

1 boards f

0AADAB6FCBD4F0F05D1A6600254B

**Board 1**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ J 10 9 8  
♥ 9 8  
♦ 9 8 4  
♣ 10 9 8 4

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

♠ A K  
♥ A K Q 5 3  
♦ 10 5 3  
♣ A 7 3

W N E S

Shape 3334 4342 2533 4234 HCP 13 6 20 1 Losers 8 9 5 11

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

1. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

28 boards f

1BA927AB4EEF726F06745C30F570

**Board 2**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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♠ J 9 8 6 5 2
♥ 5
♦ 9 4 2
♣ J 9 7

♠ A Q
♥ A K Q 10 8
♦ J 10 8 5
♣ A 3

Shape 3244 6133 2542 2524 HCP 12 2 20 6 Losers 7 10 5 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT  
 6 N by North  
 Down 1 — NS -100

36 boards f

2AA6A2110703FA9AAC2CFBBD7BD8

**Board 3**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 2

♥ 9 5 4 3

♦ K Q 10

♣ 7 6 2

♠ Q J 10 6

♥ J 10

♦ 7 6 4

♣ J 10 5 3

♠ 3

♥ Q 8 2

♦ 9 8 5 3 2

♣ A K 9 8

♠ A K 8 7 4

♥ A K 7 6

♦ A J

♣ Q 4

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Shape 4234 1354 5422 3433 HCP 5 9 21 5 Losers 10 7 5 10

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

1. surplus  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 4 — NS +620

48 boards f

388BA52381BAC53652F7540C5A96

**Board 4**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
♠ W		♠ E
	♠ S	

Shape 3433 3415 5233 2362 HCP 17 0 20 3 Losers 7 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
6 ♠ by South			
Made 7 — NS +1010			

59 boards f

3AA744ACED835A0A5CB10C63FA60

**Board 5**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 7 4 2
♥ 9 7
♦ 9 8 3
♣ 9 8 3

♠ A Q 10 6
♥ A Q J 4 2
♦ A K
♣ J 6

Shape 2443 5233 4522 2245 HCP 10 3 21 6 Losers 8 10 4 8

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

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

75 boards f

4AA78DBB51DC1032CE5786EE90C9

**Board 6**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 2443 2524 5233 4243 HCP 12 4 21 3 Losers 7 10 5 11

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

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

78 boards f

4A95A8018CA61B5023881BFFD068

**Board 7**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4 3

♥ 4

♦ Q 8 7 3

♣ K J 8 6 3 2

♠ Q 9 7 5

♥ Q J 6

♦ J 4

♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ 8 2

♥ A 9 8 5 3

♦ K 9 6 5 2

♣ 10

♠ A K J 10 6

♥ K 10 7 2

♦ A 10

♣ A Q

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Shape 4324 2551 5422 2146 HCP 6 7 21 6 Losers 9 7 5 7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

6 ♠ by South

Down 1 — NS −100

83 boards f

5BBDA826C5636B72436D00F9D400

**Board 8**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A K
♥ K Q 10 9 6
♦ A 6
♣ A J 6 4

Shape 3433 5152 2524 3334 HCP 6 2 21 11 Losers 10 9 4 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H  
 2. A=0/5 or 3/5  
 6 ♥ by South  
 Down 1 — NS -100



92 boards f

5B15A1AD7340123B9F7A993BF484

**Board 9**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ J 10 6

♥ A 9 7 5

♦ K J 10 9

♣ 9 6

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♠ K Q 7 5 2
♥ K Q
♦ Q 7
♣ A K Q 5

Shape 4234 3442 5224 1543 HCP 9 9 21 1 Losers 9 9 4 10

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

1. surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

101 boards f

69492BAD93147081B70E75D4FF9E

**Board 10**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 5
♥ J 10 4 2
♦ 10 7 5 4
♣ 6 2

♠ Q J 8 7 2
♥ K Q
♦ A K
♣ A Q 8 5

Shape 3334 3442 5224 2443 HCP 12 5 21 2 Losers 9 10 4 10

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

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

121 boards f

7B6EA5E9C46D338E763063D63800

**Board 11**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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

♠ K 8  
♥ A K Q 10 5  
♦ A 10 8  
♣ K Q 10

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Shape 4342 4144 2533 3424 HCP 5 8 21 6 Losers 10 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Rdbl
2 ♣	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♥ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

124 boards f

7B4DAFE0961FB4DB55C6BE3882D4

**Board 12**

South Deals

Both Vul


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

N

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♠ A 7
♥ J 10 8 7 2
♦ Q 3
♣ J 6 5 3

♠ K J 9 5 3
♥ K Q
♦ A K 10 5
♣ A 7

Shape 2353 2524 5242 4324 HCP 8 8 20 4 Losers 9 9 5 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT  
 3 N by North  
 Made 4 — NS +630

143 boards f

89A3A88075ACE17C0774D2421BE6

**Board 13**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 3

♥ Q 7 4

♦ A Q 9 5 4

♣ A 7 3

♠ 9 5 2

♥ J 8 6

♦ 10 8

♣ K Q 10 8 6

♠ A K Q 10

♥ A K 10 9 2

♦ K 3

♣ J 9

♠ J 8 6 4

♥ 5 3

♦ J 7 6 2

♣ 5 4 2

N

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Shape 2353 4243 4522 3325 HCP 12 2 20 6 Losers 7 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. forcing 1 NT  
6 ♥ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1010

144 boards f

98A9E38A58F7270692665829BE74

**Board 14**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

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

♠ A Q 7 3  
♥ A K 9 6 4  
♦ K 7  
♣ A 4

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Shape 3253 4315 4522 2353 HCP 12 4 20 4 Losers 8 9 4 10

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

1. forcing 1 NT  
3 N by North  
Made 7 — NS +520

151 boards f

9821ABEAFFD67E2516D384CDA75B

**Board 15**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 10 6 4

♥ J 9

♦ 10 8 7 5 3

♣ 5

♠ A 8 7

♥ 5 4

♦ K Q 2

♣ K J 6 3 2

♠ K 5 3

♥ A K Q 8 3

♦ A 6

♣ A 8 4

♠ 9 2

♥ 10 7 6 2

♦ J 9 4

♣ Q 10 9 7

Shape 3235 2434 3523 5251 HCP 13 3 20 4 Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. Quantitative 4 NT  
 6 N by South  
 Made 7 — NS +1020

164 boards f

AAA7BDBC4F1918B310538E69F6E8

**Board 16**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 3244 3442 5323 2434 HCP 12 1 20 7 Losers 8 11 5 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT  
6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430



167 boards f

A861996F00DD67FE5B55F8248828

**Board 17**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 5

♥ 8 5

♦ 9 6 4

♣ J 5 4 3 2

♠ J 4 2

♥ J 3

♦ K 7 5 3 2

♣ Q 9 7

♠ A Q 9 7 6

♥ K 10 7 6

♦ Q 10 8

♣ 8

♠ K 3

♥ A Q 9 4 2

♦ A J

♣ A K 10 6

W N E S

Shape 3253 5431 2524 3235 HCP 7 11 21 1 Losers 9 6 4 11

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

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

173 boards f

A8A38DBF3F983DDCD09DFBC822DF

**Board 18**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	♠ A K Q 10 6	
	♥ A 3	
	♦ A 7 3	
	♣ K 9 6	

Shape 3235 0571 5233 5404 HCP 11 6 20 3 Losers 8 5 5 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Michaels Cuebid

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

175 boards f

A960A8692E1A4CE611D30D94C7CC

**Board 19**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6 3 2

♥ —

♦ J 9 5 2

♣ A K 9 4 2

♠ J 10 7 5

♥ 9 5 3 2

♦ A 7 6

♣ 6 3

♠ A Q 9

♥ 10 7 6 4

♦ 8 4 3

♣ J 10 8

♠ K 4

♥ A K Q J 8

♦ K Q 10

♣ Q 7 5

W N E S

Shape 4432 3433 2533 4045 HCP 5 7 20 8 Losers 10 10 4 7

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

181 boards f

B989234569959457B4CCC0F03E93

**Board 20**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 5 4  
♥ 7 4 3  
♦ 6 3  
♣ 9 7 6 5 4

♠ K 3  
♥ A Q 6 5  
♦ K 5 4 2  
♣ K 8 2

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

♠ A 10 9 7 2  
♥ K J  
♦ A J  
♣ A Q J 10

W

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Shape 2443 3451 5224 3325 HCP 15 5 20 0 Losers 6 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	6 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass
6 N by South			
Made 6 — NS +990			

182 boards f

BBBFA1BAE54306D0D308A2CC339C

**Board 21**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 7 4

♥ A Q 3

♦ Q 6

♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ 9 6 3

♥ 10 9 6 4

♦ J 9

♣ A 10 7 3

♠ 10

♥ 8 7 2

♦ K 10 8 7 5 3

♣ Q 9 5

♠ A K Q 5 2

♥ K J 5

♦ A 4 2

♣ K J

W

N

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Shape 3424 1363 5332 4324 HCP 5 5 21 9 Losers 10 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
1 ♠ by South			
Made 5 — NS +200			

186 boards f

B8B0A9F3878B2A59C4521E1CFCAC

**Board 22**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7 3

♥ A Q 3

♦ J 7

♣ A 7 4 3 2

♠ 9 5 4

♥ J 10 7

♦ K 10 9 8

♣ Q J 10

♠ 8 6

♥ 8 6 5 4

♦ 5 4 3 2

♣ 9 6 5

♠ A K J 10 2

♥ K 9 2

♦ A Q 6

♣ K 8

W

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Shape 3343 2443 5332 3325 HCP 7 0 20 13 Losers 10 11 5 7

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

193 boards f

CAADEB698750E308964A0430D82C

**Board 23**

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

W

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		♠ Q 10 6
		♥ 10 7 3
		♦ K Q 8 6 3
		♣ 7 6

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

Shape 4423 3352 3532 3136 HCP 9 7 21 3 Losers 9 8 6 9

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

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

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

199 boards f

C823A2B9CA36EACDF7246D5CCE0D

**Board 24**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ K Q
♥ A K 9 6 5
♦ A K
♣ Q 8 5 2

Shape 4432 2155 2524 5332 HCP 12 4 21 3 Losers 8 8 4 10

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

1. Jacoby 2 NT
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. no !H queen
  5. King ask by available bid
  6. K=2
  - 7 ♥ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50



205 boards f

C8ABB2B262774E03140D9B55B434

**Board 25**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ A K Q 5 3
	♥ A J
	♦ K Q J 8
	♣ 6 4

Shape 4324 4324 5242 0553 HCP 8 7 20 5 Losers 9 9 4 7

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

1. Cue bid, a !D stopper
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. surplus
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

218 boards f

D8A321FB18CA5CE1CE66FF1057A7

**Board 26**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 4

♥ 10 7

♦ Q J 10

♣ A Q 5 3 2

♠ Q 10 8 7 5

♥ Q 5

♦ 6 3 2

♣ J 9 4

♠ A 2

♥ A K 8 6 2

♦ A K 8 4

♣ K 8

N

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♠ 9 6 3

♥ J 9 4 3

♦ 9 7 5

♣ 10 7 6

Shape 3235 3433 2542 5233 HCP 13 1 21 5 Losers 7 12 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
6 N by North			
Made 7 — NS +1020			

224 boards f

E8ADD9209E363AF36653EB6840C8

**Board 27**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 5 2

♥ 10 9 8

♦ 10 7

♣ Q 4 3 2

♠ Q 10 9

♥ 3 2

♦ K 9 5 4 2

♣ 8 6 5

♠ 7 6 4 3

♥ K J 6

♦ A J

♣ J 10 9 7

♠ A J

♥ A Q 7 5 4

♦ Q 8 6 3

♣ A K

N

W S E

Shape 3253 4324 2542 4324 HCP 5 10 20 5 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♥
1 ♥ by South			
Made 3 — NS +140			

229 boards f

E9EBAA8FCA0D94F736F09319D684

**Board 28**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 8 6 3

♥ 8 7 6

♦ Q 10

♣ 9 6 2

♠ 10 7 4

♥ Q J 10 2

♦ 6 5

♣ A Q 8 5

♠ —

♥ 9 5 4 3

♦ 9 8 7 3 2

♣ K J 7 3

♠ K Q 9 5 2

♥ A K

♦ A K J 4

♣ 10 4

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Shape 3424 0454 5242 5323 HCP 9 4 20 7 Losers 8 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +480			

230 boards f

EB499DAF22C8B2FB33B117758218

**Board 29**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8

♥ 9 8 7 6 4

♦ A 10 8 2

♣ 10 2

♠ J 7 5 2

♥ A 10 3

♦ 5 4

♣ Q 8 7 5

♠ A 4

♥ K 5 2

♦ J 9 7 6 3

♣ J 9 3

♠ K Q 9 6 3

♥ Q J

♦ K Q

♣ A K 6 4

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Shape 4324 2353 5224 2542 HCP 7 9 20 4 Losers 9 9 5 9

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

234 boards f

E8A19CDB0987DE5FE46F27C698B0

**Board 30**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 7 4	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; color: white; text-align: center; line-height: 40px;">             N W E S           </div>	♠ 8 6
♥ 2		♥ K Q 9 8 3
♦ 10 7 5 4		♦ K 9 8 6
♣ K 7 3 2		♣ 9 4

♠ A K 10 3 2
♥ A 7 6 5
♦ A 2
♣ A J

Shape 2335 2542 5422 4144 HCP 7 8 20 5 Losers 9 7 5 8

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

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

246 boards f

FB8CBD9117A941F83022471442B8

**Board 31**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ K 8 7 2

♦ 10 8 2

♣ A 8 7 4 2

♠ J 7 6 4

♥ A 9 5 3

♦ J 5 4

♣ J 5

♠ 9 5 3

♥ Q J 4

♦ Q 9 7 6 3

♣ 6 3

♠ A K Q 10 2

♥ 10 6

♦ A K

♣ K Q 10 9

W N E S

Shape 4432 3352 5224 1435 HCP 7 5 21 7 Losers 10 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	Rdbl	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

248 boards f

F92AA9DC9395373ED253D0C09888

**Board 32**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

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

♠ K J 10 3 2
♥ A K
♦ A K 3 2
♣ K 10

Shape 3253 1723 5242 4225 HCP 6 7 21 6 Losers 10 7 4 8

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper  
 2. surplus  
 4 ♠ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +480



282 boards f

18A5B95A8286A0DAC33F06195474

**Board 33**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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	S	

♠ Q 3 2
♥ Q 8 4 3
♦ 6
♣ Q J 10 8 5

♠ A K J 10 9
♥ A 9
♦ J 9 7
♣ A K 4

Shape 3442 3415 5233 2353 HCP 6 7 20 7 Losers 9 7 6 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. no !S queen
- 5 ♠ by South  
 Made 5 — NS +450

284 boards f

1B2D90656BA38733F8324E88E370

**Board 34**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W N E S

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

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

Shape 3325 4162 4522 2434 HCP 7 9 20 4 Losers 10 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
4 ♥ by South			
Made 4 — NS +620			

290 boards f

29293BA6604FC8677413CF6D9CDA

**Board 35**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ J 10 8 7 4

♥ 6 3 2

♦ Q 8 7

♣ Q 2

N

W     E

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♠ Q 3

♥ A Q J 8 4

♦ A K 9 2

♣ A 4

Shape 3325 5332 2542 3244 HCP 11 5 20 4 Losers 8 10 5 10

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

1. forcing 1 NT
  2. surplus
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  7. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +980

307 boards f

3BA5A63F7C7B436816E1B26B8B48

**Board 36**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A K 5 3
♥ A K 8 6 4
♦ Q J
♣ A 6

Shape 2335 6133 4522 1453 HCP 11 4 21 4 Losers 8 9 5 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !H queen

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

311 boards f

38AD82B7D058ACE94F2AB63A1CC8

**Board 37**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8 2

♥ Q 5 4

♦ Q 5

♣ J 10 9 3 2

♠ 6 4 3

♥ K 7 2

♦ 10 8 6 4 2

♣ Q 7

♠ 10 7

♥ J 10 3

♦ A 9 7 3

♣ K 6 5 4

♠ A K Q 9 5

♥ A 9 8 6

♦ K J

♣ A 8

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Shape 3352 2344 5422 3325 HCP 5 8 21 6 Losers 10 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			
2 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

314 boards f

3821A63BB3E8C72E17BD8E987E7C

**Board 38**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♥

♦

♣

♠ K J 6 5 4
♥ A K 10 8
♦ A J
♣ A 6

Shape 4234 2254 5422 2533 HCP 11 3 20 6 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

366 boards f

6AAD872C6ADB316FBA50BE844CF8

**Board 39**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 2

♥ 9 7 5 2

♦ 9 6

♣ Q 6 4 3 2

♠ Q 9

♥ K 4 3

♦ A Q 8 5 3

♣ K 10 8

♠ J 8 6 3

♥ 10 6

♦ J 10 7 2

♣ J 7 5

♠ A K 7 5 4

♥ A Q J 8

♦ K 4

♣ A 9

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Shape 2353 4243 5422 2425 HCP 14 3 21 2 Losers 7 11 4 9

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

368 boards f

7829A3EF64AADC44115888549BCC

**Board 40**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 2

♥ —

♦ J 8 4

♣ J 9 8 6 5 4 2

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S

♠ A 7

♥ 8 5 2

♦ A 10 6 5 3

♣ K Q 3

♠ K 10 5 3

♥ A K Q J 10

♦ K 7

♣ A 7

♠ J 8 6 4

♥ 9 7 6 4 3

♦ Q 9 2

♣ 10

Shape 2353 4531 4522 3037 HCP 13 3 20 4 Losers 7 9 4 8

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

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

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510



375 boards f

78A9823CAFF3F64E5FEFBA851830

**Board 41**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 10 9 6  
♥ Q 10 9 5 2  
♦ 9 4  
♣ Q 3 2

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

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

W N E S

Shape 3334 2254 5332 3523 HCP 10 6 20 4 Losers 9 8 6 9

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

380 boards f

7BA58F20B49C6AAB490833145852

**Board 42**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 3 2
♥ 10 4 3 2
♦ Q 5 2
♣ 9 2

♠ A K J 10 8
♥ A Q 9 8
♦ K 10
♣ A 7

Shape 4333 4432 5422 0256 HCP 13 2 21 4 Losers 8 10 4 7

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

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

382 boards f

7AA76B87203ED8DED17046ED042A

**Board 43**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ K 6 5  
♥ 9 8 7  
♦ K 9 2  
♣ 10 8 5 2

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

W N E S

Shape 4333 3334 2542 4234 HCP 12 6 20 2 Losers 8 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
6 ♥ by South			
Made 6 — NS +1430			

392 boards f

89A0A389E725123BD4DB4EFCE446

**Board 44**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ 5 2  
♥ 9 7 6  
♦ J 10 7 3 2  
♣ 9 5 2

♠ A K Q  
♥ A K J 10 3  
♦ Q 8 6  
♣ Q 10

W

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Shape 3334 2353 3532 5224 HCP 13 1 21 5 Losers 8 11 5 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

394 boards f

88A960CB6594D8983F121F6D68C4

**Board 45**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 2

♥ 7

♦ J 10 2

♣ K 10 9 8 3 2

♠ 7 6 5

♥ Q 2

♦ A Q 9 8 3

♣ Q 7 5

♠ K J 4 3

♥ 10 9 8 6 5

♦ 7 5 4

♣ 6

♠ A 10 8

♥ A K J 4 3

♦ K 6

♣ A J 4

W

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Shape 3253 4531 3523 3136 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 8 9 6 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT  
3 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +490

396 boards f

8B8DB6A9F6BA577C27589B553100

**Board 46**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 3253 4423 5224 1543 HCP 8 4 21 7 Losers 9 10 4 8

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. surplus

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

401 boards f

9AA50DEA03CAE16248FA17B2EDDF

**Board 47**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 5

♥ K J 10 7

♦ K 3 2

♣ J 5 2

♠ Q 10 9 6 3 2

♥ 6 4

♦ J 9 8 4

♣ 7

♠ 8 7

♥ 5 2

♦ Q 10 7 6

♣ Q 10 8 6 4

♠ A 4

♥ A Q 9 8 3

♦ A 5

♣ A K 9 3

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Shape 3433 2245 2524 6241 HCP 12 4 21 3 Losers 9 8 4 8

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

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

402 boards f

9928A950F28074E0F7439D8716A4

**Board 48**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 3

♥ 10 6 4

♦ Q J 10 8 6

♣ 7 6 4

♠ J 8 7

♥ J 9 7

♦ 5

♣ A Q 10 9 8 2

♠ K 10 5 4 2

♥ A K 8 2

♦ A K

♣ K 5

♠ Q 9 6

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 9 7 4 3 2

♣ J 3

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Shape 2353 3352 5422 3316 HCP 7 5 20 8 Losers 9 9 4 8

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

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



406 boards f

9BECA1C5CF5E233AEA4CD626F380

**Board 49**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q J 7 5 3

♥ 8 3

♦ 8 7

♣ A 6 2

♠ 9 8 4

♥ Q J 6 2

♦ Q 5 4

♣ J 9 3

♠ K 2

♥ A K 9 7 4

♦ A J 10 6

♣ K Q

♠ 10 6

♥ 10 5

♦ K 9 3 2

♣ 10 8 7 5 4

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Shape 3433 2245 2542 6223 HCP 6 3 20 11 Losers 10 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
4 ♥ by South			
Made 4 — NS +620			

413 boards f

98E1936B7F0E27CAD42575DF4DA4

**Board 50**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 7 4

♥ J 5

♦ 9 7 6 5 2

♣ 7 2

♠ 10 9 6

♥ 10 8 3

♦ Q 8

♣ K Q J 9 4

♠ Q J 5 3

♥ K 7 4

♦ J 10 4 3

♣ 10 8

♠ K 2

♥ A Q 9 6 2

♦ A K

♣ A 6 5 3

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Shape 3325 4342 2524 4252 HCP 8 7 20 5 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

415 boards f

99990DA39510CD3ABFC3145EE6B4

**Board 51**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ K 10 8 5  
♥ K 9 6  
♦ Q 10 6  
♣ Q 7 6

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

♠ A Q J 7 2  
♥ Q 3  
♦ A 8  
♣ A K J 9

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Shape 4333 1543 5224 3343 HCP 10 6 21 3 Losers 8 9 5 11

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

1. surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

418 boards f

A9E2A9EAC0DF404D661C5F93C528

**Board 52**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q J 10 3

♥ —

♦ 10 8 6 5

♣ J 9 6 2

♠ 6 2

♥ J 9 8 3

♦ A J 9 4

♣ 10 5 4

♠ 9 8 7 5

♥ 10 6 5 4

♦ 7 3

♣ A Q 7

♠ K 4

♥ A K Q 7 2

♦ K Q 2

♣ K 8 3

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Shape 2443 4423 2533 5044 HCP 6 6 20 8 Losers 10 9 4 7

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

1. artificial  
4 ♥ by South  
Made 4 — NS +420

427 boards f

AA2CA5A04A308B973BD05BA9404C

**Board 53**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6

♥ 10 7

♦ Q 10 6 3

♣ A Q 10 6 3 2

♠ A 10 7

♥ J 9 3 2

♦ A 2

♣ 9 8 7 5

♠ J 5 3 2

♥ 8 6 5

♦ J 9 7 5 4

♣ J

♠ K Q 9 8 4

♥ A K Q 4

♦ K 8

♣ K 4

W

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Shape 3424 4351 5422 1246 HCP 9 3 20 8 Losers 9 10 3 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	Rdbl	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

432 boards f

B8AA6982AC66920816BFF7170DF4

**Board 54**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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	S	

♠ K 10
♥ 9 7 4
♦ J 6 3
♣ A Q 10 9 7

♠ A Q J 9 6
♥ A K J 10
♦ Q 9
♣ K 3

Shape 4333 2335 5422 2353 HCP 9 10 20 1 Losers 9 8 5 11

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

1. surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

448 boards f

C819A189667B3CF46B7E16CFE563

**Board 55**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4 3  
♥ 10 9 8 6  
♦ J 8 5 3  
♣ 9 8

♠ A 9 5  
♥ Q 4  
♦ A Q 10 7  
♣ 10 7 4 2

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

♠ K Q  
♥ K J 7 3 2  
♦ K 2  
♣ A K Q 3

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Shape 3244 5233 2524 3442 HCP 12 6 21 1 Losers 8 10 4 11

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

1. forcing 1 NT  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990

451 boards f

CB8D913BA279C447901FA8C772E0

**Board 56**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 4 2

♥ Q 10 3

♦ Q 10 5

♣ 9 7 5 2

♠ Q 6

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ 9 8 4

♣ Q 8 6 4

♠ 10 8 3

♥ K 7 6

♦ K J 7 3 2

♣ J 3

♠ A K J 7 5

♥ J 5 2

♦ A 6

♣ A K 10

W N E

S

Shape 2434 3352 5323 3334 HCP 8 8 20 4 Losers 9 9 6 10

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

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



469 boards f

D921B9FBB3E5BFB682C75715D4CE

**Board 57**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 2335 1363 5224 5521 HCP 12 0 20 8 Losers 8 10 5 6

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

1. forcing 1 NT  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990

479 boards f

D9ABA3C837809E5491700CD84AD5

**Board 58**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 2443 3532 5242 3226 HCP 14 1 20 5 Losers 7 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	
6 ♦ by North			
Made 7 — NS +940			

491 boards f

EA05A361B61B62E4E00E177C584C

**Board 59**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7

♥ J 4

♦ K Q 9 7

♣ 8 7 4 3 2

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♠ A 10 6 5

♥ A 6 2

♦ 6 4 2

♣ K 10 5

♠ Q 9 4 3 2

♥ 10 5 3

♦ 10 3

♣ J 9 6

♠ K J

♥ K Q 9 8 7

♦ A J 8 5

♣ A Q

Shape 4333 5323 2542 2245 HCP 11 3 20 6 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			
6 ♥ by South			
Made 6 — NS +1430			

495 boards f

E9E729B529724C03A6BF47C476EC

**Board 60**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 4 2

♥ Q 10 6 3

♦ 9 6 2

♣ 9 4 2

♠ K J 8

♥ 9 8 5 4

♦ 10 8

♣ A 8 6 5

♠ 10 9 5 3

♥ —

♦ A Q 7 5 4 3

♣ 10 7 3

♠ Q 7 6

♥ A K J 7 2

♦ K J

♣ K Q J

W N E

S

Shape 3424 4063 3523 3433 HCP 8 6 20 6 Losers 9 7 5 10

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