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**Board 1**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 10 9 7
♥ 6 3
♦ 9 7 2
♣ J 9 7 6

♠ K Q 8
♥ K Q 7 4
♦ A Q
♣ A K 5 3

Shape 4540 4234 3424 2245 HCP 8 5 23 4 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

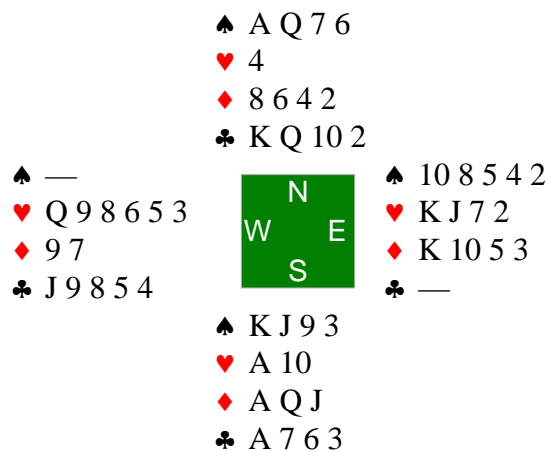
1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  4. Exclusion, for !H
  5. 2 out of 4
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 2**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4144 5440 4234 0625 HCP 11 7 19 3 Losers 6 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
  7. King ask by 5 NT
  8. K=0
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 3**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4441 3334 4333 2335 HCP 11 5 16 8 Losers 7 10 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 4**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 2344 3424 4234 HCP 8 1 19 12 Losers 7 11 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 5**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 5521 1255 3253 HCP 10 9 16 5 Losers 7 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 5 ♣ by South  
Made 5 — NS +400

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**Board 6**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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



Shape 4504 3145 4261 2533 HCP 15 3 16 6 Losers 4 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 7**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4045 5530 2425 2443 HCP 11 0 17 12 Losers 6 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

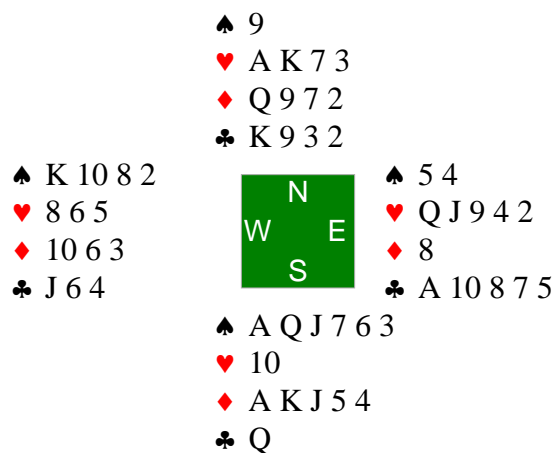
1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 8**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1444 2515 6151 4333 HCP 12 7 17 4 Losers 6 7 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♦ by South
- Made 6 — NS +1370

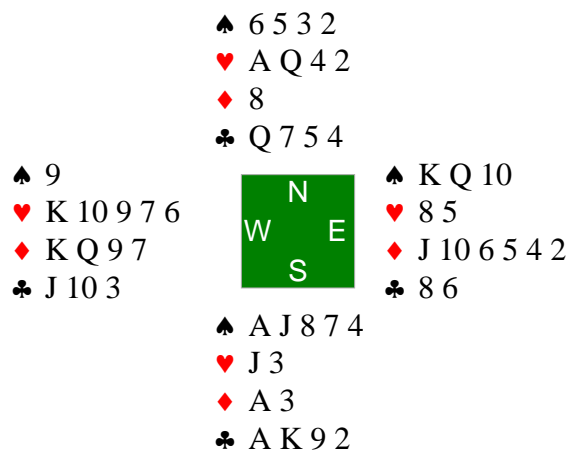


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**Board 9**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 3262 5224 1543 HCP 8 6 17 9 Losers 7 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

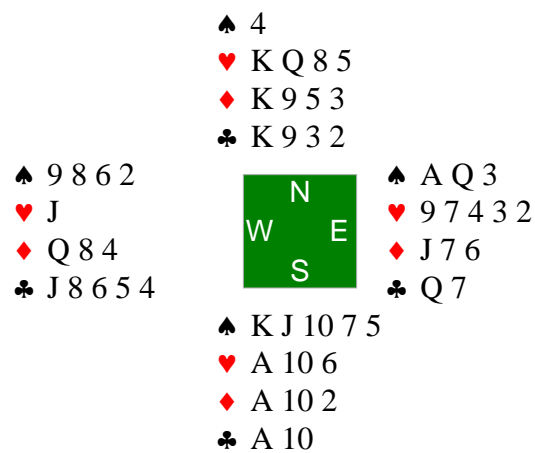
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 10**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1444 3532 5332 4135 HCP 11 9 16 4 Losers 6 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 11**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5044 4342 2614 2443 HCP 12 6 17 5 Losers 4 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 12**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1444 5143 3523 4333 HCP 9 3 16 12 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 4 — NS +420

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**Board 13**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	♠ A Q J
	♥ A K J 7 6 2
	♦ J 3
	♣ 6 2



Shape 4045 2362 3622 4414 HCP 11 11 16 2 Losers 6 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

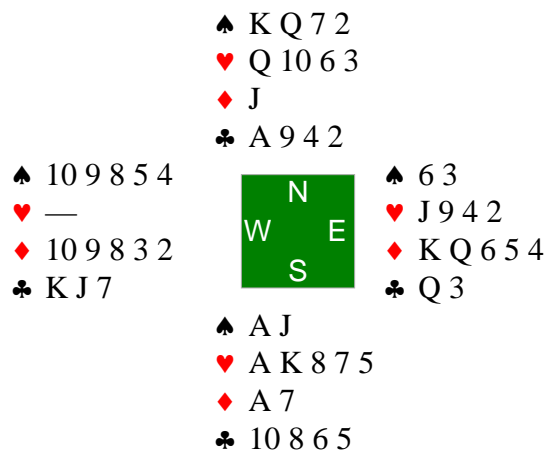
- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial
- 3 N by South
- Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 14**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 2452 2524 5053 HCP 12 8 16 4 Losers 6 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 15**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 0544 3442 6124 4333 HCP 11 4 18 7 Losers 5 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3 N by North  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 16**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4405 2173 3640 4225 HCP 9 6 19 6 Losers 6 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♦	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !H
4. 3 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010



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**Board 17**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ Q 4 2
	♥ A 9 7 4 3
	♦ A
	♣ K 7 3 2

♠ A 7
♥ J 6
♦ K Q 8 5
♣ A Q 9 5 4

Shape 4144 3514 2245 4540 HCP 8 13 16 3 Losers 9 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥	4 ♣	Pass	2 ♣
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
- 4 ♣ by South  
Made 4 — NS +130

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**Board 18**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4045 3343 2632 4423 HCP 15 9 16 0 Losers 5 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +170

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**Board 19**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A Q J 8
♥ 4
♦ A K Q 8 2
♣ K J 10

Shape 4441 1525 4153 4324 HCP 14 4 20 2 Losers 6 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>8</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>9</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Cue bid, a !H stopper
  6. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  7. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
  8. King ask by 5 NT
  9. K=1
- 7 ♠ by South
- Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 20**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 3235 2623 4441 HCP 12 2 19 7 Losers 7 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 21**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

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N  
E  
S

N

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

♠ K Q
♥ J 4
♦ A 3
♣ A K Q J 7 4 2

Shape 4450 2551 2227 5215 HCP 16 3 20 1 Losers 4 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7 NT	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

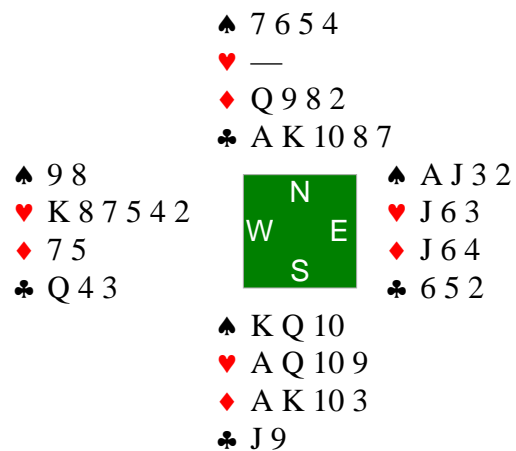
1. 16+ HCP
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. !C queen and !S king
- 7 N by North  
Made 7 — NS +2220

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**Board 22**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4045 4333 3442 2623 HCP 9 7 19 5 Losers 6 11 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 23**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 1534 5224 3271 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 8 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♦	Dbl	4 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ × by West

Made 4 — NS -710

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**Board 24**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 3334 2443 4522 HCP 9 9 17 5 Losers 7 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600



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**Board 25**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 3343 4531 2425 HCP 13 5 19 3 Losers 6 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

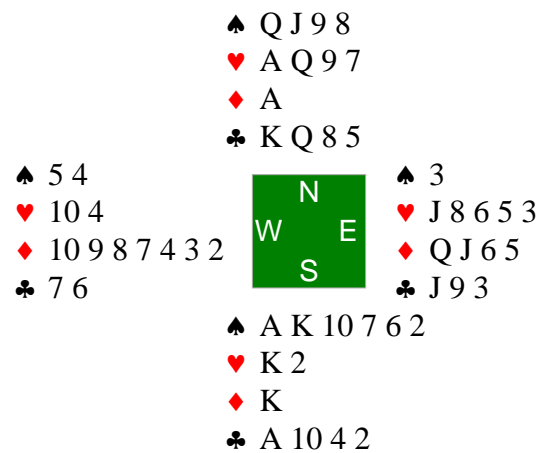
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
  7. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 26**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 1543 6214 2272 HCP 18 5 17 0 Losers 4 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  - 7 ♠ by South
- Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 27**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1444 5332 4333 3334 HCP 9 14 16 1 Losers 7 7 7 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

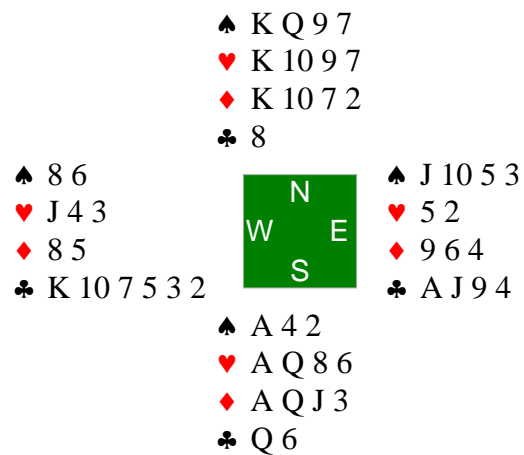
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 28**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4441 4234 3442 2326 HCP 11 6 19 4 Losers 6 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

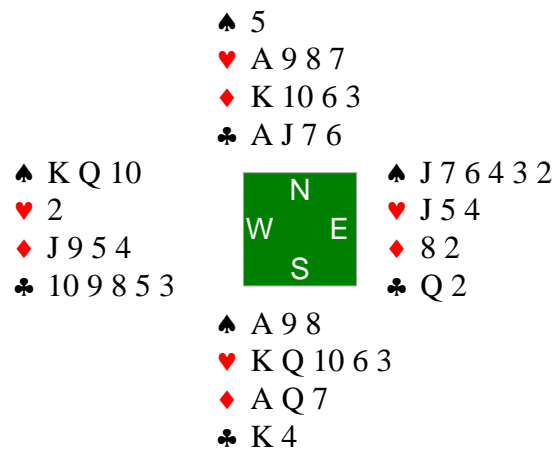
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  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 29**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1444 6322 3532 3145 HCP 12 4 18 6 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
7. King ask by 5 NT
8. K=1

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 30**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 2434 4423 3442 HCP 14 9 16 1 Losers 5 9 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 5 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 31**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5440 5224 1246 2533 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 6 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

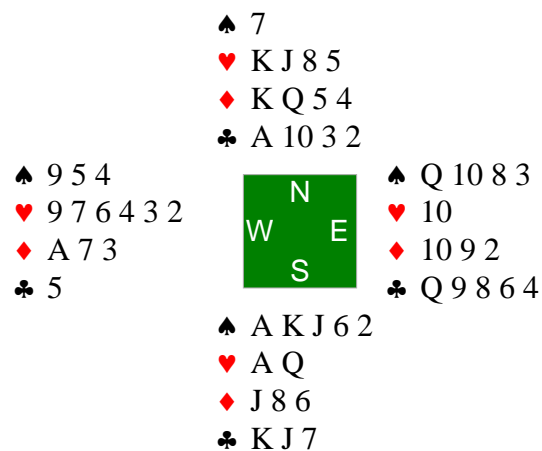
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 32**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1444 4135 5233 3631 HCP 13 4 19 4 Losers 6 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650



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**Board 33**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ A K
♥ K Q J 9
♦ Q 9 3
♣ Q J 9 8

Shape 4144 3523 2434 4342 HCP 11 7 18 4 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 34**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 3523 3253 3253 HCP 11 9 17 3 Losers 7 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

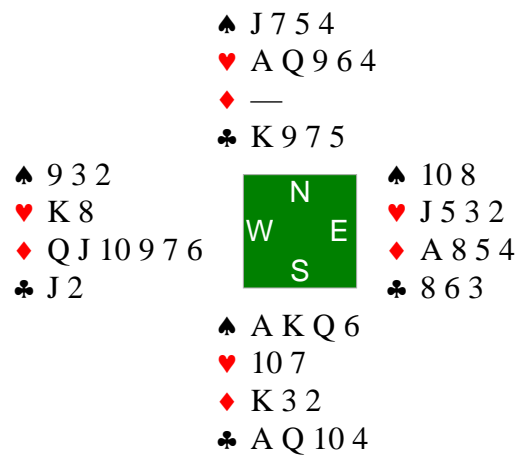


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**Board 36**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4504 2443 4234 3262 HCP 10 5 18 7 Losers 6 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	2 ♥	4 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
 4 ♦ × by West  
 Down 3 — NS +800

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**Board 37**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 3244 2425 4333 HCP 13 3 18 6 Losers 7 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

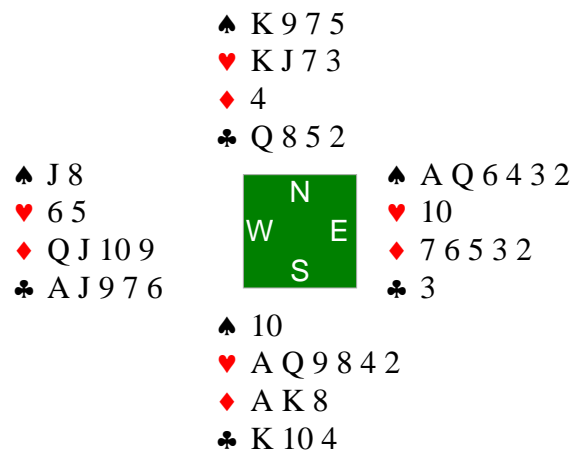
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♥ by South
- Made 7 — NS +1460

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**Board 38**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4414 6151 1633 2245 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 7 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 39**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5440 5224 2542 1237 HCP 11 4 19 6 Losers 5 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♣	3 ♠	4 ♣	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	Dbl
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 40**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 0445 2443 6322 5233 HCP 11 4 17 8 Losers 6 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  - 3 N by North
- Made 4 — NS +630



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**Board 41**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A K Q
♥ A J 8 2
♦ A 7 3
♣ J 9 3

Shape 1444 5332 3433 4234 HCP 11 6 19 4 Losers 6 9 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 42**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 2533 3343 4423 HCP 8 4 16 12 Losers 8 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

### Board 43

None Vul

Shape 1444 2524 5332 5143 HCP 16 0 18 6 Losers 5 10 7 8

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial

6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 44**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 1444 6232 4531 2236 HCP 8 13 16 3 Losers 8 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass		Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  - 3 ♠ by East
- Down 2 — NS +200

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**Board 45**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5044 3235 2722 3442 HCP 8 8 18 6 Losers 6 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

### Board 46

None Vul



♣ K 7 6 5

♥ 8 5 2

♣ 9 4 2

A Q 7 6  
A K 9 6  
9 5

♥ A K 9 6

♣ A Q 3

♥ Q J 10 7 4 3

♣ J 10 8

West

East

South

*EPBot1*

*EPBot2*

*EPBot3*

2 ♦

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

 $4 \text{ NT}^2$ 

6 ♥ 5

Pass

5 NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass

Pass

7 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3.  $A=2/5$  or  $5/5$ ,  $Q(D)=1$

4. King ask by 5 NT

## 5. K=2

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1520

**Board 47**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

Shape 4144 4333 1534 4432 HCP 12 5 18 5 Losers 6 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

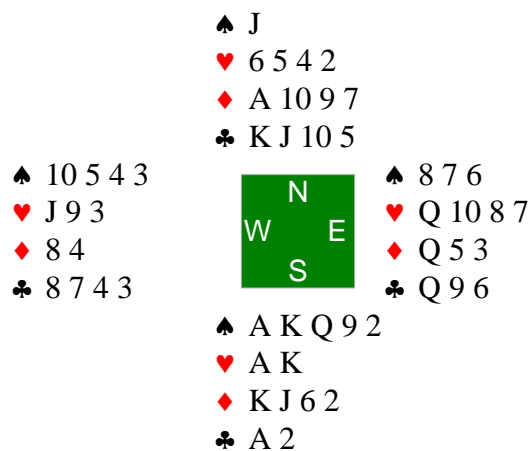
1. 16+ HCP  
2. any 4441  
3. artificial ask  
4. artificial  
6 ♣ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1390

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**Board 48**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1444 3433 5242 4324 HCP 9 6 24 1 Losers 8 9 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	6 ♥ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
  7. no !H queen
- 6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440



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**Board 49**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 4423 3442 2434 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 8 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 50**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 4414 3343 2353 4333 HCP 8 11 18 3 Losers 7 9 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 51**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

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



Shape 4405 4144 1633 4261 HCP 9 12 16 3 Losers 7 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !H
4. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 52**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 1444 5422 3145 4432 HCP 13 4 16 7 Losers 6 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 53**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4054 3811 3244 3334 HCP 8 9 20 3 Losers 7 5 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥× by East

Down 2 — NS +300

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**Board 54**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

A green square diagram with 'N' at the top, 'S' at the bottom, 'W' on the left, and 'E' on the right.

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

Shape 4450 6313 1354 2326 HCP 13 6 18 3 Losers 5 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	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. 16+ HCP
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=0
  - 6 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +940

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**Board 55**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ —
♥ K J 9 8 5
♦ A K J 10 7
♣ K J 8

Shape 4441 6133 0553 3316 HCP 8 12 16 4 Losers 8 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  - 3 ♠× by East
- Down 2 — NS +500

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**Board 56**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W
N
E

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

♠ A K 2
♥ 9 6 3
♦ K 2
♣ A K Q 9 4

Shape 5440 1354 3325 4324 HCP 11 4 19 6 Losers 6 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  4. Exclusion, for !S
  5. 2 out of 4
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 6 — NS +980

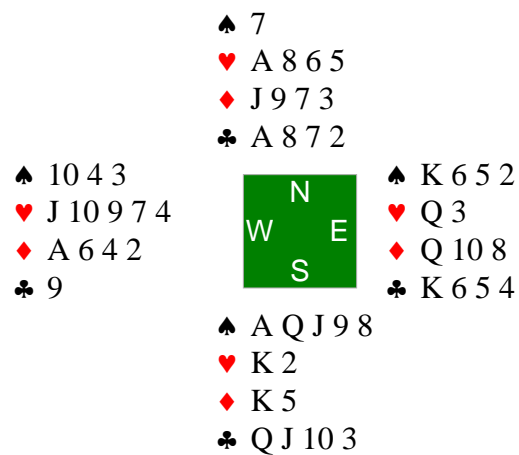


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**Board 57**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 1444 4234 5224 3541 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 8 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♣ by South  
Made 4 — NS +130

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**Board 58**

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ Q 3
♥ Q J
♦ A K 9
♣ A 10 9 6 3 2

Shape 4441 1444 2236 6322 HCP 14 7 16 3 Losers 6 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North
- Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 59**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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

Shape 0445 5422 4252 4324 HCP 15 4 16 5 Losers 5 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by South

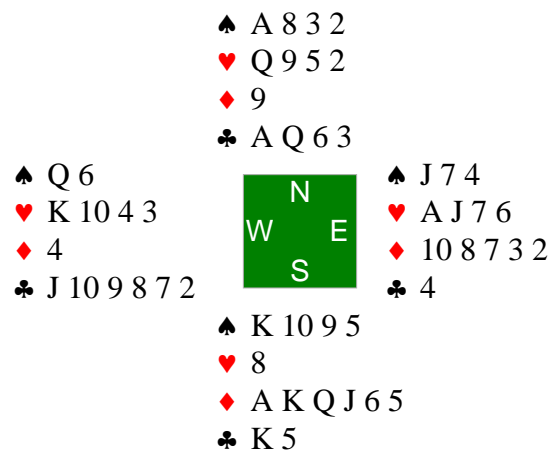
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**Board 60**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 3451 4162 2416 HCP 12 6 16 6 Losers 6 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 61**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5404 1444 4252 3343 HCP 8 4 20 8 Losers 6 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

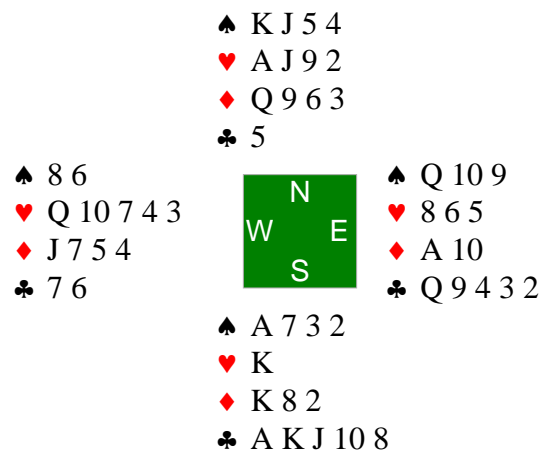
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 62**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4441 3325 4135 2542 HCP 11 8 18 3 Losers 7 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 63**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5404 2263 3334 3442 HCP 8 4 19 9 Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  - 4 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +480

### Board 64

None Vul

♥ 2

♣ Q J 9 4

♥ 9

♣ A K 10 6 3

♠ A J

♦ **J**

♣ 85

♥ 5 4 3

♣ 72

West

North

East

South

*EPBot1*

*EPBot2*

*EPBot3*

Pass

 $2\spadesuit^2$ 

Pass

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

 $2\text{NT}^3$ 

Pass

3 ♥ 4

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

Pass

Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +450



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**Board 65**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 2425 3523 4351 HCP 12 7 18 3 Losers 6 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 66**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 5134 2443 2425 HCP 11 7 20 2 Losers 6 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 67**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 3424 3442 3163 HCP 9 7 16 8 Losers 7 9 7 7

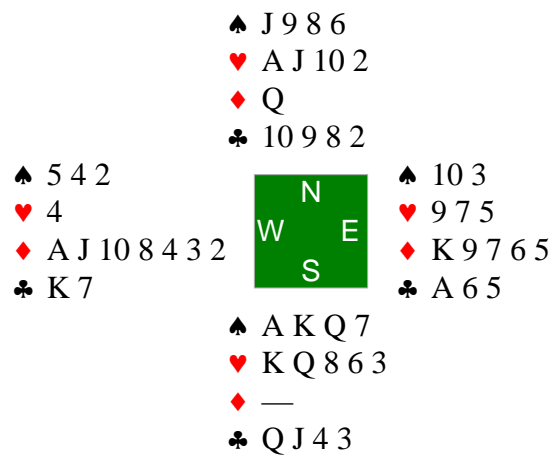
West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♦ × by West			
Down 1 — NS +200			

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**Board 68**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4414 2353 4504 3172 HCP 8 7 17 8 Losers 9 9 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♦	Dbl	5 ♦	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
 5 ♦ × by West  
 Down 1 — NS +100

### Board 69

E-W Vul

♣ J

♣ Q 4 3

♣ A 8 7 5

♣ K 10 9 6 2

South

*EPBot3*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 NT

3 ♠

 $5 \spadesuit 5$ 

5 ♠ 6

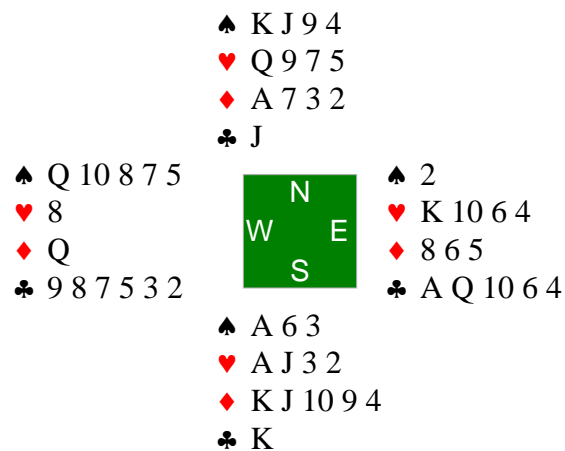
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 70**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4441 1435 3451 5116 HCP 11 9 16 4 Losers 7 7 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 5 ♥ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 71**

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

W

N

E

S



	♠ 9 8 4
	♥ A Q 6 5 4 3 2
	♦ Q 8
	♣ 2

♠ A K 6 5
♥ J
♦ A J 7 5
♣ A K 10 5

Shape 0445 3721 4144 6133 HCP 9 8 20 3 Losers 6 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	Dbl
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
 2. artificial  
 6 ♣ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 72**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 5701 1372 3226 HCP 10 7 18 5 Losers 8 5 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♦

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♦ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1370

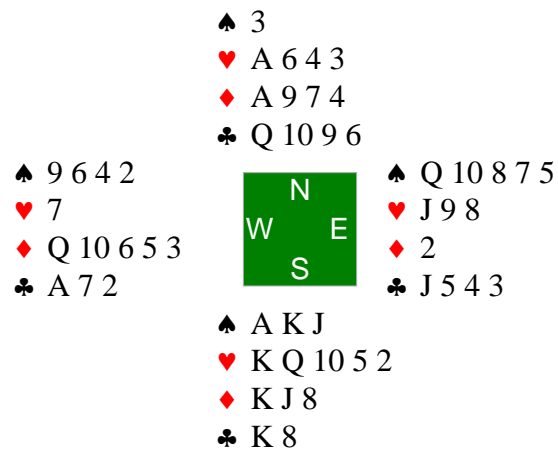


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**Board 73**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1444 5314 3532 4153 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 7 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

5 ♥ by North

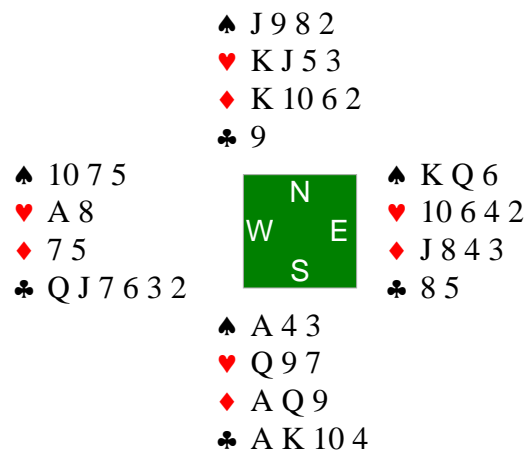
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 74**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4441 3442 3334 3226 HCP 8 6 19 7 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

7ABB55AFA209BFC8A1FE58CBC09E

**Board 75**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

Shape 1444 2353 6313 4333 HCP 8 11 16 5 Losers 7 8 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South
- Down 2 — NS -200

7881EF05545F9730237204A34CD6

**Board 76**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4405 4432 3352 2254 HCP 11 5 17 7 Losers 5 10 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 77**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
W		E
	♠ S	

Shape 4045 3433 5512 1453 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 6 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
  2. limit raise or better in !S
  3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  5. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 78**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

S

N

E

♠ Q 8 4

♥ Q 10 8 4

♦ 9 3

♣ J 9 5 4

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

Shape 4441 3424 3253 3325 HCP 8 5 17 10 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

### Board 79

None Vul

♥ Q J 8 7

♣ J

♥ 3 2

♣ A 7 6 5 4

♠ Q 10

♥ A 10 5 4

♦ K Q 6

♣ K Q 9 8

♥ K 9 6

♣ 10 3 2

West

North

East

South

*EPBot4*

*EPBot1*

*EPBot2*

*EPBot3*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

 $2NT^2$ 

Pass

 $3\clubsuit^3$ 

Pass

3 NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

4 NT<sup>5</sup>

Pass

5 ♦ 6

Pass

6 ❤️

Pass

Pass

Pass

- ## 1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

- ### 3. artificial ask

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

6.  $A=1/5$  or  $4/5$

- 6 ♥ by South

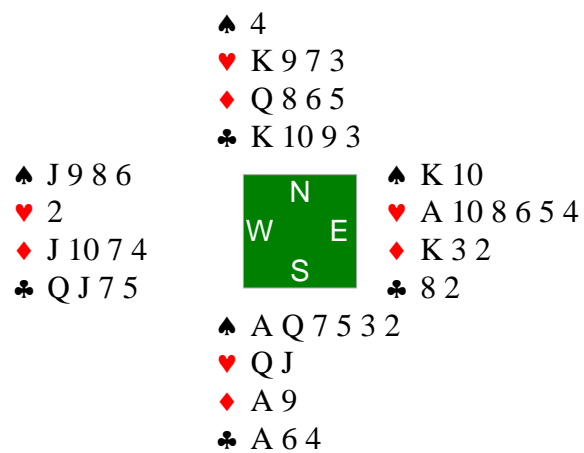
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**Board 80**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1444 2632 6223 4144 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 7 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400



**Board 81**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ A K 9 4  
♥ Q 9 6 3  
♦ K Q 5 3  
♣ 5

♠ J 7 5  
♥ J 8 5 2  
♦ 8 2  
♣ J 10 8 6



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

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

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !D
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +1440

**Board 82**

N-S Vul

♠ \_\_\_\_\_

♥ A 8 7 6 2

♦ A 10 7 3

♣ K Q 6 2

♠ J 7 2

♥ J 9

♦ K J 9 8 6

♣ J 10 4



♠ Q 9 8 6 3

♥ Q 4 3

♦ 2

♣ 9 7 5 3

♠ A K 10 5 4

♥ K 10 5

♦ Q 5 4

♣ A 8

West <i>EPBot4</i>	North <i>EPBot1</i>	East <i>EPBot2</i>	South <i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3.  $A=0/5$  or  $3/5$

6 ♥ by North

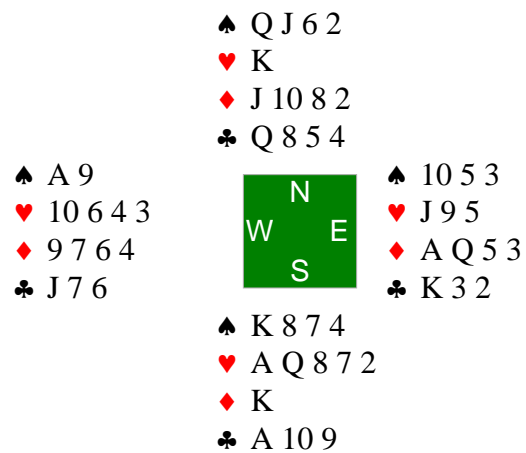
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 83**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4144 3343 4513 2443 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 8 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

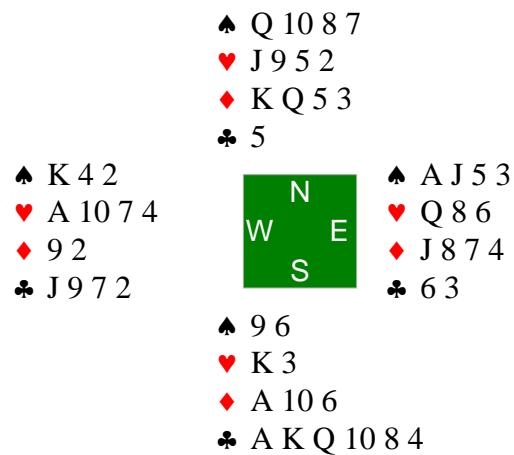
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 84**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4441 4342 2236 3424 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

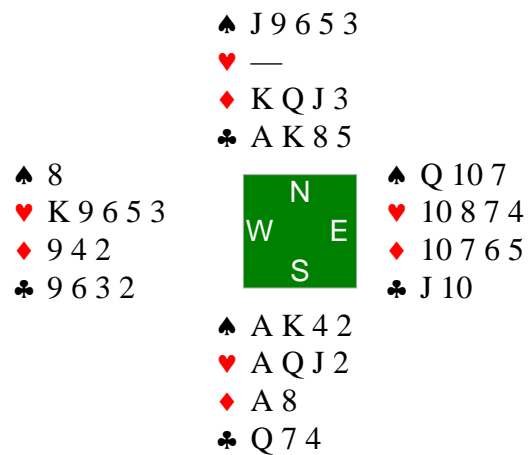
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 85**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 5044 3442 4423 1534 HCP 14 3 20 3 Losers 5 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	6 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. Exclusion, for !S
  3. 3 out of 4
  4. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North  
Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 86**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 0445 3622 2245 8131 HCP 9 12 17 2 Losers 6 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♠	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
3 N by North  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 87**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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

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

W N E S

Shape 4441 0643 5233 4126 HCP 13 8 16 3 Losers 7 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

5 ♠ by South

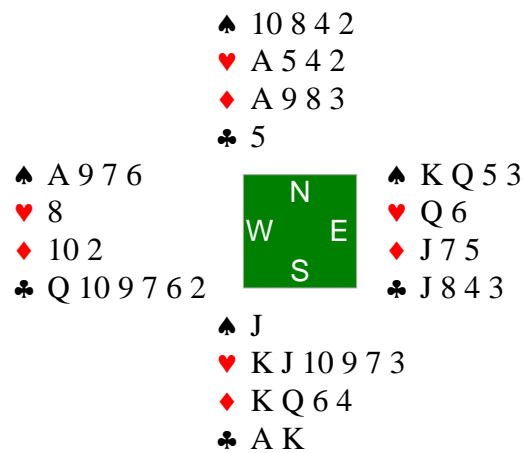
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 88**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4441 4234 1642 4126 HCP 8 9 17 6 Losers 8 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480



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**Board 89**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 2434 4531 3334 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 8 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 90**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W
N
E

♠ 10 6

♥ 4 2

♦ J 10 9 8 3

♣ J 8 6 2

♠ A Q
♥ K J 9 8
♦ A K 5 4 2
♣ 7 5

Shape 4414 2254 2452 5323 HCP 12 2 17 9 Losers 7 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	Dbl	Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. limit raise or better in !H
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 91**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 2353 3424 4252 HCP 14 2 16 8 Losers 6 11 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	Dbl	2 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 92**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

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



Shape 0445 6223 3334 4441 HCP 17 6 16 1 Losers 4 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	7 ♣	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. Exclusion, for !C
  3. 1 out of 4
- 7 ♣ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 93**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 2434 5224 2344 HCP 11 5 19 5 Losers 7 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 94**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1444 3262 6214 3523 HCP 8 3 17 12 Losers 8 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♥	2 NT	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 4 — NS +420

## Board 95

N-S Vul

Shape 0454 5521 3235 5233 HCP 9 3 17 11 Losers 7 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♠	Dbl	4 ♠	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠× by West			
Down 4 — NS +800			

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**Board 96**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 3352 2434 4513 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 7 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -50



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**Board 97**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4054 3424 3712 3253 HCP 9 2 18 11 Losers 7 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 98**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 0445 4333 4630 5035 HCP 18 1 16 5 Losers 4 12 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	7 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 2 out of 4

4. !H queen and !S king

7 N by North

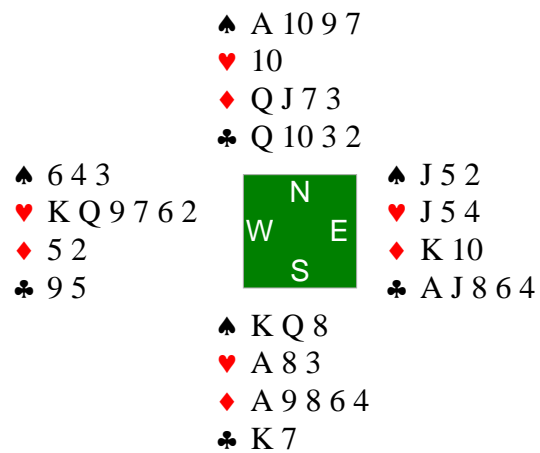
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**Board 99**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4144 3325 3352 3622 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

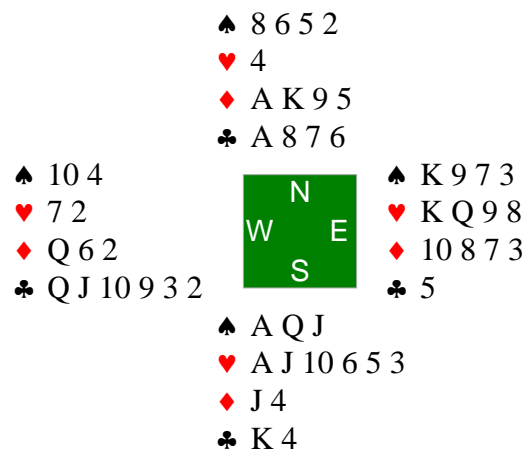
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  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 5 ♦ by South  
Made 5 — NS +400

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**Board 100**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4144 4441 3622 2236 HCP 11 8 16 5 Losers 7 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

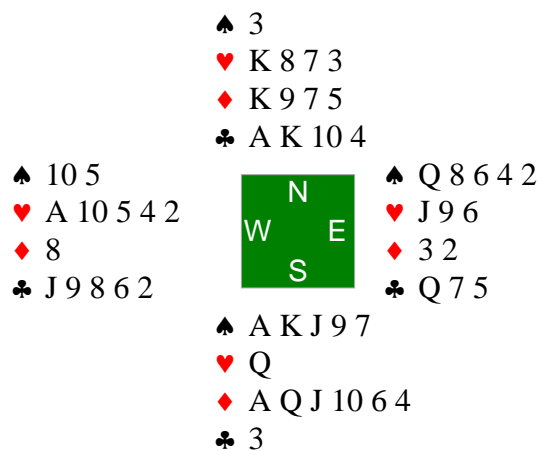
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  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 101**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 5323 5161 2515 HCP 13 5 17 5 Losers 6 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

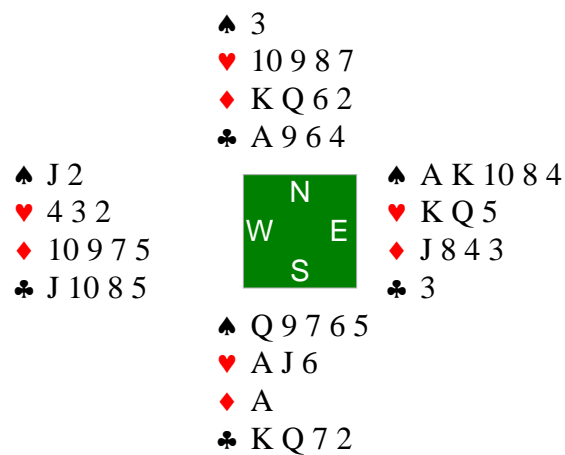
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♦ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 102**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 1444 5341 5314 2344 HCP 9 13 16 2 Losers 7 6 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

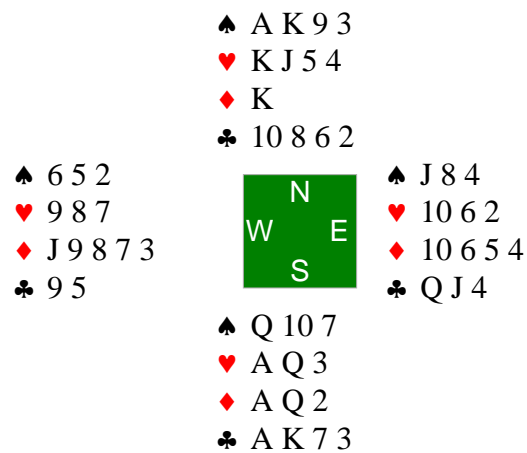
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 103**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 3343 3334 3352 HCP 14 4 21 1 Losers 7 11 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

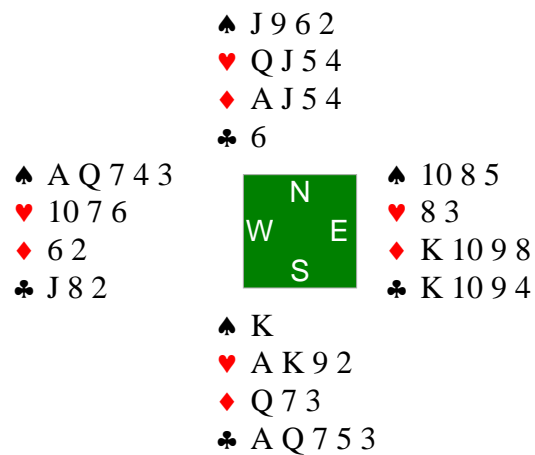
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 N by North
- Made 7 — NS +1470

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**Board 104**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4441 3244 1435 5323 HCP 9 6 18 7 Losers 8 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450



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**Board 105**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4414 2434 5062 2533 HCP 11 6 20 3 Losers 7 9 2 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
  - 7 ♠ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 106**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4054 3433 2533 4423 HCP 10 1 19 10 Losers 6 12 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 107**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1444 3244 2434 7321 HCP 11 0 19 10 Losers 7 11 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♠	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 5 — NS +460			

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**Board 108**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4504 3514 2353 4072 HCP 10 11 17 2 Losers 6 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  - 4 ♥ by North
- Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 109**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 5413 2452 2434 HCP 9 5 16 10 Losers 8 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 5 ♦ by South
- Made 6 — NS +620

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**Board 110**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ K
♥ A 10 8
♦ A K J 7 6 2
♣ A 8 2

Shape 4144 3613 1363 5323 HCP 9 10 19 2 Losers 8 6 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Splinter
  4. Cue bid, a !S stopper
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +920

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**Board 111**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4450 4315 3154 2524 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 6 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT	Pass	1 ♠
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
2 N by North  
Made 2 — NS +120

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**Board 112**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A Q 5
♥ K J 8 6
♦ A K 4 2
♣ 8 3

Shape 1444 7015 3442 2542 HCP 12 9 17 2 Losers 7 5 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♥ by South  
Down 1 — NS -100

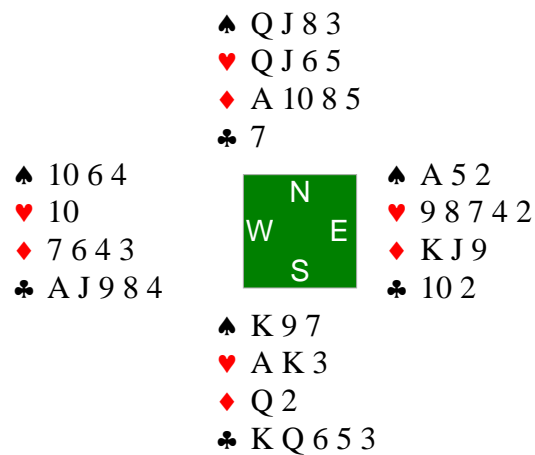


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**Board 113**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4441 3532 3325 3145 HCP 10 8 17 5 Losers 7 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 114**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

N

S

E

♠ J 9
♥ A 10 6
♦ A 9 4
♣ A K 5 3 2

Shape 4414 3442 2335 4252 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 8 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600


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**Board 115**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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



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

Shape 4144 3442 2236 4621 HCP 10 7 17 6 Losers 7 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +920

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**Board 116**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

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♠ A K Q
♥ J 8 7 4
♦ A 6 2
♣ Q 8 7

Shape 4054 2542 3433 4414 HCP 9 12 16 3 Losers 7 6 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

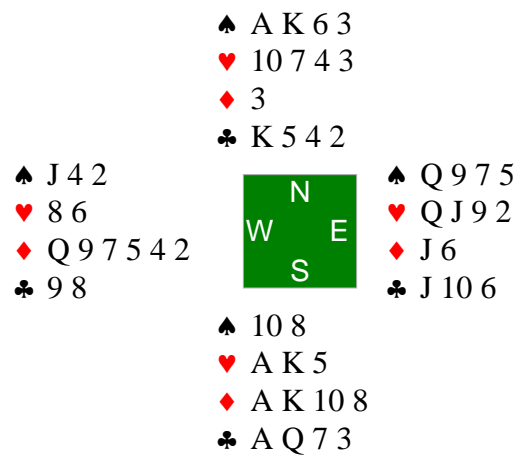
1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 117**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 4423 2344 3262 HCP 10 7 20 3 Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 118**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ K Q
	♥ K 4 2
	♦ J 7 4
	♣ K 8 6 5 4

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



Shape 1444 2335 5233 5431 HCP 8 12 18 2 Losers 8 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 119**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 4441 2443 3415 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 7 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 120**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4450 4414 1336 4243 HCP 9 11 19 1 Losers 6 7 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430



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**Board 121**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1444 6232 2434 4333 HCP 8 5 19 8 Losers 7 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  - 4 ♥ by South
- Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 122**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 0454 4513 4252 5224 HCP 11 8 17 4 Losers 6 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 123**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 4414 2443 4333 3253 HCP 8 12 17 3 Losers 8 7 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 124**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5404 3532 2362 3145 HCP 9 7 18 6 Losers 7 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

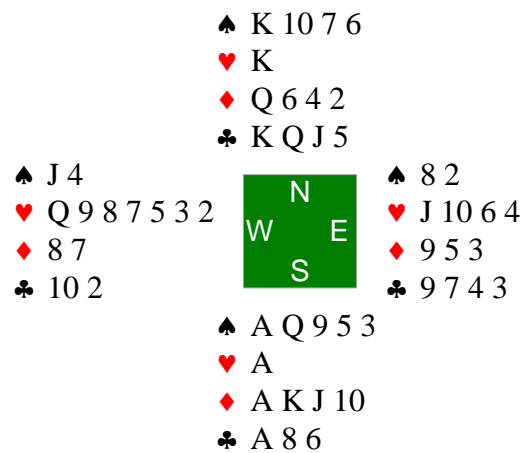
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 125**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4144 2434 5143 2722 HCP 14 1 22 3 Losers 6 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

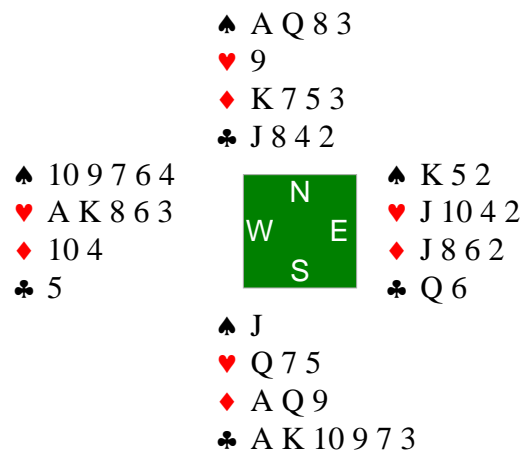
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
  - 7 ♠ by South
- Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 126**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4144 3442 1336 5521 HCP 10 7 16 7 Losers 7 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♣

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♣ by South
- Made 6 — NS +420

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**Board 127**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4441 3424 3352 3226 HCP 8 6 16 10 Losers 8 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 128**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ Q J 6 4

♥ 8

♦ 5 2

♣ K 8 6 5 3 2

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♠ A 10 5 2
♥ K 5 2
♦ K J 4
♣ A J 7

Shape 4450 4126 4333 1534 HCP 11 6 16 7 Losers 5 7 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650



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**Board 129**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A K 7
♥ J 10 9 2
♦ K Q 2
♣ Q J 6



Shape 4144 1435 3433 5431 HCP 12 7 16 5 Losers 7 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 4 — NS +630

**Board 130**

E-W Vul

Shape 1444 6232 4333 2434 HCP 12 6 16 6 Losers 8 9 7 9

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial

3 N by North  
Made 4 — NS +430

**Board 131**

None Vul

Shape 0454 2236 4342 7411 HCP 12 7 16 5 Losers 5 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♠	Dbl	4 ♠	Dbl
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠× by West			
Down 2 — NS +300			

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**Board 132**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4414 4333 4333 1363 HCP 11 1 18 10 Losers 7 12 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	Dbl	3 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP  
2. both majors  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 133**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 4414 3343 3442 3244 HCP 10 9 16 5 Losers 8 9 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

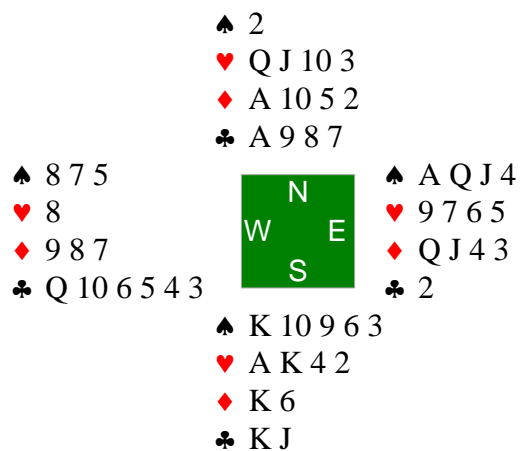
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South
- Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 134**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 4441 5422 3136 HCP 11 10 17 2 Losers 7 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

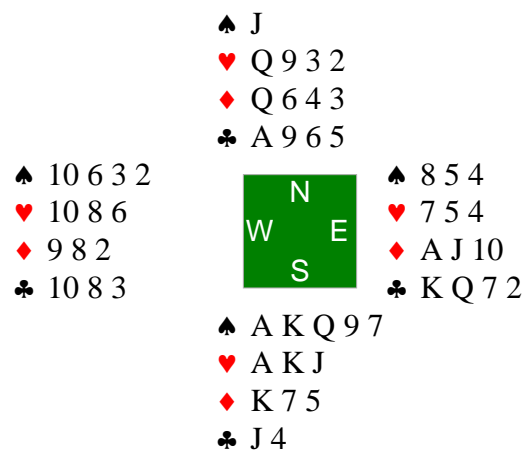
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 135**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 3334 5332 4333 HCP 9 10 21 0 Losers 7 9 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 136**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 4342 4333 1354 HCP 11 4 19 6 Losers 7 11 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +480



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**Board 137**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ A Q 7
♥ J 10 6
♦ A Q 9 6 5
♣ K 8



Shape 4441 3415 3352 3235 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 7 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♦

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♦ by South
- Made 5 — NS +400

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**Board 138**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A K 8 2	
♥ 7 5 3	
♦ A Q J 9 6	
♣ K	

Shape 4414 1453 4351 4225 HCP 12 0 17 11 Losers 6 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 139**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4405 3253 2434 4351 HCP 8 7 18 7 Losers 6 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  - 4 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 140**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5404 2362 4234 2443 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 5 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♠ by South

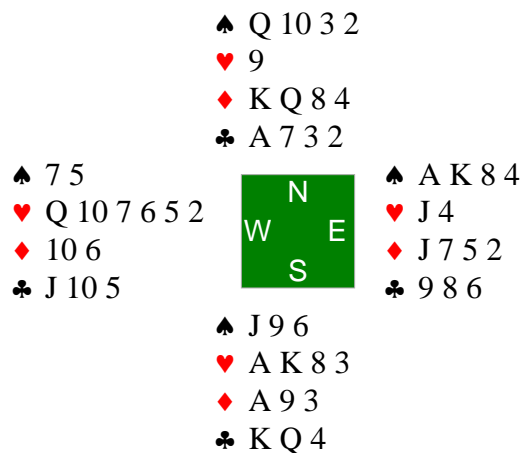
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**Board 141**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4144 4243 3433 2623 HCP 11 9 17 3 Losers 6 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

**Board 142**  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

Shape 1444 0535 6232 6232 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 7 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♠× by West			
Down 2 — NS +500			

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**Board 143**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠

♥

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♣

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♠ Q 6 4 2
♥ 8 7 2
♦ K 7 5
♣ K J 8

♠ A K 9 8 3
♥ K Q 6 5 3
♦ A Q 8
♣ —

Shape 4144 4333 5530 0436 HCP 8 9 18 5 Losers 8 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
  7. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 144**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4441 1246 3334 5422 HCP 8 4 16 12 Losers 7 8 8 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♠	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♥ by South			
Made 2 — NS +110			



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**Board 145**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

Shape 1444 3334 4423 5242 HCP 8 11 16 5 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 146**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4504 5332 2353 2254 HCP 12 6 16 6 Losers 6 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

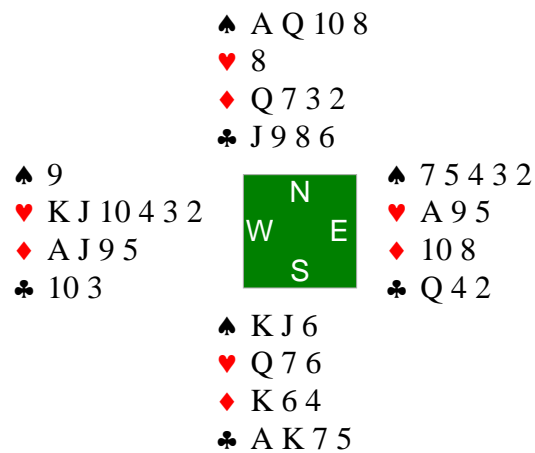
1. 16+ HCP
  2. Exclusion, for !H
  3. 1 out of 4
- 6 ♥ by North  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 147**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4144 5323 3334 1642 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 7 9 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♥	Dbl	3 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♥× by West

Down 1 — NS +100

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**Board 148**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4414 3442 3244 3343 HCP 8 5 16 11 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 149**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	♠ J 9 3
	♥ 9 8 6
	♦ 9 6 5
	♣ Q 5 4 3

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



Shape 4144 3334 2533 4432 HCP 12 3 16 9 Losers 6 11 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 150**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 3514 4432 2353 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 7 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 151**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

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Shape 0445 3334 5431 5233 HCP 8 11 17 4 Losers 6 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 152**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 4450 2533 5134 2326 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 6 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. Cue bid, a !H stopper

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480



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**Board 153**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 6232 2434 1336 HCP 9 5 16 10 Losers 8 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

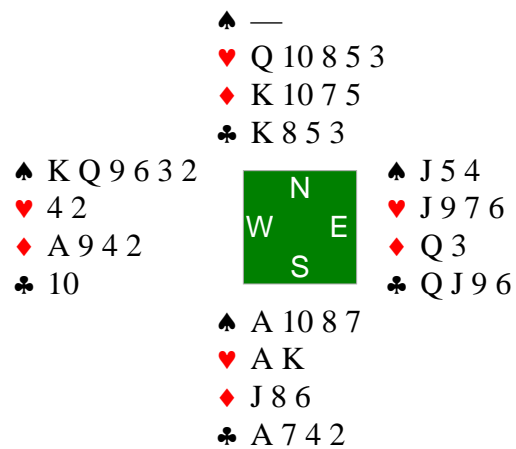
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 154**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 0544 3424 4234 6241 HCP 8 7 16 9 Losers 6 10 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	3 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

4 ♥ by South

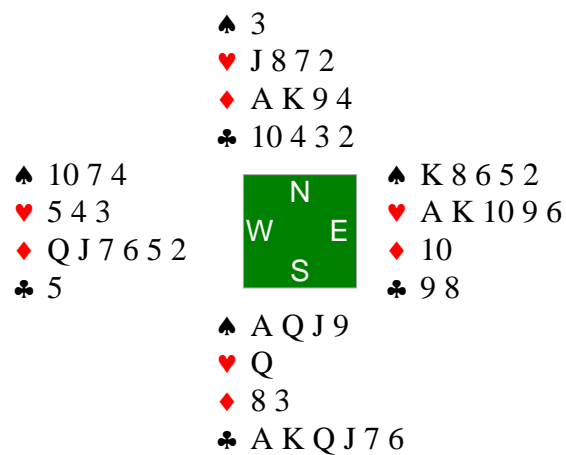
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 155**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1444 5512 4126 3361 HCP 8 10 19 3 Losers 8 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 156**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 3343 3334 3622 HCP 11 3 17 9 Losers 8 11 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♥	Dbl	3 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

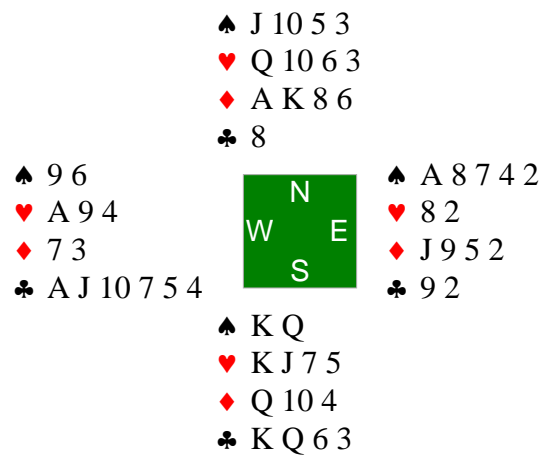
1. 16+ HCP  
3 ♥× by West  
Down 3 — NS +800

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**Board 157**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4441 5242 2434 2326 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 158**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4405 3262 6331 0445 HCP 15 3 16 6 Losers 4 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	5 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. Exclusion, for !S
  3. 2 out of 4
- 6 ♠ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +980

**Board 159**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

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

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



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

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

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	6 ♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  4. Exclusion, for !S
  5. 3 out of 4
  6. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 160**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 4423 2533 3343 HCP 13 3 16 8 Losers 7 11 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 161**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5404 2353 4234 2452 HCP 11 5 21 3 Losers 6 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	6 ♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass

Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  4. Exclusion, for !S
  5. 2 out of 4
  6. no !S queen
  - 7 ♠ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 162**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 1039 4621 4342 HCP 15 6 16 3 Losers 6 5 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	5 ♣	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

5 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 163**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4414 3244 3253 3532 HCP 8 5 22 5 Losers 9 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 164**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ K J 6
♥ 10 4 3
♦ A K Q
♣ A 6 3 2

Shape 4144 2542 3334 4423 HCP 13 8 17 2 Losers 7 8 7 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

**Board 165**  
South Deals  
None Vul

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

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



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

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

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 166**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A K 9 8 3
♥ Q 8 7 5 3
♦ A K Q
♣ —

Shape 0454 4126 5530 4333 HCP 9 12 18 1 Losers 7 5 3 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♣	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♣	Dbl	Pass	2 ♠
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
- 4 ♣× by East  
Down 3 — NS +500


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**Board 167**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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



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

♠ A 9 6 3
♥ A K J
♦ 4
♣ A J 10 9 2

Shape 4450 2236 4315 3442 HCP 13 2 17 8 Losers 5 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
 4 ♠ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 168**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5404 4162 2542 2335 HCP 12 6 17 5 Losers 6 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. Exclusion, for !H
  3. 2 out of 4
  4. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1460



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**Board 169**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 3343 2434 4225 HCP 10 4 18 8 Losers 8 11 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 170**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 2344 5152 2533 HCP 15 5 18 2 Losers 5 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  7. !S queen and !C king
- 7 ♠ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 171**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 4333 2533 3433 HCP 12 7 18 3 Losers 7 11 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 172**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ 6
	♥ 8 4 2
	♦ A K J 9 7
	♣ A K J 4



Shape 4414 4432 1354 4243 HCP 9 12 16 3 Losers 8 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial
- 3 N by North
- Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 173**

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

N

W

S

E



♠ Q 9 6 5 4 2
♥ 7
♦ A 4
♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ K J
♥ A Q 10 3
♦ Q J 10 7 6 5
♣ A

Shape 1444 6124 2461 4414 HCP 12 6 17 5 Losers 7 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

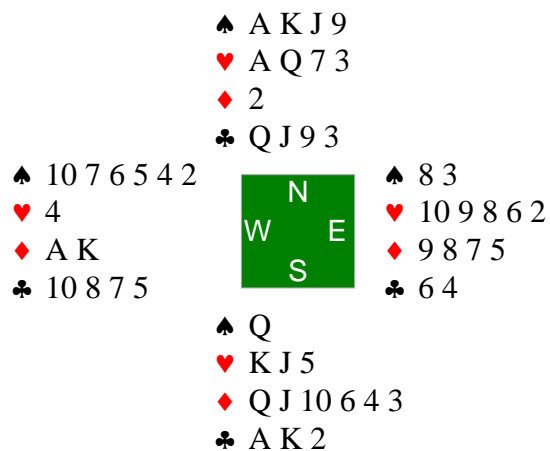
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +420

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**Board 174**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4414 2542 1363 6124 HCP 17 0 16 7 Losers 5 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	5 NT	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 175**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 2542 4243 3514 HCP 9 10 17 4 Losers 7 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	1 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
4 ♥	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
- 4 ♥× by East  
Down 3 — NS +500

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**Board 176**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4441 0445 4504 5053 HCP 13 3 16 8 Losers 6 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♠	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
2. limit raise or better in !H
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680



**Board 177**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

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

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



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

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

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♥× by West			
Down 3 — NS +800			

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**Board 178**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 2443 4234 3325 HCP 9 3 20 8 Losers 7 10 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

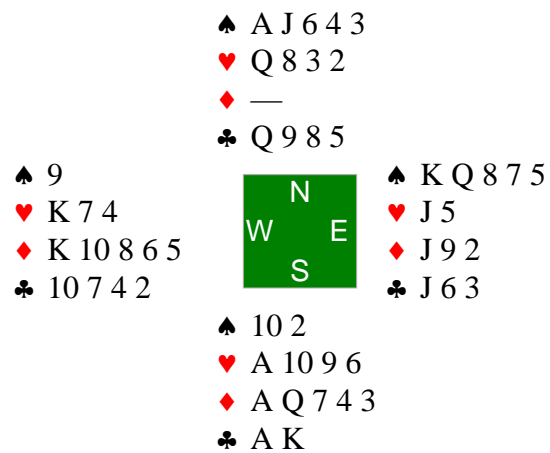
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 179**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5404 5233 2452 1354 HCP 9 8 17 6 Losers 6 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  - 4 ♥ by North
- Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 180**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

Shape 1444 4414 3253 5332 HCP 9 5 18 8 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

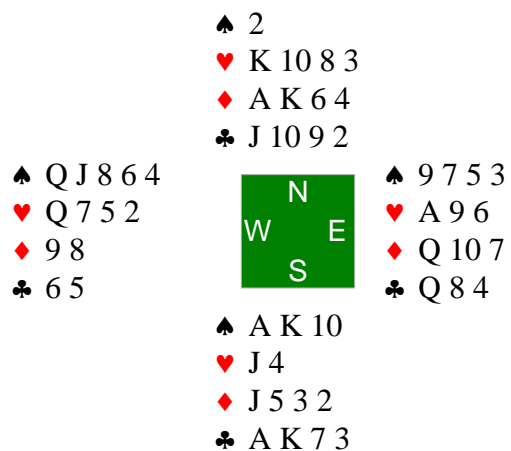
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♦ by South
- Made 6 — NS +420

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**Board 181**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 4333 3244 5422 HCP 11 8 16 5 Losers 7 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 182**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4441 3235 2245 4522 HCP 12 3 21 4 Losers 7 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	7 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

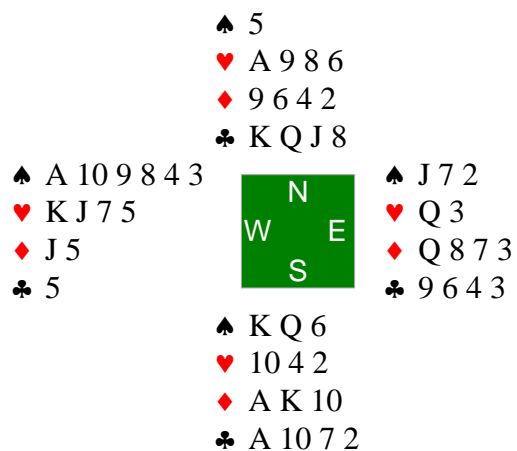
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 7 ♦ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 183**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1444 3244 3334 6421 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 7 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	Dbl	3 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
 3 ♠× by West  
 Down 2 — NS +500

19250BA808CF9EE67D36265ACFFB

**Board 184**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5404 2245 2452 4342 HCP 15 4 18 3 Losers 5 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

6 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010



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**Board 185**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 2362 3415 4522 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 7 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♥	Dbl	2 ♥	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !C

5 ♣ by South

Made 5 — NS +400

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**Board 186**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 1444 4423 3343 5233 HCP 11 8 16 5 Losers 7 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♦

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♦ by South
- Made 4 — NS +130

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**Board 187**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 2434 4234 3631 HCP 10 6 17 7 Losers 7 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♥	Dbl	4 ♥	Pass
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥× by West

Down 2 — NS +300

2893995B22DFE8F7FE673A742221

**Board 188**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
W		E
	♠ S	

Shape 4045 3424 2542 4432 HCP 12 12 16 0 Losers 5 7 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

6 ♦ by South

Made 7 — NS +940

2AE507E4C18833DA7A9C1775026B

**Board 189**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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



Shape 4414 3343 2353 4333 HCP 10 0 20 10 Losers 7 12 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 190**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ A Q J 4 2
	♥ A J 8 6 4
	♦ 8 5 4
	♣ —

	♠ K 3
	♥ Q
	♦ A Q J 7 3
	♣ A 8 7 6 3

Shape 1444 5530 2155 5314 HCP 8 12 16 4 Losers 7 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♣

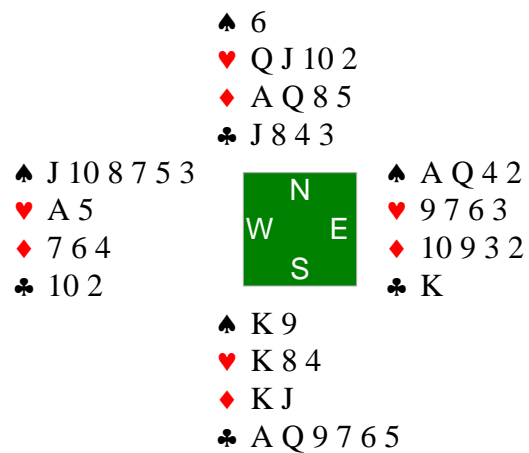
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♣ by South
- Made 5 — NS +400

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**Board 191**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1444 4441 2326 6232 HCP 10 9 16 5 Losers 7 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

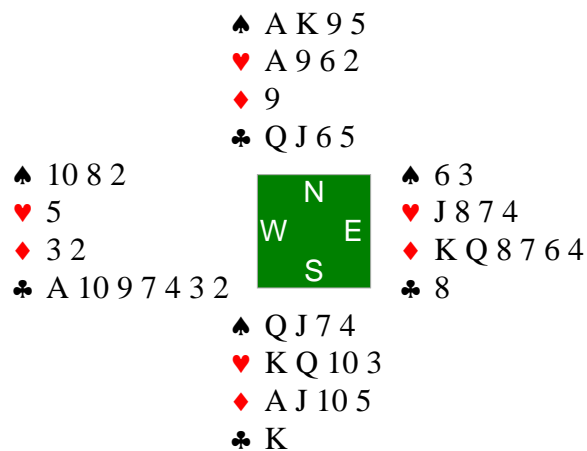
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 192**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 2461 4441 3127 HCP 14 6 16 4 Losers 6 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Dbl	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

6 ♥× by South

Made 6 — NS +1660



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**Board 193**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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



Shape 4045 4225 2731 3442 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 5 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

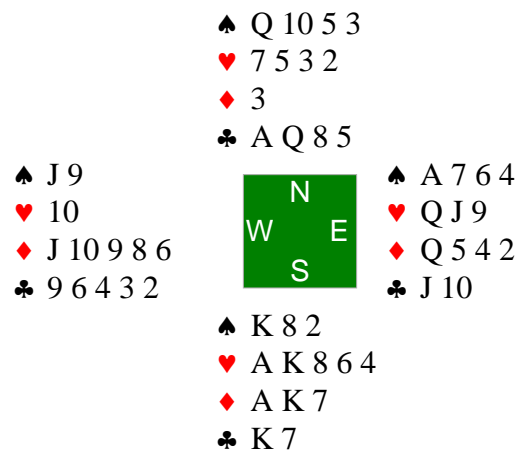
1. 16+ HCP  
 2. artificial  
 4 ♥ by North  
 Made 4 — NS +420

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**Board 194**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4414 4342 3532 2155 HCP 8 10 20 2 Losers 7 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 195**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 4423 2524 3352 HCP 8 5 16 11 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
2 N by North  
Made 2 — NS +120

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**Board 196**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ 8 3
	♥ A K Q
	♦ A K 8 2
	♣ K 5 3 2



Shape 4414 5152 2344 2533 HCP 8 5 19 8 Losers 8 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 197**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 4441 3433 2155 4414 HCP 8 9 17 6 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 198**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4054 2533 4513 3343 HCP 12 6 16 6 Losers 6 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

382C8DB1FBD4606CFE220A82CA18

**Board 199**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

S

N  
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S

N

E

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

Shape 4441 2245 3442 4315 HCP 9 7 16 8 Losers 8 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

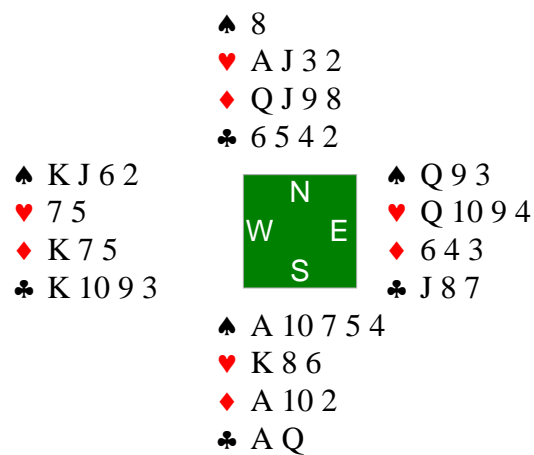
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 200**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 3433 5332 4234 HCP 8 5 17 10 Losers 8 10 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

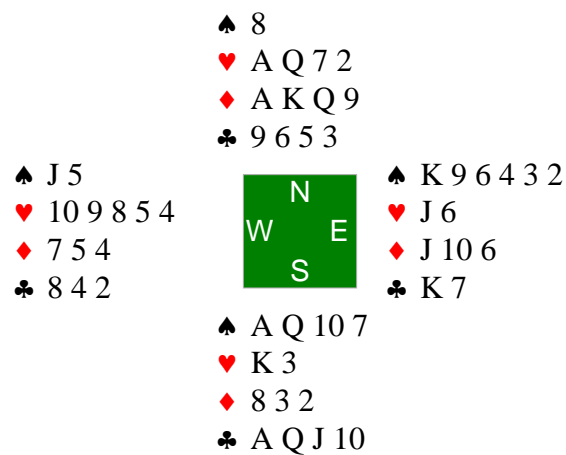


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**Board 201**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1444 6232 4234 2533 HCP 15 8 16 1 Losers 5 8 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial

6 N by North

Made 6 — NS +990

3823A683C7721246D50850A0D617

**Board 202**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

Shape 4414 3505 3361 3163 HCP 14 3 18 5 Losers 6 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
7. King ask by 5 NT
8. K=0

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

39C90A89A66EB7FFE71A07D8D40C

**Board 203**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4504 1354 3352 5233 HCP 12 5 19 4 Losers 5 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 204**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W

N

E

S

♠ K J
♥ Q 6 5
♦ J 6
♣ A K Q 8 6 3

Shape 4450 4333 2326 3334 HCP 12 9 16 3 Losers 5 10 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 205**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 1444 4234 4324 HCP 8 4 17 11 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 4 ♠ by South  
Down 1 — NS -100


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**Board 206**

South Deals

Both Vul

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



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

Shape 1444 5422 2164 5413 HCP 12 8 16 4 Losers 6 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♦ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 207**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4540 2434 4216 3253 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 6 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 ♣
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
3 N by North  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 208**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 0445 2443 5422 6133 HCP 15 2 19 4 Losers 5 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	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 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. no !H queen
  5. King ask by available bid
  6. K=1
  - 7 N by South
- Down 1 — NS -50



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**Board 209**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 4423 3253 2326 HCP 12 9 17 2 Losers 8 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♦ by South  
Made 6 — NS +920

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**Board 210**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4405 3352 2344 4342 HCP 9 6 24 1 Losers 6 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	5 NT
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
 2. artificial  
 6 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 211**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4414 3235 3352 3442 HCP 11 9 16 4 Losers 7 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

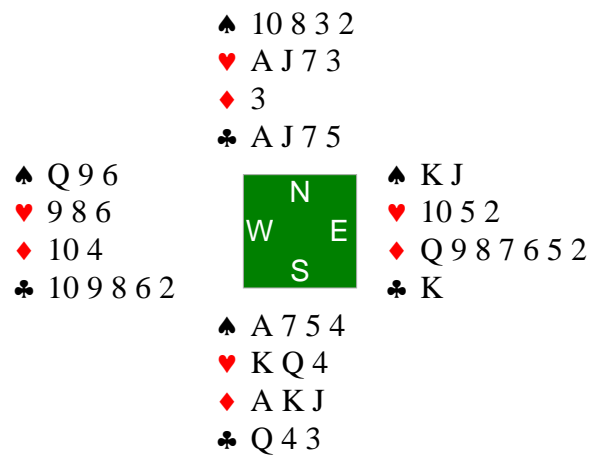
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 212**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4414 2371 4333 3325 HCP 10 9 19 2 Losers 8 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 213**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ 3 2		
♥ K 3		
♦ A K Q J		
♣ A K Q 10 3		

Shape 4414 1453 2245 6331 HCP 12 2 22 4 Losers 7 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  7. no !S queen
- 7 N by North  
 Made 7 — NS +1520

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**Board 214**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4441 1525 4234 4243 HCP 9 8 22 1 Losers 8 7 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 5 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 215**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 2344 1633 6322 HCP 13 4 16 7 Losers 6 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
3 N by North  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 216**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4144 3541 4405 2353 HCP 12 4 20 4 Losers 6 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
  7. King ask by 5 NT
  8. K=0
- 7 ♠ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +2210



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**Board 217**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4414 4432 3145 2452 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♣

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 5 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +620

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**Board 218**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 3352 0544 6403 HCP 15 4 17 4 Losers 5 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
3 N by North  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 219**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 1336 4324 4342 HCP 8 10 18 4 Losers 7 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650


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**Board 220**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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



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

Shape 4144 0454 3532 6313 HCP 12 10 16 2 Losers 7 6 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 221**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

N

E

S

♠ A K Q 5
♥ A J 4
♦ K 8 6
♣ A 10 5

Shape 1444 5242 4333 3424 HCP 12 1 21 6 Losers 6 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 NT
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial

7 N by North

Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 222**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4045 3622 3541 3235 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 6 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 223**

South Deals

Both Vul


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

W

N

S

E



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

Shape 4414 5341 2245 2443 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 7 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♣

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♣ by South
- Made 6 — NS +620

**Board 224**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

Shape 1444 4243 3343 5413 HCP 11 3 17 9 Losers 8 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♠	Dbl	3 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♠× by West			
Down 4 — NS +800			



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**Board 225**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1444 6223 4441 2335 HCP 15 4 17 4 Losers 6 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Dbl	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  7. !H queen no !S king no !C king no !D king
- 6 ♥ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 226**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4414 4324 4432 1273 HCP 8 4 19 9 Losers 8 10 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♦	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
  2. both majors
- 4 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 227**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 1633 3343 5323 HCP 13 4 17 6 Losers 5 9 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

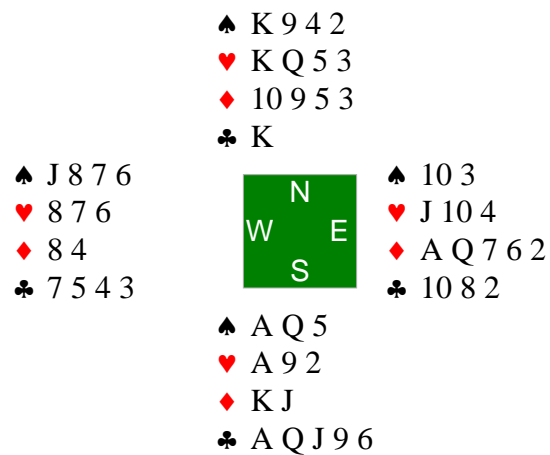
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♦ by South  
Made 6 — NS +920

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**Board 228**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4441 2353 3325 4324 HCP 11 7 21 1 Losers 7 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South
- Made 6 — NS +690


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**Board 229**

South Deals

None Vul

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



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

Shape 4414 4252 2155 3622 HCP 13 3 18 6 Losers 6 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  7. King ask by 5 NT
  8. K=0
- 7 ♣ by South
- Made 7 — NS +1440

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**Board 230**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5440 2254 3334 3415 HCP 9 10 18 3 Losers 6 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass

Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 2 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 231**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 5251 1534 3514 HCP 10 8 18 4 Losers 7 6 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 232**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4540 4234 2335 3334 HCP 12 11 16 1 Losers 5 8 6 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +420			



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**Board 233**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 2542 3037 4423 HCP 11 1 16 12 Losers 6 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

**Board 234**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul



♣ A 10 9 7

♣ 8 6 5 4 2



♣ J 3

♣ K Q

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 235**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

N

E

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

Shape 4441 2146 4513 3343 HCP 8 4 16 12 Losers 7 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Dbl	Rdbl <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. limit raise or better in !H
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 236**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5044 2641 2533 4225 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 6 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

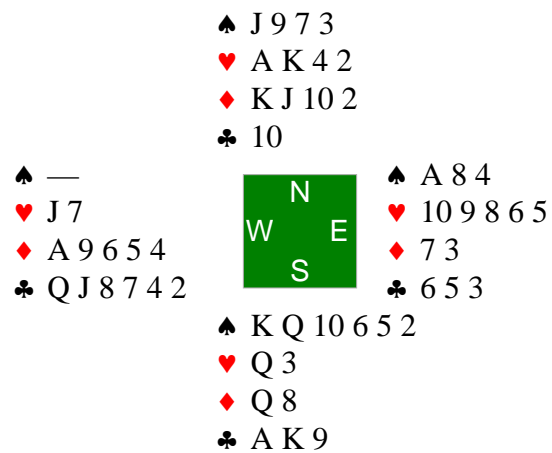
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 237**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4441 3523 6223 0256 HCP 12 4 16 8 Losers 7 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

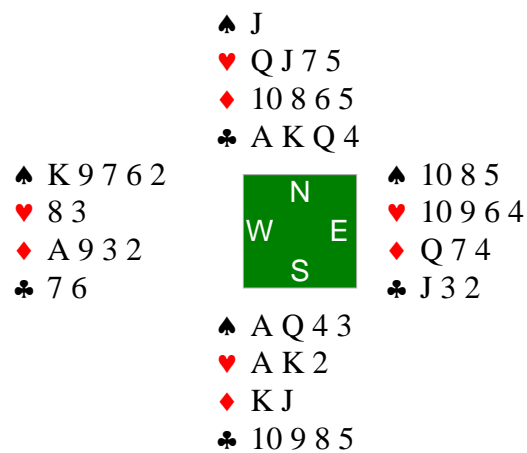
1. 16+ HCP
  2. Unusual 2 NT
  3. strength cue bid
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
- 5 ♠ by South  
 Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 238**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 3433 4324 5242 HCP 13 3 17 7 Losers 6 11 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

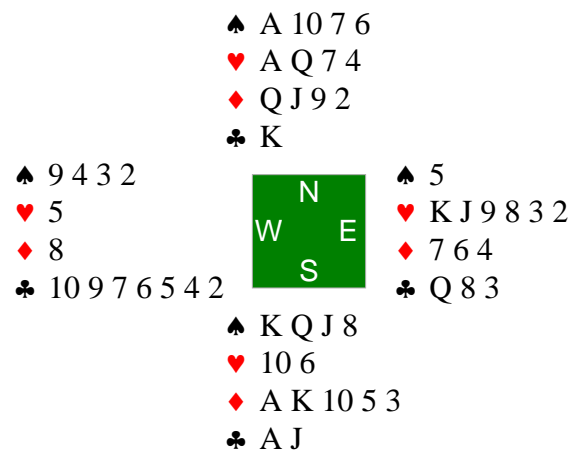
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North
- Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 239**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4441 1633 4252 4117 HCP 16 6 18 0 Losers 6 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	7 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  6. A=0/5 or 3/5
  7. King ask by 5 NT
  8. K=1
- 7 ♦ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 240**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4405 3244 4333 2461 HCP 9 4 16 11 Losers 6 10 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	Dbl	3 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

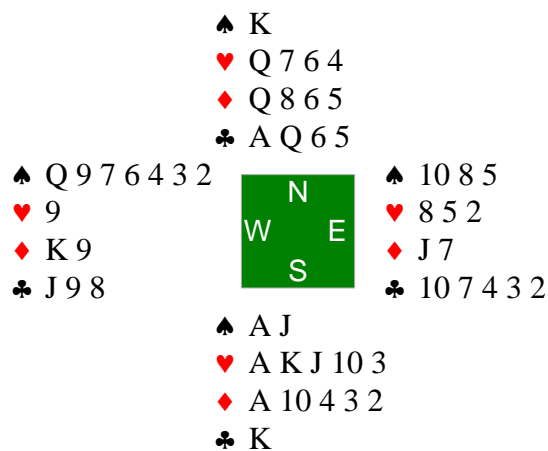


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**Board 241**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1444 3325 2551 7123 HCP 13 1 20 6 Losers 6 11 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	5 NT <sup>8</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. limit raise or better in !H
  3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  5. Cue bid, surplus
  6. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  7. A=1/5 or 4/5
  8. !H queen no !C king no !D king
- 6 ♥ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 242**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	♠ 3
	♥ 5 4 3 2
	♦ 9 7 6 4 3
	♣ 7 3 2

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

Shape 4144 1453 4423 4423 HCP 11 0 20 9 Losers 7 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 243**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A K Q 7
♥ K 10 4
♦ A 8 5
♣ 5 3 2

Shape 1444 4243 4333 4423 HCP 12 3 16 9 Losers 6 11 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
 Made 4 — NS +430


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**Board 244**

South Deals

None Vul

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



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

Shape 4441 3136 4225 2641 HCP 9 13 16 2 Losers 7 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

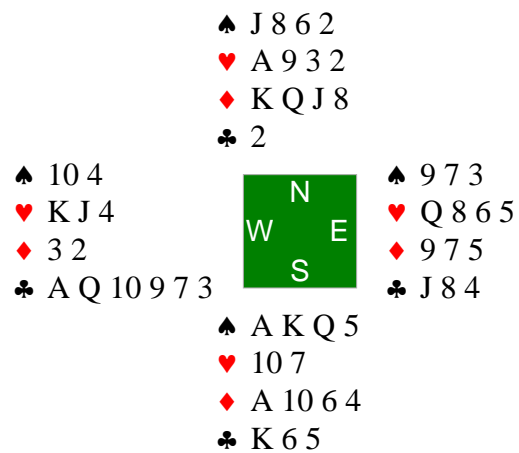
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 245**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4441 3433 4243 2326 HCP 11 3 16 10 Losers 7 11 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 246**

## South Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ J 10 9 7

♦ Q 10 9 7

♣ A J 10 7 3

♠ K Q 10 9 8 5 2

♥ K 4 3 2

♦ 62

♣ —



♠ J 4 3

♥ 6

♦ 5 4 3

♣ K Q 9 8 5 4

♠ A 7 6

♥ A Q 8 5

♦ A K J 8

♣ 6 2

Shape 00445 3136 3442 7420 HCP 8 6 18 8 Losers 7 8 6 5

West

North

East

South

*EPBot4*

*EPBot1*

*EPBot2*

*EPBot3*

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠

Dbl

4 ♠

Dbl

Pass

Pass

Pass

## 1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠× by West

Down 1 — NS +100

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**Board 247**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 4135 3721 2443 HCP 10 6 17 7 Losers 7 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

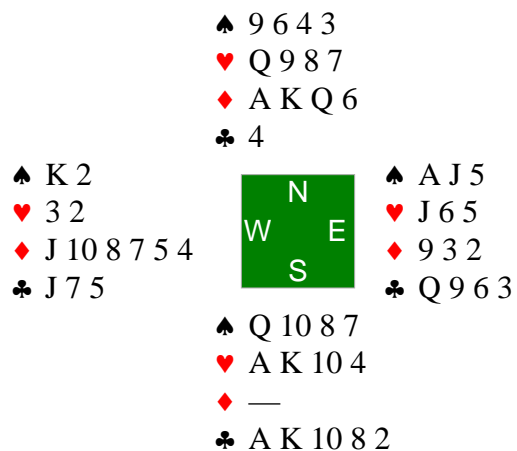
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 248**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 4441 3334 4405 2263 HCP 11 8 16 5 Losers 6 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦	Dbl	3 ♦	Pass
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. both majors

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -50



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**Board 249**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 1624 5512 3163 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 8 6 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♦	Dbl	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Splinter

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 250**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 4531 2146 3622 HCP 8 3 18 11 Losers 7 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	3 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP  
3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 251**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4045 2452 5413 2533 HCP 8 5 17 10 Losers 7 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	2 ♥	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>5</sup>	Dbl	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

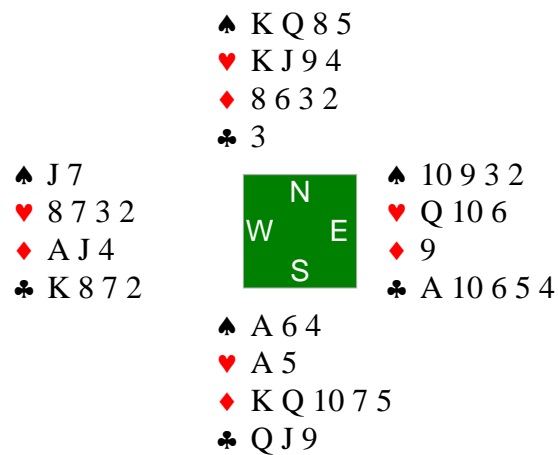
1. 16+ HCP
  2. limit raise or better in !S
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  5. Cue bid, surplus
- 4 ♠ by South  
 Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 252**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4441 4315 3253 2434 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 7 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	5 ♦

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♦ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 253**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4441 3217 4432 2353 HCP 9 13 17 1 Losers 8 6 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  - 3 N by South
- Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 254**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

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♠ A 8
♥ A J
♦ A 9 8 3
♣ A 10 8 3 2

Shape 4405 5431 2245 2362 HCP 9 7 17 7 Losers 6 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	Dbl	4 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
4 ♦ × by West  
Down 3 — NS +500

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**Board 255**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A 9
♥ A Q 10 5
♦ 7 3
♣ A K 8 5 4



Shape 4144 1561 2425 6313 HCP 12 5 17 6 Losers 6 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 7 ♣ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 256**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4504 4351 3154 2434 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 6 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430



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**Board 257**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 8 6		♠ Q 7 4 2									
♥ J 8 4 2		♥ K 6 5 3									
♦ 10 8 5 4		♦ 3									
♣ 3		♣ K 10 6 5									
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Shape 4414 3343 2245 4441 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 7 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 258**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5404 4351 2344 2344 HCP 8 3 20 9 Losers 6 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 259**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ A 5		
♥ K Q 9 5		
♦ K Q J		
♣ A 9 3 2		



Shape 4144 4531 2434 3334 HCP 9 10 19 2 Losers 7 8 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 260**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4450 4234 2344 3415 HCP 9 3 17 11 Losers 7 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

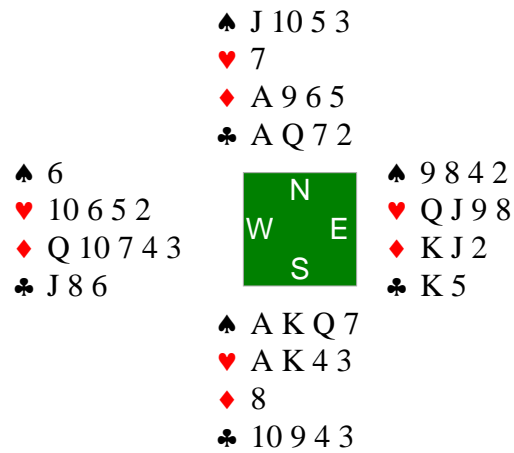
1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 261**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4144 4432 4414 1453 HCP 11 10 16 3 Losers 7 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

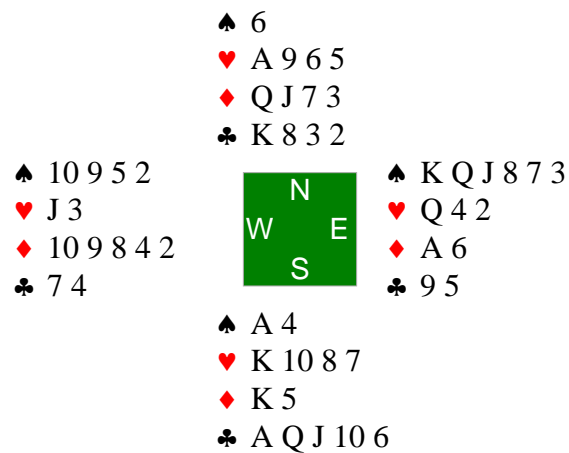
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 262**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1444 6322 2425 4252 HCP 10 12 17 1 Losers 7 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  - 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 263**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4405 5323 2335 2380 HCP 9 9 18 4 Losers 6 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 264**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4450 3442 2317 4234 HCP 10 3 18 9 Losers 5 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

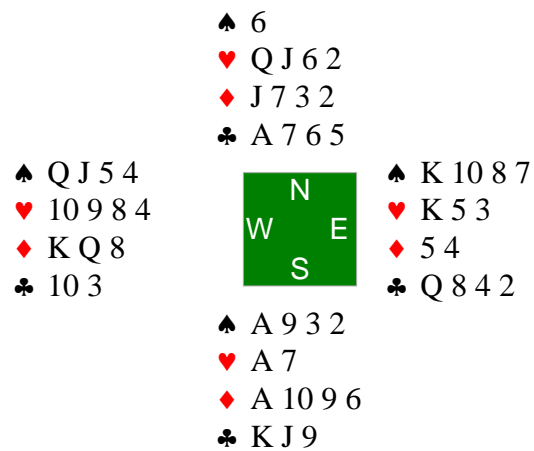


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**Board 265**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 4324 4243 4432 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 8 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 266**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 3334 3433 3235 HCP 9 4 16 11 Losers 8 11 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 4 ♥ by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 267**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5044 3613 2533 3253 HCP 11 6 18 5 Losers 5 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP  
2. artificial  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 268**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 3 2
♥ K 10
♦ J 10 9 8 4
♣ 10 9 4

♠ Q 7
♥ Q J 9 3
♦ A K
♣ A K J 6 3

Shape 5440 3253 2425 3325 HCP 11 5 20 4 Losers 6 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  4. Exclusion, for !H
  5. 1 out of 4
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 269**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4441 2434 5224 2344 HCP 11 8 18 3 Losers 7 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	


1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
  7. King ask by 5 NT
  8. K=0
- 7 ♠ by North  
Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 270**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1444 4324 5341 3334 HCP 13 6 17 4 Losers 8 10 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +490


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**Board 271**

South Deals

Both Vul

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



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

Shape 4441 2353 2434 5215 HCP 10 8 20 2 Losers 8 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  5. A=1/5 or 4/5
  6. no !H queen
- 6 ♥ by South  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 272**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4450 3235 5332 1426 HCP 12 2 16 10 Losers 5 11 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980



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**Board 273**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 1444 2326 4441 6232 HCP 12 2 17 9 Losers 7 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 274**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1444 6403 3253 3343 HCP 9 7 16 8 Losers 7 7 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♦ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 275**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 2533 3442 4324 HCP 8 9 16 7 Losers 8 8 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  - 5 ♦ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 276**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4414 3235 3541 3253 HCP 8 5 16 11 Losers 8 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by South			
Made 5 — NS +650			

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**Board 277**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1444 2533 6223 4243 HCP 9 4 19 8 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 278**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5044 3433 1633 4333 HCP 11 3 16 10 Losers 6 11 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 279**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A 8

♥ A Q 5 4

♦ J 10 4

♣ A K Q 3

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E

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S

♠ J 7 6 5 4

♥ 10 6 3

♦ 5

♣ J 5 4 2

Shape 4441 5314 2434 2254 HCP 12 2 20 6 Losers 6 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 280**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4441 5242 2326 2434 HCP 13 9 16 2 Losers 7 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
Made 5 — NS +660



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**Board 281**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 6
♥ J 8 6
♦ J
♣ K Q 10 8 6 3

♠ 7
♥ A K Q 9 5
♦ A Q 7 3
♣ A 5 2

Shape 5440 3316 1543 4144 HCP 10 10 19 1 Losers 6 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	6 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Exclusion, for !H
  4. 3 out of 4
  5. !H queen no !D king
- 7 ♥ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 282**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 3532 2335 4432 HCP 8 9 18 5 Losers 7 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 283**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —  
♥ K Q 10 8 6  
♦ K Q 9 2  
♣ Q 10 9 2

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

♠ 5 4  
♥ 4 3 2  
♦ J 8 5  
♣ J 8 7 5 3

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

W N E S

Shape 0544 2335 6313 5251 HCP 12 2 22 4 Losers 4 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

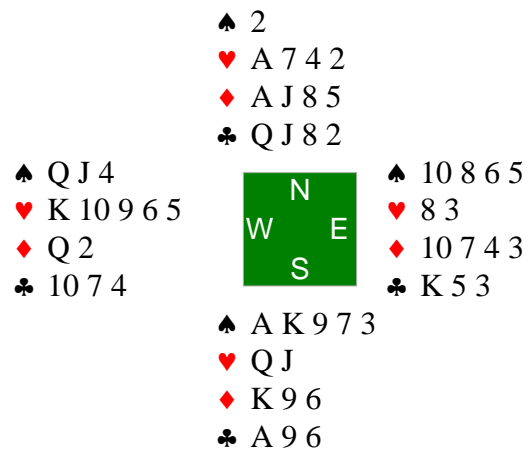
Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 284**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1444 4243 5233 3523 HCP 12 3 17 8 Losers 7 10 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

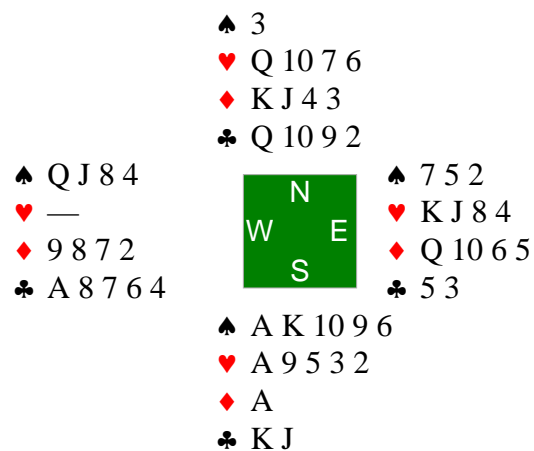
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by North  
 Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 285**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 1444 3442 5512 4045 HCP 8 6 19 7 Losers 7 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 286**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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♠ A K J 9 6 4
♥ A J 3
♦ —
♣ A K 9 4

Shape 4441 3235 6304 0463 HCP 9 2 20 9 Losers 7 10 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
1 ♦	Dbl	2 ♦	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠
1. 16+ HCP			
6 ♠ by South			
Made 7 — NS +1460			

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**Board 287**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 1462 2155 6412 HCP 8 9 16 7 Losers 7 6 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP  
3 N by North  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 288**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 3334 3721 3244 HCP 10 8 18 4 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +480



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**Board 289**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

N

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S

♠ K J 7 3
♥ A Q 10
♦ Q J 8
♣ K 5 4

Shape 4450 4333 4333 1327 HCP 9 1 16 14 Losers 7 12 7 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♣	Dbl	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 290**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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



Shape 1444 3532 6034 3433 HCP 10 4 19 7 Losers 7 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♣

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♣ by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 291**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4405 1543 3172 5323 HCP 11 9 18 2 Losers 6 7 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

C9BC812912A45E56C045103CF189

**Board 292**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4450 3433 4225 2335 HCP 10 2 16 12 Losers 6 12 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♣			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♣× by West			
Down 2 — NS +500			

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**Board 293**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4450 2137 3622 4234 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 5 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	4 ♥
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !H
4. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

C9A12FB9F3EE1D261E51DC97D483

**Board 294**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 1633 4414 4252 HCP 12 0 21 7 Losers 7 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1010

CB8D29979A45C85FDD74E37B7A86

**Board 295**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 1444 5413 4234 3352 HCP 11 4 21 4 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♣ by South
- Made 7 — NS +1390

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**Board 296**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4414 2443 3352 4234 HCP 15 0 19 6 Losers 5 11 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
- 6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990



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**Board 297**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4414 4252 3352 2425 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 8 8 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 298**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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



Shape 4414 6313 2254 1462 HCP 10 11 17 2 Losers 8 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Dbl	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♣

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♣ by South  
Made 5 — NS +150

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**Board 299**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5440 3613 3235 2155 HCP 10 10 16 4 Losers 6 7 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	2 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

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**Board 300**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4441 4234 2425 3343 HCP 11 6 16 7 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

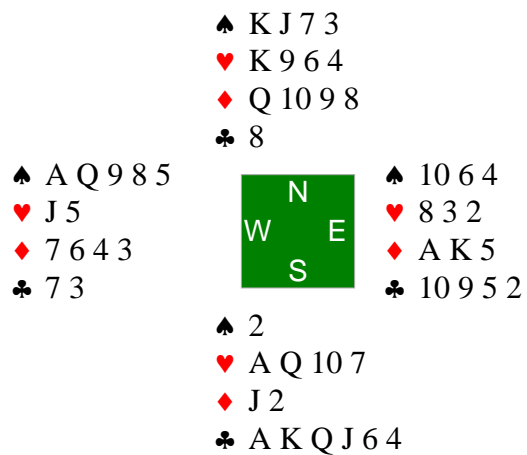
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 301**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4441 3334 1426 5242 HCP 9 7 17 7 Losers 7 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

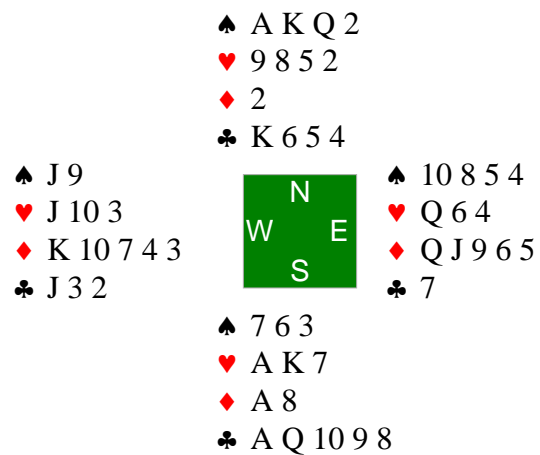
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 302**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4414 4351 3325 2353 HCP 12 5 17 6 Losers 6 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 6 ♣ by South  
Made 7 — NS +940

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**Board 303**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4414 0373 5314 4342 HCP 10 8 16 6 Losers 8 6 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

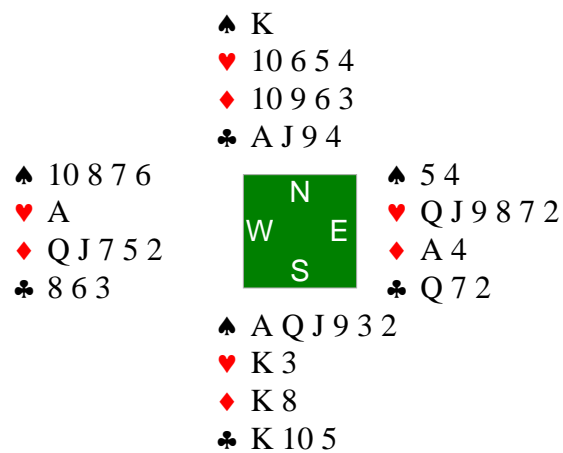
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 304**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 1444 2623 6223 4153 HCP 8 9 16 7 Losers 9 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♥	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +170



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**Board 305**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 2443 4432 3424 HCP 8 4 18 10 Losers 8 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 4 ♠ by South  
Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 306**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4054 5341 2533 2515 HCP 9 7 18 6 Losers 6 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ by North

Made 5 — NS +600

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**Board 307**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4540 3424 4423 2056 HCP 10 1 18 11 Losers 6 11 6 4

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
2 NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Dbl	Rdbl <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2 NT

3. limit raise or better in !H

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 308**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4441 3541 2227 4234 HCP 9 6 18 7 Losers 7 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 309**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A 7
♥ A Q 10
♦ A K Q J 7 5 2
♣ 10



Shape 4504 3055 2371 4513 HCP 11 7 20 2 Losers 5 7 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 310**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4045 5602 3451 1345 HCP 12 4 18 6 Losers 6 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

6 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 311**

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

W

N

S

E



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

Shape 4144 3433 4432 2434 HCP 11 9 16 4 Losers 6 9 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♠ by North
- Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 312**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 4234 3712 2353 HCP 8 9 17 6 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by North  
Made 5 — NS +450



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**Board 313**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4441 4333 3433 2236 HCP 8 5 17 10 Losers 8 11 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

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**Board 314**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 4423 1642 4234 HCP 10 1 17 12 Losers 7 11 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

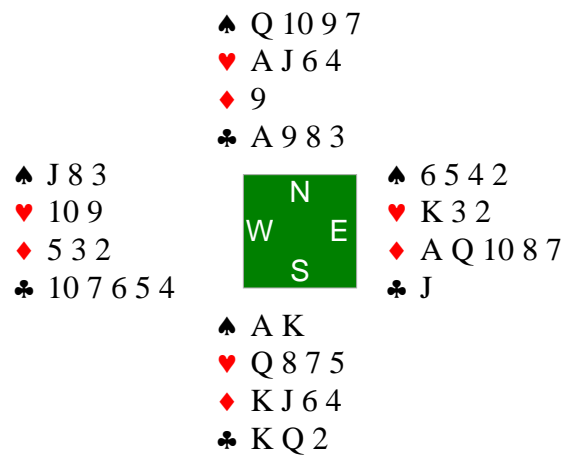
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 5 ♦ by South  
Made 5 — NS +400

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**Board 315**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4414 4351 2443 3235 HCP 11 10 18 1 Losers 7 7 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

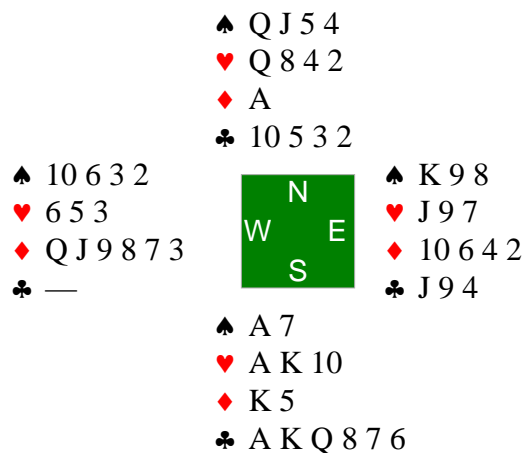
1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South  
Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 316**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4414 3343 2326 4360 HCP 9 5 23 3 Losers 7 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
  5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  6. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 317**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 3424 2236 4342 HCP 9 8 17 6 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

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**Board 318**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4144 2434 3532 4333 HCP 8 3 19 10 Losers 8 11 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 319**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4144 3532 2353 4414 HCP 8 7 21 4 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
  2. artificial
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 320**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 7 6 4
♥ J 5 4
♦ K Q 9
♣ K 9 3

♠ K 10
♥ A 9 6 3
♦ A 7 4
♣ A Q J 6

Shape 4414 4333 2434 3262 HCP 9 9 18 4 Losers 8 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
  2. any 4441
  3. artificial ask
  4. artificial
- 4 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +480

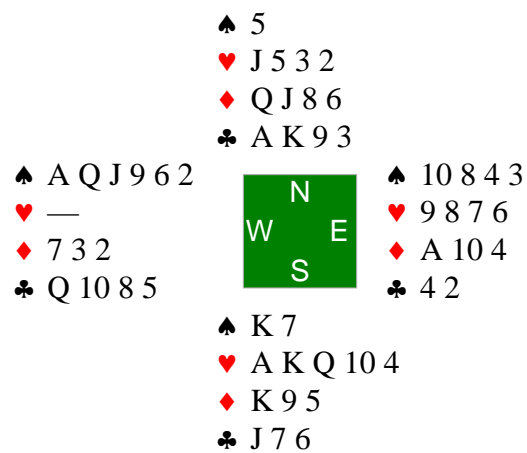


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**Board 321**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1444 4432 2533 6034 HCP 11 4 16 9 Losers 7 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♠	Dbl	4 ♠	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP  
4 ♠× by West  
Down 1 — NS +100

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**Board 322**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4441 5233 2533 2236 HCP 10 8 16 6 Losers 7 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

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**Board 323**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 1336 5431 3532 HCP 8 10 19 3 Losers 8 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. Cue bid, surplus

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for !S

7. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430