AJ	♣ K872	2. Extended acceptance after NT			
			3. Splinter			

Board: 177			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: None	♠ J109	♠ AKQ3	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♥ K865	♥ AQ	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♦ K5	♦ 108642	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S	♣ A864	♣ 107				

Board: 178			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♠ A6	♠ K8743	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♥ A5	♥ K9863				
South HCP: 6	♦ KJ974	♦ 3				
Contract: 2♠ N	♣ K732	♣ 65				

Board: 179			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: EW	♠ Q543	♠ AK86	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♥ AK62	♥ Q5	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♦ 73	♦ AK962	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ 1063	♣ 82				

Board: 180			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♠ A5	♠ K764				
North HCP: 16	♥ 108	♥ 9753				
South HCP: 6	♦ AK64	♦ 10875				
Contract: 1N N	♣ AJ986	♣ K				

Board: 181			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: NS	♠ K62	♠ Q7	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9	♥ 92	♥ AK743	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♦ Q10763	♦ K8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N N	♣ A95	♣ KQ64				

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 176	♠ AQ954	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J103	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K872	

Board: 177	♠ AKQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ 108642	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 107	

Board: 178	♠ K8743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9863	
Vul: NS	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 65	

Board: 179	♠ AK86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: EW	♦ AK962	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 82	

Board: 180	♠ K764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9753	
Vul: Both	♦ 10875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K	

Board: 181	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK743	
Vul: NS	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ64	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 176			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	2♣ ¹	2♥
Vul: EW	♠ K863	♠ AQ954	Pass	2NT ²	Pass	4♦ ³
North HCP: 15	♥ 54	♥ J103	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 10	♦ AK532	♦ 4	1. Cappelletti, any 6+ suit			
Contract: 4♠ N	♣ AJ	♣ K872	2. Extended acceptance after NT			
			3. Splinter			

Board: 177			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: None	♠ J109	♠ AKQ3	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♥ K865	♥ AQ	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♦ K5	♦ 108642	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S	♣ A864	♣ 107				

Board: 178			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♠ A6	♠ K8743	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♥ A5	♥ K9863				
South HCP: 6	♦ KJ974	♦ 3				
Contract: 2♠ N	♣ K732	♣ 65				

Board: 179			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: EW	♠ Q543	♠ AK86	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♥ AK62	♥ Q5	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♦ 73	♦ AK962	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ 1063	♣ 82				

Board: 180			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♠ A5	♠ K764				
North HCP: 16	♥ 108	♥ 9753				
South HCP: 6	♦ AK64	♦ 10875				
Contract: 1N N	♣ AJ986	♣ K				

Board: 181			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: NS	♠ K62	♠ Q7	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9	♥ 92	♥ AK743	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♦ Q10763	♦ K8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N N	♣ A95	♣ KQ64				

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 182	♠ AKJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 52	
Vul: EW	♦ J3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ104	

Board: 183	♠ AJ10743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 87	
Vul: Both	♦ K65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J4	

Board: 184	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: None	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ942	

Board: 185	♠ J10974	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ7	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A983	
HCP: 11	♣ 5	Partner bids first.

Board: 186	♠ K874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ63	
Vul: Both	♦ 98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Board: 187	♠ 1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1053	
Vul: None	♦ 98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ Q754	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 182	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ4	♠ 932		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ 52	♥ KJ3				
North HCP: 16	♦ J3	♦ A106	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ AQJ104	♣ 9763				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 183	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ10743	♠ 92				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 87	♥ Q3	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 9	♦ K65	♦ A1084	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J4	♣ AKQ63	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 184	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1065	♠ J72		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ QJ8643	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ Q9	♦ A1084	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ KJ942	♣ —				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 185	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10974	♠ AKQ53				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQ7	♥ J10	4♣	4♠	5♣	5♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A983	♦ QJ42	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 5	♣ K4				
Contract: 5♠ N						

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K874	♠ A63		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ63	♥ Q2	Pass	2♣	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 98	♦ 743	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 8	♣ A4	♣ Q8752				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1075	♠ KQJ43				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J1053	♥ K9				
North HCP: 3	♦ 98	♦ K1075	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q754	♣ K10				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 182	♠ 932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ A106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 9763	

Board: 183	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: Both	♦ A1084	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ63	

Board: 184	♠ J72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8643	
Vul: None	♦ A1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ —	

Board: 185	♠ AKQ53	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ QJ42	
HCP: 16	♣ K4	You bid first.

Board: 186	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: Both	♦ 743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q8752	

Board: 187	♠ KQJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9	
Vul: None	♦ K1075	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 182	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ4	♠ 932		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ 52	♥ KJ3				
North HCP: 16	♦ J3	♦ A106	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ AQJ104	♣ 9763				
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 183	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ10743	♠ 92				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 87	♥ Q3	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 9	♦ K65	♦ A1084	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J4	♣ AKQ63	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 184	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1065	♠ J72		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ QJ8643	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ Q9	♦ A1084	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ KJ942	♣ —				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 185	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10974	♠ AKQ53				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQ7	♥ J10	4♣	4♠	5♣	5♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A983	♦ QJ42	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 5	♣ K4				
Contract: 5♠ N						

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K874	♠ A63		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ63	♥ Q2	Pass	2♣	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 98	♦ 743	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 8	♣ A4	♣ Q8752				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1075	♠ KQJ43				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J1053	♥ K9				
North HCP: 3	♦ 98	♦ K1075	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q754	♣ K10				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 188	♠ KQ964	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 83	
HCP: 16	♣ AK106	You bid first.

Board: 189	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10432	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ KJ763	

Board: 190	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8764	
Vul: None	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ92	

Board: 191	♠ KJ6	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q986	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 109	
HCP: 8	♣ Q984	Partner bids first.

Board: 192	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1073	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ105	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ	

Board: 193	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 953	
Vul: None	♦ 10954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 1098	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 188	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ964	♠ 832		1NT	X ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ A5	♥ 8643				
North HCP: 16	♦ 83	♦ QJ942	2♥	AP		
South HCP: 3	♣ AK106	♣ 4	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 189	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 93	♠ 65				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q10432	♥ KJ97	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 6	♦ 4	♦ AQJ86	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ763	♣ AQ				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ AJ		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ A8764	♥ KQJ9	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
North HCP: 16	♦ AK	♦ Q872	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ92	♣ K73	AP			
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ6	♠ Q3				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q986	♥ KJ105	1♠	X	2♠	3♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 109	♦ AJ742	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q984	♣ A7				
Contract: 3♥ S						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 108	♠ K765				
Vul: EW	♥ AK1073	♥ 2		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ105	♦ 97632				
South HCP: 7	♣ QJ	♣ A52				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K83	♠ 52				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 953	♥ AKQ104				
North HCP: 3	♦ 10954	♦ QJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 1098	♣ K652				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 188	♠ 832	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 8643	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ QJ942	
HCP: 3	♣ 4	Partner bids first.

Board: 189	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ97	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ86	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ	

Board: 190	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: None	♦ Q872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K73	

Board: 191	♠ Q3	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ105	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AJ742	
HCP: 15	♣ A7	You bid first.

Board: 192	♠ K765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: EW	♦ 97632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A52	

Board: 193	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ104	
Vul: None	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K652	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 188	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ964	♠ 832		1NT	X ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ A5	♥ 8643				
North HCP: 16	♦ 83	♦ QJ942	2♥	AP		
South HCP: 3	♣ AK106	♣ 4	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 189	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 93	♠ 65				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q10432	♥ KJ97	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 6	♦ 4	♦ AQJ86	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ763	♣ AQ				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ AJ		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ A8764	♥ KQJ9	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
North HCP: 16	♦ AK	♦ Q872	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ92	♣ K73	AP			
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ6	♠ Q3				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q986	♥ KJ105	1♠	X	2♠	3♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 109	♦ AJ742	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q984	♣ A7				
Contract: 3♥ S						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 108	♠ K765				
Vul: EW	♥ AK1073	♥ 2		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ105	♦ 97632				
South HCP: 7	♣ QJ	♣ A52				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K83	♠ 52				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 953	♥ AKQ104				
North HCP: 3	♦ 10954	♦ QJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 1098	♣ K652				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 194	♠ Q2	West Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ54	
Vul: NS	♦ J10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ64	

Board: 195	♠ QJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ6	

Board: 196	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K832	
Vul: Both	♦ AK653	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	

Board: 197	♠ Q93	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 654	
Vul: NS	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A10987	

Board: 198	♠ AK84	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A8742	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 83	

Board: 199	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9432	
Vul: Both	♦ A9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 97654	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q2	♠ J10543		1♣	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ KJ54	♥ 10872				
North HCP: 15	♦ J10	♦ 6	1♦	AP		
South HCP: 3	♣ AKJ64	♣ Q82				
Contract: 1♦ W						

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ32	♠ AK107				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ KQ1097	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ102	♦ A7	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ6	♣ 107	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ 10763				
Vul: Both	♥ K832	♥ 1065		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AK653	♦ 87	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ A8	♣ KQ53				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q93	♠ A10854				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 654	♥ AJ72	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 10	♦ A4	♦ K2	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A10987	♣ K2	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK84	♠ J93				
Vul: EW	♥ A8742	♥ KJ103		1♥	1♠	3♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ	♦ 1086	AP			
South HCP: 5	♣ 83	♣ 742				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 199	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ AKQ52				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A9432	♥ 65	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ A9	♦ K2	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 97654	♣ KJ102				
Contract: 2N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 194	♠ J10543	West Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10872	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ Q82	

Board: 195	♠ AK107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1097	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 107	

Board: 196	♠ 10763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1065	
Vul: Both	♦ 87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ KQ53	

Board: 197	♠ A10854	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ72	
Vul: NS	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K2	

Board: 198	♠ J93	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ103	
Vul: EW	♦ 1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 742	

Board: 199	♠ AKQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	
Vul: Both	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ102	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q2	♠ J10543		1♣	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ KJ54	♥ 10872				
North HCP: 15	♦ J10	♦ 6	1♦	AP		
South HCP: 3	♣ AKJ64	♣ Q82				
Contract: 1♦ W						

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ32	♠ AK107				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ KQ1097	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ102	♦ A7	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ6	♣ 107	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ 10763				
Vul: Both	♥ K832	♥ 1065		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AK653	♦ 87	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ A8	♣ KQ53				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q93	♠ A10854				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 654	♥ AJ72	2♠ ¹	3♥ ²	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 10	♦ A4	♦ K2	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A10987	♣ K2	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. limit raise or better in ♠			

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK84	♠ J93				
Vul: EW	♥ A8742	♥ KJ103		1♥	1♠	3♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ	♦ 1086	AP			
South HCP: 5	♣ 83	♣ 742				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 199	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ AKQ52				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A9432	♥ 65	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ A9	♦ K2	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 97654	♣ KJ102				
Contract: 2N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 200	♠ J9	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ53	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ	
HCP: 15	♣ A10983	You bid first.

Board: 201	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J732	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A86	

Board: 202	♠ AQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: Both	♦ 106	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1074	

Board: 203	♠ Q6	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9865	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J6	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 4	♣ J10872	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

Board: 204	♠ J863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK1087	

Board: 205	♠ K72	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 854	
Vul: Both	♦ J1094	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J76	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 200	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ J9	♠ A4	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AQ53	♥ 10762	1♣ 1♠ X
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ	♦ Q963	3♠ AP
South HCP: 9	♣ A10983	♣ QJ5	
Contract: 3♠ E			

Board: 201	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ 85	♠ AKQ2	
Vul: EW	♥ J732	♥ AK1084	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2NT
North HCP: 10	♦ KQ102	♦ 86	Pass 4♥ AP
South HCP: 16	♣ A86	♣ 74	1. forcing 1NT
Contract: 4♥ S			

Board: 202	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ AQ73	♠ J1098	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ A10	♥ 9874	1NT AP
North HCP: 15	♦ 106	♦ 52	
South HCP: 4	♣ AJ1074	♣ K62	
Contract: 1N N			

Board: 203	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ Q6	♠ A3	
Vul: None	♥ 9865	♥ QJ43	Pass Pass 2♠ X
North HCP: 4	♦ J6	♦ KQ1082	3♦ ¹ Pass 3♠ Pass
South HCP: 15	♣ J10872	♣ K9	4♠ AP
Contract: 4♠ E			1. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 204	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ J863	♠ K975	
Vul: NS	♥ KJ	♥ A1074	1NT Pass 2♠ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ K10	♦ 653	Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠
South HCP: 9	♣ AK1087	♣ Q4	AP
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Stayman

Board: 205	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ K72	♠ Q6	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ 854	♥ Q973	
North HCP: 5	♦ J1094	♦ AKQ86	2♣ AP
South HCP: 16	♣ J76	♣ K5	
Contract: 2♣ W			1♦

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 200	♠ A4	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10762	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q963	
HCP: 9	♣ QJ5	Partner bids first.

Board: 201	♠ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1084	
Vul: EW	♦ 86	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 74	

Board: 202	♠ J1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9874	
Vul: Both	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ K62	

Board: 203	♠ A3	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ43	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ1082	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ K9	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
		You bid first.

Board: 204	♠ K975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1074	
Vul: NS	♦ 653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q4	

Board: 205	♠ Q6	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q973	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ86	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K5	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 200	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ J9	♠ A4	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AQ53	♥ 10762	1♣ 1♠ X
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ	♦ Q963	3♠ AP
South HCP: 9	♣ A10983	♣ QJ5	
Contract: 3♠ E			

Board: 201	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ 85	♠ AKQ2	
Vul: EW	♥ J732	♥ AK1084	Pass 1NT ¹ Pass 2NT
North HCP: 10	♦ KQ102	♦ 86	Pass 4♥ AP
South HCP: 16	♣ A86	♣ 74	1. forcing 1NT
Contract: 4♥ S			

Board: 202	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ AQ73	♠ J1098	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ A10	♥ 9874	1NT AP
North HCP: 15	♦ 106	♦ 52	
South HCP: 4	♣ AJ1074	♣ K62	
Contract: 1N N			

Board: 203	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ Q6	♠ A3	
Vul: None	♥ 9865	♥ QJ43	Pass Pass 2♠ X
North HCP: 4	♦ J6	♦ KQ1082	3♦ ¹ Pass 3♠ Pass
South HCP: 15	♣ J10872	♣ K9	4♠ AP
Contract: 4♠ E			1. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 204	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ J863	♠ K975	
Vul: NS	♥ KJ	♥ A1074	1NT Pass 2♠ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ K10	♦ 653	Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠
South HCP: 9	♣ AK1087	♣ Q4	AP
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Stayman

Board: 205	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ K72	♠ Q6	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ 854	♥ Q973	
North HCP: 5	♦ J1094	♦ AKQ86	1♦
South HCP: 16	♣ J76	♣ K5	2♣ AP
Contract: 2♣ W			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 206	♠ A753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ954	
Board: 207	♠ J10863	West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ64	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 1073	
Board: 208	♠ KQJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK63	
Vul: EW	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 103	
Board: 209	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ765	
Vul: None	♦ A954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J6	
Board: 210	♠ AJ	East Doubles 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K10973	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 206
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 7
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ A753
♥ K8
♦ A3
♣ KQ954

South:
♠ J42
♥ AJ952
♦ J985
♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	AP	

Board: 207
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 5
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ J10863
♥ KJ64
♦ 10
♣ 1073

South:
♠ A4
♥ 95
♦ A864
♣ AKQ62

West	North	East	South
			1♣
1♥	Pass	Pass	2♥ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
AP			

1. strength cue bid

Board: 208
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ KQJ76
♥ AK63
♦ K6
♣ 103

South:
♠ 852
♥ J10
♦ AQ1093
♣ K64

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♣ ³
Pass	4♦ ⁴	Pass	4♠
AP			

1. forcing 1NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 209
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q7
♥ QJ765
♦ A954
♣ J6

South:
♠ AJ1032
♥ K983
♦ K10
♣ A3

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 210
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AJ
♥ K10973
♦ KJ83
♣ KJ

South:
♠ 107
♥ AQ82
♦ AQ754
♣ 54

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	X	4♣ ³
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 206	♠ J42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ952	
Vul: None	♦ J985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 6	
Board: 207	♠ A4	West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: NS	♦ A864	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ62	
Board: 208	♠ 852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K64	
Board: 209	♠ AJ1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K983	
Vul: None	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	
Board: 210	♠ 107	East Doubles 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ82	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 54	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 206
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 7
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ A753
♥ K8
♦ A3
♣ KQ954

South:
♠ J42
♥ AJ952
♦ J985
♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	AP	

Board: 207
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 5
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ J10863
♥ KJ64
♦ 10
♣ 1073

South:
♠ A4
♥ 95
♦ A864
♣ AKQ62

West	North	East	South
			1♣
1♥	Pass	Pass	2♥ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
AP			

1. strength cue bid

Board: 208
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ KQJ76
♥ AK63
♦ K6
♣ 103

South:
♠ 852
♥ J10
♦ AQ1093
♣ K64

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♣ ³
Pass	4♦ ⁴	Pass	4♠
AP			

1. forcing 1NT
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 209
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ Q7
♥ QJ765
♦ A954
♣ J6

South:
♠ AJ1032
♥ K983
♦ K10
♣ A3

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 210
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AJ
♥ K10973
♦ KJ83
♣ KJ

South:
♠ 107
♥ AQ82
♦ AQ754
♣ 54

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	X	4♣ ³
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Stayman
2. artificial
3. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 211 ♠ K9
Dealer: S ♥ K762
Vul: EW ♦ 872
HCP: 7 ♣ J1095

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 2♦ if possible.
East Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 212 ♠ AQ853
Dealer: N ♥ 74
Vul: Both ♦ AQJ7
HCP: 15 ♣ Q2

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 213 ♠ 9754
Dealer: S ♥ 96
Vul: NS ♦ J1052
HCP: 1 ♣ 1072

East Bids 2♣ if possible.
West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♥ if possible.
West Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 214 ♠ AK92
Dealer: N ♥ A10962
Vul: EW ♦ A3
HCP: 16 ♣ J4

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 215 ♠ A8652
Dealer: S ♥ A962
Vul: Both ♦ Q102
HCP: 10 ♣ 7

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 216 ♠ QJ985
Dealer: N ♥ 54
Vul: None ♦ AKQ5
HCP: 15 ♣ K3

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 211	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ AQ1065				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ K762	♥ 108	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 7	♦ 872	♦ A4	2♦ ²	Pass	2♥	AP
South HCP: 16	♣ J1095	♣ AQ82	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2♥ E			2. automat			

Board: 212	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ853	♠ K72		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ 74	♥ K1083	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ7	♦ 8	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q2	♣ K9865	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. artificial			

Board: 213	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9754	♠ AQ103				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 96	♥ A4	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	X
North HCP: 1	♦ J1052	♦ 84	2NT	Pass	3♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ 1072	♣ AQ985	4♥	AP		
Contract: 4♥ E			1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			

Board: 214	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK92	♠ 10753		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A10962	♥ KJ874	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ A3	♦ K10	Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 14	♣ J4	♣ AK	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N			AP			
			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 215	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8652	♠ J7				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A962	♥ KQ1073	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 10	♦ Q102	♦ A3	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ AQ86	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. artificial			

Board: 216	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ985	♠ A42		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ 54	♥ AJ1076	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AKQ5	♦ 106432	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 9	♣ K3	♣ —	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 211	♠ AQ1065	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 108	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A4	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ82	You bid first.
Board: 212	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1083	Partner bids first.
Vul: Both	♦ 8	
HCP: 9	♣ K9865	
Board: 213	♠ AQ103	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 84	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ985	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
		You bid first.
Board: 214	♠ 10753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ874	Partner bids first.
Vul: EW	♦ K10	
HCP: 14	♣ AK	
Board: 215	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1073	You bid first.
Vul: Both	♦ A3	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ86	
Board: 216	♠ A42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1076	Partner bids first.
Vul: None	♦ 106432	
HCP: 9	♣ —	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 211	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ AQ1065				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ K762	♥ 108	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 7	♦ 872	♦ A4	2♦ ²	Pass	2♥	AP
South HCP: 16	♣ J1095	♣ AQ82	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2♥ E			2. automat			

Board: 212	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ853	♠ K72		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ 74	♥ K1083	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ7	♦ 8	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q2	♣ K9865	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. artificial			

Board: 213	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9754	♠ AQ103				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 96	♥ A4	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	X
North HCP: 1	♦ J1052	♦ 84	2NT	Pass	3♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ 1072	♣ AQ985	4♥	AP		
Contract: 4♥ E			1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			

Board: 214	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK92	♠ 10753		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A10962	♥ KJ874	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ A3	♦ K10	Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
South HCP: 14	♣ J4	♣ AK	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N			AP			
			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			4. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 215	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8652	♠ J7				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A962	♥ KQ1073	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 10	♦ Q102	♦ A3	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ AQ86	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. artificial			

Board: 216	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ985	♠ A42		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ 54	♥ AJ1076	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AKQ5	♦ 106432	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 9	♣ K3	♣ —	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 217	♠ AQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q876	
Vul: EW	♦ Q93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 42	

Board: 218	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK985	
Vul: Both	♦ 82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ9	

Board: 219	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6542	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ9743	

Board: 220	♠ AQ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K974	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K6	

Board: 221	♠ 98	West Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K8732	
HCP: 5	♣ Q743	Partner bids first.

Board: 222	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A986	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 217	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ85	♠ J10				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q876	♥ K4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ Q93	♦ AK864	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 42	♣ KQ108				
Contract: 3N S						1. Stayman

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 86	♠ Q732		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK985	♥ QJ10743	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 82	♦ K	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQ9	♣ J8				
Contract: 3♥ S						1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 219	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K3	♠ 65				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q6542	♥ A1098	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8	♦ —	♦ AK942	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ9743	♣ A6				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 220	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ963	♠ KJ74		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ K974	♥ 82	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ	♦ A1062	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ K6	♣ Q105				
Contract: 4♠ N						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 221	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 98	♠ K7642				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 73	♥ A984	X	Pass	2♥	AP
North HCP: 5	♦ K8732	♦ A5				
South HCP: 15	♣ Q743	♣ A5				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 222	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 75	♠ AK1064		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A986	♥ KJ	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ84	♦ 6	Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ	♣ KQ1064	AP			
Contract: 3N N						1. Two Way New Minor Forcing 2. artificial

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 217	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: EW	♦ AK864	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ108	

Board: 218	♠ Q732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10743	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J8	

Board: 219	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1098	
Vul: None	♦ AK942	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A6	

Board: 220	♠ KJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: NS	♦ A1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q105	

Board: 221	♠ K7642	West Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A984	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A5	
HCP: 15	♣ A5	You bid first.

Board: 222	♠ AK1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ1064	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 217	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ85	♠ J10				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q876	♥ K4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ Q93	♦ AK864	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 42	♣ KQ108				
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 86	♠ Q732		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK985	♥ QJ10743	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 82	♦ K	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQ9	♣ J8				
Contract: 3♥ S			1. Extended acceptance after NT			

Board: 219	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K3	♠ 65				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q6542	♥ A1098	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8	♦ —	♦ AK942	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ9743	♣ A6				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 220	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ963	♠ KJ74		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ K974	♥ 82	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ	♦ A1062	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ K6	♣ Q105				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 221	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 98	♠ K7642				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 73	♥ A984	X	Pass	2♥	AP
North HCP: 5	♦ K8732	♦ A5				
South HCP: 15	♣ Q743	♣ A5				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 222	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 75	♠ AK1064		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A986	♥ KJ	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ84	♦ 6	Pass	3♥ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ	♣ KQ1064	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. Two Way New Minor Forcing 2. artificial			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 223	♠ A98542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ Q87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 853	

Board: 224	♠ KQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ1086	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A3	

Board: 225	♠ K65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A764	
Vul: None	♦ AQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q32	

Board: 226	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ84	
Vul: NS	♦ K874	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J8	

Board: 227	♠ J942	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ85	
Vul: EW	♦ 872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 73	

Board: 228	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J872	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J10	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A98542	♠ K7				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ AQ97	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 6	♦ Q87	♦ AK654	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 853	♣ 92				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 224	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ53	♠ J104		1♦	Pass	2♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K7	♥ QJ	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ1086	♦ A9532	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 10	♣ A3	♣ Q82	Pass	4♥ ³	Pass	5♦
Contract: 5♦ N			AP			

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ A2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A764	♥ K9	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ8	♦ KJ542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q32	♣ A1074				
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q2	♠ K10853				
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ84	♥ 3		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K874	♦ Q532	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ J8	♣ 742				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J942	♠ AK1075				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ85	♥ 74				
North HCP: 6	♦ 872	♦ A6	2♥ ¹	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ 73	♣ AJ106	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ 9764				
Vul: Both	♥ J872	♥ A10		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 93	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ J10	♣ KQ854				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 223	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ97	
Vul: NS	♦ AK654	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 92	

Board: 224	♠ J104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	
Vul: EW	♦ A9532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q82	

Board: 225	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9	
Vul: None	♦ KJ542	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1074	

Board: 226	♠ K10853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: NS	♦ Q532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 742	

Board: 227	♠ AK1075	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: EW	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ106	

Board: 228	♠ 9764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: Both	♦ 93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ854	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 223	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A98542	♠ K7				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ AQ97	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 6	♦ Q87	♦ AK654	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 853	♣ 92				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 224	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ53	♠ J104		1♦	Pass	2♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K7	♥ QJ	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ1086	♦ A9532	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 10	♣ A3	♣ Q82	Pass	4♥ ³	Pass	5♦
Contract: 5♦ N			AP			

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ A2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A764	♥ K9	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ8	♦ KJ542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q32	♣ A1074				
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q2	♠ K10853				
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ84	♥ 3		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K874	♦ Q532	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ J8	♣ 742				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J942	♠ AK1075				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ85	♥ 74	2♥ ¹	AP		
North HCP: 6	♦ 872	♦ A6	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
South HCP: 16	♣ 73	♣ AJ106				
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ 9764				
Vul: Both	♥ J872	♥ A10		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQJ5	♦ 93	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ J10	♣ KQ854				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 229	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q987	
Vul: NS	♦ J10853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 98	
Board: 230	♠ AK976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A743	
Vul: EW	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 102	
Board: 231	♠ KJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ K10983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1075	
Board: 232	♠ A10832	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 104	
Vul: None	♦ A974	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK	
Board: 233	♠ KQJ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ J976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q8	
Board: 234	♠ 86	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK853	
HCP: 17	♣ AK72	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q6	♠ 53				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q987	♥ AJ				
North HCP: 5	♦ J10853	♦ AK72	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 98	♣ KJ1032				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK976	♠ Q		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A743	♥ Q9	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A8	♦ KQ976	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 102	♣ A9543				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ2	♠ A8				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ KJ	♥ A10965	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 11	♦ K10983	♦ Q4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 1075	♣ AQJ8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10832	♠ J964				
Vul: None	♥ 104	♥ Q8762		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ A974	♦ 83	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 3	♣ AK	♣ 106				
Contract: 3♦ W						

Board: 233	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ52	♠ 96				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ	♥ Q1096	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J976	♦ AQ532	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 15	♣ Q8	♣ AK	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S			1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			
			2. artificial			

Board: 234	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 86	♠ 975				
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ QJ1053		1♦	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ AK853	♦ J72	1NT	2♣	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 4	♣ AK72	♣ 94	Pass	Pass	2♠	AP
Contract: 2♠ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 229	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AK72	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ1032	

Board: 230	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A9543	

Board: 231	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10965	
Vul: Both	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ8	

Board: 232	♠ J964	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8762	
Vul: None	♦ 83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 106	

Board: 233	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1096	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ532	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK	

Board: 234	♠ 975	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1053	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J72	
HCP: 4	♣ 94	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q6	♠ 53				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q987	♥ AJ				
North HCP: 5	♦ J10853	♦ AK72	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 98	♣ KJ1032				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK976	♠ Q		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A743	♥ Q9	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A8	♦ KQ976	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ 102	♣ A9543				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ2	♠ A8				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ KJ	♥ A10965	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 11	♦ K10983	♦ Q4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 1075	♣ AQJ8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10832	♠ J964				
Vul: None	♥ 104	♥ Q8762		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ A974	♦ 83	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 3	♣ AK	♣ 106				
Contract: 3♦ W						

Board: 233	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ52	♠ 96				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ	♥ Q1096	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J976	♦ AQ532	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 15	♣ Q8	♣ AK	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S			1. Two Way New Minor Forcing			
			2. artificial			

Board: 234	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 86	♠ 975				
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ QJ1053		1♦	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ AK853	♦ J72	1NT	2♣	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 4	♣ AK72	♣ 94	Pass	Pass	2♠	AP
Contract: 2♠ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 235	♠ 108732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A84	
Vul: None	♦ A73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 52	

Board: 236	♠ 106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1062	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	

Board: 237	♠ 109654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ K8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ QJ9873	

Board: 238	♠ KQ73	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K9542	
Vul: None	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

Board: 239	♠ A1042	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 952	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J962	
HCP: 7	♣ Q5	Partner bids first.

Board: 240	♠ AJ1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ73	
Vul: EW	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 97	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108732	♠ KJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A84	♥ J5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 8	♦ A73	♦ 8542	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 52	♣ AKQJ6				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 236	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 106	♠ KJ9752		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ J1062	♥ Q93	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ32	♦ 8	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ 653				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 237	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109654	♠ AKQ3				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ —	♥ K8754	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 6	♦ K8	♦ Q10	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ9873	♣ K6				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 238	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ73	♠ 1095				
Vul: None	♥ K9542	♥ QJ63		1♥	3♣	3♥
North HCP: 16	♦ K6	♦ A103	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AJ	♣ Q86				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 239	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1042	♠ 95				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 952	♥ AQJ7	Pass	1♠	2♦ ¹	Pass ²
North HCP: 7	♦ J962	♦ AKQ54	4♣	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ Q5	♣ 104				
Contract: 4♣ W						
			1. Michaels Cuebid			
			2. max 2♠			

Board: 240	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ1054	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KJ73	♥ Q10986	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AK	♦ 853				
South HCP: 7	♣ 97	♣ AJ105				
Contract: 2♥ N			1. forcing 1NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 235	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J5	
Vul: None	♦ 8542	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQJ6	

Board: 236	♠ KJ9752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q93	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 653	

Board: 237	♠ AKQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8754	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K6	

Board: 238	♠ 1095	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ63	
Vul: None	♦ A103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q86	

Board: 239	♠ 95	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ7	West Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ54	
HCP: 16	♣ 104	You bid first.

Board: 240	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10986	
Vul: EW	♦ 853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ AJ105	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108732	♠ KJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A84	♥ J5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 8	♦ A73	♦ 8542	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 52	♣ AKQJ6				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 236	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 106	♠ KJ9752		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ J1062	♥ Q93	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ32	♦ 8	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ 653				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 237	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109654	♠ AKQ3				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ —	♥ K8754	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 6	♦ K8	♦ Q10	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ9873	♣ K6				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 238	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ73	♠ 1095				
Vul: None	♥ K9542	♥ QJ63		1♥	3♣	3♥
North HCP: 16	♦ K6	♦ A103	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AJ	♣ Q86				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 239	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1042	♠ 95				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 952	♥ AQJ7	Pass	1♠	2♦ ¹	Pass ²
North HCP: 7	♦ J962	♦ AKQ54	4♣	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ Q5	♣ 104				
Contract: 4♣ W			1. Michaels Cuebid			
			2. max 2♠			

Board: 240	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ1054	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KJ73	♥ Q10986	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AK	♦ 853				
South HCP: 7	♣ 97	♣ AJ105	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 241	♠ K65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ109	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10872	

Board: 242	♠ AK	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ653	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J3	
HCP: 17	♣ A983	You bid first.

Board: 243	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ9743	
Vul: EW	♦ J10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 2	

Board: 244	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ974	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ65	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ	

Board: 245	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ109843	
Vul: NS	♦ 542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 73	

Board: 246	♠ K4	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 10852	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ765	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 241	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ AQ943				1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ109	♥ J843	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 9	♦ A2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A10872	♣ KQ	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 242	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 10865				
Vul: NS	♥ KQ653	♥ J1097		1♥	2♦	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ J3	♦ 102	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 2	♣ A983	♣ J107				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q52	♠ AKJ104				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ9743	♥ 65	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9	♦ J10	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 2	♣ AJ75				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 75	♠ 964				
Vul: Both	♥ AQ974	♥ K108532		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ65	♦ K109	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ	♣ 4	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AKJ2				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ109843	♥ K7	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 3	♦ 542	♦ J10876	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 73	♣ A4	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 246	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ 98763				
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 742		1NT	2♠ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 15	♦ 10852	♦ QJ93	2NT	Pass	3♣	AP
South HCP: 3	♣ AJ765	♣ 4	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
Contract: 3♣ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 241	♠ AQ943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J843	
Vul: None	♦ A2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ	
Board: 242	♠ 10865	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J1097	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 102	
HCP: 2	♣ J107	Partner bids first.
Board: 243	♠ AKJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ75	
Board: 244	♠ 964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K108532	
Vul: Both	♦ K109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 4	
Board: 245	♠ AKJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: NS	♦ J10876	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A4	
Board: 246	♠ 98763	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 742	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ QJ93	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 3	♣ 4	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 241	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ AQ943				1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ109	♥ J843	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 9	♦ A2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A10872	♣ KQ	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 242	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 10865				
Vul: NS	♥ KQ653	♥ J1097		1♥	2♦	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ J3	♦ 102	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 2	♣ A983	♣ J107				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q52	♠ AKJ104				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ9743	♥ 65	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9	♦ J10	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 2	♣ AJ75				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 75	♠ 964				
Vul: Both	♥ AQ974	♥ K108532		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ65	♦ K109	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ	♣ 4	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AKJ2				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ109843	♥ K7	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 3	♦ 542	♦ J10876	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 73	♣ A4	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 246	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ 98763				
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 742		1NT	2♠ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 15	♦ 10852	♦ QJ93	2NT	Pass	3♣	AP
South HCP: 3	♣ AJ765	♣ 4	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
Contract: 3♣ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 247	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1063	
Vul: Both	♦ 84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ65	

Board: 248	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ 109	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ953	

Board: 249	♠ 643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1075	
Vul: EW	♦ J7632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ A5	

Board: 250	♠ AKJ105	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J7	

Board: 251	♠ J652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K104	
Vul: None	♦ A962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 97	

Board: 252	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	
Vul: NS	♦ K10983	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 247	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AKJ103				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK1063	♥ Q9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 84	♦ AQ95	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ65	♣ 73	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 248	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ4	♠ 6				
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ K106		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 109	♦ K7532	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ953	♣ A762				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 249	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 643	♠ 108				
Vul: EW	♥ 1075	♥ AKJ8				1♦
North HCP: 5	♦ J7632	♦ AQ1095	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ A5	♣ K10				
Contract: 1♦ S						

Board: 250	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ105	♠ Q9873				
Vul: Both	♥ Q10	♥ K87543		1♠	5♣	5♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ10	♦ 76	AP			
South HCP: 5	♣ J7	♣ —				
Contract: 5♠ N						

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J652	♠ A3				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K104	♥ AJ765	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 8	♦ A962	♦ K10	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 97	♣ KQ103				
Contract: 4♥ S						

1. Two way game tries

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ52	♠ KJ98				
Vul: NS	♥ 72	♥ KJ		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ K10983	♦ A542	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ AK	♣ Q103	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

1. Stayman

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 247	♠ AKJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 73	

Board: 248	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K106	
Vul: None	♦ K7532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A762	

Board: 249	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1095	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K10	

Board: 250	♠ Q9873	East Bids 5♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K87543	
Vul: Both	♦ 76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ —	

Board: 251	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ765	
Vul: None	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ103	

Board: 252	♠ KJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q103	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 247	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AKJ103				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK1063	♥ Q9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 84	♦ AQ95	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ65	♣ 73	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 248	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ4	♠ 6				
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ K106		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 109	♦ K7532	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ953	♣ A762				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 249	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 643	♠ 108				
Vul: EW	♥ 1075	♥ AKJ8				1♦
North HCP: 5	♦ J7632	♦ AQ1095	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ A5	♣ K10				
Contract: 1♦ S						

Board: 250	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ105	♠ Q9873				
Vul: Both	♥ Q10	♥ K87543		1♠	5♣	5♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ10	♦ 76	AP			
South HCP: 5	♣ J7	♣ —				
Contract: 5♠ N						

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J652	♠ A3				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K104	♥ AJ765	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 8	♦ A962	♦ K10	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 97	♣ KQ103				
Contract: 4♥ S						

1. Two way game tries

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ52	♠ KJ98				
Vul: NS	♥ 72	♥ KJ		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ K10983	♦ A542	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 14	♣ AK	♣ Q103	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

1. Stayman

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 253	♠ Q105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ532	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q	

Board: 254	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: None	♦ Q10842	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J6	

Board: 255	♠ J864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ 72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AKQ862	

Board: 256	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8654	
Vul: EW	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A732	

Board: 257	♠ AQ76	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ1072	
Vul: None	♦ QJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 258	♠ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10854	
Vul: NS	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q6	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q105	♠ 73				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ QJ532	♥ AK	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ93	♦ A875	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ Q	♣ A7432	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ QJ5				
Vul: None	♥ AKQ9	♥ 864		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ Q10842	♦ K9	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ J6	♣ Q10875				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 255	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J864	♠ A5				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 8	♥ KQ1043	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10	♦ 72	♦ AK83	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AKQ862	♣ 73	1. Splinter			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 256	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ KQJ102		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ K8654	♥ J10	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ A6	♦ KQ105	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A732	♣ 96	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 257	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ76	♠ K4				1♦
Vul: None	♥ QJ1072	♥ AK53	Pass	1♥	3♣	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ10	♦ AK652	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 17	♣ Q	♣ 93	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 258	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ2	♠ J86		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ J10854	♥ A7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ A8	♦ Q952	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q6	♣ KJ98	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 253	♠ 73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ A875	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A7432	

Board: 254	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 864	
Vul: None	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q10875	

Board: 255	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1043	
Vul: NS	♦ AK83	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 73	

Board: 256	♠ KQJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 96	

Board: 257	♠ K4	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK53	
Vul: None	♦ AK652	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 93	

Board: 258	♠ J86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: NS	♦ Q952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ98	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q105	♠ 73				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ QJ532	♥ AK	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ93	♦ A875	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ Q	♣ A7432	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ QJ5				
Vul: None	♥ AKQ9	♥ 864		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ Q10842	♦ K9	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ J6	♣ Q10875				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 255	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J864	♠ A5				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 8	♥ KQ1043	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 10	♦ 72	♦ AK83	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AKQ862	♣ 73	1. Splinter			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 256	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ KQJ102		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ K8654	♥ J10	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ A6	♦ KQ105	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A732	♣ 96	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 257	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ76	♠ K4				1♦
Vul: None	♥ QJ1072	♥ AK53	Pass	1♥	3♣	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ10	♦ AK652	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 17	♣ Q	♣ 93	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 258	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ2	♠ J86		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ J10854	♥ A7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ A8	♦ Q952	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q6	♣ KJ98	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 259	♠ K10764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K853	
Vul: EW	♦ 543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 8	

Board: 260	♠ KJ53	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ32	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 76	
HCP: 16	♣ A2	You bid first.

Board: 261	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J5	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ10754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K94	

Board: 262	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ62	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 83	

Board: 263	♠ 1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ2	
Vul: Both	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ964	

Board: 264	♠ J7	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ98	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K5	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1073	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 259	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10764	♠ A3				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K853	♥ 10642	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 6	♦ 543	♦ KQJ107	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ 8	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Splinter			

Board: 260	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ53	♠ A84				
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ32	♥ 8654		1♥	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ 76	♦ 5	2♦	X	4♦	AP
South HCP: 4	♣ A2	♣ 108654				
Contract: 4♦ W						

Board: 261	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 83	♠ J942				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J5	♥ AK1098	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ10754	♦ K9	Pass	4♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K94	♣ A8				
Contract: 4♦ N						

Board: 262	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ AKJ10764				
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ62	♥ —		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ4	♦ 10852	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ 83	♣ 102	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 263	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1043	♠ AKJ6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ2	♥ AJ	Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AK	♦ Q9863	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ964	♣ J8				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 264	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J7	♠ 92				
Vul: None	♥ AJ98	♥ K10		1♣	1♠	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ K5	♦ J98432	2♣ ¹	2♥	3♠	AP
South HCP: 4	♣ AK1073	♣ 986	1. limit raise or better in ♠			
Contract: 3♠ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 259	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10642	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Board: 260	♠ A84	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 8654	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 5	
HCP: 4	♣ 108654	Partner bids first.

Board: 261	♠ J942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1098	
Vul: NS	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	

Board: 262	♠ AKJ10764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ 10852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 102	

Board: 263	♠ AKJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9863	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J8	

Board: 264	♠ 92	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J98432	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 4	♣ 986	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 259	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10764	♠ A3				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K853	♥ 10642	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 6	♦ 543	♦ KQJ107	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ 8	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Splinter			

Board: 260	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ53	♠ A84				
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ32	♥ 8654		1♥	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ 76	♦ 5	2♦	X	4♦	AP
South HCP: 4	♣ A2	♣ 108654				
Contract: 4♦ W						

Board: 261	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 83	♠ J942				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J5	♥ AK1098	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ10754	♦ K9	Pass	4♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K94	♣ A8				
Contract: 4♦ N						

Board: 262	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q9	♠ AKJ10764				
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ62	♥ —		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ4	♦ 10852	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ 83	♣ 102	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 263	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1043	♠ AKJ6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ2	♥ AJ	Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AK	♦ Q9863	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ964	♣ J8				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 264	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J7	♠ 92				
Vul: None	♥ AJ98	♥ K10		1♣	1♠	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ K5	♦ J98432	2♣ ¹	2♥	3♠	AP
South HCP: 4	♣ AK1073	♣ 986	1. limit raise or better in ♠			
Contract: 3♠ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 265	♠ 97	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 10843	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 52	
HCP: 1	♣ J10543	Partner bids first.

Board: 266	♠ A3	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J983	
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ63	You bid first.

Board: 267	♠ J1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: None	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q8752	

Board: 268	♠ K732	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ103	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ 43	You bid first.

Board: 269	♠ J	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J9643	
Vul: Both	♦ 1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J1075	

Board: 270	♠ KJ1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ AK32	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K7	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 265	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97	♠ A3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 10843	♥ K6				
North HCP: 1	♦ 52	♦ K1084	2NT ¹	Pass	4♠	AP
South HCP: 17	♣ J10543	♣ AK876	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♠ E						

Board: 266	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ 4		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ A4	♥ 7653				
North HCP: 16	♦ J983	♦ Q10765	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♠	AP
South HCP: 2	♣ AQJ63	♣ 1095	1. Cappelletti, both majors			
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 267	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1053	♠ AK				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ J10				
North HCP: 8	♦ K3	♦ Q9872	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 17	♣ Q8752	♣ AK106	Pass	4♣	AP	
Contract: 4♣ S						

Board: 268	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K732	♠ 1094		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AJ	♥ K103				
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ103	♦ 854	2♦ ²	X	2♠	AP
South HCP: 5	♣ 43	♣ Q865	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2♠ E			2. automat			

Board: 269	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AK1084				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J9643	♥ A5	Pass	2♦	X	Pass ¹
North HCP: 3	♦ 1086	♦ Q3	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J1075	♣ Q432	1. artificial			
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 270	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1087	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ K8	♥ A9	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♣ ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ AK32	♦ QJ984	Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♣ K7	♣ AQJ62	AP			
Contract: 5♦ S			1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 265	♠ A3	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ K1084	
HCP: 17	♣ AK876	You bid first.
Board: 266	♠ 4	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 7653	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q10765	
HCP: 2	♣ 1095	Partner bids first.
Board: 267	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: None	♦ Q9872	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK106	
Board: 268	♠ 1094	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K103	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 854	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ Q865	Partner bids first.
Board: 269	♠ AK1084	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q432	
Board: 270	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: None	♦ QJ984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ62	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 265	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97	♠ A3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 10843	♥ K6				
North HCP: 1	♦ 52	♦ K1084	2NT ¹	Pass	4♠	AP
South HCP: 17	♣ J10543	♣ AK876	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 4♠ E						

Board: 266	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ 4		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ A4	♥ 7653				
North HCP: 16	♦ J983	♦ Q10765	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♠	AP
South HCP: 2	♣ AQJ63	♣ 1095	1. Cappelletti, both majors			
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 267	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1053	♠ AK				1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ J10				
North HCP: 8	♦ K3	♦ Q9872	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 17	♣ Q8752	♣ AK106	Pass	4♣	AP	
Contract: 4♣ S						

Board: 268	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K732	♠ 1094		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AJ	♥ K103				
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ103	♦ 854	2♦ ²	X	2♠	AP
South HCP: 5	♣ 43	♣ Q865	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2♠ E			2. automat			

Board: 269	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J	♠ AK1084				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J9643	♥ A5	Pass	2♦	X	Pass ¹
North HCP: 3	♦ 1086	♦ Q3	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J1075	♣ Q432	1. artificial			
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 270	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1087	♠ 6		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ K8	♥ A9	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♣ ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ AK32	♦ QJ984	Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♣ K7	♣ AQJ62	AP			
Contract: 5♦ S			1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 271	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ532	
Vul: NS	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 109843	
Board: 272	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ543	
Vul: EW	♦ 104	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ106	
Board: 273	♠ J8	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 987432	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 842	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 2	♣ J7	East Bids 3NT if possible.
		Partner bids first.
Board: 274	♠ AQ	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q987	East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ93	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ 85	East Doubles 5♠ if possible.
		You bid first.
Board: 275	♠ 8753	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 1042	
Vul: EW	♦ J9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ J852	
Board: 276	♠ AKJ3	West Doubles 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ76	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 271	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ AQ1052				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KQ532	♥ 9864	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 4	♦ K6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 109843	♣ AK	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 272	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 86543				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ543	♥ K76		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 104	♦ AJ82	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ106	♣ 8	AP			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ K10975				1♠
Vul: None	♥ 987432	♥ KQJ5	2♣	Pass	2NT	Pass
North HCP: 2	♦ 842	♦ AQ	3♣	Pass	3NT	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ J7	♣ 104				
Contract: 3N E						

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ K8				
Vul: NS	♥ Q987	♥ AJ1042		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ93	♦ 108754	1♠	2♠ ¹	X	3♠ ²
South HCP: 8	♣ 85	♣ 9	Pass	4♥	4♠	4NT ³
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	5♠	X	6♥
			AP			
			1. strength cue bid			
			2. limit raise or better in ♦			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 275	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8753	♠ K6				
Vul: EW	♥ 1042	♥ AQ87				1♦
North HCP: 2	♦ J9	♦ AK1087	1♠	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ J852	♣ 93				
Contract: 1♠ W						

Board: 276	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ3	♠ 98				
Vul: Both	♥ 96	♥ J875		1♣	Pass	1♦
North HCP: 17	♦ K7	♦ A10653	X	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 5	♣ KQJ76	♣ 93	Pass	2NT	AP	
Contract: 2N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 271	♠ AQ1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9864	
Vul: NS	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	
Board: 272	♠ 86543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K76	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 8	
Board: 273	♠ K10975	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ5	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ 104	East Bids 3NT if possible.
		You bid first.
Board: 274	♠ K8	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1042	East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 108754	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ 9	East Doubles 5♠ if possible.
		Partner bids first.
Board: 275	♠ K6	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ87	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1087	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 93	
Board: 276	♠ 98	West Doubles 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J875	
Vul: Both	♦ A10653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 93	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 271	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9	♠ AQ1052				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KQ532	♥ 9864	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 4	♦ K6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 109843	♣ AK	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 272	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 86543				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ543	♥ K76		1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 104	♦ AJ82	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ106	♣ 8	AP			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ K10975				1♠
Vul: None	♥ 987432	♥ KQJ5	2♣	Pass	2NT	Pass
North HCP: 2	♦ 842	♦ AQ	3♣	Pass	3NT	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ J7	♣ 104				
Contract: 3N E						

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ K8				
Vul: NS	♥ Q987	♥ AJ1042	1♠	2♠ ¹	X	3♠ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ93	♦ 108754	Pass	4♥	4♠	4NT ³
South HCP: 8	♣ 85	♣ 9	Pass	5♠	X	6♥
Contract: 6♥ S			AP			
			1. strength cue bid			
			2. limit raise or better in ♦			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 275	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8753	♠ K6				
Vul: EW	♥ 1042	♥ AQ87				1♦
North HCP: 2	♦ J9	♦ AK1087	1♠	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ J852	♣ 93				
Contract: 1♠ W						

Board: 276	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ3	♠ 98				
Vul: Both	♥ 96	♥ J875		1♣	Pass	1♦
North HCP: 17	♦ K7	♦ A10653	X	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 5	♣ KQJ76	♣ 93	Pass	2NT	AP	
Contract: 2N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 277	♠ KQ2	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 97653	
HCP: 7	♣ J83	Partner bids first.

Board: 278	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q4	

Board: 279	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ72	
Vul: Both	♦ K63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ92	

Board: 280	♠ K8	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ86	
Vul: None	♦ AJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 74	

Board: 281	♠ KJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ64	
Vul: EW	♦ 983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 52	

Board: 282	♠ AKQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q943	
Vul: Both	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A4	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 277	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ2	♠ A10865				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J10	♥ 63	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 7	♦ 97653	♦ AKQ4	2♦ ²	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J83	♣ Q6	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 3♦ N			2. automat			

Board: 278	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ AQ5		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ8	♥ A753	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ104	♦ A9	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 17	♣ Q4	♣ K1097	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 279	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q7	♠ AK832				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ72	♥ J9	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ K63	♦ A1098	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ92	♣ K5	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 280	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ J9754				
Vul: None	♥ AKQ86	♥ 10952		1♥	2♦	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ105	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 74	♣ AQ98				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 281	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ8	♠ A6432				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AKJ64	♥ Q2	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ 983	♦ AKJ10	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 52	♣ K6	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ52	♠ J93		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q943	♥ K1085	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ J6	♦ Q1032	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ A4	♣ 98	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 277	♠ A10865	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 63	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ4	
HCP: 15	♣ Q6	You bid first.

Board: 278	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A753	
Vul: EW	♦ A9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1097	

Board: 279	♠ AK832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J9	
Vul: Both	♦ A1098	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K5	

Board: 280	♠ J9754	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10952	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ AQ98	

Board: 281	♠ A6432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K6	

Board: 282	♠ J93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1085	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 98	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 277	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ2	♠ A10865				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J10	♥ 63	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 7	♦ 97653	♦ AKQ4	2♦ ²	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J83	♣ Q6	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 3♦ N			2. automat			

Board: 278	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ AQ5		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ8	♥ A753	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ104	♦ A9	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 17	♣ Q4	♣ K1097	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 279	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q7	♠ AK832				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ72	♥ J9	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ K63	♦ A1098	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ92	♣ K5	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 280	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ J9754				
Vul: None	♥ AKQ86	♥ 10952		1♥	2♦	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ105	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 74	♣ AQ98				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 281	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ8	♠ A6432				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AKJ64	♥ Q2	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ 983	♦ AKJ10	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 52	♣ K6	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ52	♠ J93		1♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q943	♥ K1085	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ J6	♦ Q1032	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ A4	♣ 98	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 283	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 842	
Vul: None	♦ 8643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ Q1085	

Board: 284	♠ AK954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q1084	

Board: 285	♠ AJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J83	

Board: 286	♠ QJ987	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ3	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q7	

Board: 287	♠ A	West Bids 2♠ if possible. East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J632	
Vul: NS	♦ K8762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J106	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 2
South HCP: 17
Contract: 1♣ S

North:
♠ 87
♥ 842
♦ 8643
♣ Q1085

South:
♠ J10
♥ QJ103
♦ KQ
♣ AKJ63

West	North	East	South
			1♣
AP			

Board: 284
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ AK954
♥ A8
♦ KJ
♣ Q1084

South:
♠ J1073
♥ KJ1054
♦ 62
♣ AK

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣ ²
Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
Pass	5♦	Pass	6♠
AP			

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 285
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AJ65
♥ KJ9
♦ AQ3
♣ J83

South:
♠ K9
♥ A1042
♦ J4
♣ AKQ54

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦
Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♦
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Fourth suit
2. Blackwood 1430, for ♣
3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 286
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 5
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ QJ987
♥ AQJ3
♦ KJ
♣ Q7

South:
♠ K10432
♥ 6
♦ Q8532
♣ 43

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	4♠
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 287
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♠X W

North:
♠ A
♥ J632
♦ K8762
♣ J106

South:
♠ Q3
♥ AK84
♦ Q10
♣ AQ752

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♠	X	4♠	X
AP			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 283	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ103	
Vul: None	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ63	

Board: 284	♠ J1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ1054	
Vul: NS	♦ 62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK	

Board: 285	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1042	
Vul: Both	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ54	

Board: 286	♠ K10432	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ Q8532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 43	

Board: 287	♠ Q3	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK84	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q10	
HCP: 17	♣ AQ752	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 2
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 1♣ S

North:	South:	
♠ 87	♠ J10	West North East South
♥ 842	♥ QJ103	
♦ 8643	♦ KQ	
♣ Q1085	♣ AKJ63	AP

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣ ²
Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
AP			

1. Jacoby 2NT
 2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
 3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
 4. Blackwood 1430, for ♣

Board: 284
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 6♠ N

North:	South:
♠ AK954	♠ J1073
♥ A8	♥ KJ1054
♦ KJ	♦ 62
♣ Q1084	♣ AK

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦
Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♦
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Fourth suit
 2. Blackwood 1430, for ♣
 3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 286
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 5
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:	South:
♠ QJ987	♠ K10432
♥ AQJ3	♥ 6
♦ KJ	♦ Q8532
♣ Q7	♣ 43

West	North	East	South
	1♠	2♠ ¹	4♠
AP			

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 287
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♠X W

North:	South:
♠ A	♠ Q3
♥ J632	♥ AK84
♦ K8762	♦ Q10
♣ J106	♣ AQ752

West	North	East	South
			1♣
2♠	X	4♠	X
AP			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 288	♠ A2	East Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1064	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AK	
HCP: 16	♣ K10643	You bid first.

Board: 289	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ85	
Vul: None	♦ 7654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 865	

Board: 290	♠ AJ86	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: NS	♦ 82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ92	

Board: 291	♠ Q4	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 653	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ QJ	
HCP: 6	♣ J98752	Partner bids first.

Board: 292	♠ A2	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ102	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 8732	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ A10	You bid first.

Board: 293	♠ K873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 963	
Vul: NS	♦ K75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 732	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	1♦	X
Vul: EW	♠ A2	♠ KJ987	2♦	3♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
North HCP: 16	♥ Q1064	♥ AK98	Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4NT ³
South HCP: 12	♦ AK	♦ J82	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N	♣ K10643	♣ 8	AP			
			1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 289			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: None	♠ Q8	♠ AJ				
North HCP: 7	♥ KQ85	♥ J7				
South HCP: 15	♦ 7654	♦ A1032	AP			
Contract: 1N S	♣ 865	♣ AJ1097				

Board: 290			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♠ AJ86	♠ 3	2♦	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♥ A5	♥ KJ743	AP			
South HCP: 7	♦ 82	♦ J753				
Contract: 2N S	♣ AKJ92	♣ Q87				

Board: 291			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: EW	♠ Q4	♠ J1075	2♣ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	3♣ ³
North HCP: 6	♥ 653	♥ J7	3♥	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♦ QJ	♦ A8	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 4♣ S	♣ J98752	♣ AKQ104	2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
			3. automat			

Board: 292			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♠ A2	♠ J109653	2♦ ²	Pass	3♣	AP
North HCP: 16	♥ AKJ102	♥ 754	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 1	♦ 8732	♦ 654	2. automat			
Contract: 3♣ E	♣ A10	♣ 9				

Board: 293			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: NS	♠ K873	♠ J10				
North HCP: 6	♥ 963	♥ AKJ107				
South HCP: 15	♦ K75	♦ 42	AP			
Contract: 1N S	♣ 732	♣ KQJ9				

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 288	♠ KJ987	East Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK98	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ J82	
HCP: 12	♣ 8	Partner bids first.

Board: 289	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	
Vul: None	♦ A1032	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1097	

Board: 290	♠ 3	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ743	
Vul: NS	♦ J753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q87	

Board: 291	♠ J1075	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A8	
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ104	You bid first.

Board: 292	♠ J109653	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 754	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 654	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 1	♣ 9	Partner bids first.

Board: 293	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ107	
Vul: NS	♦ 42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ9	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	1♦	X
Vul: EW	♠ A2	♠ KJ987	2♦	3♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
North HCP: 16	♥ Q1064	♥ AK98	Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4NT ³
South HCP: 12	♦ AK	♦ J82	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N	♣ K10643	♣ 8	AP			
			1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 289			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: None	♠ Q8	♠ AJ				
North HCP: 7	♥ KQ85	♥ J7				
South HCP: 15	♦ 7654	♦ A1032	AP			
Contract: 1N S	♣ 865	♣ AJ1097				

Board: 290			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♠ AJ86	♠ 3	2♦	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♥ A5	♥ KJ743	AP			
South HCP: 7	♦ 82	♦ J753				
Contract: 2N S	♣ AKJ92	♣ Q87				

Board: 291			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: EW	♠ Q4	♠ J1075	2♣ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	3♣ ³
North HCP: 6	♥ 653	♥ J7	3♥	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 15	♦ QJ	♦ A8	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 4♣ S	♣ J98752	♣ AKQ104	2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
			3. automat			

Board: 292			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♠ A2	♠ J109653	2♦ ²	Pass	3♣	AP
North HCP: 16	♥ AKJ102	♥ 754	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 1	♦ 8732	♦ 654	2. automat			
Contract: 3♣ E	♣ A10	♣ 9				

Board: 293			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: NS	♠ K873	♠ J10				
North HCP: 6	♥ 963	♥ AKJ107				
South HCP: 15	♦ K75	♦ 42	AP			
Contract: 1N S	♣ 732	♣ KQJ9				

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 294	♠ AKJ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ42	
Vul: EW	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q8	
Board: 295	♠ Q9842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7653	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ —	
Board: 296	♠ 76	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ95	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ1064	You bid first.
Board: 297	♠ A108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1073	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 92	
Board: 298	♠ AKQJ2	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 74	
HCP: 16	♣ Q754	You bid first.
Board: 299	♠ 1086	West Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ63	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 94	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
HCP: 6	♣ J1076	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 294	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ63	♠ 10	West North East South
Vul: EW	♥ AJ42	♥ Q109873	1♠ AP
North HCP: 15	♦ 64	♦ 10	
South HCP: 3	♣ Q8	♣ J7652	
Contract: 1♠ N			

Board: 295	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ Q9842	♠ AK76	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ 7653	♥ Q9	1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ AJ97	♦ K10	Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠
South HCP: 15	♣ —	♣ K9873	AP
Contract: 2♠ S			

Board: 296	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ 76	♠ K105	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ A6	♥ 1052	1NT 2♦ ¹ Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ95	♦ K73	2♥ Pass Pass 2NT
South HCP: 9	♣ AQ1064	♣ K953	AP
Contract: 2N N			1. Cappelletti, both majors

Board: 297	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ A108	♠ 93	West North East South
Vul: EW	♥ J1073	♥ K4	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ83	♦ K652	Pass 2♣ ¹ Pass 2♦
South HCP: 16	♣ 92	♣ AKQJ3	Pass 3NT AP
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman

Board: 298	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ2	♠ 965	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ 108753	1NT 2♣ ¹ Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ 74	♦ 3	2♦ ² AP
South HCP: 3	♣ Q754	♣ K932	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit
Contract: 2♦ W			2. automat

Board: 299	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ AKQJ	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AJ63	♥ Q10874	1♥
North HCP: 6	♦ 94	♦ K10	X 2♥ 3♦ 3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ J1076	♣ 52	Pass Pass 4♦ X
Contract: 4♦ X E			AP

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 294	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q109873	
Vul: EW	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J7652	
Board: 295	♠ AK76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9	
Vul: Both	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K9873	
Board: 296	♠ K105	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1052	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K73	
HCP: 9	♣ K953	Partner bids first.
Board: 297	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: EW	♦ K652	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQJ3	
Board: 298	♠ 965	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 108753	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 3	
HCP: 3	♣ K932	Partner bids first.
Board: 299	♠ AKQJ	West Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10874	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K10	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ 52	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 294	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ63	♠ 10		1♠	AP	
Vul: EW	♥ AJ42	♥ Q109873				
North HCP: 15	♦ 64	♦ 10				
South HCP: 3	♣ Q8	♣ J7652				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 295	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q9842	♠ AK76				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 7653	♥ Q9	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 7	♦ AJ97	♦ K10	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ —	♣ K9873				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 296	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 76	♠ K105		1NT	2♦ ¹	Pass
Vul: None	♥ A6	♥ 1052	2♥	Pass	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ95	♦ K73	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AQ1064	♣ K953				
Contract: 2N N						

1. Cappelletti, both majors

Board: 297	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A108	♠ 93				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J1073	♥ K4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ83	♦ K652	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 92	♣ AKQJ3				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Stayman

Board: 298	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ2	♠ 965		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ 108753	2♦ ²	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ 74	♦ 3				
South HCP: 3	♣ Q754	♣ K932				
Contract: 2♦ W						

1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit
2. automat

Board: 299	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ AKQJ				1♥
Vul: None	♥ AJ63	♥ Q10874	X	2♥	3♦	3♥
North HCP: 6	♦ 94	♦ K10	Pass	Pass	4♦	X
South HCP: 15	♣ J1076	♣ 52	AP			
Contract: 4♦ X E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 300	♠ KQJ86	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 85	
Board: 301	♠ 986	West Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 976	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 109	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ KQ1092	Partner bids first.
Board: 302	♠ K1062	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: None	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ832	
Board: 303	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q654	
Vul: NS	♦ A10963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ85	
Board: 304	♠ Q7	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A842	
Vul: EW	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1062	
Board: 305	♠ J86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q53	
Vul: None	♦ J85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQJ4	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 300	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ86	♠ 1093		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ KQ	♥ 8	X ¹	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ62	♦ Q1098	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 85	♣ KQ1064	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 301	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 986	♠ K742				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 976	♥ AJ1043	X	2♥	3♦	3♥
North HCP: 5	♦ 109	♦ K4	Pass	Pass	4♦	X
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ1092	♣ A8	AP			
Contract: 4♦ X E						

Board: 302	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1062	♠ J54		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ 10743	X ¹	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q4	♦ J82	1. Cappelletti, strong			
South HCP: 2	♣ KJ832	♣ 1075				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 303	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AK1094				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q654	♥ J10	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ A10963	♦ KQ84	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ85	♣ A9	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q7	♠ A10				
Vul: EW	♥ A842	♥ 10953		1♣	1♠	4♣
North HCP: 16	♦ K10	♦ 95	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ AK1062	♣ QJ953				
Contract: 4♣ N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ A2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q53	♥ AJ42	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 10	♦ J85	♦ Q4	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KQJ4	♣ A8752				
Contract: 2N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 300	♠ 1093	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ KQ1064	

Board: 301	♠ K742	West Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ1043	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K4	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	You bid first.

Board: 302	♠ J54	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10743	
Vul: None	♦ J82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ 1075	

Board: 303	♠ AK1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A9	

Board: 304	♠ A10	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10953	
Vul: EW	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ QJ953	

Board: 305	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ42	
Vul: None	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8752	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 300	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ86	♠ 1093		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ KQ	♥ 8	X ¹	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ62	♦ Q1098	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 85	♣ KQ1064	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 301	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 986	♠ K742				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 976	♥ AJ1043	X	2♥	3♦	3♥
North HCP: 5	♦ 109	♦ K4	Pass	Pass	4♦	X
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ1092	♣ A8	AP			
Contract: 4♦ X E						

Board: 302	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1062	♠ J54		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ 10743	X ¹	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q4	♦ J82	1. Cappelletti, strong			
South HCP: 2	♣ KJ832	♣ 1075				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 303	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AK1094				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q654	♥ J10	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ A10963	♦ KQ84	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ85	♣ A9	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q7	♠ A10				
Vul: EW	♥ A842	♥ 10953		1♣	1♠	4♣
North HCP: 16	♦ K10	♦ 95	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ AK1062	♣ QJ953				
Contract: 4♣ N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ A2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q53	♥ AJ42	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 10	♦ J85	♦ Q4	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KQJ4	♣ A8752				
Contract: 2N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 306	♠ A9	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ8	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 103	
HCP: 17	♣ QJ85	You bid first.

Board: 307	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109765	
Vul: EW	♦ A876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ QJ9	

Board: 308	♠ AJ106	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A2	

Board: 309	♠ KJ9853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10743	
Vul: NS	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A6	

Board: 310	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK73	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9863	

Board: 311	♠ K654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ7653	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 86	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ 54		1♥	2♣	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AKQJ8	♥ 75				
North HCP: 17	♦ 103	♦ AQ8642	3♣	AP		
South HCP: 6	♣ QJ85	♣ 1093				
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKQJ4				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 109765	♥ A432	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 7	♦ A876	♦ 95	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ9	♣ K8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 308	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ106	♠ K843		1NT	3♣	3♥
Vul: Both	♥ 109	♥ Q87652				
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ82	♦ K	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ A2	♣ K7				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ9853	♠ AQ				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 10743	♥ AQJ96				
North HCP: 8	♦ 4	♦ A9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ A6	♣ 8752				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ AQJ542		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ J8	♥ A	Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♦ AK73	♦ QJ9	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
South HCP: 15	♣ A9863	♣ J102	AP			
Contract: 6♣ N			1. Texas			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K654	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ7653	♥ J2	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 12	♦ —	♦ KQJ105	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 16	♣ 86	♣ KQ74	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Texas			
			2. Exclusion, for ♥			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 306	♠ 54	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 75	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ8642	
HCP: 6	♣ 1093	Partner bids first.

Board: 307	♠ AKQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A432	
Vul: EW	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K8	

Board: 308	♠ K843	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q87652	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K7	

Board: 309	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ96	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 8752	

Board: 310	♠ AQJ542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J102	

Board: 311	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J2	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ74	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ 54		1♥	2♣	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AKQJ8	♥ 75				
North HCP: 17	♦ 103	♦ AQ8642	3♣	AP		
South HCP: 6	♣ QJ85	♣ 1093				
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AKQJ4				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 109765	♥ A432	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 7	♦ A876	♦ 95	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ9	♣ K8	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 308	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ106	♠ K843		1NT	3♣	3♥
Vul: Both	♥ 109	♥ Q87652				
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ82	♦ K	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ A2	♣ K7				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ9853	♠ AQ				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 10743	♥ AQJ96				
North HCP: 8	♦ 4	♦ A9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ A6	♣ 8752				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ AQJ542		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ J8	♥ A	Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♦ AK73	♦ QJ9	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 15	♣ A9863	♣ J102	AP			
Contract: 6♠ N			1. Texas			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K654	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ7653	♥ J2	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 12	♦ —	♦ KQJ105	Pass	5♦ ²	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 86	♣ KQ74	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Texas			
			2. Exclusion, for ♥			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 312	♠ AK73	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ97	
Vul: None	♦ 103	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J5	

Board: 313	♠ J3	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9642	
Vul: EW	♦ 1073	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ A982	

Board: 314	♠ Q10	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q10832	

Board: 315	♠ 10962	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9876	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K108	
HCP: 3	♣ 108	Partner bids first.

Board: 316	♠ KQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ98	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q5	

Board: 317	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1087	
Vul: Both	♦ J863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 1073	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 312
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 6
Contract: 3♥ N

North:
♠ AK73
♥ AQJ97
♦ 103
♣ J5

South:
♠ 1082
♥ 10432
♦ K764
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
	1♥	1♠	3♥
AP			

Board: 313
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 5
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ J3
♥ 9642
♦ 1073
♣ A982

South:
♠ KQ
♥ AKQ53
♦ 86
♣ K653

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♦	3♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 314
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 10
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ Q10
♥ AK
♦ AQ95
♣ Q10832

South:
♠ AK5
♥ 987532
♦ K76
♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1♣	1♠	2♥ ¹
Pass	2♣ ²	Pass	3♥
AP			
1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			
2. strength cue bid			

Board: 315
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 3
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3♣ E

North:
♠ 10962
♥ 9876
♦ K108
♣ 108

South:
♠ A7
♥ AJ
♦ 9652
♣ AQJ32

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣	AP
1. Cappelletti, both majors			

Board: 316
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ KQ53
♥ J10
♦ AKJ98
♣ Q5

South:
♠ 1062
♥ AQ9854
♦ Q72
♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Texas			

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 4
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ J4
♥ Q1087
♦ J863
♣ 1073

South:
♠ 72
♥ AK932
♦ K10
♣ KQ52

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 312	♠ 1082	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10432	
Vul: None	♦ K764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K4	

Board: 313	♠ KQ	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ53	
Vul: EW	♦ 86	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K653	

Board: 314	♠ AK5	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 987532	
Vul: Both	♦ K76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 5	

Board: 315	♠ A7	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 9652	
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ32	You bid first.

Board: 316	♠ 1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9854	
Vul: NS	♦ Q72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A	

Board: 317	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK932	
Vul: Both	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ52	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 312
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 6
Contract: 3♥ N

North:
♠ AK73
♥ AQJ97
♦ 103
♣ J5

South:
♠ 1082
♥ 10432
♦ K764
♣ K4

West	North	East	South
	1♥	1♠	3♥
AP			

Board: 313
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 5
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ J3
♥ 9642
♦ 1073
♣ A982

South:
♠ KQ
♥ AKQ53
♦ 86
♣ K653

West	North	East	South
			1♥
2♦	3♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 314
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 10
Contract: 3♥ S

North:
♠ Q10
♥ AK
♦ AQ95
♣ Q10832

South:
♠ AK5
♥ 987532
♦ K76
♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1♣	1♠	2♥ ¹
Pass	2♣ ²	Pass	3♥
AP			
1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing			
2. strength cue bid			

Board: 315
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 3
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3♣ E

North:
♠ 10962
♥ 9876
♦ K108
♣ 108

South:
♠ A7
♥ AJ
♦ 9652
♣ AQJ32

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣	AP
1. Cappelletti, both majors			

Board: 316
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ KQ53
♥ J10
♦ AKJ98
♣ Q5

South:
♠ 1062
♥ AQ9854
♦ Q72
♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Texas			

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 4
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ J4
♥ Q1087
♦ J863
♣ 1073

South:
♠ 72
♥ AK932
♦ K10
♣ KQ52

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 318	♠ KQ732	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K6	
HCP: 16	♣ J643	You bid first.

Board: 319	♠ J3	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 109542	
Vul: NS	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 7643	

Board: 320	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9863	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q652	

Board: 321	♠ K9765	West Doubles 1♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: None	♦ QJ962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 6	

Board: 322	♠ AK104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9854	
Vul: NS	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J4	

Board: 323	♠ K95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ AK32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q10874	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 318	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ732	♠ 10654		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ Q9542	X	XX ¹	3♦	AP
North HCP: 16	♦ K6	♦ —	1. artificial			
South HCP: 2	♣ J643	♣ 9872				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 319	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ 106				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 109542	♥ AK863	Pass	2♦	3♣	3♥
North HCP: 5	♦ A10	♦ KQJ9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 7643	♣ QJ				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 320	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ KJ852		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 1072	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ Q9863	♦ K7				
South HCP: 8	♣ Q652	♣ J43				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 321	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9765	♠ AJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A8	♥ K1064	X	XX	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ962	♦ 87	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ 6	♣ AQJ32	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

Board: 322	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK104	♠ Q73				
Vul: NS	♥ K9854	♥ 6		1♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A7	♦ QJ9842				
South HCP: 5	♣ J4	♣ 832				
Contract: 1♥ N						

Board: 323	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K95	♠ AQJ104				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ K	♥ J9	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AK32	♦ 108				
South HCP: 16	♣ Q10874	♣ AKJ5				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 318	♠ 10654	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9542	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ —	
HCP: 2	♣ 9872	Partner bids first.

Board: 319	♠ 106	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK863	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ	

Board: 320	♠ KJ852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1072	
Vul: EW	♦ K7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J43	

Board: 321	♠ AJ	West Doubles 1♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K1064	
Vul: None	♦ 87	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ32	

Board: 322	♠ Q73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ9842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 832	

Board: 323	♠ AQJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J9	
Vul: EW	♦ 108	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ5	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 318	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ732	♠ 10654		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ Q9542	X	XX ¹	3♦	AP
North HCP: 16	♦ K6	♦ —	1. artificial			
South HCP: 2	♣ J643	♣ 9872				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 319	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ 106				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 109542	♥ AK863	Pass	2♦	3♣	3♥
North HCP: 5	♦ A10	♦ KQJ9	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 7643	♣ QJ				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 320	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ KJ852		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 1072	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ Q9863	♦ K7				
South HCP: 8	♣ Q652	♣ J43				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 321	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K9765	♠ AJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A8	♥ K1064	X	XX	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ962	♦ 87	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ 6	♣ AQJ32	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

Board: 322	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK104	♠ Q73				
Vul: NS	♥ K9854	♥ 6		1♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A7	♦ QJ9842				
South HCP: 5	♣ J4	♣ 832				
Contract: 1♥ N						

Board: 323	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K95	♠ AQJ104				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ K	♥ J9	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AK32	♦ 108				
South HCP: 16	♣ Q10874	♣ AKJ5				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 324	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1065	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 53	
Board: 325	♠ K1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 102	
Vul: NS	♦ Q32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ106	
Board: 326	♠ 87	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ93	
Vul: EW	♦ 92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ106	
Board: 327	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 84	
Vul: Both	♦ 7643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J7432	
Board: 328	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: None	♦ AK72	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ865	
Board: 329	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1065	
Vul: EW	♦ A1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J7	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 324	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ KJ10832		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AK1065	♥ 9				
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ32	♦ Q98	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ 53	♣ 1082	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 325	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1063	♠ Q8				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 102	♥ AKJ8				
North HCP: 10	♦ Q32	♦ 95	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ106	♣ AJ987	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 326	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 87	♠ J1096		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ93	♥ 1062				
North HCP: 15	♦ 92	♦ QJ75	X ¹	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 4	♣ AQ106	♣ 84	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 327	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10	♠ KJ873				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 84	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 5	♦ 7643	♦ AQ92	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J7432	♣ Q9				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 328	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KQ973		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ J5	♥ A743	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AK72	♦ 64	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ865	♣ Q7	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 329	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A93	♠ J875				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J1065	♥ AK	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ A1074	♦ Q2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J7	♣ AQ543	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 324	♠ KJ10832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: Both	♦ Q98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 1082	

Board: 325	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ987	

Board: 326	♠ J1096	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1062	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 84	

Board: 327	♠ KJ873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ92	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q9	

Board: 328	♠ KQ973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A743	
Vul: None	♦ 64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q7	

Board: 329	♠ J875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ543	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 324	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ KJ10832		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AK1065	♥ 9				
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ32	♦ Q98	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ 53	♣ 1082	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 325	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1063	♠ Q8				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 102	♥ AKJ8				
North HCP: 10	♦ Q32	♦ 95	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ106	♣ AJ987	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 326	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 87	♠ J1096		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ93	♥ 1062				
North HCP: 15	♦ 92	♦ QJ75	X ¹	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 4	♣ AQ106	♣ 84	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 327	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A10	♠ KJ873				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 84	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 5	♦ 7643	♦ AQ92	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J7432	♣ Q9				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 328	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KQ973		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ J5	♥ A743	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AK72	♦ 64	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ865	♣ Q7	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 329	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A93	♠ J875				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J1065	♥ AK	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ A1074	♦ Q2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J7	♣ AQ543	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 330	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ73	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ863	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q7	
Board: 331	♠ K	West Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8764	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 9753	
HCP: 9	♣ A103	Partner bids first.
Board: 332	♠ AQJ6	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A6	
HCP: 15	♣ Q9752	You bid first.
Board: 333	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J983	
Vul: Both	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A75	
Board: 334	♠ 82	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ865	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K3	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ7	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
		You bid first.
Board: 335	♠ 9	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K103	
Vul: NS	♦ 109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ QJ96543	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 330	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 983				
Vul: Both	♥ AJ73	♥ KQ5		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ863	♦ KJ95	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ Q7	♣ J54				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 331	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ AQ76				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q8764	♥ AKJ105	X	1NT ¹	2♠	4♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 9753	♦ J8	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ A103	♣ Q5				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Support 1NT			

Board: 332	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ6	♠ 1082			1NT	2♣ ¹ Pass
Vul: NS	♥ Q6	♥ J1087	2♦ ²	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ A6	♦ 10842	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 1	♣ Q9752	♣ 84	2. automat			
Contract: 2♦ W						

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 954	♠ AKJ62				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J983	♥ A4				
North HCP: 7	♦ Q82	♦ K5	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A75	♣ J1094				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 82	♠ 9754		1♥	1♠	Pass
Vul: None	♥ AJ865	♥ 10	Pass	2♣	X	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ K3	♦ Q97	2♦	Pass	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 3	♣ AKQ7	♣ J10532	3♦	AP		
Contract: 3♦ W						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ Q865				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K103	♥ AQ	X ¹	2♣ ²	Pass	3♣ ³
North HCP: 6	♦ 109	♦ AKJ85	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ96543	♣ 72	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 3♣ S			2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
			3. automat			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 330	♠ 983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ5	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J54	
Board: 331	♠ AQ76	West Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ105	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J8	
HCP: 17	♣ Q5	You bid first.
Board: 332	♠ 1082	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J1087	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 10842	
HCP: 1	♣ 84	Partner bids first.
Board: 333	♠ AKJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: Both	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J1094	
Board: 334	♠ 9754	East Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q97	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
HCP: 3	♣ J10532	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
		Partner bids first.
Board: 335	♠ Q865	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 72	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 330	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 983				
Vul: Both	♥ AJ73	♥ KQ5		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ863	♦ KJ95	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ Q7	♣ J54				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 331	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ AQ76				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q8764	♥ AKJ105	X	1NT ¹	2♠	4♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 9753	♦ J8	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ A103	♣ Q5				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Support 1NT			

Board: 332	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ6	♠ 1082			1NT	2♣ ¹ Pass
Vul: NS	♥ Q6	♥ J1087	2♦ ²	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ A6	♦ 10842	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 1	♣ Q9752	♣ 84	2. automat			
Contract: 2♦ W						

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 954	♠ AKJ62				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J983	♥ A4				
North HCP: 7	♦ Q82	♦ K5	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A75	♣ J1094				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 82	♠ 9754		1♥	1♠	Pass
Vul: None	♥ AJ865	♥ 10	Pass	2♣	X	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ K3	♦ Q97	2♦	Pass	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 3	♣ AKQ7	♣ J10532	3♦	AP		
Contract: 3♦ W						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ Q865				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K103	♥ AQ	X ¹	2♣ ²	Pass	3♣ ³
North HCP: 6	♦ 109	♦ AKJ85	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ96543	♣ 72	1. Cappelletti, strong			
Contract: 3♣ S			2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
			3. automat			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 336 ♠ AKJ43 East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ KJ West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW ♦ K1098
HCP: 15 ♣ 53 You bid first.

Board: 337 ♠ QJ85 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ AJ2
Vul: None ♦ 54 Partner bids first.
HCP: 8 ♣ 9852

Board: 338 ♠ KQJ63 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N ♥ AK
Vul: NS ♦ A5 You bid first.
HCP: 17 ♣ 10542

Board: 339 ♠ 654 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ Q54
Vul: EW ♦ — Partner bids first.
HCP: 7 ♣ KQ108543

Board: 340 ♠ QJ86 East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ Q7 West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both ♦ A4 You bid first.
HCP: 16 ♣ AQJ84

Board: 341 ♠ 87542 West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S ♥ J East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS ♦ K10962 Partner bids first.
HCP: 4 ♣ 98

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ43	♠ Q9872		1NT	2♥ ¹	2♠
Vul: EW	♥ KJ	♥ 8	3♥	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ K1098	♦ 632	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ 53	♣ AK76	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ85	♠ K7				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ2	♥ K4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8	♦ 54	♦ Q9832	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 9852	♣ AQJ7	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 338	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ63	♠ 8				
Vul: NS	♥ AK	♥ Q87		1♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ A5	♦ 109873				
South HCP: 6	♣ 10542	♣ A763				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 339	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 654	♠ 83				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q54	♥ A10				
North HCP: 7	♦ —	♦ AK1083	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ108543	♣ A972				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 340	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ86	♠ 9754		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ Q7	♥ 10953	2♦ ²	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ A4	♦ J75	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 1	♣ AQJ84	♣ 76	2. automat			
Contract: 2♦ W						

Board: 341	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 87542	♠ AQJ106				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ AQ92	2♣	3♠	4♣	X
North HCP: 4	♦ K10962	♦ A3	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 98	♣ 103				
Contract: 4♣X W						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 336	♠ Q9872	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 632	
HCP: 9	♣ AK76	Partner bids first.

Board: 337	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ Q9832	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ7	

Board: 338	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q87	
Vul: NS	♦ 109873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A763	

Board: 339	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1083	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A972	

Board: 340	♠ 9754	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10953	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J75	
HCP: 1	♣ 76	Partner bids first.

Board: 341	♠ AQJ106	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ92	East Bids 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A3	
HCP: 17	♣ 103	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ43	♠ Q9872		1NT	2♥ ¹	2♠
Vul: EW	♥ KJ	♥ 8	3♥	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ K1098	♦ 632	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ 53	♣ AK76	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ85	♠ K7				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ2	♥ K4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8	♦ 54	♦ Q9832	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 9852	♣ AQJ7	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 338	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ63	♠ 8				
Vul: NS	♥ AK	♥ Q87		1♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ A5	♦ 109873				
South HCP: 6	♣ 10542	♣ A763				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 339	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 654	♠ 83				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q54	♥ A10				
North HCP: 7	♦ —	♦ AK1083	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ108543	♣ A972				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 340	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ86	♠ 9754		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ Q7	♥ 10953	2♦ ²	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ A4	♦ J75	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 1	♣ AQJ84	♣ 76	2. automat			
Contract: 2♦ W						

Board: 341	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 87542	♠ AQJ106				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ AQ92	2♣	3♠	4♣	X
North HCP: 4	♦ K10962	♦ A3	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 98	♣ 103				
Contract: 4♣X W						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 342	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1054	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ75	

Board: 343	♠ A106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 762	
Vul: Both	♦ J64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q1085	

Board: 344	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ86	
Vul: None	♦ A984	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q3	

Board: 345	♠ QJ94	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ K1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 10983	

Board: 346	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: Both	♦ K965	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ95	

Board: 347	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A74	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 963	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 342	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ 72		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K10	♥ A832	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ1054	♦ K9	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ75	♣ A8632	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 343	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A106	♠ KQ875				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 762	♥ KJ108	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 7	♦ J64	♦ Q8				
South HCP: 15	♣ Q1085	♣ A7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 344	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A7	♠ KJ8542				
Vul: None	♥ AQJ86	♥ 10543		1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ A984	♦ KQ	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q3	♣ 5				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 345	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ94	♠ AK65				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ AQ1096	1♠	AP		
North HCP: 7	♦ K1098	♦ Q6				
South HCP: 16	♣ 10983	♣ J7				
Contract: 1♠ W						

Board: 346	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ	♠ A863		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ J6	♥ AQ3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K965	♦ 10	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AKQ95	♣ J10832	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 347	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 74	♠ AK83				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A74	♥ 65	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ AKQJ6	♦ 74				
South HCP: 15	♣ 963	♣ AKJ104				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 342	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A832	
Vul: EW	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A8632	

Board: 343	♠ KQ875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ108	
Vul: Both	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A7	

Board: 344	♠ KJ8542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10543	
Vul: None	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 5	

Board: 345	♠ AK65	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1096	
Vul: EW	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J7	

Board: 346	♠ A863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J10832	

Board: 347	♠ AK83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 65	
Vul: None	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ104	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 342	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ 72		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K10	♥ A832	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ1054	♦ K9	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ75	♣ A8632	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 343	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A106	♠ KQ875				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 762	♥ KJ108	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 7	♦ J64	♦ Q8				
South HCP: 15	♣ Q1085	♣ A7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 344	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A7	♠ KJ8542				
Vul: None	♥ AQJ86	♥ 10543		1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ A984	♦ KQ	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q3	♣ 5				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 345	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ94	♠ AK65				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ AQ1096	1♠	AP		
North HCP: 7	♦ K1098	♦ Q6				
South HCP: 16	♣ 10983	♣ J7				
Contract: 1♠ W						

Board: 346	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ	♠ A863		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ J6	♥ AQ3	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K965	♦ 10	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AKQ95	♣ J10832	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 347	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 74	♠ AK83				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A74	♥ 65	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ AKQJ6	♦ 74				
South HCP: 15	♣ 963	♣ AKJ104				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 348	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ A964	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ64	

Board: 349	♠ J1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1096	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ104	

Board: 350	♠ A743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK854	
Vul: None	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J6	

Board: 351	♠ 1042	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 10532	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 2	♣ Q10973	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
		East Bids 4♥ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

Board: 352	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK963	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J5	

Board: 353	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K87	
Vul: None	♦ Q76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1032	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 348	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K5	♠ AJ842		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ J4	♥ 97				
North HCP: 16	♦ A964	♦ J872	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AKJ64	♣ 93				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 349	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1083	♠ AKQ52				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A1096	♥ Q5	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 8	♦ Q2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ104	♣ Q852				
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Splinter 1N-3D			

Board: 350	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A743	♠ 2		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ AK854	♥ QJ1062	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ	♦ 65	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 10	♣ J6	♣ AK842	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♥ N			Pass	6♥	AP	
			1. forcing 1NT			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ AQJ86				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ 98	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 2	♦ 10532	♦ AJ	2♦ ²	Pass	2♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ Q10973	♣ KJ52	3♥	Pass	4♥	AP
Contract: 4♥ E			1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
			2. automat			

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ A98765		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AK963	♥ Q875	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ8	♦ 2	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 13	♣ J5	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ5	♠ KJ107				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K87	♥ QJ1053	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ Q76	♦ AK	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J1032	♣ Q9				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. forcing 1NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 348	♠ AJ842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 97	
Vul: NS	♦ J872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 93	

Board: 349	♠ AKQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q852	

Board: 350	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1062	
Vul: None	♦ 65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AK842	

Board: 351	♠ AQJ86	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 98	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AJ	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ52	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
		East Bids 4♥ if possible.
		You bid first.

Board: 352	♠ A98765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q875	
Vul: EW	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK	

Board: 353	♠ KJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ1053	
Vul: None	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q9	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 348	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K5	♠ AJ842		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ J4	♥ 97				
North HCP: 16	♦ A964	♦ J872	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AKJ64	♣ 93				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 349	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1083	♠ AKQ52				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A1096	♥ Q5	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 8	♦ Q2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ104	♣ Q852				
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Splinter 1N-3D			

Board: 350	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A743	♠ 2		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ AK854	♥ QJ1062	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ	♦ 65	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 10	♣ J6	♣ AK842	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♥ N			Pass	6♥	AP	
			1. forcing 1NT			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ AQJ86				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 4	♥ 98	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 2	♦ 10532	♦ AJ	2♦ ²	Pass	2♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ Q10973	♣ KJ52	3♥	Pass	4♥	AP
Contract: 4♥ E			1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
			2. automat			

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ A98765		1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AK963	♥ Q875	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ8	♦ 2	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 13	♣ J5	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Jacoby 2NT			
			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ5	♠ KJ107				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K87	♥ QJ1053	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ Q76	♦ AK	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J1032	♣ Q9				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. forcing 1NT			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 354

♠ A973

Dealer: N

♥ AKJ103

Vul: NS

♦ K8

HCP: 15

♣ 62

West Doubles Pass if possible.

West Doubles 2♥ if possible.

East Bids 3♦ if possible.

West Bids 4♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 355

♠ A2

Dealer: S

♥ A109743

Vul: EW

♦ 873

HCP: 11

♣ K4

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 356

♠ KJ106

Dealer: N

♥ AK965

Vul: Both

♦ Q8

HCP: 15

♣ Q10

West Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 357

♠ 7643

Dealer: S

♥ J75

Vul: NS

♦ KJ43

HCP: 9

♣ KJ

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 358

♠ 109

Dealer: N

♥ KJ843

Vul: EW

♦ AK52

HCP: 15

♣ KJ

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 359

♠ 95

Dealer: S

♥ 3

Vul: Both

♦ AQ843

HCP: 8

♣ Q6542

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A973	♠ 10862		1♥	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ103	♥ Q9762	X	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K8	♦ 2	X	Pass	3♦	3♥
South HCP: 2	♣ 62	♣ 1087	4♦	X	AP	
Contract: 4♦ X E						

Board: 355	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A2	♠ KQ94				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A109743	♥ KQJ62	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 873	♦ K10	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ K4	♣ Q2	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 356	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ106	♠ A532		1♥	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK965	♥ 1082				
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ 4	3♦	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ Q10	♣ AJ753				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 357	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7643	♠ AQ95				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J75	♥ AK1043	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ43	♦ 106	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ	♣ A9	1. Two way game tries			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 358	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 109	♠ A8653		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ KJ843	♥ 652	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AK52	♦ J9	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ	♣ A42				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ AQ103				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ KQ1052	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 8	♦ AQ843	♦ J7	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q6542	♣ K3	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♣ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 354 ♠ 10862
Dealer: N ♥ Q9762
Vul: NS ♦ 2
HCP: 2 ♣ 1087

West Doubles Pass if possible.
West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.
West Bids 4♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 355 ♠ KQ94
Dealer: S ♥ KQJ62
Vul: EW ♦ K10
HCP: 16 ♣ Q2

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 356 ♠ A532
Dealer: N ♥ 1082
Vul: Both ♦ 4
HCP: 9 ♣ AJ753

West Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 357 ♠ AQ95
Dealer: S ♥ AK1043
Vul: NS ♦ 106
HCP: 17 ♣ A9

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 358 ♠ A8653
Dealer: N ♥ 652
Vul: EW ♦ J9
HCP: 9 ♣ A42

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 359 ♠ AQ103
Dealer: S ♥ KQ1052
Vul: Both ♦ J7
HCP: 15 ♣ K3

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A973	♠ 10862		1♥	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AKJ103	♥ Q9762	X	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ K8	♦ 2	X	Pass	3♦	3♥
South HCP: 2	♣ 62	♣ 1087	4♦	X	AP	
Contract: 4♦X E						

Board: 355	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A2	♠ KQ94				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ A109743	♥ KQJ62	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 873	♦ K10	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ K4	♣ Q2	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 356	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ106	♠ A532		1♥	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK965	♥ 1082				
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ 4	3♦	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ Q10	♣ AJ753				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 357	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7643	♠ AQ95				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J75	♥ AK1043	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ43	♦ 106	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ	♣ A9	1. Two way game tries			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 358	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 109	♠ A8653		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ KJ843	♥ 652	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AK52	♦ J9	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ	♣ A42				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ AQ103				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ KQ1052	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 8	♦ AQ843	♦ J7	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q6542	♣ K3	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2♣ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 360	♠ AQ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9543	
Vul: None	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A3	

Board: 361	♠ Q10852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ73	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 92	

Board: 362	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: Both	♦ 98764	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ42	

Board: 363	♠ AK842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ76	
Vul: None	♦ 763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 6	

Board: 364	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: NS	♦ J9873	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K952	

Board: 365	♠ QJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ52	
Vul: Both	♦ A104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J2	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ86	♠ K102		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ A9543	♥ 86	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K9	♦ Q542	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ A3	♣ Q654	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10852	♠ AK43				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ73	♥ 102	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 9	♦ 8	♦ KQ732	Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ 92	♣ K3	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Splitter			

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ Q853		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQ	♥ 108	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 98764	♦ AK2	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AQ42	♣ 8763	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK842	♠ J5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ76	♥ KQ532	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ 763	♦ KQJ8	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 15	♣ 6	♣ K10	Pass	5♥	AP	
Contract: 5♥ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ J93		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ KQ10763	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♦ J9873	♦ KQ5	Pass	5♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K952	♣ A	1. Texas			
Contract: 5♥ N			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ53	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KJ52	♥ Q10863	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ A104	♦ K762	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J2	♣ AK	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. artificial			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 360	♠ K102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 86	
Vul: None	♦ Q542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q654	

Board: 361	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 102	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ732	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K3	

Board: 362	♠ Q853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 108	
Vul: Both	♦ AK2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 8763	

Board: 363	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ532	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10	

Board: 364	♠ J93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ10763	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 365	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10863	
Vul: Both	♦ K762	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ86	♠ K102		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: None	♥ A9543	♥ 86	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K9	♦ Q542	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ A3	♣ Q654	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10852	♠ AK43				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ73	♥ 102	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 9	♦ 8	♦ KQ732	Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ 92	♣ K3	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Splitter			

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ Q853		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQ	♥ 108	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 98764	♦ AK2	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AQ42	♣ 8763	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK842	♠ J5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ76	♥ KQ532	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ 763	♦ KQJ8	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 15	♣ 6	♣ K10	Pass	5♥	AP	
Contract: 5♥ N			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ J93		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ A4	♥ KQ10763	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 15	♦ J9873	♦ KQ5	Pass	5♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K952	♣ A	1. Texas			
Contract: 5♥ N			2. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ53	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KJ52	♥ Q10863	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 12	♦ A104	♦ K762	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J2	♣ AK	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. artificial			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 366	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A632	
Vul: None	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ983	

Board: 367	♠ 43	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 875	
HCP: 4	♣ J108743	Partner bids first.

Board: 368	♠ AJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: EW	♦ K10954	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A7	

Board: 369	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J865	
Vul: None	♦ K95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 1032	

Board: 370	♠ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9754	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 87	

Board: 371	♠ A762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK843	
Vul: EW	♦ 54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 107	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 43	♠ Q2		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A632	♥ KQ109				
North HCP: 17	♦ AK	♦ 8653	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ AQ983	♣ 654				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 43	♠ AK92				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ	♥ A10962			X	1♠
North HCP: 4	♦ 875	♦ 62	Pass	Pass	3♦	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ J108743	♣ A2	Pass	2♥		
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ93	♠ 2		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A9	♥ K10432		2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K10954	♦ AQJ3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A7	♣ 864	Pass			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 369	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ9	♠ 64				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J865	♥ A7	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ K95	♦ AQ1073	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 1032	♣ AJ64	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 370	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ2	♠ J87		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ K9754	♥ 863	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ A9	♦ KQ865	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 87	♣ A9	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 371	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A762	♠ Q9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK843	♥ 96	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ 54	♦ AJ97	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ 107	♣ AKQ82	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			
			2. SMOLEN			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 366	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ109	
Vul: None	♦ 8653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 654	

Board: 367	♠ AK92	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A10962	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 62	
HCP: 15	♣ A2	You bid first.

Board: 368	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10432	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 864	

Board: 369	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: None	♦ AQ1073	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ64	

Board: 370	♠ J87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 863	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A9	

Board: 371	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ97	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ82	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 43	♠ Q2		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A632	♥ KQ109	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK	♦ 8653				
South HCP: 7	♣ AQ983	♣ 654				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 43	♠ AK92				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ	♥ A10962	Pass	Pass	X	1♠
North HCP: 4	♦ 875	♦ 62	Pass	2♥	3♦	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ J108743	♣ A2				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ93	♠ 2		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A9	♥ K10432	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K10954	♦ AQJ3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A7	♣ 864				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 369	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ9	♠ 64				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J865	♥ A7	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ K95	♦ AQ1073	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 1032	♣ AJ64	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 370	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ2	♠ J87		1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: NS	♥ K9754	♥ 863	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ A9	♦ KQ865	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ 87	♣ A9	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 371	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A762	♠ Q9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK843	♥ 96	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ 54	♦ AJ97	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ 107	♣ AKQ82	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			
			2. SMOLEN			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 372	♠ AQJ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ J10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A854	
Board: 373	♠ K54	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J74	
Vul: NS	♦ A109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 10954	
Board: 374	♠ 105	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ92	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AK532	
HCP: 16	♣ A9	You bid first.
Board: 375	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ954	
Vul: Both	♦ 87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ86	
Board: 376	♠ A6	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A6543	
HCP: 15	♣ KJ72	You bid first.
Board: 377	♠ K107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1053	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A108432	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 372	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ75	♠ K9		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ J85		Pass	3♦ ²	AP
North HCP: 15	♦ J10	♦ Q87654		1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT		
South HCP: 9	♣ A854	♣ K2		2. automat		
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 373	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K54	♠ QJ86				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J74	♥ AQ952		1NT	2♥	Pass
North HCP: 8	♦ A109	♦ K4		Pass	4♥	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ 10954	♣ K2				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 374	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ K				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ92	♥ K83		1♦	2♠	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ AK532	♦ 10876		4♠	X	AP
South HCP: 9	♣ A9	♣ QJ1084				
Contract: 4♠X E						

Board: 375	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J6	♠ A5				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AQ954	♥ K6		Pass	1♥	Pass
North HCP: 12	♦ 87	♦ AKQ94		Pass	3♥	AP
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ86	♣ J1043				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 376	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ 972			1NT	X ¹
Vul: None	♥ K5	♥ 973		2♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A6543	♦ Q108		1. Cappelletti, strong		
South HCP: 4	♣ KJ72	♣ Q1094				
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 377	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K107	♠ A9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 1053	♥ AKJ82		Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 9	♦ Q	♦ J962		AP		3♣ ²
South HCP: 16	♣ A108432	♣ K7		1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT		
Contract: 3♣ S				2. automat		

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 372 ♠ K9 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N ♥ J85
Vul: Both ♦ Q87654
HCP: 9 ♣ K2 Partner bids first.

Board: 373 ♠ QJ86 West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S ♥ AQ952
Vul: NS ♦ K4 You bid first.
HCP: 15 ♣ K2

Board: 374 ♠ K East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ K83 West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW ♦ 10876
HCP: 9 ♣ QJ1084 Partner bids first.

Board: 375 ♠ A5 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ K6
Vul: Both ♦ AKQ94 You bid first.
HCP: 17 ♣ J1043

Board: 376 ♠ 972 East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ 973 West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None ♦ Q108
HCP: 4 ♣ Q1094 Partner bids first.

Board: 377 ♠ A9 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ AKJ82
Vul: EW ♦ J962 You bid first.
HCP: 16 ♣ K7

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 372	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ75	♠ K9		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ J85	Pass	3♦ ²	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ J10	♦ Q87654	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ A854	♣ K2	2. automat			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 373	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K54	♠ QJ86				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ J74	♥ AQ952	1NT	2♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 8	♦ A109	♦ K4	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 10954	♣ K2				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 374	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ K				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ92	♥ K83		1♦	2♠	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ AK532	♦ 10876	4♠	X	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ A9	♣ QJ1084				
Contract: 4♠X E						

Board: 375	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J6	♠ A5				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AQ954	♥ K6	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 87	♦ AKQ94	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ86	♣ J1043				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 376	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ 972		1NT	X ¹	Pass
Vul: None	♥ K5	♥ 973	2♥	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ A6543	♦ Q108	1. Cappelletti, strong			
South HCP: 4	♣ KJ72	♣ Q1094				
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 377	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K107	♠ A9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 1053	♥ AKJ82	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 9	♦ Q	♦ J962	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A108432	♣ K7	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
Contract: 3♣ S			2. automat			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 378	♠ Q5	West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ9	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ96	
HCP: 16	♣ 83	You bid first.

Board: 379	♠ 8753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ32	
Vul: None	♦ 104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q9	

Board: 380	♠ AK	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q965	
HCP: 15	♣ K10972	You bid first.

Board: 381	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q52	
Vul: Both	♦ 10874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ QJ986	

Board: 382	♠ Q5	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: None	♦ AK87	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ95	

Board: 383	♠ 107	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ 107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 1097642	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 378	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ 9743				
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ9	♥ 42		1♦	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ96	♦ 753	1♥	Pass	2♣	AP
South HCP: 1	♣ 83	♣ J972				
Contract: 2♣ E						
Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8753	♠ AKQJ2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AKQ32	♥ 106	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 11	♦ 104	♦ Q752	Pass	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9	♣ A6	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♣ N			2. artificial			
Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 105		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ K4	♥ 732	3♦ ²	X	3♠	AP
North HCP: 15	♦ Q965	♦ KJ8742	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 5	♣ K10972	♣ J3	2. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3♠ E						
Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 5	♠ 10732				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q52	♥ AK1076	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 5	♦ 10874	♦ K2	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ986	♣ AK	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3♥ S						
Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ A864				
Vul: None	♥ J9	♥ Q10862		1♣	2♠	AP
North HCP: 17	♦ AK87	♦ Q3				
South HCP: 8	♣ AQJ95	♣ 72				
Contract: 2♠ E						
Board: 383	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ Q9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ KJ3	♥ A10975	Pass	2♠ ¹	3♠	AP
North HCP: 4	♦ 107	♦ AJ	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 16	♣ 1097642	♣ KQ85				
Contract: 3♠ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 378	♠ 9743	West Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 753	
HCP: 1	♣ J972	Partner bids first.

Board: 379	♠ AKQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	
Vul: None	♦ Q752	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A6	

Board: 380	♠ 105	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 732	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ8742	
HCP: 5	♣ J3	Partner bids first.

Board: 381	♠ 10732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1076	
Vul: Both	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Board: 382	♠ A864	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10862	
Vul: None	♦ Q3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 72	

Board: 383	♠ Q9	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A10975	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ85	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 378	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ 9743				
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ9	♥ 42		1♦	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ96	♦ 753	1♥	Pass	2♣	AP
South HCP: 1	♣ 83	♣ J972				
Contract: 2♣ E						
Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8753	♠ AKQJ2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AKQ32	♥ 106	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 11	♦ 104	♦ Q752	Pass	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9	♣ A6	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♣ N			2. artificial			
Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 105		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ K4	♥ 732	3♦ ²	X	3♠	AP
North HCP: 15	♦ Q965	♦ KJ8742	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 5	♣ K10972	♣ J3	2. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 3♠ E						
Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 5	♠ 10732				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q52	♥ AK1076	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 5	♦ 10874	♦ K2	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ986	♣ AK	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 3♥ S						
Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q5	♠ A864				
Vul: None	♥ J9	♥ Q10862		1♣	2♠	AP
North HCP: 17	♦ AK87	♦ Q3				
South HCP: 8	♣ AQJ95	♣ 72				
Contract: 2♠ E						
Board: 383	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ Q9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ KJ3	♥ A10975	Pass	2♠ ¹	3♠	AP
North HCP: 4	♦ 107	♦ AJ	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 16	♣ 1097642	♣ KQ85				
Contract: 3♠ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 384	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ653	
Vul: EW	♦ Q985	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Board: 385	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10852	
Vul: None	♦ 109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQ643	

Board: 386	♠ AKJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 74	
Vul: NS	♦ 104	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK106	

Board: 387	♠ AQJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q4	
Vul: EW	♦ J63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ7	

Board: 388	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ854	
Vul: Both	♦ 65	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ98	

Board: 389	♠ AQ108764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 10875	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 384	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ QJ975		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AJ653	♥ 72	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 17	♦ Q985	♦ K763	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ 87				
Contract: 3♠ S						

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ K9742				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q10852	♥ J4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 109	♦ AKJ2	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ643	♣ K2				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 386	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ109	♠ 65		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ 74	♥ AQ83	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 104	♦ A8732	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AK106	♣ 42	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N			2. artificial			

Board: 387	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ87	♠ 105				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q4	♥ K8	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ J63	♦ AK942	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ7	♣ AK94	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Fourth suit			

Board: 388	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ	♠ K73		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AJ854	♥ KQ73	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ 65	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ98	♣ 5432	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. artificial			

Board: 389	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ108764	♠ KJ93				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 74	♥ AJ	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 6	♦ —	♦ A7542	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 10875	♣ QJ	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 384	♠ QJ975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	
Vul: EW	♦ K763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 87	

Board: 385	♠ K9742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K2	

Board: 386	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ83	
Vul: NS	♦ A8732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 42	

Board: 387	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK942	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK94	

Board: 388	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ73	
Vul: Both	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 5432	

Board: 389	♠ KJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A7542	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 384	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ QJ975		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AJ653	♥ 72	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 17	♦ Q985	♦ K763	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ 87				
Contract: 3♠ S						

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ K9742				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q10852	♥ J4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 109	♦ AKJ2	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ643	♣ K2				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 386	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ109	♠ 65		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ 74	♥ AQ83	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 104	♦ A8732	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AK106	♣ 42	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N			2. artificial			

Board: 387	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ87	♠ 105				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q4	♥ K8	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ J63	♦ AK942	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ7	♣ AK94	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Fourth suit			

Board: 388	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ	♠ K73		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AJ854	♥ KQ73	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ 65	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ98	♣ 5432	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. artificial			

Board: 389	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ108764	♠ KJ93				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 74	♥ AJ	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 6	♦ —	♦ A7542	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 10875	♣ QJ	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

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Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 390	♠ K6	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: EW	♦ AK107	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K10642	

Board: 391	♠ 8762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J98	
Vul: Both	♦ J87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J105	

Board: 392	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ7	
Vul: None	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A10964	

Board: 393	♠ K95	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ 6532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 9863	

Board: 394	♠ A7	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A986	
Vul: Both	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ763	

Board: 395	♠ 9873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ6	
Vul: None	♦ 102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 8743	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 390	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ Q85				
Vul: EW	♥ A4	♥ J653		1♣	2♥	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ AK107	♦ 9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ K10642	♣ AQJ73				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8762	♠ AQJ54				
Vul: Both	♥ J98	♥ 107				1NT
North HCP: 3	♦ J87	♦ K3	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J105	♣ AQ62				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q8	♠ 1032				
Vul: None	♥ AKQ7	♥ 86		1♣	Pass	1♦
North HCP: 17	♦ Q5	♦ A10732	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 8	♣ A10964	♣ KJ3	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K95	♠ A832				
Vul: EW	♥ A6	♥ KJ				1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 6532	♦ AQ1084	3♥	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ 9863	♣ J4				
Contract: 3♥ W						

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A7	♠ 965				
Vul: Both	♥ A986	♥ KJ1075		1♣	3♣	AP
North HCP: 17	♦ A4	♦ K832				
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ763	♣ 8				
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 395	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9873	♠ A4				
Vul: None	♥ KQ6	♥ J3				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ 102	♦ Q873	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8743	♣ AKJ92				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 390	♠ Q85	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J653	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQJ73	

Board: 391	♠ AQJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ62	

Board: 392	♠ 1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 86	
Vul: None	♦ A10732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KJ3	

Board: 393	♠ A832	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1084	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J4	

Board: 394	♠ 965	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ1075	
Vul: Both	♦ K832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 8	

Board: 395	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	
Vul: None	♦ Q873	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ92	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 390	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ Q85		1♣	2♥	3♣
Vul: EW	♥ A4	♥ J653				
North HCP: 17	♦ AK107	♦ 9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ K10642	♣ AQJ73				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8762	♠ AQJ54				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J98	♥ 107				
North HCP: 3	♦ J87	♦ K3	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J105	♣ AQ62				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q8	♠ 1032		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ AKQ7	♥ 86				
North HCP: 17	♦ Q5	♦ A10732	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 8	♣ A10964	♣ KJ3	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K95	♠ A832				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A6	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 7	♦ 6532	♦ AQ1084	3♥	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ 9863	♣ J4				
Contract: 3♥ W						

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A7	♠ 965		1♣	3♣	AP
Vul: Both	♥ A986	♥ KJ1075				
North HCP: 17	♦ A4	♦ K832				
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ763	♣ 8				
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 395	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9873	♠ A4				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KQ6	♥ J3				
North HCP: 5	♦ 102	♦ Q873	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8743	♣ AKJ92				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 396	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1097	
Vul: NS	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K975	

Board: 397	♠ 10732	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 1065	

Board: 398	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ942	
Vul: None	♦ J8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ74	

Board: 399	♠ Q1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ10743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ	

Board: 400	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ104	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A3	

Board: 401	♠ 1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J853	
Vul: None	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK98	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ J105	
Vul: NS	♥ AK1097	♥ 8	West North East South
North HCP: 17	♦ A10	♦ J98652	1♥ AP
South HCP: 4	♣ K975	♣ Q43	
Contract: 1♥ N			

Board: 397	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 10732	♠ AJ86	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ A10	♥ K8	
North HCP: 8	♦ KJ62	♦ AQ1073	Pass 1♠ 3♥ 4♣
South HCP: 17	♣ 1065	♣ K9	AP
Contract: 4♠ N			

Board: 398	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ J9	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AQ942	♥ J86	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J8	♦ KQ53	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ74	♣ K963	
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 399	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ Q1074	♠ KJ853	West North East South
Vul: NS	♥ 8	♥ Q3	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ10743	♦ A6	Pass 3♥ ¹ Pass 4♣
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ	♣ KQ87	AP
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Splitter

Board: 400	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ 42	♠ Q53	West North East South
Vul: EW	♥ KJ104	♥ AQ3	
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ106	♦ Q752	Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ A3	♣ K54	Pass 4♦ AP
Contract: 4♦ N			1. Inverted minors

Board: 401	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 1074	♠ AK65	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ J853	♥ K10	
North HCP: 12	♦ A8	♦ KQJ102	Pass 2♣ ¹ Pass 2♠
South HCP: 16	♣ AK98	♣ 54	Pass 3NT AP
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 396	♠ J105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ J98652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ Q43	

Board: 397	♠ AJ86	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ1073	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K9	

Board: 398	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J86	
Vul: None	♦ KQ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K963	

Board: 399	♠ KJ853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: NS	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ87	

Board: 400	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ Q752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K54	

Board: 401	♠ AK65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 54	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ J105	
Vul: NS	♥ AK1097	♥ 8	West North East South
North HCP: 17	♦ A10	♦ J98652	1♥ AP
South HCP: 4	♣ K975	♣ Q43	
Contract: 1♥ N			

Board: 397	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 10732	♠ AJ86	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ A10	♥ K8	
North HCP: 8	♦ KJ62	♦ AQ1073	Pass 1♠ 3♥ 4♣
South HCP: 17	♣ 1065	♣ K9	AP
Contract: 4♠ N			

Board: 398	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ J9	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AQ942	♥ J86	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J8	♦ KQ53	AP
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ74	♣ K963	
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 399	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ Q1074	♠ KJ853	West North East South
Vul: NS	♥ 8	♥ Q3	
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ10743	♦ A6	Pass 3♥ ¹ Pass 4♣
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ	♣ KQ87	AP
Contract: 4♠ S			1. Splitter

Board: 400	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ 42	♠ Q53	West North East South
Vul: EW	♥ KJ104	♥ AQ3	
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ106	♦ Q752	Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ A3	♣ K54	Pass 4♦ AP
Contract: 4♦ N			1. Inverted minors

Board: 401	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 1074	♠ AK65	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ J853	♥ K10	
North HCP: 12	♦ A8	♦ KQJ102	Pass 2♣ ¹ Pass 2♠
South HCP: 16	♣ AK98	♣ 54	Pass 3NT AP
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 402	♠ AK1052	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K862	
Vul: NS	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A4	

Board: 403	♠ A75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ62	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 94	

Board: 404	♠ AQ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: Both	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A7652	

Board: 405	♠ —	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J94	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 1076532	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 1	♣ 10983	Partner bids first.

Board: 406	♠ K8	East Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KQ85	
HCP: 17	♣ A9862	You bid first.

Board: 407	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: Both	♦ K643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ J65432	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK1052	♠ 94		1♠	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ K862	♥ 43				
North HCP: 17	♦ K2	♦ Q96543	X	2♥	Pass	2♣
South HCP: 3	♣ A4	♣ J95	AP			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A75	♠ K2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ QJ62	♥ K4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ42	♦ A965	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 94	♣ AJ1062	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ54	♠ J92				
Vul: Both	♥ AJ	♥ K86		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 76	♦ Q92	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ A7652	♣ KJ94				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AQ986				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J94	♥ K6	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 1	♦ 1076532	♦ J9	4♥	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ 10983	♣ AQ42	1. Cappelletti, both majors			
Contract: 4♥ E						

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ Q7				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ K9532		1♣	1♦	1♥
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ85	♦ 643	1♠	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8	♣ A9862	♣ QJ4	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 407	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ AK1043				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ J4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 4	♦ K643	♦ Q975	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J65432	♣ KQ	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
Contract: 3♣ S			2. automat			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 402	♠ 94	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 43	
Vul: NS	♦ Q96543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J95	

Board: 403	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: EW	♦ A965	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1062	

Board: 404	♠ J92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K86	
Vul: Both	♦ Q92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ94	

Board: 405	♠ AQ986	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J9	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ42	You bid first.

Board: 406	♠ Q7	East Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K9532	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 643	
HCP: 8	♣ QJ4	Partner bids first.

Board: 407	♠ AK1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: Both	♦ Q975	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK1052	♠ 94		1♠	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ K862	♥ 43				
North HCP: 17	♦ K2	♦ Q96543	X	2♥	Pass	2♣
South HCP: 3	♣ A4	♣ J95	AP			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A75	♠ K2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ QJ62	♥ K4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ42	♦ A965	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 94	♣ AJ1062	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ54	♠ J92				
Vul: Both	♥ AJ	♥ K86		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 76	♦ Q92	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ A7652	♣ KJ94				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AQ986				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J94	♥ K6	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 1	♦ 1076532	♦ J9	4♥	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ 10983	♣ AQ42	1. Cappelletti, both majors			
Contract: 4♥ E						

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ Q7				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ K9532		1♣	1♦	1♥
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ85	♦ 643	1♠	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8	♣ A9862	♣ QJ4	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 407	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ AK1043				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ J4	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 4	♦ K643	♦ Q975	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J65432	♣ KQ	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
Contract: 3♣ S			2. automat			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 408	♠ 87	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1063	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ6	
Board: 409	♠ QJ7542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109	
Vul: EW	♦ 964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 102	
Board: 410	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10954	
Vul: Both	♦ 75	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ3	
Board: 411	♠ 1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ4	
Vul: None	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ1054	
Board: 412	♠ A8	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ962	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 92	
HCP: 15	♣ AJ52	You bid first.
Board: 413	♠ —	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ53	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q9732	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 87	♠ A53		1NT	X ¹	2♦
Vul: None	♥ A4	♥ J9853	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ1063	♦ 975	1. Cappelletti, strong			
South HCP: 5	♣ KQJ6	♣ 53				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ7542	♠ 109				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 109	♥ AQ	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 3	♦ 964	♦ AJ1083	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 102	♣ KQ85				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ QJ6		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ A10954	♥ Q2	AP			
North HCP: 16	♦ 75	♦ K1062				
South HCP: 10	♣ AKJ3	♣ Q962				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1076	♠ AQ852				1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ4	♥ 86	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ Q7	♦ AJ84	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ1054	♣ AQ	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ 10932		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AQ962	♥ 854	2♠	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ 92	♦ Q65	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
South HCP: 4	♣ AJ52	♣ Q108				
Contract: 2♠ W						

Board: 413	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AKQJ4				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KJ53	♥ Q1082	Pass	1NT ¹	2♥	AP
North HCP: 8	♦ Q1032	♦ 65	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9732	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2♥ E						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 408	♠ A53	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J9853	
Vul: None	♦ 975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 53	

Board: 409	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1083	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ85	

Board: 410	♠ QJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: Both	♦ K1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q962	

Board: 411	♠ AQ852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 86	
Vul: None	♦ AJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ	

Board: 412	♠ 10932	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 854	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q65	
HCP: 4	♣ Q108	Partner bids first.

Board: 413	♠ AKQJ4	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1082	
Vul: Both	♦ 65	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 87	♠ A53		1NT	X ¹	2♦
Vul: None	♥ A4	♥ J9853	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ1063	♦ 975	1. Cappelletti, strong			
South HCP: 5	♣ KQJ6	♣ 53				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ7542	♠ 109				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 109	♥ AQ	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 3	♦ 964	♦ AJ1083	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 102	♣ KQ85				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ QJ6		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ A10954	♥ Q2	AP			
North HCP: 16	♦ 75	♦ K1062				
South HCP: 10	♣ AKJ3	♣ Q962				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1076	♠ AQ852				1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ4	♥ 86	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 11	♦ Q7	♦ AJ84	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ1054	♣ AQ	1. forcing 1NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ 10932		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AQ962	♥ 854	2♠	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ 92	♦ Q65	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
South HCP: 4	♣ AJ52	♣ Q108				
Contract: 2♠ W						

Board: 413	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AKQJ4				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KJ53	♥ Q1082	Pass	1NT ¹	2♥	AP
North HCP: 8	♦ Q1032	♦ 65	1. forcing 1NT			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9732	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2♥ E						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 414	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ54	
Vul: None	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ654	

Board: 415	♠ J872	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ —	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J10742	East Doubles 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 3	♣ J854	Partner bids first.

Board: 416	♠ AQ762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ63	
Vul: EW	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q4	

Board: 417	♠ K94	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ9764	
Vul: None	♦ 874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 7	

Board: 418	♠ K3	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ7	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 52	
HCP: 16	♣ AK752	You bid first.

Board: 419	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A82	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ54	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 414	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 64	♠ A9853		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ54	♥ J6	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A9	♦ Q753	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ654	♣ J7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 415	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J872	♠ AK1093				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ J982	Pass	Pass	2♥	X
North HCP: 3	♦ J10742	♦ K3	3♥	4♠	X	AP
South HCP: 17	♣ J854	♣ AQ				
Contract: 4♠X S						

Board: 416	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ762	♠ K9		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ63	♥ A1082	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ A10	♦ Q97	Pass	5♠	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 17	♣ Q4	♣ AKJ5	AP			
Contract: 6N S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 417	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K94	♠ AJ87				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KJ9764	♥ A3	2♣ ¹	4♦ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 874	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ K8643	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. Texas			

Board: 418	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ Q1042		1♣	1♥	X
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ7	♥ —	3♥	Pass	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 16	♦ 52	♦ AQJ108	Pass	5♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK752	♣ QJ64				
Contract: 5♣ N						

Board: 419	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 72	♠ AQJ65				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A82	♥ K5	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ53	♦ A7	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♣ AQ54	♣ K1072	Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT ²
Contract: 6♣ N			Pass	6♣	AP	
			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♣			
			2. King ask by 5NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 414	♠ A9853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: None	♦ Q753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J7	
Board: 415	♠ AK1093	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J982	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K3	East Doubles 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ	You bid first.
Board: 416	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1082	
Vul: EW	♦ Q97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ5	
Board: 417	♠ AJ87	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: None	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8643	
Board: 418	♠ Q1042	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ —	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ108	
HCP: 12	♣ QJ64	Partner bids first.
Board: 419	♠ AQJ65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1072	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 414	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 64	♠ A9853		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQ54	♥ J6	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A9	♦ Q753	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ654	♣ J7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 415	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J872	♠ AK1093				1♠
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ J982	Pass	Pass	2♥	X
North HCP: 3	♦ J10742	♦ K3	3♥	4♠	X	AP
South HCP: 17	♣ J854	♣ AQ				
Contract: 4♠X S						

Board: 416	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ762	♠ K9		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ QJ63	♥ A1082	Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ A10	♦ Q97	Pass	5♠	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 17	♣ Q4	♣ AKJ5	AP			
Contract: 6N S			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 417	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K94	♠ AJ87				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KJ9764	♥ A3	2♣ ¹	4♦ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 874	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ K8643	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. Texas			

Board: 418	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ Q1042		1♣	1♥	X
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ7	♥ —	3♥	Pass	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 16	♦ 52	♦ AQJ108	Pass	5♠	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK752	♣ QJ64				
Contract: 5♣ N						

Board: 419	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 72	♠ AQJ65				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A82	♥ K5	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ53	♦ A7	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♣ AQ54	♣ K1072	Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT ²
Contract: 6♣ N			Pass	6♣	AP	
			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♣			
			2. King ask by 5NT			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 420	♠ AK96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 104	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10853	

Board: 421	♠ A6532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q75	
Vul: NS	♦ K6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A65	

Board: 422	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9865	
Vul: EW	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ10	

Board: 423	♠ KJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ A653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1094	

Board: 424	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ KQ82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ975	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 420	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK96	♠ 8		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ 104	♥ A9652	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A3	♦ K74				
South HCP: 7	♣ A10853	♣ 9642				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 421	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A6532	♠ KJ109	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q75	♥ A2	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
North HCP: 13	♦ K6	♦ AQ873	Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 17	♣ A65	♣ K3	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N						

1. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 422	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K5	♠ Q963		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ K9865	♥ 3	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ Q2	♦ K10973	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ AKQ10	♣ J32				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 423	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ93	♠ Q10876	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♠
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ AK	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
North HCP: 12	♦ A653	♦ KJ74	Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 17	♣ K1094	♣ A6	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ S						

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 424	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ Q1064		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ J5	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ82	♦ AJ74	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 8	♣ AJ975	♣ 864	AP			
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. Fourth suit

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 420	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9652	
Vul: Both	♦ K74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 9642	

Board: 421	♠ KJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ873	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K3	

Board: 422	♠ Q963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: EW	♦ K10973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J32	

Board: 423	♠ Q10876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ74	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A6	

Board: 424	♠ Q1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: None	♦ AJ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 864	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 420	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK96	♠ 8		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ 104	♥ A9652				
North HCP: 15	♦ A3	♦ K74	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A10853	♣ 9642				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 421	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A6532	♠ KJ109				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q75	♥ A2	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K6	♦ AQ873	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 17	♣ A65	♣ K3	Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
Contract: 6♠ N			Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 422	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K5	♠ Q963		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ K9865	♥ 3	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ Q2	♦ K10973	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ AKQ10	♣ J32				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 423	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ93	♠ Q10876				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ AK	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12	♦ A653	♦ KJ74	Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4♦ ³
South HCP: 17	♣ K1094	♣ A6	Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♠
Contract: 6♠ S			Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 424	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ Q1064		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ J5	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ82	♦ AJ74	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 8	♣ AJ975	♣ 864	AP			
Contract: 3♣ N						

1. Fourth suit

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 425	♠ J72	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 1094	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 1063	
HCP: 4	♣ K862	Partner bids first.
Board: 426	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK743	
Vul: Both	♦ 96	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1064	
Board: 427	♠ 97	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ —	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 10875	
HCP: 5	♣ KQ105432	Partner bids first.
Board: 428	♠ KQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: NS	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J9762	
Board: 429	♠ 84	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ106	
Vul: Both	♦ 105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ6	
Board: 430	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ43	
Vul: None	♦ QJ753	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 425	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J72	♠ K5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 1094	♥ K5	Pass	Pass	1♥	2♣
North HCP: 4	♦ 1063	♦ AK874	2♥	AP		
South HCP: 17	♣ K862	♣ A1073				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 426	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ 10752				
Vul: Both	♥ AK743	♥ 982	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ 96	♦ 43				
South HCP: 2	♣ A1064	♣ Q972				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 427	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97	♠ 54				1NT
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ AK984	2♣ ¹	2♣ ²	Pass	3♣ ³
North HCP: 5	♦ 10875	♦ A3	3♣	4♣	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ105432	♣ A986	AP			
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
			2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
			3. automat			

Board: 428	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ9	♠ A8		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ A7	♥ K9863	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ A10	♦ K3	Pass	3NT	Pass	5NT
South HCP: 17	♣ J9762	♣ AK84	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ S						

Board: 429	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 84	♠ AK932				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ106	♥ K5	Pass	2♦	X	XX ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ 105	♦ AJ94	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KQJ6	♣ 42				
Contract: 3N S			1. artificial			

Board: 430	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ A1032				
Vul: None	♥ QJ43	♥ 6		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ753	♦ K862	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ A10	♣ Q974				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 425	♠ K5	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AK874	
HCP: 17	♣ A1073	You bid first.
Board: 426	♠ 10752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 982	
Vul: Both	♦ 43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ Q972	
Board: 427	♠ 54	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK984	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A3	
HCP: 15	♣ A986	You bid first.
Board: 428	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9863	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK84	
Board: 429	♠ AK932	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 42	
Board: 430	♠ A1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: None	♦ K862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q974	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 425	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J72	♠ K5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 1094	♥ K5	Pass	Pass	1♥	2♣
North HCP: 4	♦ 1063	♦ AK874	2♥	AP		
South HCP: 17	♣ K862	♣ A1073				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 426	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A4	♠ 10752				
Vul: Both	♥ AK743	♥ 982	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ 96	♦ 43				
South HCP: 2	♣ A1064	♣ Q972				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 427	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97	♠ 54				1NT
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ AK984	2♣ ¹	2♣ ²	Pass	3♣ ³
North HCP: 5	♦ 10875	♦ A3	3♣	4♣	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ105432	♣ A986	AP			
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
			2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
			3. automat			

Board: 428	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ9	♠ A8		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ A7	♥ K9863	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ A10	♦ K3	Pass	3NT	Pass	5NT
South HCP: 17	♣ J9762	♣ AK84	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ S						

Board: 429	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 84	♠ AK932				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ106	♥ K5	Pass	2♦	X	XX ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ 105	♦ AJ94	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KQJ6	♣ 42				
Contract: 3N S			1. artificial			

Board: 430	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ A1032				
Vul: None	♥ QJ43	♥ 6		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ753	♦ K862	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ A10	♣ Q974				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 431	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10942	
Vul: NS	♦ 10753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 5	

Board: 432	♠ J6532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ53	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A2	

Board: 433	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: None	♦ AQ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K9873	

Board: 434	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ104	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q5	

Board: 435	♠ Q954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K943	

Board: 436	♠ 98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK832	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ43	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K5	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK9	♠ Q863				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J10942	♥ AK	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 10753	♦ Q6	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 5	♣ KQ832				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 432	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J6532	♠ KQ104				
Vul: EW	♥ A4	♥ 98632		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ53	♦ K2	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 8	♣ A2	♣ 43	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 433	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ AKQ85				1♠
Vul: None	♥ K3	♥ Q962	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ52	♦ K8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ K9873	♣ J6	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 434	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q6	♠ AKJ103		1♥	Pass	3♥ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ104	♥ 9853	Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ94	♦ 52	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ Q5	♣ 73	1. 1M-3M inviting			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 435	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q954	♠ KJ106				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AJ8	♥ K5	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ	♦ A2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K943	♣ A10865	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 436	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 98	♠ Q10		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AK832	♥ QJ54	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ43	♦ J10	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ K5	♣ QJ1063	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. artificial			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 431	♠ Q863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ832	

Board: 432	♠ KQ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98632	
Vul: EW	♦ K2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 43	

Board: 433	♠ AKQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q962	
Vul: None	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J6	

Board: 434	♠ AKJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9853	
Vul: NS	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 73	

Board: 435	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: EW	♦ A2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10865	

Board: 436	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ54	
Vul: Both	♦ J10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ QJ1063	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK9	♠ Q863				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J10942	♥ AK	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 10753	♦ Q6	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 5	♣ KQ832				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 432	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J6532	♠ KQ104				
Vul: EW	♥ A4	♥ 98632		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ53	♦ K2	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 8	♣ A2	♣ 43	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 433	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 107	♠ AKQ85				1♠
Vul: None	♥ K3	♥ Q962	Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ52	♦ K8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ K9873	♣ J6	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 434	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q6	♠ AKJ103		1♥	Pass	3♥ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ104	♥ 9853	Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ94	♦ 52	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ Q5	♣ 73	1. 1M-3M inviting			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 435	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q954	♠ KJ106				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AJ8	♥ K5	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ	♦ A2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ K943	♣ A10865	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 436	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 98	♠ Q10		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AK832	♥ QJ54	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ43	♦ J10	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ K5	♣ QJ1063	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. artificial			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 437	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK975	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 642	
Board: 438	♠ AKQ95	West Doubles 4♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J7	
Board: 439	♠ QJ2	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9873	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ98	
HCP: 7	♣ J8	Partner bids first.
Board: 440	♠ AKJ9	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ832	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J6	
HCP: 16	♣ K3	You bid first.
Board: 441	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J932	
Vul: EW	♦ 1096543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 1	♣ 843	
Board: 442	♠ AJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: Both	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ1042	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 437	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AQ843				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AK975	♥ J4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ94	♦ 87	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 642	♣ AKQ9	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 438	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ95	♠ 83		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 42	♥ AKJ1073	X	Pass ²	Pass	4NT ³
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ5	♦ 6	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 12	♣ J7	♣ A953	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Texas			
			2. denies a ♦ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 439	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ2	♠ AK64				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 9873	♥ 42	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦ ²	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ QJ98	♦ A2	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 16	♣ J8	♣ KQ762	2. automat			
Contract: 2♦ E						

Board: 440	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ9	♠ 10872				
Vul: None	♥ KJ832	♥ A7		1♥	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ J6	♦ 107	2♦	X	3♦	AP
South HCP: 5	♣ K3	♣ J8642				
Contract: 3♦ W						

Board: 441	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AQ973				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J932	♥ K4	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 1	♦ 1096543	♦ KJ	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 843	♣ QJ105	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
Contract: 3♦ S			2. automat			

Board: 442	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ103	♠ 42				
Vul: Both	♥ K5	♥ QJ82		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A8	♦ J974				
South HCP: 4	♣ QJ1042	♣ 953				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 437	♠ AQ843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ 87	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ9	
Board: 438	♠ 83	West Doubles 4♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ1073	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A953	
Board: 439	♠ AK64	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A2	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ762	You bid first.
Board: 440	♠ 10872	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 107	
HCP: 5	♣ J8642	Partner bids first.
Board: 441	♠ AQ973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ105	
Board: 442	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ82	
Vul: Both	♦ J974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 953	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 437	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AQ843				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AK975	♥ J4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ94	♦ 87	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 642	♣ AKQ9	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 438	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ95	♠ 83		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 42	♥ AKJ1073	X	Pass ²	Pass	4NT ³
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ5	♦ 6	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 12	♣ J7	♣ A953	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S			1. Texas			
			2. denies a ♦ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♥			

Board: 439	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ2	♠ AK64				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 9873	♥ 42	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦ ²	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ QJ98	♦ A2	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
South HCP: 16	♣ J8	♣ KQ762	2. automat			
Contract: 2♦ E						

Board: 440	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ9	♠ 10872				
Vul: None	♥ KJ832	♥ A7		1♥	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ J6	♦ 107	2♦	X	3♦	AP
South HCP: 5	♣ K3	♣ J8642				
Contract: 3♦ W						

Board: 441	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ AQ973				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J932	♥ K4	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 1	♦ 1096543	♦ KJ	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 843	♣ QJ105	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
Contract: 3♦ S			2. automat			

Board: 442	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ103	♠ 42				
Vul: Both	♥ K5	♥ QJ82		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A8	♦ J974				
South HCP: 4	♣ QJ1042	♣ 953				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 443	♠ J942	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ74	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q753	
HCP: 6	♣ 2	Partner bids first.

Board: 444	♠ A1084	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ752	

Board: 445	♠ Q762	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ 962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ QJ732	

Board: 446	♠ KJ962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: None	♦ A643	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK	

Board: 447	♠ A942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K643	
Vul: NS	♦ K5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK8	

Board: 448	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ A10843	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 443	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J942	♠ K6				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ74	♥ A9	X ¹	Pass	2♥	AP
North HCP: 6	♦ Q753	♦ AJ84	1. Cappelletti, strong			
South HCP: 15	♣ 2	♣ QJ875				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 444	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1084	♠ 75				
Vul: NS	♥ A10	♥ 9842		1♣	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ	♦ K1076	1NT	2♠	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 3	♣ QJ752	♣ 1094	AP			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 445	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q762	♠ KJ				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ J932	Pass	1♠	1NT ¹	2♣
North HCP: 9	♦ 962	♦ K10	Pass	2♦ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ732	♣ AK1054	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Unusual 1NT			
			2. strength cue bid			

Board: 446	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ962	♠ 104				
Vul: None	♥ 42	♥ J76				
North HCP: 15	♦ A643	♦ K852	West	North	East	South
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ Q1074		1NT	AP	
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 447	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A942	♠ KQJ108				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K643	♥ AJ	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 17	♦ K5	♦ A3	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 15	♣ AK8	♣ 10743	Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT
Contract: 7♠ N			Pass	7♣	AP	
			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 448	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ 1085				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ105	♥ J9632				
North HCP: 16	♦ A10843	♦ Q	West	North	East	South
South HCP: 4	♣ KQ	♣ J987		1♦	AP	
Contract: 1♦ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 443	♠ K6	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJ84	
HCP: 15	♣ QJ875	You bid first.

Board: 444	♠ 75	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9842	
Vul: NS	♦ K1076	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 1094	

Board: 445	♠ KJ	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J932	
Vul: Both	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK1054	

Board: 446	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J76	
Vul: None	♦ K852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q1074	

Board: 447	♠ KQJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10743	

Board: 448	♠ 1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9632	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ J987	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 443	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J942	♠ K6				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ74	♥ A9	X ¹	Pass	2♥	AP
North HCP: 6	♦ Q753	♦ AJ84	1. Cappelletti, strong			
South HCP: 15	♣ 2	♣ QJ875				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 444	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1084	♠ 75				
Vul: NS	♥ A10	♥ 9842		1♣	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ	♦ K1076	1NT	2♠	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 3	♣ QJ752	♣ 1094	AP			
Contract: 3♣ N						

Board: 445	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q762	♠ KJ				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ J932	Pass	1♠	1NT ¹	2♣
North HCP: 9	♦ 962	♦ K10	Pass	2♦ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ732	♣ AK1054	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Unusual 1NT			
			2. strength cue bid			

Board: 446	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ962	♠ 104				
Vul: None	♥ 42	♥ J76				
North HCP: 15	♦ A643	♦ K852	West	North	East	South
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ Q1074		1NT	AP	
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 447	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A942	♠ KQJ108				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K643	♥ AJ	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
North HCP: 17	♦ K5	♦ A3	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 15	♣ AK8	♣ 10743	Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT
Contract: 7♠ N			Pass	7♣	AP	
			1. Stayman			
			2. artificial			
			3. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 448	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ 1085				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ105	♥ J9632				
North HCP: 16	♦ A10843	♦ Q		1♦	AP	
South HCP: 4	♣ KQ	♣ J987				
Contract: 1♦ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 449 ♠ J102
Dealer: S ♥ 10
Vul: None ♦ K642
HCP: 5 ♣ J10952

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 450 ♠ AK87
Dealer: N ♥ AJ
Vul: NS ♦ 107
HCP: 16 ♣ KJ1096

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 451 ♠ J6532
Dealer: S ♥ 942
Vul: EW ♦ 97
HCP: 6 ♣ KQ8

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 452 ♠ KQ953
Dealer: N ♥ AQ
Vul: Both ♦ A854
HCP: 15 ♣ 106

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 453 ♠ AK875
Dealer: S ♥ A52
Vul: NS ♦ 9
HCP: 13 ♣ Q1092

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 454 ♠ K6
Dealer: N ♥ QJ94
Vul: EW ♦ AJ
HCP: 16 ♣ KQ853

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 449	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J102	♠ 98				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 10	♥ AKQ97	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦ ²	Pass
North HCP: 5	♦ K642	♦ 73	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ J10952	♣ AK76	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2♠ W			2. automat			

Board: 450	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK87	♠ 106		1NT	2♥ ¹	2NT ²
Vul: NS	♥ AJ	♥ K1042	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 107	♦ KQ984	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ1096	♣ Q3	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
Contract: 3N N			2. Lebensohl after 1NT			

Board: 451	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J6532	♠ A9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 942	♥ KJ1085	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ 97	♦ AK54	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ8	♣ 42				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 452	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ953	♠ 1042		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQ	♥ K109	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ A854	♦ Q7632				
South HCP: 9	♣ 106	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 453	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK875	♠ QJ102				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A52	♥ J4	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 9	♦ AQ1054	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 17	♣ Q1092	♣ AK	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 454	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ A10974		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ QJ94	♥ K875	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ	♦ Q	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ853	♣ J102				
Contract: 4♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 449 ♠ 98
Dealer: S ♥ AKQ97
Vul: None ♦ 73
HCP: 16 ♣ AK76

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 450 ♠ 106
Dealer: N ♥ K1042
Vul: NS ♦ KQ984
HCP: 10 ♣ Q3

East Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 451 ♠ A9
Dealer: S ♥ KJ1085
Vul: EW ♦ AK54
HCP: 15 ♣ 42

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 452 ♠ 1042
Dealer: N ♥ K109
Vul: Both ♦ Q7632
HCP: 9 ♣ KJ

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 453 ♠ QJ102
Dealer: S ♥ J4
Vul: NS ♦ AQ1054
HCP: 17 ♣ AK

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 454 ♠ A10974
Dealer: N ♥ K875
Vul: EW ♦ Q
HCP: 10 ♣ J102

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 449	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J102	♠ 98				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 10	♥ AKQ97	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦ ²	Pass
North HCP: 5	♦ K642	♦ 73	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ J10952	♣ AK76	1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit			
Contract: 2♠ W			2. automat			

Board: 450	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK87	♠ 106		1NT	2♥ ¹	2NT ²
Vul: NS	♥ AJ	♥ K1042	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 107	♦ KQ984	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KJ1096	♣ Q3	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
Contract: 3N N			2. Lebensohl after 1NT			

Board: 451	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J6532	♠ A9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 942	♥ KJ1085	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ 97	♦ AK54	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ8	♣ 42				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 452	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ953	♠ 1042		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQ	♥ K109	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ A854	♦ Q7632				
South HCP: 9	♣ 106	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 453	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK875	♠ QJ102				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A52	♥ J4	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 9	♦ AQ1054	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 17	♣ Q1092	♣ AK	Pass	6♠	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N			1. Blackwood 1430, for ♠			

Board: 454	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K6	♠ A10974		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ QJ94	♥ K875	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ	♦ Q	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ853	♣ J102				
Contract: 4♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 455 ♠ 54 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ 1076
Vul: Both ♦ KQ952 Partner bids first.
HCP: 5 ♣ 954

Board: 456 ♠ K8542 East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ K9 West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: None ♦ AJ42 East Bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 15 ♣ A10 West Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 457 ♠ J65 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ K953
Vul: EW ♦ J63 Partner bids first.
HCP: 6 ♣ J108

Board: 458 ♠ A7643 East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ KQ West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both ♦ 64 East Bids XA♠♠ if possible.
HCP: 16 ♣ AK72 You bid first.

Board: 459 ♠ A94 The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S ♥ A10
Vul: None ♦ AKJ652 Partner bids first.
HCP: 16 ♣ 93

Board: 460 ♠ 73 East Bids 4NT if possible.
Dealer: N ♥ AKJ43 West Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS ♦ KQ87
HCP: 17 ♣ A5 You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 455
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 1N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ 54	♠ AQ				1NT
♥ 1076	♥ J8				
♦ KQ952	♦ AJ763	AP			
♣ 954	♣ K732				

Board: 456
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 0
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ K8542	♠ 73		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
♥ K9	♥ 743	2♦ ²	Pass	2♥	Pass
♦ AJ42	♦ 10983	4♥	AP		
♣ A10	♣ 9873				

1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit
 2. automat

Board: 457
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ J65	♠ K9				1♦
♥ K953	♥ A2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
♦ J63	♦ A10982	Pass	3♦	AP	
♣ J108	♣ AQ54				

Board: 458
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠XX S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A7643	♠ KJ1085		1NT	2♥ ¹	2♠
♥ KQ	♥ 6	3♥	4♥ ²	Pass	4♠
♦ 64	♦ KJ73	Pass	Pass	XA♠♠	XX
♣ AK72	♣ 1094	AP			

1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 459
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A94	♠ KQJ103				1NT
♥ A10	♥ KJ	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
♦ AKJ652	♦ Q7	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
♣ 93	♣ A876	Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
		Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat
 3. Blackwood 1430, for ♦

Board: 460
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 1
 Contract: 5♦X W

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ 73	♠ 942		1♥	4NT ¹	Pass
♥ AKJ43	♥ 108765	5♦	X	Pass ²	Pass
♦ KQ87	♦ J4	Pass			
♣ A5	♣ 942				

1. Unusual 4NT
 2. bidable suit

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 455	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ763	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K732	

Board: 456	♠ 73	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 743	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 10983	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 0	♣ 9873	West Bids 4♥ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

Board: 457	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: EW	♦ A10982	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ54	

Board: 458	♠ KJ1085	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ73	East Bids XA♠♠ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ 1094	Partner bids first.

Board: 459	♠ KQJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ Q7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A876	

Board: 460	♠ 942	East Bids 4NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 108765	West Bids 5♦ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 1	♣ 942	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 455
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 1N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ 54	♠ AQ				1NT
♥ 1076	♥ J8				
♦ KQ952	♦ AJ763	AP			
♣ 954	♣ K732				

Board: 456
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 0
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ K8542	♠ 73		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
♥ K9	♥ 743	2♦ ²	Pass	2♥	Pass
♦ AJ42	♦ 10983	4♥	AP		
♣ A10	♣ 9873				

1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit
 2. automat

Board: 457
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ J65	♠ K9				1♦
♥ K953	♥ A2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
♦ J63	♦ A10982	Pass	3♦	AP	
♣ J108	♣ AQ54				

Board: 458
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 4♠XX S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A7643	♠ KJ1085		1NT	2♥ ¹	2♠
♥ KQ	♥ 6	3♥	4♥ ²	Pass	4♣
♦ 64	♦ KJ73	Pass	Pass	XA♠♠	XX
♣ AK72	♣ 1094	AP			

1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m
 2. limit raise or better in ♠

Board: 459
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 6N S

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ A94	♠ KQJ103				1NT
♥ A10	♥ KJ	Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
♦ AKJ652	♦ Q7	Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
♣ 93	♣ A876	Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
		Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat
 3. Blackwood 1430, for ♦

Board: 460
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 1
 Contract: 5♦X W

North:	South:	West	North	East	South
♠ 73	♠ 942		1♥	4NT ¹	Pass
♥ AKJ43	♥ 108765	5♦	X	Pass ²	Pass
♦ KQ87	♦ J4	Pass			
♣ A5	♣ 942				

1. Unusual 4NT
 2. bidable suit

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 461	♠ J1092	East Doubles 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1064	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AQ105	

Board: 462	♠ AK	East Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J865	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 83	East Bids 2NT if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ96	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
		You bid first.

Board: 463	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ762	
Vul: NS	♦ 107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ109	

Board: 464	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ84	
Vul: EW	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ1087	

Board: 465	♠ 10	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K10932	
Vul: None	♦ A973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J62	

Board: 466	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ K10763	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ3	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 461	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1092	♠ KQ875				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q1064	♥ A7	Pass	3♦ ¹	X	3♠
North HCP: 9	♦ 10	♦ A2	Pass	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ105	♣ K942	1. Splinter	1N-3D		
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 462	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 9532		1♣	1♦	Pass
Vul: None	♥ J865	♥ 932	1♠	2♥	2NT	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ 83	♦ J75	3♦	X	AP	
South HCP: 1	♣ AKQ96	♣ 842				
Contract: 3♦X E						

Board: 463	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 54	♠ A7				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ762	♥ 108	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 107	♦ AK983	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ109	♣ A652	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 464	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J10	♠ 6432				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ84	♥ 752		1♣	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A9	♦ KJ53	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ1087	♣ K5				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 465	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ KJ74				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K10932	♥ A8654	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	2NT ³
North HCP: 8	♦ A973	♦ Q6	Pass	3♦ ⁴	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ J62	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Michaels Cuebid			
			2. limit raise or better in ♥			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 466	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ A1065				
Vul: NS	♥ Q8	♥ 10642		1♦	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K10763	♦ J98				
South HCP: 5	♣ AKJ3	♣ 94				
Contract: 1♦ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 461	♠ KQ875	East Doubles 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: Both	♦ A2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K942	

Board: 462	♠ 9532	East Bids 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 932	West Bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J75	East Bids 2NT if possible.
HCP: 1	♣ 842	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

Board: 463	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108	
Vul: NS	♦ AK983	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A652	

Board: 464	♠ 6432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 752	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K5	

Board: 465	♠ KJ74	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A8654	
Vul: None	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Board: 466	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10642	
Vul: NS	♦ J98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 94	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 461	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1092	♠ KQ875				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q1064	♥ A7	Pass	3♦ ¹	X	3♠
North HCP: 9	♦ 10	♦ A2	Pass	4♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AQ105	♣ K942	1. Splinter	1N-3D		
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 462	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 9532		1♣	1♦	Pass
Vul: None	♥ J865	♥ 932	1♠	2♥	2NT	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ 83	♦ J75	3♦	X	AP	
South HCP: 1	♣ AKQ96	♣ 842				
Contract: 3♦X E						

Board: 463	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 54	♠ A7				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ762	♥ 108	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ 107	♦ AK983	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ109	♣ A652	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 464	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J10	♠ 6432				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ84	♥ 752		1♣	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A9	♦ KJ53	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ1087	♣ K5				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 465	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ KJ74				1♥
Vul: None	♥ K10932	♥ A8654	2♥ ¹	2♠ ²	Pass	2NT ³
North HCP: 8	♦ A973	♦ Q6	Pass	3♦ ⁴	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ J62	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Michaels Cuebid			
			2. limit raise or better in ♥			
			3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			

Board: 466	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ A1065				
Vul: NS	♥ Q8	♥ 10642		1♦	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K10763	♦ J98				
South HCP: 5	♣ AKJ3	♣ 94				
Contract: 1♦ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 467	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K109842	
Vul: EW	♦ 82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 632	

Board: 468	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK862	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ106	

Board: 469	♠ 1097653	West Doubles 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ K3	
HCP: 3	♣ 543	Partner bids first.

Board: 470	♠ AQ765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ A953	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J10	

Board: 471	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ73	

Board: 472	♠ A864	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K9743	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A2	
HCP: 15	♣ A2	You bid first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 467						
Dealer: S	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♠ A7	♠ K4				1NT
North HCP: 7	♥ K109842	♥ Q6	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 15	♦ 82	♦ K9653	Pass	3♥	AP	
Contract: 3♥ S	♣ 632	♣ AK84				
Board: 468			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♠ J10	♠ Q82	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	4♣ ²
North HCP: 16	♥ AK862	♥ Q10974	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♦ A3	♦ KQ102				
Contract: 4♥ N	♣ KJ106	♣ 3				
						1. Extended acceptance after NT
						2. Splinter
Board: 469						
Dealer: S	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Vul: NS	♠ 1097653	♠ Q8				1♦
North HCP: 3	♥ 105	♥ AQJ4	X	Pass	1♥	AP
South HCP: 16	♦ K3	♦ AQJ108				
Contract: 1♥ E	♣ 543	♣ 86				
Board: 470			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♠ AQ765	♠ KJ3	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 15	♥ A8	♥ Q975	AP			
South HCP: 15	♦ A953	♦ QJ10				
Contract: 4♣ S	♣ J10	♣ AQ9				
						1. Stayman
						2. artificial
Board: 471			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: Both	♠ J	♠ A4	Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♣
North HCP: 16	♥ A9	♥ KQ752	AP			
South HCP: 15	♦ QJ654	♦ A10				
Contract: 5♣ S	♣ AKJ73	♣ Q1064				
						1. Minors
Board: 472			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	3♣	4♣ ¹
Vul: None	♠ A864	♠ QJ	5♣	X	AP	
North HCP: 15	♥ K9743	♥ AQJ82				
South HCP: 12	♦ A2	♦ Q7543				
Contract: 5♣X E	♣ A2	♣ 5				
						1. limit raise or better in ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 467	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: EW	♦ K9653	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK84	
Board: 468	♠ Q82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10974	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 3	
Board: 469	♠ Q8	West Doubles 1♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ4	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ108	
HCP: 16	♣ 86	You bid first.
Board: 470	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q975	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ9	
Board: 471	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ752	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q1064	
Board: 472	♠ QJ	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ82	West Bids 5♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q7543	
HCP: 12	♣ 5	Partner bids first.

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 467						
Dealer: S	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♠ A7	♠ K4				1NT
North HCP: 7	♥ K109842	♥ Q6	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 15	♦ 82	♦ K9653	Pass	3♥	AP	
Contract: 3♥ S	♣ 632	♣ AK84				
Board: 468			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♠ J10	♠ Q82	Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	4♣ ²
North HCP: 16	♥ AK862	♥ Q10974	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♦ A3	♦ KQ102				
Contract: 4♥ N	♣ KJ106	♣ 3				
						1. Extended acceptance after NT
						2. Splinter
Board: 469			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: NS	♠ 1097653	♠ Q8	X	Pass	1♥	AP
North HCP: 3	♥ 105	♥ AQJ4				
South HCP: 16	♦ K3	♦ AQJ108				
Contract: 1♥ E	♣ 543	♣ 86				
Board: 470			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♠ AQ765	♠ KJ3	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	4♣
North HCP: 15	♥ A8	♥ Q975	AP			
South HCP: 15	♦ A953	♦ QJ10				
Contract: 4♣ S	♣ J10	♣ AQ9				
						1. Stayman
						2. artificial
Board: 471			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1NT
Vul: Both	♠ J	♠ A4	Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♣
North HCP: 16	♥ A9	♥ KQ752	AP			
South HCP: 15	♦ QJ654	♦ A10				
Contract: 5♣ S	♣ AKJ73	♣ Q1064				
						1. Minors
Board: 472			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	3♣	4♣ ¹
Vul: None	♠ A864	♠ QJ	5♣	X	AP	
North HCP: 15	♥ K9743	♥ AQJ82				
South HCP: 12	♦ A2	♦ Q7543				
Contract: 5♣X E	♣ A2	♣ 5				
						1. limit raise or better in ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 473	♠ KQ965	West Bids 2♣ if possible. Partner bids first.
Dealer: S	♥ J62	
Vul: EW	♦ 732	
HCP: 6	♣ 73	

Board: 474	♠ AQ73	East Bids 1♥ if possible. You bid first.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ86	
HCP: 17	♣ 43	

Board: 475	♠ 1062	The opponents are silent. Partner bids first.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: None	♦ 8654	
HCP: 2	♣ Q1064	

Board: 476	♠ J9532	East Bids 2NT if possible. East Doubles 4♣ if possible. West Doubles Pass if possible. You bid first.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ AK94	
HCP: 17	♣ Q5	

Board: 477	♠ AKJ8	The opponents are silent. Partner bids first.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ62	
HCP: 11	♣ 8765	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 473	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ965	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J62	♥ K9753	2♣ ¹	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ 732	♦ K4	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 73	♣ KQ109				
Contract: 2♠ S			1. Cappelletti, any 6+ suit			

Board: 474	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ73	♠ K5				
Vul: Both	♥ Q6	♥ 1095		1♦	1♥	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ86	♦ 73	Pass	1♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ 43	♣ K107652				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 475	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1062	♠ QJ54				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 2	♦ 8654	♦ AKJ93	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q1064	♣ 95				
Contract: 1N S						

			West	North	East	South
				1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
			Pass	3♦ ³	Pass	3NT ⁴
			Pass	4♣ ⁵	X	4♥ ⁶
			Pass	4NT ⁷	Pass	5♠
			Pass	6♣	Pass	Pass
			X	AP		

Board: 476
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 6♠X N

North:	South:
♠ J9532	♠ AQ6
♥ AK	♥ QJ7542
♦ AK94	♦ 72
♣ Q5	♣ A6

1. Unusual 2NT
2. limit raise or better in ♠
3. artificial
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
5. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
6. Cue bid, surplus
7. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 477	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ8	♠ Q9				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 5	♥ Q8763	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ62	♦ K9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8765	♣ AKJ10				
Contract: 3N S			1. Splinter			

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 473	♠ A10	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K9753	
Vul: EW	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ109	
Board: 474	♠ K5	East Bids 1♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1095	
Vul: Both	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K107652	
Board: 475	♠ QJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 95	
Board: 476	♠ AQ6	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ7542	East Doubles 4♣ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 72	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ A6	Partner bids first.
Board: 477	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8763	
Vul: Both	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ10	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 473	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ965	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J62	♥ K9753	2♣ ¹	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ 732	♦ K4	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 73	♣ KQ109				
Contract: 2♠ S			1. Cappelletti, any 6+ suit			

Board: 474	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ73	♠ K5				
Vul: Both	♥ Q6	♥ 1095		1♦	1♥	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ86	♦ 73	Pass	1♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ 43	♣ K107652				
Contract: 1♠ N						

Board: 475	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1062	♠ QJ54				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ KJ				
North HCP: 2	♦ 8654	♦ AKJ93	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q1064	♣ 95				
Contract: 1N S						

			West	North	East	South
				1♠	2NT ¹	3♣ ²
			Pass	3♦ ³	Pass	3NT ⁴
			Pass	4♣ ⁵	X	4♥ ⁶
			Pass	4NT ⁷	Pass	5♠
			Pass	6♣	Pass	Pass
			X	AP		

1. Unusual 2NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♠
 3. artificial
 4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
 5. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
 6. Cue bid, surplus
 7. Blackwood 1430, for ♠

Board: 477	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ8	♠ Q9				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 5	♥ Q8763	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ62	♦ K9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8765	♣ AKJ10				
Contract: 3N S			1. Splinter			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 478	♠ KQJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ 108	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ108	

Board: 479	♠ 1098	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 10872	
Vul: NS	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ A983	

Board: 480	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ73	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8543	

Board: 481	♠ Q9765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 973	
Vul: None	♦ A2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 1098	

Board: 482	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK75	
Vul: NS	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K8752	

Board: 483	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1052	
Vul: EW	♦ K86532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ J94	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 478	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ87	♠ 63	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ 85	1♠ AP
North HCP: 17	♦ 108	♦ Q7542	
South HCP: 5	♣ AQ108	♣ K762	
Contract: 1♠ N			

Board: 479	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 1098	♠ AKQ62	West North East South
Vul: NS	♥ 10872	♥ A3	1NT
North HCP: 4	♦ 52	♦ Q9	3♦ AP
South HCP: 16	♣ A983	♣ J642	
Contract: 3♦ W			

Board: 480	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ 52	♠ Q9	1NT Pass 2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ 10842	Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ73	♦ KJ54	AP
South HCP: 9	♣ A8543	♣ K72	1. Stayman
Contract: 2N N			

Board: 481	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ Q9765	♠ J8	1NT
Vul: None	♥ 973	♥ AKQJ5	Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ A2	♦ 9653	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ 1098	♣ A4	
Contract: 2♠ S			

Board: 482	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ J63	1♣ Pass 1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK75	♥ 109	Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ A543	Pass 3NT AP
South HCP: 11	♣ K8752	♣ AQ103	1. Fourth suit
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 483	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AJ82	1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 1052	♥ Q3	Pass 3♣ ¹ Pass 3♦ ²
North HCP: 4	♦ K86532	♦ A9	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ J94	♣ A10872	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
Contract: 3♦ S			2. automat

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 478	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 85	
Vul: None	♦ Q7542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ K762	

Board: 479	♠ AKQ62	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J642	

Board: 480	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10842	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K72	

Board: 481	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ5	
Vul: None	♦ 9653	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Board: 482	♠ J63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: NS	♦ A543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ103	

Board: 483	♠ AJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: EW	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10872	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 478	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ87	♠ 63	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ 85	1♠ AP
North HCP: 17	♦ 108	♦ Q7542	
South HCP: 5	♣ AQ108	♣ K762	
Contract: 1♠ N			

Board: 479	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 1098	♠ AKQ62	West North East South
Vul: NS	♥ 10872	♥ A3	1NT
North HCP: 4	♦ 52	♦ Q9	3♦ AP
South HCP: 16	♣ A983	♣ J642	
Contract: 3♦ W			

Board: 480	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ 52	♠ Q9	1NT Pass 2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ 10842	Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ73	♦ KJ54	AP
South HCP: 9	♣ A8543	♣ K72	1. Stayman
Contract: 2N N			

Board: 481	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ Q9765	♠ J8	1NT
Vul: None	♥ 973	♥ AKQJ5	Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠
North HCP: 6	♦ A2	♦ 9653	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ 1098	♣ A4	
Contract: 2♠ S			

Board: 482	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ J63	1♣ Pass 1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK75	♥ 109	Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ Q8	♦ A543	Pass 3NT AP
South HCP: 11	♣ K8752	♣ AQ103	1. Fourth suit
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 483	North:	South:	West North East South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AJ82	1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 1052	♥ Q3	Pass 3♣ ¹ Pass 3♦ ²
North HCP: 4	♦ K86532	♦ A9	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ J94	♣ A10872	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
Contract: 3♦ S			2. automat

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 484	♠ A9542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ5	

Board: 485	♠ A764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 752	

Board: 486	♠ AQ	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ104	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 63	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ982	You bid first.

Board: 487	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1075	
Vul: Both	♦ AK854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 1032	

Board: 488	♠ AKJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ98	
Vul: None	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A7	

Board: 489	♠ 96432	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ 97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A762	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 484	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9542	♠ 87		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ 65	♥ AJ87	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ Q10	♦ AJ64	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ AKQ5	♣ J62	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N			2. artificial			

Board: 485	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A764	♠ Q5				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 42	♥ QJ63	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ QJ32	♦ AK	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 752	♣ KQ984				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 486	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ KJ53		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KJ104	♥ AQ9865	2♣ ¹	2♦ ²	4♦	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ 63	♦ 82	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ982	♣ 4	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♥ S			2. strength cue bid			

Board: 487	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AKJ7				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J1075	♥ 42	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 8	♦ AK854	♦ J3	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 1032	♣ KQJ75	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 488	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ98	♠ —				
Vul: None	♥ AJ98	♥ K2		1♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ 76	♦ KQ1082	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ A7	♣ J108632				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 489	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 96432	♠ AK				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q2	♥ KJ985	2♥ ¹	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 6	♦ 97	♦ K1042	1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			
South HCP: 15	♣ A762	♣ J5				
Contract: 2♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 484	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ87	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J62	

Board: 485	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ63	
Vul: NS	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ984	

Board: 486	♠ KJ53	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9865	East Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 82	
HCP: 10	♣ 4	Partner bids first.

Board: 487	♠ AKJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	
Vul: Both	♦ J3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ75	

Board: 488	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K2	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1082	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J108632	

Board: 489	♠ AK	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ985	
Vul: EW	♦ K1042	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J5	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 484
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ A9542
♥ 65
♦ Q10
♣ AKQ5

South:
♠ 87
♥ AJ87
♦ AJ64
♣ J62

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3NT
AP			
1. Stayman			
2. artificial			

Board: 485
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ A764
♥ 42
♦ QJ32
♣ 752

South:
♠ Q5
♥ QJ63
♦ AK
♣ KQ984

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT	AP	

Board: 486
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ AQ
♥ KJ104
♦ 63
♣ AQ982

South:
♠ KJ53
♥ AQ9865
♦ 82
♣ 4

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
2♣ ¹	2♦ ²	4♦	4♥
AP			
1. Michaels Cuebid			
2. strength cue bid			

Board: 487
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 2N S

North:
♠ 3
♥ J1075
♦ AK854
♣ 1032

South:
♠ AKJ7
♥ 42
♦ J3
♣ KQJ75

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	2NT	AP	
1. Stayman			

Board: 488
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♥ N

North:
♠ AKJ98
♥ AJ98
♦ 76
♣ A7

South:
♠ —
♥ K2
♦ KQ1082
♣ J108632

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♥	AP	

Board: 489
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 6
South HCP: 15
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ 96432
♥ Q2
♦ 97
♣ A762

South:
♠ AK
♥ KJ985
♦ K1042
♣ J5

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2♥ ¹	2♠	AP	
1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m			

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 490	♠ KQJ86	West Doubles 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 108	

Board: 491	♠ Q1093	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7632	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K107	

Board: 492	♠ AKQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98	
Vul: NS	♦ Q9862	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ	

Board: 493	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109643	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J9	

Board: 494	♠ 95	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ94	
Vul: None	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ85	

Board: 495	♠ K92	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J1052	
Vul: NS	♦ J86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 754	

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 490	♠ 1054	West Doubles 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ108764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 3	

Board: 491	♠ A4	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J9	
Vul: None	♦ AQ32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9632	

Board: 492	♠ 109853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ 74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K632	

Board: 493	♠ KJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ52	
Vul: Both	♦ 102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A10	

Board: 494	♠ QJ632	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	
Vul: None	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J1096	

Board: 495	♠ J10	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ AK952	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ103	

Board: 490 Dealer: N Vul: Both North HCP: 15 South HCP: 6 Contract: 3♦ N	North: ♠ KQJ86 ♥ K9 ♦ AQ92 ♣ 108	South: ♠ 1054 ♥ Q6 ♦ KJ108764 ♣ 3	West North East South 1NT Pass 3♣ ¹ X 3♦ ² AP 1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT 2. automat
Board: 491 Dealer: S Vul: None North HCP: 7 South HCP: 15 Contract: 2♠ N	North: ♠ Q1093 ♥ Q7632 ♦ 9 ♣ K107	South: ♠ A4 ♥ J9 ♦ AQ32 ♣ A9632	West North East South 2♣ ¹ 2♦ Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠ AP 1. Cappelletti, any 6+suit
Board: 492 Dealer: N Vul: NS North HCP: 15 South HCP: 9 Contract: 4♠ N	North: ♠ AKQJ ♥ 98 ♦ Q9862 ♣ QJ	South: ♠ 109853 ♥ AQ ♦ 74 ♣ K632	West North East South 1NT Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠ Pass 3♣ Pass 4♠ AP
Board: 493 Dealer: S Vul: Both North HCP: 7 South HCP: 16 Contract: 4♥ S	North: ♠ Q ♥ 109643 ♦ KJ964 ♣ J9	South: ♠ KJ105 ♥ AKJ52 ♦ 102 ♣ A10	West North East South Pass 4♥ AP 1♥
Board: 494 Dealer: N Vul: None North HCP: 15 South HCP: 8 Contract: 3♦ W	North: ♠ 95 ♥ AKQ94 ♦ J4 ♣ KQ85	South: ♠ QJ632 ♥ 53 ♦ A3 ♣ J1096	West North East South 1NT Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT 3♦ AP
Board: 495 Dealer: S Vul: NS North HCP: 5 South HCP: 15 Contract: 3♦ S	North: ♠ K92 ♥ J1052 ♦ J86 ♣ 754	South: ♠ J10 ♥ Q6 ♦ AK952 ♣ AJ103	West North East South 2♠ ¹ X Pass 3♦ AP 1. Cappelletti, 5M-4m

North hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 496	♠ A1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ103	
Vul: EW	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J9	

Board: 497	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 853	
Vul: None	♦ 109432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A103	

Board: 498	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: NS	♦ A10642	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ10	

Board: 499	♠ 10762	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q87	
Vul: EW	♦ 864	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ Q54	

Board: 500	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ97	
Vul: Both	♦ J7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ3	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 496	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1093	♠ K8642		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ103	♥ 8	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ J2	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ J9	♣ 107642				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 497	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ	♠ AQ105				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 853	♥ KQ974	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 8	♦ 109432	♦ A6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A103	♣ 75				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Two way game tries			

Board: 498	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ Q843		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ Q4	♥ AJ109873	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A10642	♦ KQ	1. Texas			
South HCP: 12	♣ AKQ10	♣ —				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 499	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10762	♠ KQ543				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ Q87	♥ A3	Pass	Pass	1NT	2♦
North HCP: 4	♦ 864	♦ AK102	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q54	♣ J7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 500	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 103	♠ J72				
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ97	♥ 108	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ J7	♦ 9543				
South HCP: 1	♣ AKQ3	♣ 9752				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern

Board: 496	♠ K8642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 107642	

Board: 497	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ974	
Vul: None	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 75	

Board: 498	♠ Q843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ109873	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	

Board: 499	♠ KQ543	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: EW	♦ AK102	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J7	

Board: 500	♠ J72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 108	
Vul: Both	♦ 9543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 1	♣ 9752	

Opening with 15-17 HCP and any 5422 pattern Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 496	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1093	♠ K8642		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ103	♥ 8	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 15	♦ J2	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ J9	♣ 107642				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 497	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ	♠ AQ105				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 853	♥ KQ974	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 8	♦ 109432	♦ A6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A103	♣ 75	1. Two way game tries			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 498	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 72	♠ Q843		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ Q4	♥ AJ109873	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A10642	♦ KQ	1. Texas			
South HCP: 12	♣ AKQ10	♣ —				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 499	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10762	♠ KQ543				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ Q87	♥ A3	Pass	Pass	1NT	2♦
North HCP: 4	♦ 864	♦ AK102	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q54	♣ J7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 500	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 103	♠ J72				
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ97	♥ 108	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ J7	♦ 9543				
South HCP: 1	♣ AKQ3	♣ 9752				
Contract: 1N N						