

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 1	♠ 876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10963	
Vul: NS	♦ 3	
HCP: 7	♣ K1098	

Partner bids first.

Board: 2	♠ 94	West Bids 2♦ if possible. East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ84	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ10	
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ8	

You bid first.

Board: 3	♠ 1032	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ10643	
Vul: NS	♦ 103	
HCP: 3	♣ 53	

Partner bids first.

Board: 4	♠ AQ87	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ J872	
HCP: 16	♣ Q86	

You bid first.

Board: 5	♠ 104	East Bids 2♣ if possible. West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K52	
Vul: Both	♦ 10932	
HCP: 3	♣ 10643	

Partner bids first.

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Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 876	♠ KQ103				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A10963	♥ Q5	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 3	♦ AQJ7	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ K1098	♣ QJ3				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 94	♠ 1085		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ KJ84	♥ 109	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ10	♦ 542	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
South HCP: 3	♣ AQJ8	♣ K10532				
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1032	♠ KQ9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ10643	♥ A82	Pass	2♦	3♣	Pass
North HCP: 3	♦ 103	♦ Q65	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 53	♣ KJ62				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ87	♠ J5		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 9852	Pass	X	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ J872	♦ Q9	1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			
South HCP: 8	♣ Q86	♣ AJ532				
Contract: 2♥ X E						

Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 104	♠ A5				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K52	♥ J104	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 3	♦ 10932	♦ AKQJ	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 17	♣ 10643	♣ Q975	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
Contract: 2♠ W						

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Board: 1	♠ KQ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ3	

Board: 2	♠ 1085	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 542	
HCP: 3	♣ K10532	Partner bids first.

Board: 3	♠ KQ9	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A82	
Vul: NS	♦ Q65	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ62	

Board: 4	♠ J5	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9852	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ532	

Board: 5	♠ A5	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J104	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ	
HCP: 17	♣ Q975	You bid first.

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Board: 1	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 876	♠ KQ103				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A10963	♥ Q5	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 3	♦ AQJ7	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ K1098	♣ QJ3				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 2	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 94	♠ 1085				
Vul: EW	♥ KJ84	♥ 109		1NT	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ10	♦ 542	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
South HCP: 3	♣ AQJ8	♣ K10532	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 3	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1032	♠ KQ9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ10643	♥ A82	Pass	2♦	3♣	Pass
North HCP: 3	♦ 103	♦ Q65	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 53	♣ KJ62				
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 4	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ87	♠ J5				
Vul: EW	♥ AK	♥ 9852		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ J872	♦ Q9	Pass	X	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ Q86	♣ AJ532	1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			
Contract: 2♥ X E						

Board: 5	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 104	♠ A5				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K52	♥ J104	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 3	♦ 10932	♦ AKQJ	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 17	♣ 10643	♣ Q975	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
Contract: 2♠ W						

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Board: 6	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	
Vul: None	♦ QJ62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ87	

Board: 7	♠ 874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: Both	♦ 953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ KJ842	

Board: 8	♠ KJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: None	♦ K532	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ6	

Board: 9	♠ J106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ942	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J73	

Board: 10	♠ KQ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ A983	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K98	

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Board: 6	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ J83	
Vul: None	♥ 63	♥ 8742	West North East South
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ62	♦ K10875	1NT AP
South HCP: 4	♣ AKQ87	♣ 9	
Contract: 1N N			

Board: 7	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 874	♠ AQ9	
Vul: Both	♥ Q10	♥ AK7	West North East South
North HCP: 6	♦ 953	♦ K10862	1NT
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ842	♣ 93	AP
Contract: 1N S			

Board: 8	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ KJ74	♠ 982	
Vul: None	♥ A8	♥ Q9654	West North East South
North HCP: 17	♦ K532	♦ 8	1NT Pass 2♦
South HCP: 3	♣ AQ6	♣ J743	Pass 2♥ AP
Contract: 2♥ N			

Board: 9	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ J106	♠ 75	
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ942	♥ A3	West North East South
North HCP: 8	♦ 2	♦ AK96	Pass 4♦ ¹ Pass 4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ J73	♣ KQ942	AP
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Texas

Board: 10	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ KQ54	♠ 972	
Vul: None	♥ K8	♥ Q74	West North East South
North HCP: 15	♦ A983	♦ KJ76	1NT Pass 3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K98	♣ AQ5	AP
Contract: 3N N			

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Board: 6	♠ J83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8742	
Vul: None	♦ K10875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 9	

Board: 7	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK7	
Vul: Both	♦ K10862	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 93	

Board: 8	♠ 982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9654	
Vul: None	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J743	

Board: 9	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ AK96	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ942	

Board: 10	♠ 972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q74	
Vul: None	♦ KJ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ5	

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Board: 6	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ J83	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ 63	♥ 8742	1NT AP
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ62	♦ K10875	
South HCP: 4	♣ AKQ87	♣ 9	
Contract: 1N N			

Board: 7	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 874	♠ AQ9	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ Q10	♥ AK7	1NT
North HCP: 6	♦ 953	♦ K10862	AP
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ842	♣ 93	
Contract: 1N S			

Board: 8	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ KJ74	♠ 982	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ A8	♥ Q9654	1NT Pass 2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ K532	♦ 8	Pass 2♥ AP
South HCP: 3	♣ AQ6	♣ J743	
Contract: 2♥ N			

Board: 9	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ J106	♠ 75	West North East South
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ942	♥ A3	1NT
North HCP: 8	♦ 2	♦ AK96	Pass 4♦ ¹ Pass 4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ J73	♣ KQ942	AP
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Texas

Board: 10	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ KQ54	♠ 972	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ K8	♥ Q74	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A983	♦ KJ76	AP
South HCP: 12	♣ K98	♣ AQ5	
Contract: 3N N			

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Board: 11	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A92	
Vul: NS	♦ K10854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ2	
Board: 12	♠ AJ86	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KQ94	
HCP: 15	♣ A93	You bid first.
Board: 13	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ 108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ1086542	
Board: 14	♠ KQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K98	
Vul: NS	♦ A108	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K863	
Board: 15	♠ A	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J10875	
Vul: EW	♦ 1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A1042	

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Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ AQJ3				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A92	♥ KQ105	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ K10854	♦ Q92	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ2	♣ J8	1. Gerber, for N			
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ86	♠ 4			1NT	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ J10	♥ 8763			Pass	Pass
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ94	♦ 107532	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
South HCP: 0	♣ A93	♣ 1065	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A5	♠ K64				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ K842				
North HCP: 9	♦ 108	♦ AJ95	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KQ1086542	♣ AJ				
Contract: 5♣ N						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ6	♠ A852			1NT	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ K98	♥ AQ1032	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ A108	♦ J532	Pass	4♥	AP	3♠ ²
South HCP: 11	♣ K863	♣ —	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ Q94				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J10875	♥ AKQ43	Pass	2♦	2♥ ¹	3♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 1084	♦ KQ6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A1042	♣ 73	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♥ S						

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Board: 11	♠ AQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ105	
Vul: NS	♦ Q92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J8	

Board: 12	♠ 4	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 8763	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 107532	
HCP: 0	♣ 1065	Partner bids first.

Board: 13	♠ K64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K842	
Vul: None	♦ AJ95	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

Board: 14	♠ A852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1032	
Vul: NS	♦ J532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	

Board: 15	♠ Q94	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ43	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 73	

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Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ AQJ3				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A92	♥ KQ105	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ K10854	♦ Q92	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ2	♣ J8	1. Gerber, for N			
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ86	♠ 4			1NT	Pass
Vul: EW	♥ J10	♥ 8763			Pass	Pass
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ94	♦ 107532	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
South HCP: 0	♣ A93	♣ 1065	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A5	♠ K64				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ K842				
North HCP: 9	♦ 108	♦ AJ95	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KQ1086542	♣ AJ				
Contract: 5♣ N						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ6	♠ A852			1NT	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ K98	♥ AQ1032	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ A108	♦ J532	Pass	4♥	AP	3♠ ²
South HCP: 11	♣ K863	♣ —	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. SMOLEN			

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ Q94				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J10875	♥ AKQ43	Pass	2♦	2♥ ¹	3♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 1084	♦ KQ6	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A1042	♣ 73	1. Michaels Cuebid			
Contract: 4♥ S						

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Board: 16	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q963	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1053	

Board: 17	♠ J86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ95	
Vul: NS	♦ 10987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ	

Board: 18	♠ A108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ J43	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK865	

Board: 19	♠ 875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1084	
Vul: Both	♦ 1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ K64	

Board: 20	♠ A10743	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ2	
HCP: 16	♣ A5	You bid first.

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Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K9	♠ J82		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q963	♥ 87				
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ	♦ 10963	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ K1053	♣ AQJ8				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 17	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ AKQ2				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ KJ95	♥ 10642	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 10987	♦ K2	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ	♣ A92				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Stayman			

Board: 18	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A108	♠ 654		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K10	♥ QJ32	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J43	♦ A10862	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AK865	♣ J				
Contract: 2N N			1. Stayman			

Board: 19	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 875	♠ A94				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J1084	♥ AQ932				
North HCP: 4	♦ 1083	♦ KQ4	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K64	♣ 97				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 20	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10743	♠ KJ62		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: None	♥ KJ2	♥ Q	2♥ ¹	X	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ2	♦ 854	Pass	Pass	3♥	X
South HCP: 7	♣ A5	♣ J10983	Pass	3♠	AP	
Contract: 3♠ S			1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			

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Board: 16	♠ J82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 87	
Vul: Both	♦ 10963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQJ8	

Board: 17	♠ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10642	
Vul: NS	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A92	

Board: 18	♠ 654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ32	
Vul: EW	♦ A10862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J	

Board: 19	♠ A94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ932	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 97	

Board: 20	♠ KJ62	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 854	
HCP: 7	♣ J10983	Partner bids first.

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Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K9	♠ J82		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q963	♥ 87				
North HCP: 17	♦ AKQ	♦ 10963	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ K1053	♣ AQJ8				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 17	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ AKQ2				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ KJ95	♥ 10642	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 10987	♦ K2	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ	♣ A92				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Stayman			

Board: 18	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A108	♠ 654		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K10	♥ QJ32	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J43	♦ A10862	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ AK865	♣ J				
Contract: 2N N			1. Stayman			

Board: 19	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 875	♠ A94				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J1084	♥ AQ932				
North HCP: 4	♦ 1083	♦ KQ4	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K64	♣ 97				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 20	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10743	♠ KJ62		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: None	♥ KJ2	♥ Q	2♥ ¹	X	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ2	♦ 854	Pass	Pass	3♥	X
South HCP: 7	♣ A5	♣ J10983	Pass	3♠	AP	
Contract: 3♠ S			1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			

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Board: 21	♠ Q96	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 1063	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q8	
HCP: 7	♣ QJ542	Partner bids first.

Board: 22	♠ A74	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ432	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 62	
HCP: 16	♣ AK5	You bid first.

Board: 23	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108632	
Vul: None	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ AJ1096	

Board: 24	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K54	
Vul: NS	♦ Q106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ105	

Board: 25	♠ 1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 1072	

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Board: 21	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q96	♠ A5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 1063	♥ A42	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ Q8	♦ KJ432	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ542	♣ A97				
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 22	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A74	♠ 1053		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ KQ432	♥ 109	2♥	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ 62	♦ KJ104	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 5	♣ AK5	♣ J982				
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 23	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ AJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 108632	♥ Q97	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ Q7	♦ AJ1086	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ1096	♣ K87				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ2	♠ 1098763		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ K54	♥ 10873	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q106	♦ 53				
South HCP: 0	♣ AQ105	♣ 2				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1074	♠ A3				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 92	♥ KQ105	AP			
North HCP: 6	♦ AQ1075	♦ K983				
South HCP: 16	♣ 1072	♣ A95				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 21	♠ A5	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A42	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ432	
HCP: 16	♣ A97	You bid first.
Board: 22	♠ 1053	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ104	
HCP: 5	♣ J982	Partner bids first.
Board: 23	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q97	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1086	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K87	
Board: 24	♠ 1098763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10873	
Vul: NS	♦ 53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 0	♣ 2	
Board: 25	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ K983	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A95	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q96	♠ A5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 1063	♥ A42	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
North HCP: 7	♦ Q8	♦ KJ432	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ542	♣ A97				
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 22	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A74	♠ 1053		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ KQ432	♥ 109	2♥	AP		
North HCP: 16	♦ 62	♦ KJ104	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 5	♣ AK5	♣ J982				
Contract: 2♥ W						

Board: 23	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ AJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 108632	♥ Q97	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ Q7	♦ AJ1086	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ1096	♣ K87				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ2	♠ 1098763		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ K54	♥ 10873	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q106	♦ 53				
South HCP: 0	♣ AQ105	♣ 2				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1074	♠ A3				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 92	♥ KQ105	AP			
North HCP: 6	♦ AQ1075	♦ K983				
South HCP: 16	♣ 1072	♣ A95				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 26	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 106	
Vul: None	♦ AJ862	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK3	

Board: 27	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A72	

Board: 28	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K852	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A96	

Board: 29	♠ K	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	
Vul: Both	♦ 98742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ843	

Board: 30	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ753	
Vul: NS	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ4	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 2N N

North:
 ♠ A63
 ♥ 106
 ♦ AJ862
 ♣ AK3

South:
 ♠ K84
 ♥ A9873
 ♦ Q4
 ♣ 962

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

Board: 27
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ J8
 ♥ 96
 ♦ AQJ532
 ♣ A72

South:
 ♠ K10764
 ♥ A4
 ♦ K64
 ♣ KQJ

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 28
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 43
 ♥ K852
 ♦ AKJ5
 ♣ A96

South:
 ♠ Q108
 ♥ 10
 ♦ 63
 ♣ KQ85432

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 29
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:
 ♠ K
 ♥ 93
 ♦ 98742
 ♣ AJ843

South:
 ♠ AQJ10
 ♥ Q102
 ♦ KJ6
 ♣ K96

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2♥ ¹	Pass	Pass	X
Pass	3♦	AP	
1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			

Board: 30
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 5
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AK7
 ♥ KQ753
 ♦ 76
 ♣ QJ4

South:
 ♠ 854
 ♥ J98
 ♦ A52
 ♣ 10963

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 26	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9873	
Vul: None	♦ Q4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 962	
Board: 27	♠ K10764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: NS	♦ K64	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ	
Board: 28	♠ Q108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ 63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ KQ85432	
Board: 29	♠ AQJ10	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q102	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K96	
Board: 30	♠ 854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J98	
Vul: NS	♦ A52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 10963	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A63	♠ K84		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ 106	♥ A9873	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ862	♦ Q4	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK3	♣ 962				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ K10764				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 96	♥ A4	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 12	♦ AQJ532	♦ K64				
South HCP: 16	♣ A72	♣ KQJ				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 43	♠ Q108		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ K852	♥ 10	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ5	♦ 63				
South HCP: 7	♣ A96	♣ KQ85432				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ AQJ10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 93	♥ Q102	2♥ ¹	Pass	Pass	X
North HCP: 8	♦ 98742	♦ KJ6	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ843	♣ K96	1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK7	♠ 854				
Vul: NS	♥ KQ753	♥ J98		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 76	♦ A52				
South HCP: 5	♣ QJ4	♣ 10963				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 31	♠ QJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10752	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 5	

Board: 32	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A10432	

Board: 33	♠ 732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 876	
Vul: None	♦ 10654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ K43	

Board: 34	♠ AQ63	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KQ2	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ62	You bid first.

Board: 35	♠ KJ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 1053	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ102	♠ 954				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 10752	♥ J8	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8	♦ AJ53	♦ KQ98	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 5	♣ AKQ10	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 32	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ K1075				
Vul: Both	♥ A7	♥ QJ109643		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ62	♦ —	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A10432	♣ J6	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 732	♠ AQ64				
Vul: None	♥ 876	♥ Q102				1NT
North HCP: 3	♦ 10654	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ K43	♣ Q106				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 34	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ63	♠ 1072				
Vul: EW	♥ 53	♥ K92		1NT	2♦ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ2	♦ 1076	2♥ ²	AP		
South HCP: 7	♣ KQ62	♣ A1087	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 2♥ W			2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ63	♠ AQ74				
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ AQ96				1NT
North HCP: 6	♦ Q10542	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 1053	♣ Q7				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 31	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ10	
Board: 32	♠ K1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ109643	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J6	
Board: 33	♠ AQ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q102	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q106	
Board: 34	♠ 1072	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K92	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 1076	
HCP: 7	♣ A1087	Partner bids first.
Board: 35	♠ AQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ96	
Vul: Both	♦ K97	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q7	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ102	♠ 954				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 10752	♥ J8	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 8	♦ AJ53	♦ KQ98	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 5	♣ AKQ10	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 32	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ K1075				
Vul: Both	♥ A7	♥ QJ109643		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ62	♦ —	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A10432	♣ J6	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 732	♠ AQ64				
Vul: None	♥ 876	♥ Q102				1NT
North HCP: 3	♦ 10654	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ K43	♣ Q106				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 34	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ63	♠ 1072				
Vul: EW	♥ 53	♥ K92		1NT	2♦ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ2	♦ 1076	2♥ ²	AP		
South HCP: 7	♣ KQ62	♣ A1087	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 2♥ W			2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ63	♠ AQ74				
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ AQ96				1NT
North HCP: 6	♦ Q10542	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 1053	♣ Q7				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 36	♠ K854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q95	
Vul: None	♦ AQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A43	

Board: 37	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10843	
Vul: NS	♦ Q107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 1092	

Board: 38	♠ KJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q96	
Vul: Both	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ92	

Board: 39	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K65	
Vul: None	♦ 976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A9873	

Board: 40	♠ AKJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J1094	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ K854
♥ Q95
♦ AQ9
♣ A43

South:
♠ A
♥ A842
♦ J52
♣ KQJ102

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Stayman			

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 16
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ KQ3
♥ 10843
♦ Q107
♣ 1092

South:
♠ A42
♥ 72
♦ AKJ9
♣ A864

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ KJ5
♥ Q96
♦ 76
♣ AKQ92

South:
♠ AQ963
♥ K854
♦ J53
♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ ²
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. SMOLEN			

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 109
♥ K65
♦ 976
♣ A9873

South:
♠ KQ52
♥ QJ73
♦ AJ
♣ KJ4

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 40
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AKJ8
♥ KJ10
♦ Q5
♣ J1094

South:
♠ 952
♥ 8753
♦ 1064
♣ AKQ

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

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 36	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A842	
Vul: None	♦ J52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ102	

Board: 37	♠ A42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A864	

Board: 38	♠ AQ963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K854	
Vul: Both	♦ J53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 5	

Board: 39	♠ KQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ73	
Vul: None	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ4	

Board: 40	♠ 952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8753	
Vul: EW	♦ 1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AKQ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ K854
♥ Q95
♦ AQ9
♣ A43

South:
♠ A
♥ A842
♦ J52
♣ KQJ102

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Stayman			

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 16
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ KQ3
♥ 10843
♦ Q107
♣ 1092

South:
♠ A42
♥ 72
♦ AKJ9
♣ A864

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ KJ5
♥ Q96
♦ 76
♣ AKQ92

South:
♠ AQ963
♥ K854
♦ J53
♣ 5

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥ ²
Pass	4♠	AP	
1. Stayman			
2. SMOLEN			

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 109
♥ K65
♦ 976
♣ A9873

South:
♠ KQ52
♥ QJ73
♦ AJ
♣ KJ4

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 40
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AKJ8
♥ KJ10
♦ Q5
♣ J1094

South:
♠ 952
♥ 8753
♦ 1064
♣ AKQ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 41	♠ 742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K954	
Vul: None	♦ J983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J6	

Board: 42	♠ AKQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ6	
Vul: NS	♦ 107	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 9764	

Board: 43	♠ J1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 984	
Vul: EW	♦ AK87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 54	

Board: 44	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q763	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ3	

Board: 45	♠ J10752	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 98	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ Q852	West Bids 2NT if possible.
HCP: 3	♣ 82	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
		West Bids 4♥ if possible.
		Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 41	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ 742	♠ A9	West	North	East	South
Vul: None	♥ K954	♥ A1086				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ J983	♦ KQ106	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J6	♣ K109				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 42	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ6	♠ 72		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ6	♥ 953				
North HCP: 15	♦ 107	♦ AQ9853	Pass	3♦ ²	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ 9764	♣ 32	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
Contract: 3♦ N			2. automat			

Board: 43	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1083	♠ AQ7				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 984	♥ KQ76	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ AK87	♦ Q9	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 54	♣ K1097	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 44	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ 1097	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ Q763	♥ A85		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ98	♦ A76	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AJ3	♣ Q985				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10752	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 98	♥ 103	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	Pass
North HCP: 3	♦ Q852	♦ KJ1064	2NT	Pass	3♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ 82	♣ KQJ3	4♥	AP		
Contract: 4♥ E			1. Multi-Landy, Multi			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 41	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1086	
Vul: None	♦ KQ106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K109	

Board: 42	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 953	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ9853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 32	

Board: 43	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ76	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K1097	

Board: 44	♠ 1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A85	
Vul: Both	♦ A76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q985	

Board: 45	♠ AQ	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 103	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1064	West Bids 2NT if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ3	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
		West Bids 4♥ if possible.
		You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 41	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 742	♠ A9				1NT
Vul: None	♥ K954	♥ A1086				
North HCP: 5	♦ J983	♦ KQ106	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J6	♣ K109				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 42	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ6	♠ 72		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ6	♥ 953	Pass	3♦ ²	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 107	♦ AQ9853	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 6	♣ 9764	♣ 32	2. automat			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 43	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1083	♠ AQ7				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 984	♥ KQ76	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ AK87	♦ Q9	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 54	♣ K1097	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 44	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K3	♠ 1097		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q763	♥ A85				
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ98	♦ A76	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AJ3	♣ Q985				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10752	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 98	♥ 103	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠	Pass
North HCP: 3	♦ Q852	♦ KJ1064	2NT	Pass	3♥	Pass
South HCP: 16	♣ 82	♣ KQJ3	4♥	AP		
Contract: 4♥ E			1. Multi-Landy, Multi			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 46	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K106	
Vul: EW	♦ A1076	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ93	

Board: 47	♠ QJ1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK965	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 95	

Board: 48	♠ AK843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 952	
Vul: None	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J3	

Board: 49	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J987	
Vul: Both	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 932	

Board: 50	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ73	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10985	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ Q106542		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K106	♥ 82				
North HCP: 15	♦ A1076	♦ QJ	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ93	♣ A82	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ1042	♠ A76				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK965	♥ Q3	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 8	♦ A62	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 95	♣ AQ1074	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK843	♠ 7		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ 952	♥ KQ1043	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ AK6	♦ J10	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 12	♣ J3	♣ AQ764	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N			AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1087	♠ Q3				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J987	♥ AK102				
North HCP: 7	♦ Q8	♦ A94	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 932	♣ QJ74				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ AQ10642		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ AQ73	♥ J9				
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ	♦ Q102	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ 10985	♣ A3	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 46	♠ Q106542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A82	

Board: 47	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: Both	♦ A62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ1074	

Board: 48	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1043	
Vul: None	♦ J10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ764	

Board: 49	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK102	
Vul: Both	♦ A94	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ74	

Board: 50	♠ AQ10642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: None	♦ Q102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A3	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ Q106542		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ K106	♥ 82				
North HCP: 15	♦ A1076	♦ QJ	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ KJ93	♣ A82	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ1042	♠ A76				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AK965	♥ Q3	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 8	♦ A62	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 95	♣ AQ1074	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK843	♠ 7		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ 952	♥ KQ1043	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ AK6	♦ J10	Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 12	♣ J3	♣ AQ764	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
Contract: 6♥ N			AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1087	♠ Q3				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J987	♥ AK102				
North HCP: 7	♦ Q8	♦ A94	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 932	♣ QJ74				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ AQ10642		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ AQ73	♥ J9				
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ	♦ Q102	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ 10985	♣ A3	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 51	♠ J986	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 984	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J754	
HCP: 3	♣ J9	Partner bids first.
Board: 52	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ832	
Vul: Both	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K76	
Board: 53	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ732	
Vul: None	♦ 105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 10954	
Board: 54	♠ A73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ A64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A1086	
Board: 55	♠ 87	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K106	
Vul: None	♦ KQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7543	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J986	♠ Q10				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 984	♥ KQ62	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²	AP
North HCP: 3	♦ J754	♦ AK32	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
South HCP: 16	♣ J9	♣ Q52	2. to the partner's longer			
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q8	♠ AKJ54		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ QJ832	♥ 1065	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AK4	♦ 32	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ K76	♣ J32				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J2	♠ A3				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ732	♥ AK10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 4	♦ 105	♦ KQ86	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 10954	♣ J732				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A73	♠ 52		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQ8	♥ J9543	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ A64	♦ Q1085				
South HCP: 4	♣ A1086	♣ J3				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 55	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 87	♠ J53				1NT
Vul: None	♥ K106	♥ AQ83	2♦ ¹	2NT ²	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ8	♦ A7	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A7543	♣ KQ62	Pass	5♣	AP	
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
			2. Lebensohl after 1NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 51	♠ Q10	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ62	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK32	
HCP: 16	♣ Q52	You bid first.

Board: 52	♠ AKJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1065	
Vul: Both	♦ 32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J32	

Board: 53	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ86	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J732	

Board: 54	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9543	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1085	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ J3	

Board: 55	♠ J53	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: None	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ62	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J986	♠ Q10				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 984	♥ KQ62	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²	AP
North HCP: 3	♦ J754	♦ AK32	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
South HCP: 16	♣ J9	♣ Q52	2. to the partner's longer			
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q8	♠ AKJ54		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ QJ832	♥ 1065	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AK4	♦ 32	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ K76	♣ J32				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J2	♠ A3				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ732	♥ AK10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 4	♦ 105	♦ KQ86	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 10954	♣ J732				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A73	♠ 52		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQ8	♥ J9543	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ A64	♦ Q1085				
South HCP: 4	♣ A1086	♣ J3				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 55	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 87	♠ J53				1NT
Vul: None	♥ K106	♥ AQ83	2♦ ¹	2NT ²	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ8	♦ A7	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A7543	♣ KQ62	Pass	5♣	AP	
Contract: 5♣ S			1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
			2. Lebensohl after 1NT			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 56	♠ AQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8732	
Vul: NS	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ8	
Board: 57	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q832	
Vul: EW	♦ J1085	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q32	
Board: 58	♠ AJ43	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 104	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ43	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK3	
Board: 59	♠ 107642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A92	
Vul: NS	♦ J963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 8	
Board: 60	♠ J84	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A73	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 56
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 2♠ N

North:
 ♠ AQ8
 ♥ 8732
 ♦ K8
 ♣ AQJ8

South:
 ♠ J6532
 ♥ 10
 ♦ Q10764
 ♣ 64

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

Board: 57
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ 87
 ♥ Q832
 ♦ J1085
 ♣ Q32

South:
 ♠ K942
 ♥ A96
 ♦ AQ3
 ♣ KJ5

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 58
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AJ43
 ♥ 104
 ♦ AJ43
 ♣ AK3

South:
 ♠ K10762
 ♥ K
 ♦ K108
 ♣ J1082

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 59
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 2♠ S

North:
 ♠ 107642
 ♥ A92
 ♦ J963
 ♣ 8

South:
 ♠ AK5
 ♥ K105
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ AJ95

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

Board: 60
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 2
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ J84
 ♥ KJ2
 ♦ AQ93
 ♣ A73

South:
 ♠ Q952
 ♥ 10987643
 ♦ 8
 ♣ 8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	4♦ ²
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP
 2. Texas

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 56	♠ J6532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: NS	♦ Q10764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 64	
Board: 57	♠ K942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ5	
Board: 58	♠ K10762	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ K108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J1082	
Board: 59	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K105	
Vul: NS	♦ Q102	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ95	
Board: 60	♠ Q952	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 10987643	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ 8	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 56
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 2♠ N

North:
 ♠ AQ8
 ♥ 8732
 ♦ K8
 ♣ AQJ8

South:
 ♠ J6532
 ♥ 10
 ♦ Q10764
 ♣ 64

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

Board: 57
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ 87
 ♥ Q832
 ♦ J1085
 ♣ Q32

South:
 ♠ K942
 ♥ A96
 ♦ AQ3
 ♣ KJ5

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 58
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AJ43
 ♥ 104
 ♦ AJ43
 ♣ AK3

South:
 ♠ K10762
 ♥ K
 ♦ K108
 ♣ J1082

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 59
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 2♠ S

North:
 ♠ 107642
 ♥ A92
 ♦ J963
 ♣ 8

South:
 ♠ AK5
 ♥ K105
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ AJ95

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

Board: 60
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 2
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ J84
 ♥ KJ2
 ♦ AQ93
 ♣ A73

South:
 ♠ Q952
 ♥ 10987643
 ♦ 8
 ♣ 8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	4♦ ²
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP
 2. Texas

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 61	♠ K9	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ543	
Vul: Both	♦ Q862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 85	

Board: 62	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K865	
Vul: None	♦ AQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ62	

Board: 63	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 985	
Vul: Both	♦ 7652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 0	♣ 10732	

Board: 64	♠ KJ93	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q63	
Vul: None	♦ Q8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ8	

Board: 65	♠ J1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ6542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 86	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 61
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ K9
♥ KJ543
♦ Q862
♣ 85

South:
♠ A872
♥ AQ82
♦ 75
♣ AK7

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	X	2NT ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 62
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A2
♥ K865
♦ AQ9
♣ QJ62

South:
♠ J653
♥ AQJ7
♦ J7
♣ 1098

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

1. Stayman

Board: 63
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 0
South HCP: 17
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 96
♥ 985
♦ 7652
♣ 10732

South:
♠ A43
♥ AJ62
♦ A983
♣ KJ

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 64
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 3
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ KJ93
♥ Q63
♦ Q8
♣ AKQ8

South:
♠ Q108
♥ 974
♦ 3
♣ J107432

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	2♠ ²
Pass	3♣ ³	AP	

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP
2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
3. automat

Board: 65
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♦ S

North:
♠ J1073
♥ 8
♦ AQ6542
♣ 86

South:
♠ AKQ9
♥ 632
♦ K10
♣ AJ74

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 61	♠ A872	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ82	
Vul: Both	♦ 75	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK7	
Board: 62	♠ J653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ7	
Vul: None	♦ J7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 1098	
Board: 63	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ62	
Vul: Both	♦ A983	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ	
Board: 64	♠ Q108	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 974	
Vul: None	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J107432	
Board: 65	♠ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 632	
Vul: Both	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ74	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 61
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ K9
♥ KJ543
♦ Q862
♣ 85

South:
♠ A872
♥ AQ82
♦ 75
♣ AK7

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♦	X	2NT ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 62
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A2
♥ K865
♦ AQ9
♣ QJ62

South:
♠ J653
♥ AQJ7
♦ J7
♣ 1098

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

1. Stayman

Board: 63
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 0
South HCP: 17
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 96
♥ 985
♦ 7652
♣ 10732

South:
♠ A43
♥ AJ62
♦ A983
♣ KJ

West	North	East	South
			1NT
			AP

Board: 64
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 3
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ KJ93
♥ Q63
♦ Q8
♣ AKQ8

South:
♠ Q108
♥ 974
♦ 3
♣ J107432

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	2♠ ²
Pass	3♣ ³	AP	

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP
2. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
3. automat

Board: 65
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♦ S

North:
♠ J1073
♥ 8
♦ AQ6542
♣ 86

South:
♠ AKQ9
♥ 632
♦ K10
♣ AJ74

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 66	♠ AK65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: None	♦ 85	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K432	

Board: 67	♠ Q652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ82	
Vul: EW	♦ Q102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q6	

Board: 68	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ6	
Vul: None	♦ J9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 642	

Board: 69	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10942	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q7	

Board: 70	♠ 754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ42	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK43	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 66
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 5
Contract: 2♥ N

North:
♠ AK65
♥ AQ3
♦ 85
♣ K432

South:
♠ 982
♥ 107642
♦ 104
♣ AJ8

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

Board: 67
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ Q652
♥ KJ82
♦ Q102
♣ Q6

South:
♠ A103
♥ A7
♦ AKJ8
♣ J752

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

1. Stayman

Board: 68
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KQ8
♥ AKQJ6
♦ J9
♣ 642

South:
♠ J7
♥ 932
♦ KQ5
♣ AQ973

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 69
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ —
♥ AJ10942
♦ KJ652
♣ Q7

South:
♠ AJ93
♥ K6
♦ AQ8
♣ J653

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Texas

Board: 70
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 10
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 754
♥ AJ42
♦ A3
♣ AK43

South:
♠ A983
♥ 6
♦ KQJ52
♣ 862

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

1. Splinter

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 66	♠ 982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 107642	
Vul: None	♦ 104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ AJ8	

Board: 67	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J752	

Board: 68	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 932	
Vul: None	♦ KQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ973	

Board: 69	♠ AJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J653	

Board: 70	♠ A983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 862	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 66
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 5
 Contract: 2♥ N

North:
 ♠ AK65
 ♥ AQ3
 ♦ 85
 ♣ K432

South:
 ♠ 982
 ♥ 107642
 ♦ 104
 ♣ AJ8

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

Board: 67
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ Q652
 ♥ KJ82
 ♦ Q102
 ♣ Q6

South:
 ♠ A103
 ♥ A7
 ♦ AKJ8
 ♣ J752

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

1. Stayman

Board: 68
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ KQ8
 ♥ AKQJ6
 ♦ J9
 ♣ 642

South:
 ♠ J7
 ♥ 932
 ♦ KQ5
 ♣ AQ973

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 69
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ —
 ♥ AJ10942
 ♦ KJ652
 ♣ Q7

South:
 ♠ AJ93
 ♥ K6
 ♦ AQ8
 ♣ J653

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Texas

Board: 70
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 754
 ♥ AJ42
 ♦ A3
 ♣ AK43

South:
 ♠ A983
 ♥ 6
 ♦ KQJ52
 ♣ 862

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

1. Splinter

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 71	♠ Q9863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 876	
Vul: Both	♦ K102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 94	

Board: 72	♠ AK107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 873	
Vul: NS	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ82	

Board: 73	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ83	
Vul: Both	♦ 10654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 1084	

Board: 74	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK2	
Vul: None	♦ 1065	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ986	

Board: 75	♠ 8654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J987	
Vul: EW	♦ J84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ 97	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q9863	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 876	♥ A105	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 5	♦ K102	♦ A8653	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 94	♣ KJ7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 72	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK107	♠ Q84				
Vul: NS	♥ 873	♥ AQ9		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A8	♦ KJ65	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ82	♣ Q106				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 73	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ 103				
Vul: Both	♥ KJ83	♥ A976				1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 10654	♦ KJ98	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 1084	♣ AK3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 74	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 432		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AK2	♥ Q4	Pass	3♦ ²	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 1065	♦ AQ7432	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 9	♣ AQ986	♣ J3	2. automat			
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 75	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8654	♠ A10973				
Vul: EW	♥ J987	♥ A6				1NT
North HCP: 2	♦ J84	♦ K102	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 97	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 71	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A105	
Vul: Both	♦ A8653	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ7	

Board: 72	♠ Q84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q106	

Board: 73	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A976	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ98	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK3	

Board: 74	♠ 432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: None	♦ AQ7432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J3	

Board: 75	♠ A10973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ K102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ3	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q9863	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 876	♥ A105	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 5	♦ K102	♦ A8653	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 94	♣ KJ7				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 72	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK107	♠ Q84				
Vul: NS	♥ 873	♥ AQ9		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A8	♦ KJ65	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ82	♣ Q106				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 73	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K7	♠ 103				
Vul: Both	♥ KJ83	♥ A976				1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 10654	♦ KJ98	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 1084	♣ AK3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 74	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ 432				
Vul: None	♥ AK2	♥ Q4		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
North HCP: 15	♦ 1065	♦ AQ7432	Pass	3♦ ²	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AQ986	♣ J3	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
Contract: 3♦ N			2. automat			

Board: 75	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8654	♠ A10973				
Vul: EW	♥ J987	♥ A6				1NT
North HCP: 2	♦ J84	♦ K102	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 97	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 76	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1094	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ103	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ83	

Board: 77	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ7	
Vul: None	♦ 976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 10975	

Board: 78	♠ AJ972	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ4	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 105	

Board: 79	♠ 106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1052	
Vul: Both	♦ Q743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 953	

Board: 80	♠ AK96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: None	♦ AJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q974	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ 9875		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ 1094	♥ AJ87				
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ103	♦ 94				
South HCP: 6	♣ AQ83	♣ J97				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 77	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 102	♠ 654				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KQJ7	♥ A42				
North HCP: 6	♦ 976	♦ AKJ5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 10975	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 78	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ972	♠ 1043		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ4	♥ KJ1093	Pass	2♥	3♦	X
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ3	♦ 75	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 10	♣ 105	♣ AQ3	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 79	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 106	♠ AQJ8				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J1052	♥ AK94				
North HCP: 3	♦ Q743	♦ 62	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 953	♣ QJ6				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 80	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK96	♠ 8752		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ AJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ9	♦ 863	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q974	♣ A632	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 76	♠ 9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ87	
Vul: Both	♦ 94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J97	

Board: 77	♠ 654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A42	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ3	

Board: 78	♠ 1043	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ1093	
Vul: NS	♦ 75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ3	

Board: 79	♠ AQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK94	
Vul: Both	♦ 62	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ6	

Board: 80	♠ 8752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ 863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A632	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ 9875		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ 1094	♥ AJ87				
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ103	♦ 94				
South HCP: 6	♣ AQ83	♣ J97				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 77	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 102	♠ 654				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KQJ7	♥ A42				
North HCP: 6	♦ 976	♦ AKJ5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 10975	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 78	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ972	♠ 1043		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ4	♥ KJ1093	Pass	2♥	3♦	X
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ3	♦ 75	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 10	♣ 105	♣ AQ3	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 79	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 106	♠ AQJ8				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J1052	♥ AK94				
North HCP: 3	♦ Q743	♦ 62	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 953	♣ QJ6				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 80	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK96	♠ 8752		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ Q8	♥ AJ	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ9	♦ 863	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q974	♣ A632	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 81	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ743	
Vul: NS	♦ 943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 72	

Board: 82	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK753	
Vul: EW	♦ 1072	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Board: 83	♠ K52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ Q864	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q10954	

Board: 84	♠ KJ5	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ K854	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J95	

Board: 85	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8642	
Vul: NS	♦ 963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ KQ753	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 81	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ	♠ 643				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ743	♥ 106	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 943	♦ AKJ75	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 72	♣ AK10				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K86	♠ AJ1054		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK753	♥ Q109	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 1072	♦ Q3	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ	♣ J73				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K52	♠ Q4				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ A1083	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ Q864	♦ KJ75				
South HCP: 17	♣ Q10954	♣ AK8				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ5	♠ Q8		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ	♥ 98743	X	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K854	♦ J9				
South HCP: 3	♣ J95	♣ 7632				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ K64				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 8642	♥ AK105	AP			
North HCP: 5	♦ 963	♦ A104				
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ753	♣ J102				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 81	♠ 643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK10	
Board: 82	♠ AJ1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q109	
Vul: EW	♦ Q3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J73	
Board: 83	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1083	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK8	
Board: 84	♠ Q8	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 98743	
Vul: EW	♦ J9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 7632	
Board: 85	♠ K64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK105	
Vul: NS	♦ A104	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J102	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 81	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ	♠ 643				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ QJ743	♥ 106	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 943	♦ AKJ75	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 72	♣ AK10				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K86	♠ AJ1054		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK753	♥ Q109	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 1072	♦ Q3	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ	♣ J73				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K52	♠ Q4				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ A1083	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ Q864	♦ KJ75				
South HCP: 17	♣ Q10954	♣ AK8				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ5	♠ Q8		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ	♥ 98743	X	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K854	♦ J9				
South HCP: 3	♣ J95	♣ 7632				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 8	♠ K64				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 8642	♥ AK105	AP			
North HCP: 5	♦ 963	♦ A104				
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ753	♣ J102				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 86	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ K54	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K964	
Board: 87	♠ 76	East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ J1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AK10643	
Board: 88	♠ 62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ84	
Vul: None	♦ Q102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ4	
Board: 89	♠ J108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J106	
Vul: EW	♦ Q743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KJ4	
Board: 90	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1073	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A7	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ KJ9
♦ K54
♣ K964

South:
♠ Q8
♥ 82
♦ AJ1093
♣ Q1083

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2NT
AP			

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ 76
♥ 3
♦ J1074
♣ AK10643

South:
♠ J9
♥ AK107
♦ AQ32
♣ J87

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat
3. Splinter

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ 62
♥ AQ84
♦ Q102
♣ AKJ4

South:
♠ 103
♥ KJ96532
♦ KJ
♣ Q7

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ J108
♥ J106
♦ Q743
♣ KJ4

South:
♠ AK7
♥ K952
♦ K92
♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A82
♥ 1073
♦ AQJ64
♣ A7

South:
♠ KQJ95
♥ J65
♦ K9
♣ K32

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

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 86	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q1083	
Board: 87	♠ J9	East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK107	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ32	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J87	
Board: 88	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ96532	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q7	
Board: 89	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K952	
Vul: EW	♦ K92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q76	
Board: 90	♠ KQJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J65	
Vul: Both	♦ K9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K32	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ KJ9
♦ K54
♣ K964

South:
♠ Q8
♥ 82
♦ AJ1093
♣ Q1083

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2NT
AP			

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ 76
♥ 3
♦ J1074
♣ AK10643

South:
♠ J9
♥ AK107
♦ AQ32
♣ J87

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat
3. Splinter

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ 62
♥ AQ84
♦ Q102
♣ AKJ4

South:
♠ 103
♥ KJ96532
♦ KJ
♣ Q7

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ J108
♥ J106
♦ Q743
♣ KJ4

South:
♠ AK7
♥ K952
♦ K92
♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A82
♥ 1073
♦ AQJ64
♣ A7

South:
♠ KQJ95
♥ J65
♦ K9
♣ K32

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

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 91	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J43	
Vul: None	♦ 109842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K65	

Board: 92	♠ QJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK7	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 862	

Board: 93	♠ 953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A9	

Board: 94	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK6	
Vul: None	♦ KJ65	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 10753	

Board: 95	♠ 10974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J2	
Vul: NS	♦ 962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ Q752	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10	♠ A982				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J43	♥ Q109				
North HCP: 7	♦ 109842	♦ AK53	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K65	♣ Q3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 92	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ73	♠ A82		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: NS	♥ AK7	♥ Q43				
North HCP: 17	♦ AQJ	♦ K1075	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 862	♣ 1075				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 93	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 953	♠ A76				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KJ3	♥ AQ6				
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ1072	♦ Q964	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A9	♣ K43				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ K732		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AK6	♥ 982	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ65	♦ Q9843	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 10753	♣ A	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10974	♠ K62				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J2	♥ AQ43				
North HCP: 3	♦ 962	♦ J1043	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q752	♣ AJ				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 91	♠ A982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q109	
Vul: None	♦ AK53	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q3	

Board: 92	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q43	
Vul: NS	♦ K1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 1075	

Board: 93	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ6	
Vul: Both	♦ Q964	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K43	

Board: 94	♠ K732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 982	
Vul: None	♦ Q9843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A	

Board: 95	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ43	
Vul: NS	♦ J1043	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10	♠ A982				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J43	♥ Q109				
North HCP: 7	♦ 109842	♦ AK53	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K65	♣ Q3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 92	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ73	♠ A82		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: NS	♥ AK7	♥ Q43				
North HCP: 17	♦ AQJ	♦ K1075	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 862	♣ 1075				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 93	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 953	♠ A76				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KJ3	♥ AQ6				
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ1072	♦ Q964	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A9	♣ K43				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 94	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ K732		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AK6	♥ 982	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ65	♦ Q9843	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ 10753	♣ A	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 95	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10974	♠ K62				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J2	♥ AQ43				
North HCP: 3	♦ 962	♦ J1043	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q752	♣ AJ				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 96	♠ 1076	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1074	
Vul: EW	♦ J9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ	
Board: 97	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ976	
Vul: None	♦ AJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J85	
Board: 98	♠ AKQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q84	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A72	
Board: 99	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 97653	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 83	
Board: 100	♠ Q1093	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K74	
Vul: NS	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ10	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 3
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ 1076
♥ AK1074
♦ J9
♣ AKQ

South:
♠ 54
♥ 532
♦ Q5
♣ J109743

West	North	East	South
	1NT	2♠ ¹	Pass
Pass	X	Pass	3♣
	AP		

1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m

Board: 97
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 96
♥ KQ976
♦ AJ6
♣ J85

South:
♠ 103
♥ A10
♦ KQ1085
♣ AQ107

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

Board: 98
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 6
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ AKQ109
♥ J2
♦ Q84
♣ A72

South:
♠ 853
♥ A93
♦ 10
♣ Q108653

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 99
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A7
♥ 97653
♦ AJ108
♣ 83

South:
♠ QJ104
♥ AKQ10
♦ K6
♣ J92

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 100
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ Q1093
♥ K74
♦ A4
♣ AKJ10

South:
♠ J
♥ A10962
♦ 76
♣ Q9865

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
X	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 96	♠ 54	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 532	
Vul: EW	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J109743	
Board: 97	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1085	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ107	
Board: 98	♠ 853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A93	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q108653	
Board: 99	♠ QJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: EW	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J92	
Board: 100	♠ J	West Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A10962	
Vul: NS	♦ 76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q9865	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 96
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 3
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ 1076
♥ AK1074
♦ J9
♣ AKQ

South:
♠ 54
♥ 532
♦ Q5
♣ J109743

West	North	East	South
	1NT	2♠ ¹	Pass
Pass	X	Pass	3♣
	AP		

1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m

Board: 97
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 96
♥ KQ976
♦ AJ6
♣ J85

South:
♠ 103
♥ A10
♦ KQ1085
♣ AQ107

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

Board: 98
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 6
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ AKQ109
♥ J2
♦ Q84
♣ A72

South:
♠ 853
♥ A93
♦ 10
♣ Q108653

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 99
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ A7
♥ 97653
♦ AJ108
♣ 83

South:
♠ QJ104
♥ AKQ10
♦ K6
♣ J92

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 100
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ Q1093
♥ K74
♦ A4
♣ AKJ10

South:
♠ J
♥ A10962
♦ 76
♣ Q9865

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
X	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 101	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9632	
Vul: EW	♦ 9532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ 1092	

Board: 102	♠ AJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ84	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q7	

Board: 103	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10875	
Vul: None	♦ Q10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q84	

Board: 104	♠ AQ1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	
Vul: EW	♦ Q63	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 53	

Board: 105	♠ 6432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 764	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ 3	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 2
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3♥ N

North:
♠ 6
♥ Q9632
♦ 9532
♣ 1092

South:
♠ AJ9
♥ AK107
♦ A6
♣ 7654

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 102
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 13
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ AJ73
♥ AQ84
♦ QJ5
♣ Q7

South:
♠ KQ2
♥ 5
♦ 43
♣ AKJ9832

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ KJ10
♥ J10875
♦ Q10
♣ Q84

South:
♠ Q732
♥ KQ3
♦ AJ9
♣ A75

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

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 8
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AQ1098
♥ AKJ
♦ Q63
♣ 53

South:
♠ 2
♥ 1053
♦ KJ1042
♣ A964

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2NT
	AP		

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 2
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 6432
♥ 764
♦ Q10643
♣ 3

South:
♠ 9875
♥ AKQ9
♦ AJ7
♣ J9

West	North	East	South
			1NT
	AP		

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 101	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK107	
Vul: EW	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 7654	

Board: 102	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ 43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ9832	

Board: 103	♠ Q732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	
Vul: None	♦ AJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A75	

Board: 104	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1053	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A964	

Board: 105	♠ 9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J9	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 101
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 2
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3♥ N

North:
♠ 6
♥ Q9632
♦ 9532
♣ 1092

South:
♠ AJ9
♥ AK107
♦ A6
♣ 7654

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 102
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 13
Contract: 6♣ N

North:
♠ AJ73
♥ AQ84
♦ QJ5
♣ Q7

South:
♠ KQ2
♥ 5
♦ 43
♣ AKJ9832

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ KJ10
♥ J10875
♦ Q10
♣ Q84

South:
♠ Q732
♥ KQ3
♦ AJ9
♣ A75

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

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 8
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AQ1098
♥ AKJ
♦ Q63
♣ 53

South:
♠ 2
♥ 1053
♦ KJ1042
♣ A964

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2NT
	AP		

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 2
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 6432
♥ 764
♦ Q10643
♣ 3

South:
♠ 9875
♥ AKQ9
♦ AJ7
♣ J9

West	North	East	South
			1NT
	AP		

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 106	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A94	
Vul: None	♦ KQ102	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ6	

Board: 107	♠ K875	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 63	
Vul: NS	♦ Q103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K653	

Board: 108	♠ 1032	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ2	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K763	

Board: 109	♠ Q1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q86	
Vul: None	♦ 632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K94	

Board: 110	♠ Q4	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ75	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J43	
HCP: 15	♣ AQ85	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 4
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A87
♥ A94
♦ KQ102
♣ KJ6

South:
♠ K2
♥ J1076532
♦ 6
♣ 543

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Texas			

Board: 107
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 2N S

North:
♠ K875
♥ 63
♦ Q103
♣ K653

South:
♠ AJ93
♥ K105
♦ AK4
♣ 1072

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

Board: 108
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 7
Contract: 2♠ E

North:
♠ 1032
♥ AQ2
♦ AQ3
♣ K763

South:
♠ K97
♥ 106543
♦ K107
♣ J2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	2♠ ¹	AP
1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			

Board: 109
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ Q1082
♥ Q86
♦ 632
♣ K94

South:
♠ K73
♥ A754
♦ Q10
♣ AQ83

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 110
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♠X W

North:
♠ Q4
♥ AQ75
♦ J43
♣ AQ85

South:
♠ J9
♥ KJ642
♦ A1098
♣ 102

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
2♠	Pass	Pass	3♦
3♠	Pass	Pass	X
AP			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 106	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1076532	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 543	
Board: 107	♠ AJ93	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K105	
Vul: NS	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 1072	
Board: 108	♠ K97	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 106543	
Vul: Both	♦ K107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J2	
Board: 109	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A754	
Vul: None	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ83	
Board: 110	♠ J9	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ642	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A1098	
HCP: 9	♣ 102	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 106
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 4
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A87
♥ A94
♦ KQ102
♣ KJ6

South:
♠ K2
♥ J1076532
♦ 6
♣ 543

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Pass	4♥	AP	
1. Texas			

Board: 107
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 15
Contract: 2N S

North:
♠ K875
♥ 63
♦ Q103
♣ K653

South:
♠ AJ93
♥ K105
♦ AK4
♣ 1072

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

Board: 108
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 7
Contract: 2♠ E

North:
♠ 1032
♥ AQ2
♦ AQ3
♣ K763

South:
♠ K97
♥ 106543
♦ K107
♣ J2

West	North	East	South
	1NT	2♠ ¹	AP
1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			

Board: 109
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 15
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ Q1082
♥ Q86
♦ 632
♣ K94

South:
♠ K73
♥ A754
♦ Q10
♣ AQ83

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 110
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3♠X W

North:
♠ Q4
♥ AQ75
♦ J43
♣ AQ85

South:
♠ J9
♥ KJ642
♦ A1098
♣ 102

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
2♠	Pass	Pass	3♦
3♠	Pass	Pass	X
AP			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 111	♠ J10972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 643	
Vul: EW	♦ 103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ Q92	

Board: 112	♠ K9	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q87	
Vul: None	♦ A653	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ96	

Board: 113	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1093	
Vul: NS	♦ A983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K42	

Board: 114	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ K754	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J94	

Board: 115	♠ 7632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96542	
Vul: NS	♦ 74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 0	♣ 65	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 111	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10972	♠ AQ5				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 643	♥ 72				
North HCP: 3	♦ 103	♦ QJ872	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 16	♣ Q92	♣ AK3	AP			
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 112	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K9	♠ 63				
Vul: None	♥ Q87	♥ AK53				
North HCP: 15	♦ A653	♦ J10874		1NT	3♠	AP
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ96	♣ K10				
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 113	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 87	♠ AK53				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A1093	♥ K6	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A983	♦ 764	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ K42	♣ AQ75	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 114	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ3	♠ K2				
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ	♥ 64		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K754	♦ J932	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ J94	♣ AKQ86				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 115	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7632	♠ AQJ4				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 96542	♥ J87				
North HCP: 0	♦ 74	♦ AJ6	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 17	♣ 65	♣ A43	AP			
Contract: 2♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 111	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ872	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK3	

Board: 112	♠ 63	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK53	
Vul: None	♦ J10874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K10	

Board: 113	♠ AK53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ 764	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ75	

Board: 114	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 64	
Vul: Both	♦ J932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ86	

Board: 115	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J87	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A43	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 111	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J10972	♠ AQ5				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 643	♥ 72	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 3	♦ 103	♦ QJ872	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q92	♣ AK3				
Contract: 2♠ S						

Board: 112	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K9	♠ 63				
Vul: None	♥ Q87	♥ AK53		1NT	3♠	AP
North HCP: 15	♦ A653	♦ J10874				
South HCP: 11	♣ AQ96	♣ K10				
Contract: 3♠ E						

Board: 113	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 87	♠ AK53				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A1093	♥ K6	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A983	♦ 764	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ K42	♣ AQ75	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 114	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ3	♠ K2				
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ	♥ 64		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K754	♦ J932	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ J94	♣ AKQ86				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 115	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7632	♠ AQJ4				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 96542	♥ J87	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 0	♦ 74	♦ AJ6	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 65	♣ A43				
Contract: 2♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 116	♠ KJ1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q76	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A3	

Board: 117	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10965	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J3	

Board: 118	♠ Q1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ94	
Vul: None	♦ K32	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Board: 119	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ Q65432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K109	

Board: 120	♠ 864	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ3	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK96	
HCP: 16	♣ 83	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1098	♠ Q		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q76	♥ AK543	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ6	♦ 10752	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A3	♣ K54				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 117	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ	♠ AJ104				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K10965	♥ A4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ32	♦ 986	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ J3	♣ AQ74	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 118	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q1032	♠ AK64		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ KQ94	♥ 1085	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K32	♦ Q4	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ AK	♣ J952				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Stayman			

Board: 119	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q107	♠ AK42				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ K	♥ 954	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 10	♦ Q65432	♦ A7				
South HCP: 15	♣ K109	♣ A654				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 120	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 864	♠ 953		1NT	2♦ ¹	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ3	♥ 1098542	Pass	3♥	3♠	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AK96	♦ 5	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 83	♣ AK4				
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Multi-Landy, Multi			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 116	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK543	
Vul: EW	♦ 10752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K54	

Board: 117	♠ AJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: Both	♦ 986	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ74	

Board: 118	♠ AK64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1085	
Vul: None	♦ Q4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J952	

Board: 119	♠ AK42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 954	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A654	

Board: 120	♠ 953	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1098542	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 5	
HCP: 7	♣ AK4	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ KJ1098
♥ Q76
♦ AJ6
♣ A3

South:
♠ Q
♥ AK543
♦ 10752
♣ K54

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

Board: 117
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ KQ
♥ K10965
♦ AQ32
♣ J3

South:
♠ AJ104
♥ A4
♦ 986
♣ AQ74

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

Board: 118
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ Q1032
♥ KQ94
♦ K32
♣ AK

South:
♠ AK64
♥ 1085
♦ Q4
♣ J952

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

1. Stayman

Board: 119
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ Q107
♥ K
♦ Q65432
♣ K109

South:
♠ AK42
♥ 954
♦ A7
♣ A654

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 120
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 7
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ 864
♥ AKQ3
♦ AK96
♣ 83

South:
♠ 953
♥ 1098542
♦ 5
♣ AK4

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

1. Multi-Landy, Multi

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 121	♠ 754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9876	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 532	

Board: 122	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10852	
Vul: Both	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K52	

Board: 123	♠ 9764	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ94	
HCP: 6	♣ Q1032	Partner bids first.

Board: 124	♠ 743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ92	
Vul: NS	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K32	

Board: 125	♠ AKJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 74	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 754	♠ KQJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ9876	♥ 54	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8	♦ K	♦ AQ632	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 532	♣ A109	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 122	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K62	♠ Q853		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q10852	♥ K43	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AK	♦ Q107	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ K52	♣ AQ3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 123	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9764	♠ KQ2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ A4	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥	AP
North HCP: 6	♦ KJ94	♦ Q862	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q1032	♣ A975				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 124	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 743	♠ Q5				
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ92	♥ 8543	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ K8	♦ 10764				
South HCP: 3	♣ K32	♣ J87				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ6	♠ 984				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 83	♥ A654	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ974	♦ AJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ 74	♣ AQ109	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 121	♠ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 54	
Vul: None	♦ AQ632	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A109	

Board: 122	♠ Q853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K43	
Vul: Both	♦ Q107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ3	

Board: 123	♠ KQ2	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q862	
HCP: 15	♣ A975	You bid first.

Board: 124	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8543	
Vul: NS	♦ 10764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J87	

Board: 125	♠ 984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A654	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ109	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 754	♠ KQJ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ9876	♥ 54	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8	♦ K	♦ AQ632	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 532	♣ A109	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 122	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K62	♠ Q853		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q10852	♥ K43	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AK	♦ Q107	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ K52	♣ AQ3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 123	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9764	♠ KQ2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ A4	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥	AP
North HCP: 6	♦ KJ94	♦ Q862	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q1032	♣ A975				
Contract: 2♥ E						

Board: 124	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 743	♠ Q5				
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ92	♥ 8543	1NT	AP		
North HCP: 15	♦ K8	♦ 10764				
South HCP: 3	♣ K32	♣ J87				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 125	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ6	♠ 984				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 83	♥ A654	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ974	♦ AJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ 74	♣ AQ109	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 126	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ9	
Vul: None	♦ KJ86	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q2	

Board: 127	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 843	
Vul: NS	♦ 7652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q85	

Board: 128	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 643	
Vul: EW	♦ A1065	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ3	

Board: 129	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ7632	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 1085	

Board: 130	♠ KJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K104	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A104	♠ J3		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AQJ9	♥ K653	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ86	♦ A107	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q2	♣ J973	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 127	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K84	♠ AQJ96				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 843	♥ KJ5				
North HCP: 5	♦ 7652	♦ A84	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q85	♣ 107				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 128	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ A3		1NT	AP	
Vul: EW	♥ 643	♥ 1087				
North HCP: 16	♦ A1065	♦ Q972				
South HCP: 7	♣ AKQ3	♣ J762				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 129	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 103	♠ KQ9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AJ7632	♥ KQ	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8	♦ QJ	♦ 109742	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 1085	♣ AJ7	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 130	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ53	♠ 6		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ K104	♥ A96				
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ73	♦ K10	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ	♣ AJ108764				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 126	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K653	
Vul: None	♦ A107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J973	

Board: 127	♠ AQJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ5	
Vul: NS	♦ A84	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 107	

Board: 128	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1087	
Vul: EW	♦ Q972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J762	

Board: 129	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: NS	♦ 109742	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ7	

Board: 130	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	
Vul: Both	♦ K10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ108764	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A104	♠ J3		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AQJ9	♥ K653	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ86	♦ A107	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q2	♣ J973	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 127	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K84	♠ AQJ96				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 843	♥ KJ5				
North HCP: 5	♦ 7652	♦ A84	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q85	♣ 107				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 128	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ A3		1NT	AP	
Vul: EW	♥ 643	♥ 1087				
North HCP: 16	♦ A1065	♦ Q972				
South HCP: 7	♣ AKQ3	♣ J762				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 129	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 103	♠ KQ9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AJ7632	♥ KQ	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8	♦ QJ	♦ 109742	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 1085	♣ AJ7	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 130	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ53	♠ 6		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ K104	♥ A96				
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ73	♦ K10	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ	♣ AJ108764				
Contract: 3N N						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 131	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ872	
Vul: None	♦ 1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KJ105	

Board: 132	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9	
Vul: EW	♦ K9543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K105	

Board: 133	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ3	

Board: 134	♠ K8	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ7	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ1032	
HCP: 16	♣ A106	You bid first.

Board: 135	♠ QJ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J75	
Vul: NS	♦ K96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A63	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ QJ63				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KJ872	♥ AQ	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 1092	♦ K73	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ105	♣ A972				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ AJ976		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AQ9	♥ 10732	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ K9543	♦ A6	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 9	♣ K105	♣ 73	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S			1. Stayman			

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109	♠ KQ82				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AJ7	♥ KQ52	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ65	♦ K102	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ3	♣ A10	1. Gerber, for N			
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ 74		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: None	♥ QJ7	♥ 105	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ1032	♦ KJ765	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 5	♣ A106	♣ J932				
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ75	♠ K96				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J75	♥ AK	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ K96	♦ J1075	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A63	♣ KJ54	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 131	♠ QJ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ K73	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A972	

Board: 132	♠ AJ976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10732	
Vul: EW	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 73	

Board: 133	♠ KQ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ52	
Vul: Both	♦ K102	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A10	

Board: 134	♠ 74	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ765	
HCP: 5	♣ J932	Partner bids first.

Board: 135	♠ K96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ J1075	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ54	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 4	♠ QJ63				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KJ872	♥ AQ	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 1092	♦ K73	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KJ105	♣ A972				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K2	♠ AJ976		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ AQ9	♥ 10732	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ K9543	♦ A6	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 9	♣ K105	♣ 73	AP			
Contract: 3♠ S			1. Stayman			

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 109	♠ KQ82				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AJ7	♥ KQ52	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AQJ65	♦ K102	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ3	♣ A10	1. Gerber, for N			
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K8	♠ 74		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: None	♥ QJ7	♥ 105	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠	AP
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ1032	♦ KJ765	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 5	♣ A106	♣ J932				
Contract: 2♠ E						

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ75	♠ K96				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J75	♥ AK	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ K96	♦ J1075	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A63	♣ KJ54	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 136	♠ A32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q83	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ964	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

Board: 137	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	
Vul: None	♦ 9862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AQ52	

Board: 138	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K432	
Vul: NS	♦ Q86	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ87	

Board: 139	♠ A654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: EW	♦ A963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 942	

Board: 140	♠ K98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J7	
Vul: None	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9872	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A32	♠ Q87		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q83	♥ 107542				
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ964	♦ 2	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 4	♣ AJ	♣ Q643				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K86	♠ Q93				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 73	♥ AQ102				
North HCP: 9	♦ 9862	♦ AK3	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ52	♣ 874				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ KQ1075		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ K432	♥ 1095				
North HCP: 15	♦ Q86	♦ 109	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ AQ87	♣ 652				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A654	♠ KQJ2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ QJ	♥ K973	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ A963	♦ J72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 942	♣ AJ	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K98	♠ 65		1NT	AP	
Vul: None	♥ J7	♥ 10864				
North HCP: 15	♦ AK10	♦ 52				
South HCP: 1	♣ A9872	♣ J10653				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 136	♠ Q87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 107542	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ Q643	

Board: 137	♠ Q93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ102	
Vul: None	♦ AK3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 874	

Board: 138	♠ KQ1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1095	
Vul: NS	♦ 109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 652	

Board: 139	♠ KQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K973	
Vul: EW	♦ J72	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ	

Board: 140	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10864	
Vul: None	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 1	♣ J10653	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 136	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A32	♠ Q87		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q83	♥ 107542				
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ964	♦ 2	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 4	♣ AJ	♣ Q643				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K86	♠ Q93				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 73	♥ AQ102				
North HCP: 9	♦ 9862	♦ AK3	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ52	♣ 874				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A9	♠ KQ1075		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ K432	♥ 1095				
North HCP: 15	♦ Q86	♦ 109	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ AQ87	♣ 652				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A654	♠ KQJ2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ QJ	♥ K973	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ A963	♦ J72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 942	♣ AJ	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K98	♠ 65		1NT	AP	
Vul: None	♥ J7	♥ 10864				
North HCP: 15	♦ AK10	♦ 52				
South HCP: 1	♣ A9872	♣ J10653				
Contract: 1N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 141	♠ A9432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1043	
Vul: NS	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 96	

Board: 142	♠ 752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ986	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK3	

Board: 143	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 842	
Vul: NS	♦ 1076	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ4	

Board: 144	♠ J95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK74	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1042	

Board: 145	♠ 9762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A954	
Vul: Both	♦ 8762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 8	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A9432	♠ QJ87				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A1043	♥ QJ	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ J2	♦ A1043	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 96	♣ AK3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 142	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 752	♠ J1086		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KJ986	♥ A5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A7	♦ KJ43	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK3	♣ 1092	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A93	♠ K72				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 842	♥ AQJ	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ 1076	♦ AJ53				
South HCP: 15	♣ AKQ4	♣ 975				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J95	♠ Q		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK74	♥ Q102	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ	♦ A96432				
South HCP: 10	♣ A1042	♣ Q83				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9762	♠ Q10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A954	♥ QJ7	AP			
North HCP: 4	♦ 8762	♦ QJ10				
South HCP: 15	♣ 8	♣ AK1052				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 141	♠ QJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A1043	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK3	

Board: 142	♠ J1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 1092	

Board: 143	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 975	

Board: 144	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q102	
Vul: EW	♦ A96432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q83	

Board: 145	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK1052	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A9432	♠ QJ87				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A1043	♥ QJ	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ J2	♦ A1043	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 96	♣ AK3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 142	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 752	♠ J1086		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ KJ986	♥ A5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A7	♦ KJ43	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK3	♣ 1092	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A93	♠ K72				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 842	♥ AQJ	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ 1076	♦ AJ53				
South HCP: 15	♣ AKQ4	♣ 975				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J95	♠ Q		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK74	♥ Q102	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ	♦ A96432				
South HCP: 10	♣ A1042	♣ Q83				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9762	♠ Q10				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ A954	♥ QJ7	AP			
North HCP: 4	♦ 8762	♦ QJ10				
South HCP: 15	♣ 8	♣ AK1052				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 146	♠ K104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK87	
Vul: None	♦ 743	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK5	
Board: 147	♠ J109754	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K953	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 8	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ K8	Partner bids first.
Board: 148	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ104	
Vul: None	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K652	
Board: 149	♠ QJ109873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 10542	
Board: 150	♠ A1064	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ75	
Vul: Both	♦ A53	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K10	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 6
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ K104
 ♥ AK87
 ♦ 743
 ♣ AK5

South:
 ♠ A932
 ♥ J632
 ♦ J
 ♣ 8763

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 147
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ J109754
 ♥ K953
 ♦ 8
 ♣ K8

South:
 ♠ 82
 ♥ AQJ10
 ♦ A103
 ♣ A765

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

1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m

Board: 148
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AK5
 ♥ QJ104
 ♦ A9
 ♣ K652

South:
 ♠ J98
 ♥ 986
 ♦ K862
 ♣ AQ8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 149
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ QJ109873
 ♥ Q
 ♦ 8
 ♣ 10542

South:
 ♠ A62
 ♥ 10753
 ♦ AKQ7
 ♣ A6

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

1. Texas

Board: 150
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A1064
 ♥ KQ75
 ♦ A53
 ♣ K10

South:
 ♠ KJ5
 ♥ J43
 ♦ KQ82
 ♣ A92

West	North	East	South
	1NT	3♣	3NT
AP			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 146	♠ A932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J632	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 8763	

Board: 147	♠ 82	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ10	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ A103	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ A765	You bid first.

Board: 148	♠ J98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 986	
Vul: None	♦ K862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ8	

Board: 149	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10753	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A6	

Board: 150	♠ KJ5	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J43	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A92	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 6
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ K104
 ♥ AK87
 ♦ 743
 ♣ AK5

South:
 ♠ A932
 ♥ J632
 ♦ J
 ♣ 8763

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 147
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ J109754
 ♥ K953
 ♦ 8
 ♣ K8

South:
 ♠ 82
 ♥ AQJ10
 ♦ A103
 ♣ A765

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

1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m

Board: 148
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AK5
 ♥ QJ104
 ♦ A9
 ♣ K652

South:
 ♠ J98
 ♥ 986
 ♦ K862
 ♣ AQ8

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 149
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ QJ109873
 ♥ Q
 ♦ 8
 ♣ 10542

South:
 ♠ A62
 ♥ 10753
 ♦ AKQ7
 ♣ A6

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

1. Texas

Board: 150
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A1064
 ♥ KQ75
 ♦ A53
 ♣ K10

South:
 ♠ KJ5
 ♥ J43
 ♦ KQ82
 ♣ A92

West	North	East	South
	1NT	3♣	3NT
AP			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 151	♠ 1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10543	
Vul: None	♦ AJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 9	
Board: 152	♠ 653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ A105	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ10	
Board: 153	♠ J1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1052	
Board: 154	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 654	
Vul: None	♦ KJ109	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A42	
Board: 155	♠ 10985432	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	East Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 74	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 0	♣ 532	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 151

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 1052

♥ A10543

♦ AJ108

♣ 9

South:

♠ AKJ3

♥ K987

♦ Q6

♣ A106

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 4♣² Pass 4♥

AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Splinter

Board: 152

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 653

♥ AKJ8

♦ A105

♣ AJ10

South:

♠ J

♥ 65432

♦ K762

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 153

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ J1085

♥ AK9

♦ AQ

♣ K1052

South:

♠ AK32

♥ 42

♦ K98

♣ AQ43

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♠

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Stayman

Board: 154

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AK9

♥ 654

♦ KJ109

♣ A42

South:

♠ Q62

♥ AQ82

♦ Q6432

♣ 3

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Stayman

Board: 155

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 0

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠X N

North:

♠ 10985432

♥ 10

♦ 74

♣ 532

South:

♠ QJ

♥ Q64

♦ AQJ105

♣ K87

West North East South

1NT

X¹ 4♥² X Pass³

Pass 4♠ Pass Pass

X AP

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

2. Texas

3. denies a ♥ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 151	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K987	
Vul: None	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A106	
Board: 152	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65432	
Vul: NS	♦ K762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ9	
Board: 153	♠ AK32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	
Vul: EW	♦ K98	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ43	
Board: 154	♠ Q62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ82	
Vul: None	♦ Q6432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 3	
Board: 155	♠ QJ	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q64	East Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ105	West Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ K87	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 151
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ 1052
♥ A10543
♦ AJ108
♣ 9

South:
♠ AKJ3
♥ K987
♦ Q6
♣ A106

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Splinter

Board: 152
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 9
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ 653
♥ AKJ8
♦ A105
♣ AJ10

South:
♠ J
♥ 65432
♦ K762
♣ KQ9

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

Board: 153
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 16
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ J1085
♥ AK9
♦ AQ
♣ K1052

South:
♠ AK32
♥ 42
♦ K98
♣ AQ43

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Stayman

Board: 154
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 10
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AK9
♥ 654
♦ KJ109
♣ A42

South:
♠ Q62
♥ AQ82
♦ Q6432
♣ 3

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

1. Stayman

Board: 155
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 0
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠X N

North:
♠ 10985432
♥ 10
♦ 74
♣ 532

South:
♠ QJ
♥ Q64
♦ AQJ105
♣ K87

West	North	East	South
			1NT
X ¹	4♥ ²	X	Pass ³
Pass	4♠	Pass	Pass
X	AP		

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP
2. Texas
3. denies a ♥ stopper

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 156	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ AK5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q9754	
Board: 157	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ A98652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 983	
Board: 158	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ54	
Vul: EW	♦ Q85	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ32	
Board: 159	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 64	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ QJ1054	
Board: 160	♠ KJ2	East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q108	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ86	
HCP: 15	♣ A72	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ10	♠ J8		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ K10	♥ QJ72	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AK5	♦ 7632	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q9754	♣ AK3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ 82				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J4	♥ A108	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ A98652	♦ KQ43				
South HCP: 16	♣ 983	♣ AK52				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 8754		1NT	AP	
Vul: EW	♥ KQ54	♥ J1032				
North HCP: 17	♦ Q85	♦ 103				
South HCP: 3	♣ AJ32	♣ Q64				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ AK7				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 64	♥ KQJ	Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♣
North HCP: 5	♦ Q10987	♦ J32	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ1054	♣ K963	1. Minors			
Contract: 5♣ S						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ2	♠ Q87543		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ Q108	♥ J953	Pass	2♠	X	Pass
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ86	♦ 3	3♦	Pass	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 3	♣ A72	♣ 43	AP			
Contract: 3♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 156	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ72	
Vul: Both	♦ 7632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK3	
Board: 157	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ43	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK52	
Board: 158	♠ 8754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1032	
Vul: EW	♦ 103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ Q64	
Board: 159	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ J32	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K963	
Board: 160	♠ Q87543	East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J953	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 3	
HCP: 3	♣ 43	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ10	♠ J8		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ K10	♥ QJ72	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AK5	♦ 7632	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q9754	♣ AK3	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ 82				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J4	♥ A108	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 11	♦ A98652	♦ KQ43				
South HCP: 16	♣ 983	♣ AK52				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 8754		1NT	AP	
Vul: EW	♥ KQ54	♥ J1032				
North HCP: 17	♦ Q85	♦ 103				
South HCP: 3	♣ AJ32	♣ Q64				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 6	♠ AK7				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 64	♥ KQJ	Pass	4♠ ¹	Pass	5♣
North HCP: 5	♦ Q10987	♦ J32	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ1054	♣ K963	1. Minors			
Contract: 5♣ S						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ2	♠ Q87543		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ Q108	♥ J953	Pass	2♠	X	Pass
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ86	♦ 3	3♦	Pass	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 3	♣ A72	♣ 43	AP			
Contract: 3♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 161	♠ 642	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 8653	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A2	
Board: 162	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K103	
Vul: Both	♦ AK63	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q876	
Board: 163	♠ AQJ1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 83	
Vul: None	♦ 876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A5	
Board: 164	♠ A32	West Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q742	
Board: 165	♠ 873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1082	
Vul: None	♦ 7532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ K5	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 642	♠ AKQJ9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 8653	♥ QJ7	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ42	♦ 763	3♣	X	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A2	♣ Q5	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3♣X W						

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ J1085				
Vul: Both	♥ K103	♥ 854		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AK63	♦ 752				
South HCP: 5	♣ Q876	♣ KJ5				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ1042	♠ K5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 83	♥ 9754	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ 876	♦ AKQ	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A5	♣ QJ103				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 164	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A32	♠ KJ		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ QJ8	♥ A976	X	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AK6	♦ Q9853	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q742	♣ K9	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 165	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 873	♠ KQ654				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J1082	♥ KQ				
North HCP: 4	♦ 7532	♦ QJ10	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ K5	♣ A62				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 161 ♠ AKQJ9
Dealer: S ♥ QJ7
Vul: EW ♦ 763
HCP: 15 ♣ Q5

West Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 162 ♠ J1085
Dealer: N ♥ 854
Vul: Both ♦ 752
HCP: 5 ♣ KJ5

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 163 ♠ K5
Dealer: S ♥ 9754
Vul: None ♦ AKQ
HCP: 15 ♣ QJ103

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 164 ♠ KJ
Dealer: N ♥ A976
Vul: NS ♦ Q9853
HCP: 13 ♣ K9

West Doubles 2♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 165 ♠ KQ654
Dealer: S ♥ KQ
Vul: None ♦ QJ10
HCP: 17 ♣ A62

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 642	♠ AKQJ9				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 8653	♥ QJ7	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ42	♦ 763	3♣	X	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A2	♣ Q5	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3♣X W						

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ J1085				
Vul: Both	♥ K103	♥ 854		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AK63	♦ 752				
South HCP: 5	♣ Q876	♣ KJ5				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ1042	♠ K5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 83	♥ 9754	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ 876	♦ AKQ	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A5	♣ QJ103				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 164	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A32	♠ KJ		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ QJ8	♥ A976	X	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AK6	♦ Q9853	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q742	♣ K9	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 165	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 873	♠ KQ654				1NT
Vul: None	♥ J1082	♥ KQ				
North HCP: 4	♦ 7532	♦ QJ10	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ K5	♣ A62				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 166	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1054	
Vul: NS	♦ A76	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK84	

Board: 167	♠ QJ1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9643	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 32	

Board: 168	♠ K1075	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ A542	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A105	

Board: 169	♠ 10942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ 732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J32	

Board: 170	♠ KJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A53	
Vul: EW	♦ K54	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 166	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ5	♠ K97643		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ 1054	♥ QJ7	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A76	♦ 32	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AK84	♣ 103				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 167	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ1073	♠ K96				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A9643	♥ J10	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A	♦ KJ103	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ 32	♣ AQJ4	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 168	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1075	♠ Q2		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: None	♥ AQ	♥ J932	Pass	X	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ A542	♦ 108				
South HCP: 5	♣ A105	♣ Q9862	1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			
Contract: 2♥ X E						

Board: 169	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10942	♠ 875				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ7	♥ K93				
North HCP: 7	♦ 732	♦ QJ6	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J32	♣ AKQ6				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 170	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ105	♠ 64		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A53	♥ K742	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K54	♦ J10976	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ KQJ	♣ A4	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 166	♠ K97643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ7	
Vul: NS	♦ 32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 103	

Board: 167	♠ K96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ103	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ4	

Board: 168	♠ Q2	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J932	
Vul: None	♦ 108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q9862	

Board: 169	♠ 875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K93	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ6	

Board: 170	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K742	
Vul: EW	♦ J10976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A4	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 166	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ5	♠ K97643		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ 1054	♥ QJ7	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A76	♦ 32	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AK84	♣ 103				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 167	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ1073	♠ K96				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A9643	♥ J10	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A	♦ KJ103	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ 32	♣ AQJ4	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 168	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1075	♠ Q2		1NT	2♥ ¹	Pass
Vul: None	♥ AQ	♥ J932	Pass	X	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ A542	♦ 108				
South HCP: 5	♣ A105	♣ Q9862	1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m			
Contract: 2♥ X E						

Board: 169	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10942	♠ 875				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ7	♥ K93				
North HCP: 7	♦ 732	♦ QJ6	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J32	♣ AKQ6				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 170	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ105	♠ 64		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A53	♥ K742	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K54	♦ J10976	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ KQJ	♣ A4	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 171	♠ Q7	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ86	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 62	

Board: 172	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ75	
Vul: NS	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q752	

Board: 173	♠ 974	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 98742	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ A1032	

Board: 174	♠ AQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q98	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K83	

Board: 175	♠ Q8762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ QJ964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 64	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q7	♠ AJ32				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AJ86	♥ KQ9	Pass	2♣ ¹	X	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ973	♦ K65	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 62	♣ KJ8				
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ5	♠ A3				
Vul: NS	♥ AQ75	♥ K109		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ Q2	♦ 107653				
South HCP: 7	♣ Q752	♣ 1096				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 974	♠ K8				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 98742	♥ AJ3				
North HCP: 4	♦ 9	♦ AK643	Pass	2♦	3♦	AP
South HCP: 16	♣ A1032	♣ J94				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 174	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ 43				
Vul: Both	♥ Q98	♥ K10762		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ6	♦ 9532	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 4	♣ K83	♣ J10				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 175	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q8762	♠ K1095				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ A5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 5	♦ QJ964	♦ A52	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 64	♣ KQ72				
Contract: 3♠ N			1. Extended acceptance after NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 171	♠ AJ32	East Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ K65	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ8	
Board: 172	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K109	
Vul: NS	♦ 107653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 1096	
Board: 173	♠ K8	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ AK643	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J94	
Board: 174	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10762	
Vul: Both	♦ 9532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ J10	
Board: 175	♠ K1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: None	♦ A52	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ72	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q7	♠ AJ32				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AJ86	♥ KQ9	Pass	2♣ ¹	X	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ973	♦ K65	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 62	♣ KJ8				
Contract: 3N S			1. Stayman			

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ5	♠ A3				
Vul: NS	♥ AQ75	♥ K109		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ Q2	♦ 107653				
South HCP: 7	♣ Q752	♣ 1096				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 974	♠ K8				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 98742	♥ AJ3				
North HCP: 4	♦ 9	♦ AK643	Pass	2♦	3♦	AP
South HCP: 16	♣ A1032	♣ J94				
Contract: 3♦ E						

Board: 174	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ 43				
Vul: Both	♥ Q98	♥ K10762		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ6	♦ 9532	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 4	♣ K83	♣ J10				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 175	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q8762	♠ K1095				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 3	♥ A5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 5	♦ QJ964	♦ A52	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 64	♣ KQ72				
Contract: 3♠ N			1. Extended acceptance after NT			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 176	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ107	
Vul: EW	♦ K63	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K864	

Board: 177	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: Both	♦ AK75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK8632	

Board: 178	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A32	
Vul: None	♦ KJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1053	

Board: 179	♠ AK109852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9632	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K4	

Board: 180	♠ 1096	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ93	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 176
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ KJ107
♦ K63
♣ K864

South:
♠ 65
♥ AQ63
♦ Q9
♣ Q10953

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

Board: 177
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ 2
♥ 74
♦ AK75
♣ AK8632

South:
♠ KQ5
♥ AQ
♦ J63
♣ QJ1095

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
Pass	4♠ ³	Pass	5♣
AP			
1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
2. automat			
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			

Board: 178
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AQ3
♥ A32
♦ KJ6
♣ K1053

South:
♠ 9764
♥ K65
♦ A8
♣ A876

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

Board: 179
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ AK109852
♥ 9632
♦ —
♣ K4

South:
♠ QJ
♥ Q8
♦ K972
♣ AQJ73

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. Texas			

Board: 180
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ 1096
♥ J9
♦ AQ3
♣ AKJ93

South:
♠ 84
♥ A432
♦ K642
♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
	1NT	2♣ ¹	2NT
AP			
1. Multi-Landy, both majors			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 176	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ63	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q10953	

Board: 177	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: Both	♦ J63	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ1095	

Board: 178	♠ 9764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K65	
Vul: None	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A876	

Board: 179	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ K972	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ73	

Board: 180	♠ 84	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A432	
Vul: Both	♦ K642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q76	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 176
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 10
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AK
♥ KJ107
♦ K63
♣ K864

South:
♠ 65
♥ AQ63
♦ Q9
♣ Q10953

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

1. Stayman

Board: 177
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♣ S

North:
♠ 2
♥ 74
♦ AK75
♣ AK8632

South:
♠ KQ5
♥ AQ
♦ J63
♣ QJ1095

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 178
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 11
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AQ3
♥ A32
♦ KJ6
♣ K1053

South:
♠ 9764
♥ K65
♦ A8
♣ A876

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

1. Stayman

Board: 179
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ AK109852
♥ 9632
♦ —
♣ K4

South:
♠ QJ
♥ Q8
♦ K972
♣ AQJ73

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

1. Texas

Board: 180
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ 1096
♥ J9
♦ AQ3
♣ AKJ93

South:
♠ 84
♥ A432
♦ K642
♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
	1NT	2♣ ¹	2NT
AP			

1. Multi-Landy, both majors

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 181 ♠ 98
Dealer: S ♥ Q109
Vul: None ♦ 95
HCP: 6 ♣ KJ10865

West Doubles 3♣ if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 182 ♠ K2
Dealer: N ♥ AKQ85
Vul: NS ♦ K102
HCP: 15 ♣ 1074

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 183 ♠ J9762
Dealer: S ♥ KQJ3
Vul: EW ♦ 95
HCP: 7 ♣ 85

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 184 ♠ J102
Dealer: N ♥ AK54
Vul: None ♦ 73
HCP: 17 ♣ AKQ10

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 185 ♠ 72
Dealer: S ♥ —
Vul: NS ♦ A8652
HCP: 4 ♣ 1076542

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 181
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 6
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♣X S

North:
♠ 98
♥ Q109
♦ 95
♣ KJ10865

South:
♠ AJ42
♥ K742
♦ QJ7
♣ AQ

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 182
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 7
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ K2
♥ AKQ85
♦ K102
♣ 1074

South:
♠ A85
♥ J974
♦ Q63
♣ 532

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 183
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ E

North:
♠ J9762
♥ KQJ3
♦ 95
♣ 85

South:
♠ K104
♥ A107
♦ AQ32
♣ A73

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2NT ¹	X	3♣	AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 184
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 6
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ J102
♥ AK54
♦ 73
♣ AKQ10

South:
♠ A87643
♥ J6
♦ 106
♣ J43

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

Board: 185
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 4
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♣X S

North:
♠ 72
♥ —
♦ A8652
♣ 1076542

South:
♠ Q94
♥ AK
♦ Q1073
♣ KJ83

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2♣ ¹	4♣ ²	Pass	5♣
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Multi-Landy, both majors
2. Minors

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 181 ♠ AJ42
Dealer: S ♥ K742
Vul: None ♦ QJ7
HCP: 17 ♣ AQ

West Doubles 3♣ if possible.
East Bids 3♦ if possible.
West Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 182 ♠ A85
Dealer: N ♥ J974
Vul: NS ♦ Q63
HCP: 7 ♣ 532

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 183 ♠ K104
Dealer: S ♥ A107
Vul: EW ♦ AQ32
HCP: 17 ♣ A73

West Bids 2NT if possible.
East Bids 3♣ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 184 ♠ A87643
Dealer: N ♥ J6
Vul: None ♦ 106
HCP: 6 ♣ J43

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 185 ♠ Q94
Dealer: S ♥ AK
Vul: NS ♦ Q1073
HCP: 15 ♣ KJ83

West Bids 2♣ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 181
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 6
South HCP: 17
Contract: 4♣X S

North:
♠ 98
♥ Q109
♦ 95
♣ KJ10865

South:
♠ AJ42
♥ K742
♦ QJ7
♣ AQ

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 182
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 7
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ K2
♥ AKQ85
♦ K102
♣ 1074

South:
♠ A85
♥ J974
♦ Q63
♣ 532

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 183
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ E

North:
♠ J9762
♥ KQJ3
♦ 95
♣ 85

South:
♠ K104
♥ A107
♦ AQ32
♣ A73

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2NT ¹	X	3♣	AP

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 184
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 6
Contract: 2♠ N

North:
♠ J102
♥ AK54
♦ 73
♣ AKQ10

South:
♠ A87643
♥ J6
♦ 106
♣ J43

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

Board: 185
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 4
South HCP: 15
Contract: 5♣X S

North:
♠ 72
♥ —
♦ A8652
♣ 1076542

South:
♠ Q94
♥ AK
♦ Q1073
♣ KJ83

West	North	East	South
			1NT
2♣ ¹	4♣ ²	Pass	5♣
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Multi-Landy, both majors

2. Minors

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 186	♠ AJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ105	

Board: 187	♠ J32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q104	
Vul: Both	♦ Q87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ106	

Board: 188	♠ 8754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK85	
Vul: NS	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K74	

Board: 189	♠ 643	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J862	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 943	
HCP: 1	♣ 932	Partner bids first.

Board: 190	♠ 543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: None	♦ K1074	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ53	♠ 7		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ Q6	♥ AJ108	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ8	♦ J106542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ AJ105	♣ Q7				
Contract: 3N N			1. Stayman			

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J32	♠ AK1087				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q104	♥ K62				
North HCP: 10	♦ Q87	♦ 109	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ106	♣ AJ3				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 188	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 8754	♠ AQ102		1NT	Pass	3♥ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AK85	♥ 6	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK	♦ Q76				
South HCP: 12	♣ K74	♣ A10853				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Splinter			

Board: 189	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 643	♠ AKQ107				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J862	♥ Q53	Pass	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass
North HCP: 1	♦ 943	♦ Q2	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ 932	♣ K105				
Contract: 3♦ W			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 543	♠ J98		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ5	♥ K				
North HCP: 15	♦ K1074	♦ QJ983	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQJ	♣ A1097				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 186	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ108	
Vul: EW	♦ J106542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q7	

Board: 187	♠ AK1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K62	
Vul: Both	♦ 109	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ3	

Board: 188	♠ AQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10853	

Board: 189	♠ AKQ107	East Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q53	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q2	
HCP: 16	♣ K105	You bid first.

Board: 190	♠ J98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ QJ983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A1097	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ53	♠ 7		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ Q6	♥ AJ108	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ8	♦ J106542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ AJ105	♣ Q7				
Contract: 3N N			1. Stayman			

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J32	♠ AK1087				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q104	♥ K62				
North HCP: 10	♦ Q87	♦ 109	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ106	♣ AJ3				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 188	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 8754	♠ AQ102		1NT	Pass	3♥ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AK85	♥ 6	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK	♦ Q76				
South HCP: 12	♣ K74	♣ A10853				
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Splinter			

Board: 189	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 643	♠ AKQ107				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J862	♥ Q53	Pass	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass
North HCP: 1	♦ 943	♦ Q2	3♦	AP		
South HCP: 16	♣ 932	♣ K105				
Contract: 3♦ W			1. Unusual 2NT			

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 543	♠ J98		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ5	♥ K				
North HCP: 15	♦ K1074	♦ QJ983	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQJ	♣ A1097				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 191	♠ QJ10984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ A1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 62	

Board: 192	♠ AKQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 985	
Vul: Both	♦ 1073	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Board: 193	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K64	
Vul: None	♦ Q1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J62	

Board: 194	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ97	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1073	

Board: 195	♠ KQ1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ K9832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J109	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ10984	♠ K52				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ KQ3	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A1084	♦ KJ92	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 62	♣ A98	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ3	♠ 98				
Vul: Both	♥ 985	♥ K73		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 1073	♦ AKJ96	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ	♣ 874				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 954	♠ KQ10				
Vul: None	♥ K64	♥ Q932				1NT
North HCP: 6	♦ Q1083	♦ AK4	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J62	♣ Q105				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ KQ106		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ KQ97	♥ AJ865	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♣ ²
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ2	♦ Q54	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A1073	♣ 8	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. Splinter			

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ1082	♠ A963				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ —	♥ 92	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 9	♦ K9832	♦ AQ10	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3♥ ³
South HCP: 17	♣ J109	♣ AK32	Pass	4♥ ⁴	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ S			AP			
			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 191	♠ K52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ92	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A98	

Board: 192	♠ 98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K73	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 874	

Board: 193	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q932	
Vul: None	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q105	

Board: 194	♠ KQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ865	
Vul: NS	♦ Q54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	

Board: 195	♠ A963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 92	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK32	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ10984	♠ K52				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ KQ3	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 11	♦ A1084	♦ KJ92	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 62	♣ A98	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ3	♠ 98				
Vul: Both	♥ 985	♥ K73		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 1073	♦ AKJ96	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQ	♣ 874				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 954	♠ KQ10				
Vul: None	♥ K64	♥ Q932				1NT
North HCP: 6	♦ Q1083	♦ AK4	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J62	♣ Q105				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ KQ106		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ KQ97	♥ AJ865	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♣ ²
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ2	♦ Q54	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A1073	♣ 8	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N			2. Splinter			

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ1082	♠ A963				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ —	♥ 92	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 9	♦ K9832	♦ AQ10	Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3♥ ³
South HCP: 17	♣ J109	♣ AK32	Pass	4♥ ⁴	Pass	4♠
Contract: 4♠ S			AP			
			1. Extended acceptance after NT			
			2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper			
			3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
			4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 196	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ4	
Vul: None	♦ Q75	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ3	

Board: 197	♠ KQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K54	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 875	

Board: 198	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: None	♦ KQ103	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ82	

Board: 199	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ 7653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 76432	

Board: 200	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK5	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ85	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A1085	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ 97		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ KQ4	♥ A82				
North HCP: 17	♦ Q75	♦ KJ1064	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ3	♣ A54				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ6	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K54	♥ AJ83	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ8	♦ A93	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 875	♣ Q1064	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ5	♠ 108		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 32	♥ AKJ4	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ103	♦ A98	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ82	♣ J1065	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 199	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A63	♠ Q85				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 6	♥ A985				
North HCP: 4	♦ 7653	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 76432	♣ Q95				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 200	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J7	♠ AQ1084		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK5	♥ 84	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ85	♦ 432	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A1085	♣ Q94				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 196	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A82	
Vul: None	♦ KJ1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A54	

Board: 197	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ83	
Vul: NS	♦ A93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q1064	

Board: 198	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ4	
Vul: None	♦ A98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J1065	

Board: 199	♠ Q85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A985	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q95	

Board: 200	♠ AQ1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: EW	♦ 432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q94	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ 97		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ KQ4	♥ A82				
North HCP: 17	♦ Q75	♦ KJ1064	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ3	♣ A54				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 197	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ6	♠ A10				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K54	♥ AJ83	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ8	♦ A93	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 875	♣ Q1064	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 198	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ5	♠ 108		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 32	♥ AKJ4	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ103	♦ A98	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ82	♣ J1065	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 199	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A63	♠ Q85				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 6	♥ A985				
North HCP: 4	♦ 7653	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 76432	♣ Q95				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 200	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J7	♠ AQ1084		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK5	♥ 84	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ85	♦ 432	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A1085	♣ Q94				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 201	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q95	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ8653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q9	
Board: 202	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K73	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A7	
Board: 203	♠ AQJ73	East Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 1087	
HCP: 9	♣ 10763	Partner bids first.
Board: 204	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ643	
Vul: Both	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A103	
Board: 205	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 932	
Vul: None	♦ 973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q8642	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ 109

♥ Q95

♦ QJ8653

♣ Q9

South:

♠ K4

♥ AK10

♦ AK1094

♣ 752

West North East South

1NT

Pass 3♣¹ Pass 3♦²

AP

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT

2. automat

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A1087

♥ K73

♦ AJ53

♣ A7

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ 98

♦ 10762

♣ J532

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♥X W

North:

♠ AQJ73

♥ Q

♦ 1087

♣ 10763

South:

♠ 98

♥ 73

♦ AKQJ5

♣ AQ85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ X Pass¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

3♥ X AP

1. artificial

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 85

♥ KJ643

♦ AK7

♣ A103

South:

♠ Q3

♥ AQ5

♦ 982

♣ KJ652

West North East South

1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AJ

♥ 932

♦ 973

♣ Q8642

South:

♠ Q5

♥ AKJ10

♦ QJ106

♣ K93

West North East South

1NT

AP

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 201	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1094	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 752	
Board: 202	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98	
Vul: Both	♦ 10762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J532	
Board: 203	♠ 98	East Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AKQJ5	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ85	You bid first.
Board: 204	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: Both	♦ 982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ652	
Board: 205	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ10	
Vul: None	♦ QJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K93	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3♦ S

North:

♠ 109

♥ Q95

♦ QJ8653

♣ Q9

South:

♠ K4

♥ AK10

♦ AK1094

♣ 752

West North East South

1NT

Pass 3♣¹ Pass 3♦²

AP

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT

2. automat

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A1087

♥ K73

♦ AJ53

♣ A7

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ 98

♦ 10762

♣ J532

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3♥X W

North:

♠ AQJ73

♥ Q

♦ 1087

♣ 10763

South:

♠ 98

♥ 73

♦ AKQJ5

♣ AQ85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ X Pass¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

3♥ X AP

1. artificial

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 85

♥ KJ643

♦ AK7

♣ A103

South:

♠ Q3

♥ AQ5

♦ 982

♣ KJ652

West North East South

1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 16

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AJ

♥ 932

♦ 973

♣ Q8642

South:

♠ Q5

♥ AKJ10

♦ QJ106

♣ K93

West North East South

1NT

AP

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 206	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ Q865	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A653	

Board: 207	♠ KJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9765	
Vul: Both	♦ 86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J102	

Board: 208	♠ KJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J98	
Vul: None	♦ A762	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ	

Board: 209	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9432	
Vul: NS	♦ A942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K4	

Board: 210	♠ Q52	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9	
Vul: EW	♦ J75	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ106	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 206	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A104	♠ Q83		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ	♥ K5				
North HCP: 16	♦ Q865	♦ A92	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A653	♣ Q10974				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 207	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ104	♠ A2				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 9765	♥ AJ842				
North HCP: 5	♦ 86	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J102	♣ 984				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 208	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ85	♠ 1093		1NT	AP	
Vul: None	♥ J98	♥ 753				
North HCP: 15	♦ A762	♦ K5				
South HCP: 6	♣ AQ	♣ K8754				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 209	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ KJ7				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A9432	♥ Q8	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ A942	♦ QJ53	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ K4	♣ AQ87	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 210	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q52	♠ 93		1NT	2♦ ¹	3♦
Vul: EW	♥ AK9	♥ 873				
North HCP: 16	♦ J75	♦ AK10962	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ AQ106	♣ 85	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 206	♠ Q83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: NS	♦ A92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q10974	
Board: 207	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ842	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 984	
Board: 208	♠ 1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 753	
Vul: None	♦ K5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K8754	
Board: 209	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ87	
Board: 210	♠ 93	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 873	
Vul: EW	♦ AK10962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 85	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 206	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A104	♠ Q83		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ	♥ K5				
North HCP: 16	♦ Q865	♦ A92	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ A653	♣ Q10974				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 207	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ104	♠ A2				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 9765	♥ AJ842				
North HCP: 5	♦ 86	♦ AQJ	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J102	♣ 984				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 208	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ85	♠ 1093		1NT	AP	
Vul: None	♥ J98	♥ 753				
North HCP: 15	♦ A762	♦ K5				
South HCP: 6	♣ AQ	♣ K8754				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 209	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ KJ7				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ A9432	♥ Q8	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♦ A942	♦ QJ53	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ K4	♣ AQ87	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 210	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q52	♠ 93		1NT	2♦ ¹	3♦
Vul: EW	♥ AK9	♥ 873				
North HCP: 16	♦ J75	♦ AK10962	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ AQ106	♣ 85	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 211	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ4	
Vul: None	♦ Q8765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ8	
Board: 212	♠ AQ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 53	
Board: 213	♠ Q1098754	East Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ QJ6	
Board: 214	♠ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ4	
Vul: NS	♦ Q97	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q73	
Board: 215	♠ 842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1087	
Vul: EW	♦ 87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ K832	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J10

♥ KQ4

♦ Q8765

♣ QJ8

South:

♠ AK43

♥ J5

♦ AKJ3

♣ 643

West North East South

1NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 212

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ AQ86

♥ KQ105

♦ AJ3

♣ 53

South:

♠ 53

♥ 843

♦ K8762

♣ A72

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 213

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ Q1098754

♥ 95

♦ 3

♣ QJ6

South:

♠ J2

♥ K86

♦ AQJ108

♣ A73

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ X Pass²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Texas

2. denies a ♥ stopper

Board: 214

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ KQ32

♥ AQ4

♦ Q97

♣ Q73

South:

♠ A

♥ KJ63

♦ A1064

♣ AKJ8

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♠ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Stayman

Board: 215

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 16

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 842

♥ Q1087

♦ 87

♣ K832

South:

♠ A103

♥ 52

♦ AQ104

♣ AQ64

West North East South

1NT

AP

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 211	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J5	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 643	
Board: 212	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 843	
Vul: EW	♦ K8762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A72	
Board: 213	♠ J2	East Doubles 4♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K86	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ108	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A73	
Board: 214	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ63	
Vul: NS	♦ A1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AKJ8	
Board: 215	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 52	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ104	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ64	

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Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J10

♥ KQ4

♦ Q8765

♣ QJ8

South:

♠ AK43

♥ J5

♦ AKJ3

♣ 643

West North East South

1NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 212

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ AQ86

♥ KQ105

♦ AJ3

♣ 53

South:

♠ 53

♥ 843

♦ K8762

♣ A72

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 213

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ Q1098754

♥ 95

♦ 3

♣ QJ6

South:

♠ J2

♥ K86

♦ AQJ108

♣ A73

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♥¹ X Pass²

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Texas

2. denies a ♥ stopper

Board: 214

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ KQ32

♥ AQ4

♦ Q97

♣ Q73

South:

♠ A

♥ KJ63

♦ A1064

♣ AKJ8

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♠ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Stayman

Board: 215

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 16

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 842

♥ Q1087

♦ 87

♣ K832

South:

♠ A103

♥ 52

♦ AQ104

♣ AQ64

West North East South

1NT

AP

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 216	♠ QJ	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J943	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK97	

Board: 217	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ42	
Vul: None	♦ 542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K953	

Board: 218	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ8	
Vul: Both	♦ K1095	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K105	

Board: 219	♠ K75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K107	
Vul: None	♦ Q10743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A2	

Board: 220	♠ AJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A954	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ4	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 216	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ	♠ 6		1NT	2♣ ¹	4♠ ²
Vul: Both	♥ J943	♥ Q8	Pass	5♣	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ6	♦ K10984	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 7	♣ AK97	♣ Q10864	2. Minors			
Contract: 5♣ N						

Board: 217	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ AK106				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KJ42	♥ A1095				
North HCP: 7	♦ 542	♦ 87	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K953	♣ A104				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ 94		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQ8	♥ J109				
North HCP: 16	♦ K1095	♦ Q43	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ K105	♣ AJ876				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 219	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K75	♠ A109				1NT
Vul: None	♥ K107	♥ 62				
North HCP: 12	♦ Q10743	♦ AK965	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A2	♣ KQ9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 220	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ62	♠ 108		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ A954	♥ 1082				
North HCP: 16	♦ Q10	♦ AK763				
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ4	♣ 952				
Contract: 1N N						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 216	♠ 6	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: Both	♦ K10984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q10864	

Board: 217	♠ AK106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1095	
Vul: None	♦ 87	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A104	

Board: 218	♠ 94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J109	
Vul: Both	♦ Q43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ876	

Board: 219	♠ A109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 62	
Vul: None	♦ AK965	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ9	

Board: 220	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1082	
Vul: Both	♦ AK763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 952	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 216	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ	♠ 6		1NT	2♣ ¹	4♠ ²
Vul: Both	♥ J943	♥ Q8	Pass	5♣	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ6	♦ K10984	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
South HCP: 7	♣ AK97	♣ Q10864	2. Minors			
Contract: 5♣ N						

Board: 217	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ AK106				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KJ42	♥ A1095				
North HCP: 7	♦ 542	♦ 87	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K953	♣ A104				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ 94		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQ8	♥ J109				
North HCP: 16	♦ K1095	♦ Q43	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ K105	♣ AJ876				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 219	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K75	♠ A109				1NT
Vul: None	♥ K107	♥ 62				
North HCP: 12	♦ Q10743	♦ AK965	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A2	♣ KQ9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 220	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ62	♠ 108		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ A954	♥ 1082				
North HCP: 16	♦ Q10	♦ AK763				
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ4	♣ 952				
Contract: 1N N						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 221	♠ 9864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: None	♦ 1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 873	
Board: 222	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1098	
Vul: NS	♦ AK107	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K2	
Board: 223	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K106432	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q105	
Board: 224	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J95	
Vul: None	♦ K1064	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ5	
Board: 225	♠ J954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J4	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 221	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9864	♠ AQ2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A96	♥ Q1087				
North HCP: 4	♦ 1084	♦ K5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 873	♣ AQ64				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 222	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ3	♠ 96				
Vul: NS	♥ 1098	♥ Q7		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AK107	♦ QJ52				
South HCP: 6	♣ K2	♣ J8643				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 223	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A105	♠ QJ964				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ K106432	♥ Q87	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 5	♦ AKJ	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q105	♣ K7	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 224	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ2	♠ J5				
Vul: None	♥ J95	♥ 643		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K1064	♦ 952				
South HCP: 1	♣ AQ5	♣ 96432				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J954	♠ Q72				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 96	♥ AKQ2				
North HCP: 7	♦ AJ742	♦ KQ103	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J4	♣ 86				
Contract: 1N S						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 221	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1087	
Vul: None	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ64	

Board: 222	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J8643	

Board: 223	♠ QJ964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q87	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K7	

Board: 224	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 643	
Vul: None	♦ 952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 1	♣ 96432	

Board: 225	♠ Q72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ103	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 86	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 221	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9864	♠ AQ2				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A96	♥ Q1087				
North HCP: 4	♦ 1084	♦ K5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 873	♣ AQ64				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 222	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ3	♠ 96				
Vul: NS	♥ 1098	♥ Q7		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AK107	♦ QJ52				
South HCP: 6	♣ K2	♣ J8643				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 223	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A105	♠ QJ964				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ K106432	♥ Q87	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 5	♦ AKJ	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q105	♣ K7	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 224	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ2	♠ J5				
Vul: None	♥ J95	♥ 643		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K1064	♦ 952				
South HCP: 1	♣ AQ5	♣ 96432				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J954	♠ Q72				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 96	♥ AKQ2				
North HCP: 7	♦ AJ742	♦ KQ103	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J4	♣ 86				
Contract: 1N S						

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Board: 226	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK4	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ65	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ106	

Board: 227	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ 10832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q9753	

Board: 228	♠ Q42	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK94	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A9	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ A952	You bid first.

Board: 229	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10853	
Vul: EW	♦ 9876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K5	

Board: 230	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10763	
Vul: Both	♦ 964	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ KJ7		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK4	♥ 102				
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ65	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ106	♣ AK972				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ K10754				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K10	♥ Q54				
North HCP: 6	♦ 10832	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9753	♣ AK10				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q42	♠ A107		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AK94	♥ J862	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ A9	♦ 10852	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 5	♣ A952	♣ 74				
Contract: 2♠ W						

1. Multi-Landy, Multi
2. to the partner's longer

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ AK2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A10853	♥ K976	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 9876	♦ QJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K5	♣ Q964				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ	♠ 9732				
Vul: Both	♥ A10763	♥ K5		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 964	♦ 108				
South HCP: 5	♣ AKJ	♣ Q8765				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 226	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 102	
Vul: EW	♦ K97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK972	

Board: 227	♠ K10754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q54	
Vul: Both	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK10	

Board: 228	♠ A107	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J862	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 10852	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ 74	Partner bids first.

Board: 229	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K976	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q964	

Board: 230	♠ 9732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K5	
Vul: Both	♦ 108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q8765	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ KJ7		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: EW	♥ AK4	♥ 102				
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ65	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ106	♣ AK972				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ K10754				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K10	♥ Q54				
North HCP: 6	♦ 10832	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q9753	♣ AK10				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q42	♠ A107		1NT	Pass	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ AK94	♥ J862	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ A9	♦ 10852	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 5	♣ A952	♣ 74				
Contract: 2♠ W						

1. Multi-Landy, Multi
2. to the partner's longer

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 95	♠ AK2				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A10853	♥ K976	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 9876	♦ QJ	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K5	♣ Q964				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ	♠ 9732				
Vul: Both	♥ A10763	♥ K5		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 964	♦ 108				
South HCP: 5	♣ AKJ	♣ Q8765				
Contract: 1N N						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 231	♠ J109864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 10	
Board: 232	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: None	♦ A93	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ96	
Board: 233	♠ KQ752	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 987	
Vul: NS	♦ Q3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q76	
Board: 234	♠ QJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A32	
Vul: None	♦ KQ63	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ8	
Board: 235	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 654	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 987	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J109864	♠ AQ7				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 42	♥ AK1063	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 8	♦ AQJ3	♦ K8	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 10	♣ 642	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ10	♠ Q5		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 84	♥ KQ95	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ A93	♦ K10876	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AQJ96	♣ 87	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 233	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ752	♠ J6				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 987	♥ AKQJ2	2NT ¹	3♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ Q3	♦ 1094	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q76	♣ A102	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 234	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ10	♠ A984				
Vul: None	♥ A32	♥ 97		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ63	♦ J975				
South HCP: 5	♣ KQ8	♣ 962				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 235	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K32	♠ A105				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 654	♥ KQJ9	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ AQ73	♦ K84				
South HCP: 16	♣ 987	♣ K63				
Contract: 2N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 231	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1063	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 642	

Board: 232	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ95	
Vul: None	♦ K10876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 87	

Board: 233	♠ J6	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ2	
Vul: NS	♦ 1094	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A102	

Board: 234	♠ A984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 97	
Vul: None	♦ J975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 962	

Board: 235	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: NS	♦ K84	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K63	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J109864	♠ AQ7				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 42	♥ AK1063	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 8	♦ AQJ3	♦ K8	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 10	♣ 642	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ10	♠ Q5		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 84	♥ KQ95	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ A93	♦ K10876	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AQJ96	♣ 87	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 233	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ752	♠ J6				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 987	♥ AKQJ2	2NT ¹	3♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ Q3	♦ 1094	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q76	♣ A102	1. Unusual 2NT			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 234	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ10	♠ A984				
Vul: None	♥ A32	♥ 97		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ63	♦ J975				
South HCP: 5	♣ KQ8	♣ 962				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 235	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K32	♠ A105				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 654	♥ KQJ9	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 9	♦ AQ73	♦ K84				
South HCP: 16	♣ 987	♣ K63				
Contract: 2N S						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 236	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ54	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J72	

Board: 237	♠ 10872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q765	
Vul: None	♦ 109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ Q107	

Board: 238	♠ A762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A64	
Vul: NS	♦ 632	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ	

Board: 239	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108543	
Vul: EW	♦ 6432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ AK4	

Board: 240	♠ A65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ A98	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ753	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 236	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ AQ876		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ QJ54	♥ A108	Pass	2♠	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ9	♦ 875	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J72	♣ AQ				
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 237	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10872	♠ AK965				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q765	♥ A9	AP			
North HCP: 4	♦ 109	♦ 653				
South HCP: 16	♣ Q107	♣ AJ3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 238	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A762	♠ KQJ84		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ A64	♥ K75	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ 632	♦ 75	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQ	♣ 984				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 239	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AK74				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 108543	♥ A6	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 6432	♦ K109	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AK4	♣ J1032				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 240	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A65	♠ J10		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ 98652	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ A98	♦ Q53				
South HCP: 6	♣ AJ753	♣ K92				
Contract: 2♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 236	♠ AQ876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108	
Vul: EW	♦ 875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

Board: 237	♠ AK965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: None	♦ 653	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ3	

Board: 238	♠ KQJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K75	
Vul: NS	♦ 75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 984	

Board: 239	♠ AK74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ K109	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J1032	

Board: 240	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 98652	
Vul: Both	♦ Q53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K92	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 236	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ AQ876		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ QJ54	♥ A108	Pass	2♠	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ9	♦ 875	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J72	♣ AQ				
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 237	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10872	♠ AK965				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q765	♥ A9				
North HCP: 4	♦ 109	♦ 653	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q107	♣ AJ3				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 238	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A762	♠ KQJ84		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ A64	♥ K75	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ 632	♦ 75	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQ	♣ 984				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 239	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AK74				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 108543	♥ A6	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 6432	♦ K109	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AK4	♣ J1032				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 240	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A65	♠ J10		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ 98652	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ A98	♦ Q53				
South HCP: 6	♣ AJ753	♣ K92				
Contract: 2♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 241	♠ AQ8754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q105	
Vul: NS	♦ 103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 65	
Board: 242	♠ K853	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q843	
Board: 243	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q986542	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q3	
Board: 244	♠ 953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 74	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ85	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ	
Board: 245	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ987	
Vul: Both	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K863	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 241	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ8754	♠ 1092				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q105	♥ AK42	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 8	♦ 103	♦ AK9	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 65	♣ QJ8	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 242	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K853	♠ Q9742		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ 83	X	2NT ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ4	♦ J2	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q843	♣ AK109	1. Extended acceptance after NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 96	♠ AKJ				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q986542	♥ A103	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 6	♦ Q9	♦ 87	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q3	♣ A10652	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 953	♠ AQ2		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ 74	♥ A6	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ AKQ85	♦ 10942				
South HCP: 10	♣ KQJ	♣ 7632				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ8	♠ 1075				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KJ987	♥ Q54	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 4	♦ AKQ95	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ K863	♣ AJ	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 241	♠ 1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK42	
Vul: NS	♦ AK9	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ8	
Board: 242	♠ Q9742	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 83	
Vul: EW	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AK109	
Board: 243	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A103	
Vul: Both	♦ 87	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A10652	
Board: 244	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	
Vul: None	♦ 10942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 7632	
Board: 245	♠ 1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q54	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ95	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 241	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ8754	♠ 1092				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q105	♥ AK42	Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 8	♦ 103	♦ AK9	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 65	♣ QJ8	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 242	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K853	♠ Q9742		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ AJ	♥ 83	X	2NT ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ4	♦ J2	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q843	♣ AK109	1. Extended acceptance after NT			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 96	♠ AKJ				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q986542	♥ A103	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 6	♦ Q9	♦ 87	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ Q3	♣ A10652	1. Texas			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 953	♠ AQ2		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ 74	♥ A6	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ AKQ85	♦ 10942				
South HCP: 10	♣ KQJ	♣ 7632				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ8	♠ 1075				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KJ987	♥ Q54	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 4	♦ AKQ95	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ K863	♣ AJ	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

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15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 246	♠ J83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K94	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ109	

Board: 247	♠ KQJ863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: Both	♦ 987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 42	

Board: 248	♠ AQJ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: NS	♦ K87	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q65	

Board: 249	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 852	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 4	

Board: 250	♠ AJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A753	
Vul: None	♦ AK5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 106	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 246
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 0
 Contract: 1N N

North:	South:
♠ J83	♠ 74
♥ K94	♥ 10865
♦ AQ	♦ 985
♣ KQJ109	♣ 7642

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 247
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:	South:
♠ KQJ863	♠ A104
♥ Q10	♥ A862
♦ 987	♦ KJ
♣ 42	♣ AJ97

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

1. Texas

Board: 248
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 5
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:	South:
♠ AQJ42	♠ 98
♥ A10	♥ 653
♦ K87	♦ AJ9432
♣ Q65	♣ 82

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 249
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2N S

North:	South:
♠ A1065	♠ K32
♥ 852	♥ AK
♦ KQ943	♦ A62
♣ 4	♣ J9862

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Stayman

Board: 250
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:	South:
♠ AJ62	♠ 5
♥ A753	♥ 92
♦ AK5	♦ 982
♣ 106	♣ QJ98432

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 246	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10865	
Vul: NS	♦ 985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 0	♣ 7642	
Board: 247	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A862	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ97	
Board: 248	♠ 98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 653	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ9432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 82	
Board: 249	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ A62	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J9862	
Board: 250	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 92	
Vul: None	♦ 982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ QJ98432	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 246
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 0
 Contract: 1N N

North:	South:
♠ J83	♠ 74
♥ K94	♥ 10865
♦ AQ	♦ 985
♣ KQJ109	♣ 7642

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 247
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:	South:
♠ KQJ863	♠ A104
♥ Q10	♥ A862
♦ 987	♦ KJ
♣ 42	♣ AJ97

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

1. Texas

Board: 248
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 5
 Contract: 3♦ N

North:	South:
♠ AQJ42	♠ 98
♥ A10	♥ 653
♦ K87	♦ AJ9432
♣ Q65	♣ 82

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 249
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2N S

North:	South:
♠ A1065	♠ K32
♥ 852	♥ AK
♦ KQ943	♦ A62
♣ 4	♣ J9862

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	AP	

1. Stayman

Board: 250
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:	South:
♠ AJ62	♠ 5
♥ A753	♥ 92
♦ AK5	♦ 982
♣ 106	♣ QJ98432

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 251	♠ J986	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J762	

Board: 252	♠ A863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ7	
Vul: EW	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1073	

Board: 253	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J84	
Vul: Both	♦ J9764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J9	

Board: 254	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 962	
Vul: EW	♦ AK43	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q432	

Board: 255	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ764	
Vul: Both	♦ 854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A76	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J986	♠ AK7				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 9	♥ A10				
North HCP: 7	♦ KQ108	♦ 7652	3♥	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ J762	♣ A843				
Contract: 3♥ W						

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A863	♠ 7542				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ7	♥ 1092		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ J4	♦ 2				
South HCP: 2	♣ A1073	♣ Q9865				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ9	♠ AJ108				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J84	♥ K107				
North HCP: 8	♦ J9764	♦ KQ102	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17	♣ J9	♣ A8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ 874				
Vul: EW	♥ 962	♥ KJ1075		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AK43	♦ 65	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 8	♣ Q432	♣ A107	Pass	3♥	AP	
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 255	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AK6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AJ764	♥ Q105	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 854	♦ A10962	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A76	♣ K3	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 251	♠ AK7	West Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: NS	♦ 7652	
HCP: 15	♣ A843	You bid first.

Board: 252	♠ 7542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1092	
Vul: EW	♦ 2	
HCP: 2	♣ Q9865	Partner bids first.

Board: 253	♠ AJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K107	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ102	
HCP: 17	♣ A8	You bid first.

Board: 254	♠ 874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ1075	
Vul: EW	♦ 65	
HCP: 8	♣ A107	Partner bids first.

Board: 255	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q105	
Vul: Both	♦ A10962	
HCP: 16	♣ K3	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J986	♠ AK7				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 9	♥ A10				
North HCP: 7	♦ KQ108	♦ 7652	3♥	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ J762	♣ A843				
Contract: 3♥ W						

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A863	♠ 7542				
Vul: EW	♥ AQ7	♥ 1092		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ J4	♦ 2				
South HCP: 2	♣ A1073	♣ Q9865				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ9	♠ AJ108				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J84	♥ K107				
North HCP: 8	♦ J9764	♦ KQ102	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 17	♣ J9	♣ A8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 254	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ 874				
Vul: EW	♥ 962	♥ KJ1075		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AK43	♦ 65	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 8	♣ Q432	♣ A107	Pass	3♥	AP	
Contract: 3♥ N						

Board: 255	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AK6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AJ764	♥ Q105	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 854	♦ A10962	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ A76	♣ K3	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 256	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10	
Vul: None	♦ K62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9864	

Board: 257	♠ KQJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J52	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 753	

Board: 258	♠ K543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1076	

Board: 259	♠ —	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 9532	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q1084	
HCP: 5	♣ K8632	Partner bids first.

Board: 260	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ64	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q843	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 256	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK5	♠ QJ643		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ Q10	♥ 632	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K62	♦ A87	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A9864	♣ J7				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 257	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ102	♠ 984				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J52	♥ A1063	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ	♦ AJ98	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 753	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 258	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K543	♠ 1086		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ AQ	♥ 752				
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ4	♦ 732				
South HCP: 0	♣ K1076	♣ 9843				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 259	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ J82				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 9532	♥ AQ6	Pass	Pass	3♠	Pass
North HCP: 5	♦ Q1084	♦ AKJ95	4♠	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ K8632	♣ 94				
Contract: 4♠ E						

Board: 260	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A43	♠ QJ976		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ A8	♥ J75	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ64	♦ K53				
South HCP: 7	♣ Q843	♣ 52				
Contract: 2♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 256	♠ QJ643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 632	
Vul: None	♦ A87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J7	

Board: 257	♠ 984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1063	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ98	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	

Board: 258	♠ 1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 752	
Vul: Both	♦ 732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 0	♣ 9843	

Board: 259	♠ J82	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ6	West Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ95	
HCP: 15	♣ 94	You bid first.

Board: 260	♠ QJ976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J75	
Vul: NS	♦ K53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 52	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 256	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK5	♠ QJ643		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ Q10	♥ 632	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K62	♦ A87	Pass	3♠	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ A9864	♣ J7				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 257	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ102	♠ 984				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J52	♥ A1063	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ	♦ AJ98	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 753	♣ AK	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 258	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K543	♠ 1086		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ AQ	♥ 752				
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ4	♦ 732				
South HCP: 0	♣ K1076	♣ 9843				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 259	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ J82				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 9532	♥ AQ6	Pass	Pass	3♠	Pass
North HCP: 5	♦ Q1084	♦ AKJ95	4♠	AP		
South HCP: 15	♣ K8632	♣ 94				
Contract: 4♠ E						

Board: 260	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A43	♠ QJ976		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ A8	♥ J75	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ64	♦ K53				
South HCP: 7	♣ Q843	♣ 52				
Contract: 2♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 261	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q109	
Vul: Both	♦ K109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ832	
Board: 262	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ862	
Vul: NS	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ2	
Board: 263	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1042	
Vul: EW	♦ 1082	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q853	
Board: 264	♠ Q72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK6	
Vul: None	♦ 54	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK872	
Board: 265	♠ Q10952	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 109742	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ K3	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 261	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K4	♠ A105				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q109	♥ K83				
North HCP: 12	♦ K109	♦ A4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ832	♣ A9654				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 262	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ AQ10832		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ862	♥ 105				
North HCP: 16	♦ AK7	♦ QJ3	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ2	♣ A10	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 263	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ K10743				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A1042	♥ K87	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ 1082	♦ AQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q853	♣ A4				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Stayman

Board: 264	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q72	♠ K83		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AK6	♥ 102				
North HCP: 16	♦ 54	♦ A109832	Pass	3♦ ²	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AK872	♣ Q6				
Contract: 3♦ N						

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 265	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10952	♠ KJ4				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 2	♥ A843	Pass	2♥	2♠ ¹	X
North HCP: 5	♦ 109742	♦ A85	2NT ²	Pass	3♣	Pass
South HCP: 15	♣ K3	♣ QJ2	Pass	3♠	AP	
Contract: 3♠ N						

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. to the partner's longer

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 261	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K83	
Vul: Both	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9654	
Board: 262	♠ AQ10832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A10	
Board: 263	♠ K10743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K87	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A4	
Board: 264	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 102	
Vul: None	♦ A109832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q6	
Board: 265	♠ KJ4	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A843	West Bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ A85	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ2	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 261	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K4	♠ A105				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q109	♥ K83				
North HCP: 12	♦ K109	♦ A4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ832	♣ A9654				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 262	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ AQ10832		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ862	♥ 105				
North HCP: 16	♦ AK7	♦ QJ3	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ2	♣ A10	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 263	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ	♠ K10743				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A1042	♥ K87	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ 1082	♦ AQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ Q853	♣ A4				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Stayman

Board: 264	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q72	♠ K83		1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ AK6	♥ 102				
North HCP: 16	♦ 54	♦ A109832	Pass	3♦ ²	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ AK872	♣ Q6				
Contract: 3♦ N						

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 265	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10952	♠ KJ4				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 2	♥ A843	Pass	2♥	2♠ ¹	X
North HCP: 5	♦ 109742	♦ A85	2NT ²	Pass	3♣	Pass
South HCP: 15	♣ K3	♣ QJ2	Pass	3♠	AP	
Contract: 3♠ N						

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. to the partner's longer

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 266	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K872	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q2	

Board: 267	♠ 32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J2	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J103	

Board: 268	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10432	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K6	

Board: 269	♠ J1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	
Vul: EW	♦ Q986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J65	

Board: 270	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ752	
Vul: Both	♦ A92	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ4	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 266
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:
 ♠ AK6
 ♥ K872
 ♦ KJ42
 ♣ Q2

South:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ A10
 ♦ 53
 ♣ K987543

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 267
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ 32
 ♥ J2
 ♦ KQJ632
 ♣ J103

South:
 ♠ AQJ6
 ♥ 8653
 ♦ A5
 ♣ AQ5

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 268
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 4
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AK6
 ♥ 10432
 ♦ KQJ4
 ♣ K6

South:
 ♠ J1075
 ♥ K875
 ♦ 87
 ♣ 532

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 269
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ J1085
 ♥ J3
 ♦ Q986
 ♣ J65

South:
 ♠ 972
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ AKJ10
 ♣ K873

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 270
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ J7
 ♥ AJ752
 ♦ A92
 ♣ AQ4

South:
 ♠ 10652
 ♥ 64
 ♦ QJ8
 ♣ 10962

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 266	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: EW	♦ 53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K987543	
Board: 267	♠ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8653	
Vul: Both	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ5	
Board: 268	♠ J1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K875	
Vul: NS	♦ 87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 532	
Board: 269	♠ 972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K873	
Board: 270	♠ 10652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 64	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 10962	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 266
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:
 ♠ AK6
 ♥ K872
 ♦ KJ42
 ♣ Q2

South:
 ♠ Q5
 ♥ A10
 ♦ 53
 ♣ K987543

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 267
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ 32
 ♥ J2
 ♦ KQJ632
 ♣ J103

South:
 ♠ AQJ6
 ♥ 8653
 ♦ A5
 ♣ AQ5

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 268
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 4
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AK6
 ♥ 10432
 ♦ KQJ4
 ♣ K6

South:
 ♠ J1075
 ♥ K875
 ♦ 87
 ♣ 532

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 269
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ J1085
 ♥ J3
 ♦ Q986
 ♣ J65

South:
 ♠ 972
 ♥ AQ
 ♦ AKJ10
 ♣ K873

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 270
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ J7
 ♥ AJ752
 ♦ A92
 ♣ AQ4

South:
 ♠ 10652
 ♥ 64
 ♦ QJ8
 ♣ 10962

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 271	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	
Vul: None	♦ KJ965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J72	
Board: 272	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q983	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ96	
Board: 273	♠ Q1085	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ J1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQJ54	
Board: 274	♠ Q1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ4	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K5	
Board: 275	♠ K965	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1042	
Vul: Both	♦ 854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K9	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 271

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K83

♥ 93

♦ KJ965

♣ J72

South:

♠ A95

♥ AKQ5

♦ 107

♣ A965

West North East South

Pass 2NT Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 272

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ Q983

♦ KQ

♣ QJ96

South:

♠ 632

♥ K72

♦ A1086

♣ 1043

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 273

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠X S

North:

♠ Q1085

♥ —

♦ J1032

♣ AQJ54

South:

♠ KJ72

♥ KJ87

♦ A6

♣ K63

West North East South

Pass 3♥¹ Pass 1NT

Pass 4NT² Pass 4♠

Pass 5♥

Pass 6♠ Pass

X AP

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 274

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q1065

♥ QJ4

♦ AQJ5

♣ K5

South:

♠ AJ2

♥ AK2

♦ 9842

♣ J102

West North East South

1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 275

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K965

♥ Q1042

♦ 854

♣ K9

South:

♠ AQ72

♥ AJ

♦ A107

♣ J653

West North East South

X¹ 2♣² Pass 1NT

Pass 4♠ 2♠

AP

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

2. Stayman

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 271	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ5	
Vul: None	♦ 107	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A965	
Board: 272	♠ 632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K72	
Vul: EW	♦ A1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 1043	
Board: 273	♠ KJ72	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ87	
Vul: Both	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K63	
Board: 274	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK2	
Vul: None	♦ 9842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J102	
Board: 275	♠ AQ72	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: Both	♦ A107	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J653	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 271

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K83

♥ 93

♦ KJ965

♣ J72

South:

♠ A95

♥ AKQ5

♦ 107

♣ A965

West North East South

Pass 2NT Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 272

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ Q983

♦ KQ

♣ QJ96

South:

♠ 632

♥ K72

♦ A1086

♣ 1043

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 273

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠X S

North:

♠ Q1085

♥ —

♦ J1032

♣ AQJ54

South:

♠ KJ72

♥ KJ87

♦ A6

♣ K63

West North East South

Pass 3♥¹ Pass 1NT

Pass 4NT² Pass 4♠

Pass 5♥

Pass 6♠ Pass

X AP

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 274

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q1065

♥ QJ4

♦ AQJ5

♣ K5

South:

♠ AJ2

♥ AK2

♦ 9842

♣ J102

West North East South

1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 275

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K965

♥ Q1042

♦ 854

♣ K9

South:

♠ AQ72

♥ AJ

♦ A107

♣ J653

West North East South

X¹ 2♣² Pass 1NT

Pass 4♠ 2♠

AP

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

2. Stayman

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 276	♠ AKJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1082	
Vul: None	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J96	
Board: 277	♠ 76432	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 654	
Board: 278	♠ Q2	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQ73	West Doubles 4♣ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ K752	You bid first.
Board: 279	♠ QJ76	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 94	
Vul: None	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KQ1075	
Board: 280	♠ KQ64	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 63	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AQ104	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ3	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AKJ8

♥ Q1082

♦ A5

♣ J96

South:

♠ 42

♥ AK9763

♦ Q962

♣ 8

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Texas

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♠ S

North:

♠ 76432

♥ J4

♦ KQ10

♣ 654

South:

♠ AK5

♥ A1095

♦ A765

♣ 108

West North East South

1NT

X¹ 2♥ Pass 2♠

AP

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♣X S

North:

♠ Q2

♥ A96

♦ AQ73

♣ K752

South:

♠ 10

♥ QJ1054

♦ 65

♣ AJ1086

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

2♠ Pass 3♠ 4♣

X AP

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ QJ76

♥ 94

♦ 95

♣ KQ1075

South:

♠ 9542

♥ A65

♦ AK108

♣ A9

West North East South

1NT

2♣¹ 2NT AP

1. Multi-Landy, both majors

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 2

Contract: 2♠ W

North:

♠ KQ64

♥ 63

♦ AQ104

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ 87

♥ 9852

♦ J832

♣ J65

West North East South

1NT 2♦¹ Pass

2♠ AP

1. Multi-Landy, Multi

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 276	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9763	
Vul: None	♦ Q962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 8	
Board: 277	♠ AK5	West Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A1095	
Vul: NS	♦ A765	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 108	
Board: 278	♠ 10	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ1054	East Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 65	West Doubles 4♣ if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ1086	Partner bids first.
Board: 279	♠ 9542	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A65	
Vul: None	♦ AK108	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A9	
Board: 280	♠ 87	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9852	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ J832	
HCP: 2	♣ J65	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AKJ8

♥ Q1082

♦ A5

♣ J96

South:

♠ 42

♥ AK9763

♦ Q962

♣ 8

West North East South

1NT Pass 4♦¹

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Texas

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♠ S

North:

♠ 76432

♥ J4

♦ KQ10

♣ 654

South:

♠ AK5

♥ A1095

♦ A765

♣ 108

West North East South

1NT

X¹ 2♥ Pass 2♠

AP

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4♣X S

North:

♠ Q2

♥ A96

♦ AQ73

♣ K752

South:

♠ 10

♥ QJ1054

♦ 65

♣ AJ1086

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♦

2♠ Pass 3♠ 4♣

X AP

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ QJ76

♥ 94

♦ 95

♣ KQ1075

South:

♠ 9542

♥ A65

♦ AK108

♣ A9

West North East South

1NT

2♣¹ 2NT AP

1. Multi-Landy, both majors

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 2

Contract: 2♠ W

North:

♠ KQ64

♥ 63

♦ AQ104

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ 87

♥ 9852

♦ J832

♣ J65

West North East South

1NT 2♦¹ Pass

2♠ AP

1. Multi-Landy, Multi

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 281
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 9

♠ Q2
♥ J10
♦ A9654
♣ Q865

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 282
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 16

♠ AJ85
♥ 108
♦ AKQ
♣ Q973

East Bids 3♥ if possible.
West Doubles 6♣ if possible.
East Doubles Pass if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 283
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
HCP: 6

♠ Q8432
♥ A
♦ 43
♣ 107643

West Bids 2♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 284
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
HCP: 16

♠ K4
♥ KQJ7
♦ K62
♣ A973

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 285
Dealer: S
Vul: None
HCP: 9

♠ J108
♥ Q3
♦ AQ93
♣ 9542

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 281	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q2	♠ A83				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J10	♥ A982				
North HCP: 9	♦ A9654	♦ QJ3	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q865	♣ A109				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ85	♠ KQ1074		1NT	3♥	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ 108	♥ 6	Pass	X	Pass	6♣
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQ	♦ 53	X	Pass	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 8	♣ Q973	♣ K10642	Pass	Pass	X	AP
Contract: 6♠X S						

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q8432	♠ A97				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ K642				
North HCP: 6	♦ 43	♦ AK72	2♦ ¹	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 107643	♣ J8	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ QJ96		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ7	♥ 532	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K62	♦ A108	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A973	♣ Q84	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J108	♠ KQ6				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q3	♥ A542				
North HCP: 9	♦ AQ93	♦ J65	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 9542	♣ KQJ				
Contract: 2N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 281	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A982	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A109	
Board: 282	♠ KQ1074	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	West Doubles 6♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 53	East Doubles Pass if possible.
HCP: 8	♣ K10642	Partner bids first.
Board: 283	♠ A97	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K642	
Vul: EW	♦ AK72	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J8	
Board: 284	♠ QJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 532	
Vul: Both	♦ A108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q84	
Board: 285	♠ KQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A542	
Vul: None	♦ J65	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 281	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q2	♠ A83				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J10	♥ A982				
North HCP: 9	♦ A9654	♦ QJ3	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q865	♣ A109				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 282	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ85	♠ KQ1074		1NT	3♥	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ 108	♥ 6	Pass	X	Pass	6♣
North HCP: 16	♦ AKQ	♦ 53	X	Pass	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 8	♣ Q973	♣ K10642	Pass	Pass	X	AP
Contract: 6♠X S						

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q8432	♠ A97				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ K642				
North HCP: 6	♦ 43	♦ AK72	2♦ ¹	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 107643	♣ J8	1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ QJ96		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ7	♥ 532	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K62	♦ A108	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ A973	♣ Q84	1. Stayman			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J108	♠ KQ6				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q3	♥ A542				
North HCP: 9	♦ AQ93	♦ J65	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 9542	♣ KQJ				
Contract: 2N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 286	♠ K76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: EW	♦ A64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ986	

Board: 287	♠ Q75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1086	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J87	

Board: 288	♠ AJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A84	
Vul: None	♦ AJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K2	

Board: 289	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J108643	
Vul: NS	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q75	

Board: 290	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ63	
Vul: Both	♦ K52	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ7	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K76	♠ 852		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A10	♥ KQ964	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A64	♦ KQ3	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ986	♣ A10				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 287	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q75	♠ AK6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 1086	♥ AQ97	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ AQ64	♦ 92	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ J87	♣ A1063				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 288	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ104	♠ 975				
Vul: None	♥ A84	♥ K963		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ53	♦ 98				
South HCP: 5	♣ K2	♣ Q1043				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 289	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q2	♠ KJ9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J108643	♥ KQ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ A6	♦ K3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ Q75	♣ AJ863	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 290	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K85	♠ AJ9764		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AJ63	♥ K875	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K52	♦ A10	1. Texas			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ7	♣ 4				
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 286	♠ 852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ964	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A10	

Board: 287	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ97	
Vul: Both	♦ 92	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A1063	

Board: 288	♠ 975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K963	
Vul: None	♦ 98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q1043	

Board: 289	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ863	

Board: 290	♠ AJ9764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K875	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 4	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K76	♠ 852		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ A10	♥ KQ964	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A64	♦ KQ3	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ986	♣ A10				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 287	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q75	♠ AK6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 1086	♥ AQ97	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ AQ64	♦ 92	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ J87	♣ A1063				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 288	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ104	♠ 975				
Vul: None	♥ A84	♥ K963		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ53	♦ 98				
South HCP: 5	♣ K2	♣ Q1043				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 289	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q2	♠ KJ9				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ J108643	♥ KQ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ A6	♦ K3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ Q75	♣ AJ863	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 290	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K85	♠ AJ9764		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AJ63	♥ K875	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ K52	♦ A10	1. Texas			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ7	♣ 4				
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 291 ♠ J76
Dealer: S ♥ J104
Vul: None ♦ 742
HCP: 2 ♣ 10652

West Doubles 1NT if possible.
East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 292 ♠ A65
Dealer: N ♥ AK852
Vul: NS ♦ 87
HCP: 16 ♣ AJ6

West Doubles 2♠ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 293 ♠ J8743
Dealer: S ♥ 1096
Vul: EW ♦ 743
HCP: 1 ♣ 102

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 294 ♠ QJ
Dealer: N ♥ K10753
Vul: None ♦ AJ9
HCP: 17 ♣ AQ7

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 295 ♠ AQ
Dealer: S ♥ J95432
Vul: NS ♦ K108
HCP: 10 ♣ 75

West Bids 3♥ if possible.
East Bids 3NT if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.
East Bids 5♣ if possible.

Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 291
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 2
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 2♥ W

North:
 ♠ J76
 ♥ J104
 ♦ 742
 ♣ 10652

South:
 ♠ AK1083
 ♥ A83
 ♦ KQ9
 ♣ 94

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

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 292
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:
 ♠ A65
 ♥ AK852
 ♦ 87
 ♣ AJ6

South:
 ♠ 97
 ♥ Q3
 ♦ 109
 ♣ KQ98742

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
X	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 293
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 1
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 2♠ S

North:
 ♠ J8743
 ♥ 1096
 ♦ 743
 ♣ 102

South:
 ♠ A10
 ♥ 832
 ♦ AQ95
 ♣ AQ93

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

Board: 294
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ QJ
 ♥ K10753
 ♦ AJ9
 ♣ AQ7

South:
 ♠ AK54
 ♥ 9
 ♦ 8753
 ♣ 10953

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 295
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 5♣X W

North:
 ♠ AQ
 ♥ J95432
 ♦ K108
 ♣ 75

South:
 ♠ K985
 ♥ KQ108
 ♦ QJ3
 ♣ A3

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
 2. Michaels Cuebid
 3. to the partner's longer

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 291 ♠ AK1083
Dealer: S ♥ A83
Vul: None ♦ KQ9
HCP: 16 ♣ 94

West Doubles 1NT if possible.
East Bids 2♦ if possible.
West Bids 2♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 292 ♠ 97
Dealer: N ♥ Q3
Vul: NS ♦ 109
HCP: 7 ♣ KQ98742

West Doubles 2♠ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 293 ♠ A10
Dealer: S ♥ 832
Vul: EW ♦ AQ95
HCP: 16 ♣ AQ93

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 294 ♠ AK54
Dealer: N ♥ 9
Vul: None ♦ 8753
HCP: 7 ♣ 10953

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 295 ♠ K985
Dealer: S ♥ KQ108
Vul: NS ♦ QJ3
HCP: 15 ♣ A3

West Bids 3♥ if possible.
East Bids 3NT if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.
East Bids 5♣ if possible.

You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 291
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 2
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 2♥ W

North:
 ♠ J76
 ♥ J104
 ♦ 742
 ♣ 10652

South:
 ♠ AK1083
 ♥ A83
 ♦ KQ9
 ♣ 94

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

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 292
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 3♣ N

North:
 ♠ A65
 ♥ AK852
 ♦ 87
 ♣ AJ6

South:
 ♠ 97
 ♥ Q3
 ♦ 109
 ♣ KQ98742

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
X	3♣ ²	AP	

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. automat

Board: 293
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 1
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 2♠ S

North:
 ♠ J8743
 ♥ 1096
 ♦ 743
 ♣ 102

South:
 ♠ A10
 ♥ 832
 ♦ AQ95
 ♣ AQ93

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

Board: 294
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ QJ
 ♥ K10753
 ♦ AJ9
 ♣ AQ7

South:
 ♠ AK54
 ♥ 9
 ♦ 8753
 ♣ 10953

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 295
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 10
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 5♣X W

North:
 ♠ AQ
 ♥ J95432
 ♦ K108
 ♣ 75

South:
 ♠ K985
 ♥ KQ108
 ♦ QJ3
 ♣ A3

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

1. Extended acceptance after NT
 2. Michaels Cuebid
 3. to the partner's longer

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 296	♠ AK82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J96	
Board: 297	♠ A94	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J10876	
Vul: Both	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q875	
Board: 298	♠ A962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ76	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q5	
Board: 299	♠ 963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1093	
Vul: EW	♦ J103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ AJ6	
Board: 300	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ832	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 1043	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 296	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK82	♠ Q105		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ10	♥ 76432	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ7	♦ 43				
South HCP: 2	♣ J96	♣ 1052				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 297	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A94	♠ K653				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J10876	♥ AKQ	Pass	2♦	X	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 5	♦ 1062	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q875	♣ AJ2				
Contract: 3♥ S						

Board: 298	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A962	♠ —		1NT	Pass	3♦
Vul: NS	♥ AJ76	♥ K84	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ10	♦ Q9743				
South HCP: 9	♣ Q5	♣ A8743				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 299	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 963	♠ QJ4				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J1093	♥ AKQ8	AP			
North HCP: 7	♦ J103	♦ K65				
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ6	♣ 1054				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 300	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KJ7654		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AQ832	♥ K6	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ6	♦ A	1. Texas			
South HCP: 13	♣ 1043	♣ Q976				
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 296	♠ Q105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 76432	
Vul: EW	♦ 43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ 1052	
Board: 297	♠ K653	East Doubles 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ	
Vul: Both	♦ 1062	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ2	
Board: 298	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K84	
Vul: NS	♦ Q9743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A8743	
Board: 299	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ K65	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 1054	
Board: 300	♠ KJ7654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q976	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 296	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK82	♠ Q105		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ10	♥ 76432	Pass	2♥	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ7	♦ 43				
South HCP: 2	♣ J96	♣ 1052				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 297	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A94	♠ K653				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ J10876	♥ AKQ	Pass	2♦	X	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 5	♦ 1062	Pass	3♥	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ Q875	♣ AJ2				
Contract: 3♥ S						

Board: 298	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A962	♠ —		1NT	Pass	3♦
Vul: NS	♥ AJ76	♥ K84	AP			
North HCP: 15	♦ KJ10	♦ Q9743				
South HCP: 9	♣ Q5	♣ A8743				
Contract: 3♦ S						

Board: 299	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 963	♠ QJ4				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J1093	♥ AKQ8	AP			
North HCP: 7	♦ J103	♦ K65				
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ6	♣ 1054				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 300	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KJ7654		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AQ832	♥ K6	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ6	♦ A	1. Texas			
South HCP: 13	♣ 1043	♣ Q976				
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 301	♠ 9754	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J72	
HCP: 4	♣ K732	Partner bids first.
Board: 302	♠ AK109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ104	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 109	
Board: 303	♠ 10875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ84	
Vul: Both	♦ 104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J43	
Board: 304	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ97	
Vul: None	♦ KQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q32	
Board: 305	♠ KQJ853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1086	
Vul: NS	♦ 753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ —	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 301	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9754	♠ KQ8				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 95	♥ AJ	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 4	♦ J72	♦ KQ94	2♥	AP		
South HCP: 17	♣ K732	♣ Q1085				
Contract: 2♥ W			1. Multi-Landy, both majors			

Board: 302	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK109	♠ Q6				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ104	♥ 87		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ8	♦ J72	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 109	♣ AKJ853				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 303	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10875	♠ QJ9				
Vul: Both	♥ KJ84	♥ A65				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ 104	♦ QJ5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ J43	♣ AK102				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ 953				
Vul: None	♥ KQJ97	♥ 62		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ4	♦ 9762				
South HCP: 5	♣ Q32	♣ AJ105				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ853	♠ 102				
Vul: NS	♥ J1086	♥ A9				1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 753	♦ AKJ6	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 15	♣ —	♣ K10853	AP			
Contract: 2♠ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 301	♠ KQ8	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ94	
HCP: 17	♣ Q1085	You bid first.
Board: 302	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 87	
Vul: EW	♦ J72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AKJ853	
Board: 303	♠ QJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A65	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK102	
Board: 304	♠ 953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 62	
Vul: None	♦ 9762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ AJ105	
Board: 305	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10853	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 301	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9754	♠ KQ8				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 95	♥ AJ	Pass	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass
North HCP: 4	♦ J72	♦ KQ94	2♥	AP		
South HCP: 17	♣ K732	♣ Q1085				
Contract: 2♥ W			1. Multi-Landy, both majors			

Board: 302	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK109	♠ Q6				
Vul: EW	♥ AJ104	♥ 87		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ8	♦ J72	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ 109	♣ AKJ853				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 303	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10875	♠ QJ9				
Vul: Both	♥ KJ84	♥ A65				1NT
North HCP: 5	♦ 104	♦ QJ5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ J43	♣ AK102				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7	♠ 953				
Vul: None	♥ KQJ97	♥ 62		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ4	♦ 9762				
South HCP: 5	♣ Q32	♣ AJ105				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ853	♠ 102				
Vul: NS	♥ J1086	♥ A9				1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 753	♦ AKJ6	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 15	♣ —	♣ K10853	AP			
Contract: 2♠ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 306	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A864	
Vul: Both	♦ 765	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ32	

Board: 307	♠ 10986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q97	
Vul: None	♦ 1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ K54	

Board: 308	♠ AQJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J52	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ6	

Board: 309	♠ 865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 43	
Vul: None	♦ A73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 98752	

Board: 310	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 932	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A762	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 1096		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ A864	♥ KQ10				
North HCP: 15	♦ 765	♦ J1093				
South HCP: 7	♣ AQ32	♣ J97				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10986	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q97	♥ AK4				
North HCP: 5	♦ 1062	♦ 987	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ K54	♣ QJ863				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 308	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ84	♠ 972		1NT	AP	
Vul: NS	♥ J52	♥ 10964				
North HCP: 15	♦ K3	♦ 1062				
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ6	♣ AQ7				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 865	♠ Q73				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 43	♥ AKQ	AP			
North HCP: 4	♦ A73	♦ KJ1095				
South HCP: 15	♣ 98752	♣ 103				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK10	♠ 542		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ 932	♥ KQJ84	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ6	♦ K108	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A762	♣ J8				
Contract: 4♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 306	♠ 1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ J1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J97	

Board: 307	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: None	♦ 987	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ863	

Board: 308	♠ 972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10964	
Vul: NS	♦ 1062	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ AQ7	

Board: 309	♠ Q73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ	
Vul: None	♦ KJ1095	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 103	

Board: 310	♠ 542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ84	
Vul: NS	♦ K108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J8	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 1096		1NT	AP	
Vul: Both	♥ A864	♥ KQ10				
North HCP: 15	♦ 765	♦ J1093				
South HCP: 7	♣ AQ32	♣ J97				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10986	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q97	♥ AK4				
North HCP: 5	♦ 1062	♦ 987	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ K54	♣ QJ863				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 308	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ84	♠ 972		1NT	AP	
Vul: NS	♥ J52	♥ 10964				
North HCP: 15	♦ K3	♦ 1062				
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ6	♣ AQ7				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 865	♠ Q73				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 43	♥ AKQ	AP			
North HCP: 4	♦ A73	♦ KJ1095				
South HCP: 15	♣ 98752	♣ 103				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK10	♠ 542		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ 932	♥ KQJ84	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ6	♦ K108	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A762	♣ J8				
Contract: 4♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 311	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 854	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 832	

Board: 312	♠ AJ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K63	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K42	

Board: 313	♠ 106542	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 7542	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 0	♣ 64	Partner bids first.

Board: 314	♠ A86	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q64	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ KQ82	
HCP: 15	♣ A106	You bid first.

Board: 315	♠ K82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q93	
Vul: Both	♦ AK3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ54	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ	♠ A62				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 854	♥ AQ10				
North HCP: 12	♦ AQJ83	♦ 974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 832	♣ AJ74				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 312	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ109	♠ K732				
Vul: Both	♥ K63	♥ 1092				
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ7	♦ K4		1NT	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ K42	♣ J763				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 106542	♠ K8				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 73	♥ QJ2	Pass	2♥	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 0	♦ 7542	♦ QJ63	3♠ ¹	Pass	4♥	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ 64	♣ AQ53	1. limit raise or better in ♥			
Contract: 4♥ E						

Board: 314	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A86	♠ 4				
Vul: EW	♥ Q64	♥ K9752		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ82	♦ 973	3♠	Pass	4♠	X
South HCP: 5	♣ A106	♣ Q843	AP			
Contract: 4♠X W						

Board: 315	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K82	♠ AJ7				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q93	♥ A2	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AK3	♦ Q752	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ54	♣ A1093	1. Gerber, for N			
Contract: 6N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 311	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: EW	♦ 974	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ74	

Board: 312	♠ K732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1092	
Vul: Both	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J763	

Board: 313	♠ K8	East Bids 3♥ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ2	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ QJ63	East Bids 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ53	You bid first.

Board: 314	♠ 4	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K9752	East Bids 4♠ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q843	

Board: 315	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ Q752	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1093	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ	♠ A62				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 854	♥ AQ10				
North HCP: 12	♦ AQJ83	♦ 974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 832	♣ AJ74				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 312	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ109	♠ K732				
Vul: Both	♥ K63	♥ 1092		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ7	♦ K4				
South HCP: 7	♣ K42	♣ J763				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 106542	♠ K8				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 73	♥ QJ2	Pass	2♥	3♥	Pass
North HCP: 0	♦ 7542	♦ QJ63	3♠ ¹	Pass	4♥	AP
South HCP: 15	♣ 64	♣ AQ53	1. limit raise or better in ♥			
Contract: 4♥ E						

Board: 314	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A86	♠ 4				
Vul: EW	♥ Q64	♥ K9752		1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ82	♦ 973	3♠	Pass	4♠	X
South HCP: 5	♣ A106	♣ Q843	AP			
Contract: 4♠X W						

Board: 315	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K82	♠ AJ7				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ Q93	♥ A2	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AK3	♦ Q752	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ54	♣ A1093	1. Gerber, for N			
Contract: 6N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 316	♠ AKQ	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	
Vul: EW	♦ K10652	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A93	
Board: 317	♠ 8532	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K32	
HCP: 4	♣ J10854	Partner bids first.
Board: 318	♠ Q54	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: None	♦ AK86	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K1093	
Board: 319	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ 10974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AK763	
Board: 320	♠ Q2	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK852	
Vul: Both	♦ K72	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K63	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 316
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AKQ
 ♥ 72
 ♦ K10652
 ♣ A93

South:
 ♠ J87654
 ♥ AJ
 ♦ A74
 ♣ Q5

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

Board: 317
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 4
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2♥ E

North:
 ♠ 8532
 ♥ 5
 ♦ K32
 ♣ J10854

South:
 ♠ AK94
 ♥ AJ84
 ♦ 109
 ♣ K73

West	North	East	South
			1NT
	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²
AP			
1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 318
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ Q54
 ♥ K9
 ♦ AK86
 ♣ K1093

South:
 ♠ K632
 ♥ AQ1072
 ♦ 9432
 ♣ —

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

Board: 319
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2N S

North:
 ♠ Q107
 ♥ 5
 ♦ 10974
 ♣ AK763

South:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ AQ83
 ♦ Q2
 ♣ QJ82

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2NT	AP	

Board: 320
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 2♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q2
 ♥ AK852
 ♦ K72
 ♣ K63

South:
 ♠ 1074
 ♥ Q1064
 ♦ 943
 ♣ AQ9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	2♣ ²
Pass	2♥	AP	
1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP			
2. Stayman			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 316	♠ J87654	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ A74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q5	
Board: 317	♠ AK94	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ84	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 109	
HCP: 15	♣ K73	You bid first.
Board: 318	♠ K632	West Bids 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1072	
Vul: None	♦ 9432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ —	
Board: 319	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: NS	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ82	
Board: 320	♠ 1074	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1064	
Vul: Both	♦ 943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQ9	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 316
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ AKQ
 ♥ 72
 ♦ K10652
 ♣ A93

South:
 ♠ J87654
 ♥ AJ
 ♦ A74
 ♣ Q5

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

Board: 317
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 4
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2♥ E

North:
 ♠ 8532
 ♥ 5
 ♦ K32
 ♣ J10854

South:
 ♠ AK94
 ♥ AJ84
 ♦ 109
 ♣ K73

West	North	East	South
			1NT
	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²
AP			
1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
2. to the partner's longer			

Board: 318
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ Q54
 ♥ K9
 ♦ AK86
 ♣ K1093

South:
 ♠ K632
 ♥ AQ1072
 ♦ 9432
 ♣ —

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

Board: 319
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 2N S

North:
 ♠ Q107
 ♥ 5
 ♦ 10974
 ♣ AK763

South:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ AQ83
 ♦ Q2
 ♣ QJ82

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	2NT	AP	

Board: 320
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 8
 Contract: 2♥ N

North:
 ♠ Q2
 ♥ AK852
 ♦ K72
 ♣ K63

South:
 ♠ 1074
 ♥ Q1064
 ♦ 943
 ♣ AQ9

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	2♣ ²
Pass	2♥	AP	
1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP			
2. Stayman			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 321	♠ 1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: NS	♦ 86542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J53	
Board: 322	♠ AQ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 863	
Vul: None	♦ AQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ6	
Board: 323	♠ AKJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 102	
Vul: NS	♦ K542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ9	
Board: 324	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK74	
Vul: Both	♦ 863	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A87	
Board: 325	♠ 9	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ8532	
Vul: EW	♦ 42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 754	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1073	♠ Q6				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ A109				
North HCP: 3	♦ 86542	♦ AJ1073	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J53	♣ A102				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 322	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ87	♠ 65				
Vul: None	♥ 863	♥ 754		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ4	♦ J10965				
South HCP: 3	♣ KJ6	♣ Q73				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 323	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ6	♠ 85	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ 102	♥ AKJ8	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K542	♦ AJ8	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ9	♣ Q1053				
Contract: 6N S						

1. Stayman
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 324	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ 10643				
Vul: Both	♥ AK74	♥ 32		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 863	♦ AK1075				
South HCP: 7	♣ A87	♣ 95				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 325	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ A8				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ8532	♥ 76				
North HCP: 7	♦ 42	♦ AJ983	3♠	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 754	♣ AK62				
Contract: 4♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 321	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A109	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ1073	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A102	

Board: 322	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 754	
Vul: None	♦ J10965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ Q73	

Board: 323	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q1053	

Board: 324	♠ 10643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 95	

Board: 325	♠ A8	West Bids 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ983	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK62	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1073	♠ Q6				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ A109				
North HCP: 3	♦ 86542	♦ AJ1073	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ J53	♣ A102				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 322	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ87	♠ 65				
Vul: None	♥ 863	♥ 754		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ4	♦ J10965				
South HCP: 3	♣ KJ6	♣ Q73				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 323	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ6	♠ 85	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ 102	♥ AKJ8	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K542	♦ AJ8	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ9	♣ Q1053				
Contract: 6N S						

1. Stayman
2. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 324	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ 10643				
Vul: Both	♥ AK74	♥ 32		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ 863	♦ AK1075				
South HCP: 7	♣ A87	♣ 95				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 325	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9	♠ A8				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ8532	♥ 76				
North HCP: 7	♦ 42	♦ AJ983	3♠	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 754	♣ AK62				
Contract: 4♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 326	♠ AQ95	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ32	
Vul: Both	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ J8	

Board: 327	♠ J86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A432	
Vul: None	♦ Q43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ2	

Board: 328	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ A974	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ5	

Board: 329	♠ J63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A86	
Vul: None	♦ J9742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A10	

Board: 330	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 954	
Vul: Both	♦ K106	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ6	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 326	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ95	♠ J76		1NT	2♣ ¹	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ QJ32	♥ 96				
North HCP: 17	♦ AK7	♦ J98	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ J8	♣ AK1054	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 327	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ K105				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A432	♥ KQ96	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q43	♦ A972	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KQ2	♣ A9	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 328	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ Q8743		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ8	♥ A53				
North HCP: 16	♦ A974	♦ J5	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ QJ5	♣ 742				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 329	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J63	♠ K9				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A86	♥ K10				
North HCP: 10	♦ J9742	♦ AKQ3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A10	♣ J9762				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 330	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ4	♠ 987		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ 954	♥ AQ8632				
North HCP: 17	♦ K106	♦ 73	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 6	♣ AKQ6	♣ 107	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 326	♠ J76	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: Both	♦ J98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AK1054	

Board: 327	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ96	
Vul: None	♦ A972	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9	

Board: 328	♠ Q8743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A53	
Vul: Both	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 742	

Board: 329	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J9762	

Board: 330	♠ 987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ8632	
Vul: Both	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 107	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 326	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ95	♠ J76		1NT	2♣ ¹	2NT
Vul: Both	♥ QJ32	♥ 96				
North HCP: 17	♦ AK7	♦ J98	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ J8	♣ AK1054	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 327	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J86	♠ K105				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A432	♥ KQ96	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q43	♦ A972	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ KQ2	♣ A9	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 328	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ Q8743		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ KQJ8	♥ A53				
North HCP: 16	♦ A974	♦ J5	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ QJ5	♣ 742				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 329	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J63	♠ K9				1NT
Vul: None	♥ A86	♥ K10				
North HCP: 10	♦ J9742	♦ AKQ3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ A10	♣ J9762				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 330	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ4	♠ 987		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ 954	♥ AQ8632				
North HCP: 17	♦ K106	♦ 73	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 6	♣ AKQ6	♣ 107	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 331	♠ J8	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K732	
Vul: None	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q10432	
Board: 332	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9542	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK7	
Board: 333	♠ KJ1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J65	
Vul: EW	♦ 1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K5	
Board: 334	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ974	
Vul: NS	♦ Q93	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	
Board: 335	♠ J103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A93	
Vul: EW	♦ K104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J942	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♠ S

North:

♠ J8

♥ K732

♦ 73

♣ Q10432

South:

♠ Q7432

♥ J104

♦ KQ

♣ AK8

West North East South

1NT

Pass Pass X¹ 2♠

AP

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 4

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ KJ10

♥ K9542

♦ K3

♣ AK7

South:

♠ 8732

♥ Q108

♦ Q1087

♣ 104

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 333

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KJ1063

♥ J65

♦ 1096

♣ K5

South:

♠ 9875

♥ AKQ

♦ KQ

♣ Q1098

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 334

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ K106

♥ AQ974

♦ Q93

♣ A8

South:

♠ 87532

♥ 86

♦ A8

♣ Q1076

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ AP

Board: 335

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ J103

♥ A93

♦ K104

♣ J942

South:

♠ A74

♥ K1042

♦ A87

♣ A85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2NT AP

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 331	♠ Q7432	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J104	
Vul: None	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK8	

Board: 332	♠ 8732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q108	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1087	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 104	

Board: 333	♠ 9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q1098	

Board: 334	♠ 87532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 86	
Vul: NS	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q1076	

Board: 335	♠ A74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1042	
Vul: EW	♦ A87	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A85	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♠ S

North:

♠ J8

♥ K732

♦ 73

♣ Q10432

South:

♠ Q7432

♥ J104

♦ KQ

♣ AK8

West North East South

1NT

Pass Pass X¹ 2♠

AP

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 4

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ KJ10

♥ K9542

♦ K3

♣ AK7

South:

♠ 8732

♥ Q108

♦ Q1087

♣ 104

West North East South

1NT AP

Board: 333

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KJ1063

♥ J65

♦ 1096

♣ K5

South:

♠ 9875

♥ AKQ

♦ KQ

♣ Q1098

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 334

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♠ N

North:

♠ K106

♥ AQ974

♦ Q93

♣ A8

South:

♠ 87532

♥ 86

♦ A8

♣ Q1076

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ AP

Board: 335

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ J103

♥ A93

♦ K104

♣ J942

South:

♠ A74

♥ K1042

♦ A87

♣ A85

West North East South

1NT

Pass 2NT AP

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 336	♠ Q82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A632	
Vul: Both	♦ A107	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK7	

Board: 337	♠ J102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K43	
Vul: NS	♦ 109642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 85	

Board: 338	♠ QJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q54	
Vul: EW	♦ A854	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ5	

Board: 339	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ104	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	

Board: 340	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K973	
Vul: None	♦ A743	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K73	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q82	♠ AJ1063		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ A632	♥ J5	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ A107	♦ QJ	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AK7	♣ Q543				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J102	♠ A76				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K43	♥ Q6	AP			
North HCP: 4	♦ 109642	♦ AQ5				
South HCP: 17	♣ 85	♣ KQ1063				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 338	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ10	♠ AK765		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q54	♥ K107	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A854	♦ 1032	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ5	♣ K10				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 339	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q104	♠ AK76				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQ104	♥ 85	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ Q10876	♦ AKJ2	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 16	♣ K	♣ J86	Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Contract: 6♦ N			Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
			AP			
			1. Stayman			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			

Board: 340	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 109865		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ K973	♥ 65	Pass	2♠	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ A743	♦ J852				
South HCP: 5	♣ K73	♣ A5				
Contract: 2♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 336	♠ AJ1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q543	

Board: 337	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ1063	

Board: 338	♠ AK765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K107	
Vul: EW	♦ 1032	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10	

Board: 339	♠ AK76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 85	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J86	

Board: 340	♠ 109865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: None	♦ J852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ A5	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q82	♠ AJ1063		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ A632	♥ J5	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ A107	♦ QJ	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AK7	♣ Q543				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J102	♠ A76				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K43	♥ Q6				
North HCP: 4	♦ 109642	♦ AQ5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 85	♣ KQ1063				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 338	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ10	♠ AK765		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q54	♥ K107	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A854	♦ 1032	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ5	♣ K10				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 339	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q104	♠ AK76				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ AQ104	♥ 85	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ Q10876	♦ AKJ2	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
South HCP: 16	♣ K	♣ J86	Pass	4♥ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Contract: 6♦ N			Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
			AP			
			1. Stayman			
			2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			

Board: 340	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ	♠ 109865		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ K973	♥ 65				
North HCP: 15	♦ A743	♦ J852	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 5	♣ K73	♣ A5				
Contract: 2♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 341 ♠ 942
Dealer: S ♥ —
Vul: EW ♦ 987
HCP: 0 ♣ 10976432

East Bids 3♥ if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 342 ♠ AJ83
Dealer: N ♥ AJ85
Vul: Both ♦ AQ3
HCP: 17 ♣ J5

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 343 ♠ 862
Dealer: S ♥ 53
Vul: None ♦ KJ108
HCP: 5 ♣ J872

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 344 ♠ AJ7
Dealer: N ♥ AKJ2
Vul: NS ♦ A973
HCP: 17 ♣ 106

East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 345 ♠ K872
Dealer: S ♥ 1082
Vul: None ♦ K8
HCP: 7 ♣ J764

West Bids 2♠ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 341
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 0
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:
 ♠ 942
 ♥ —
 ♦ 987
 ♣ 10976432

South:
 ♠ Q1073
 ♥ A1082
 ♦ AQ6
 ♣ KJ

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 342
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 0
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AJ83
 ♥ AJ85
 ♦ AQ3
 ♣ J5

South:
 ♠ 10765
 ♥ 7632
 ♦ 1074
 ♣ 96

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 343
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ 862
 ♥ 53
 ♦ KJ108
 ♣ J872

South:
 ♠ AQJ9
 ♥ KQ64
 ♦ A3
 ♣ 954

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 344
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 4
 Contract: 3♥X W

North:
 ♠ AJ7
 ♥ AKJ2
 ♦ A973
 ♣ 106

South:
 ♠ K10654
 ♥ 8
 ♦ J8542
 ♣ 72

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	X	Pass
3♥	Pass	Pass	X
AP			

Board: 345
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ K872
 ♥ 1082
 ♦ K8
 ♣ J764

South:
 ♠ 10653
 ♥ AQ7
 ♦ A2
 ♣ AQ103

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

1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 341 ♠ Q1073
Dealer: S ♥ A1082
Vul: EW ♦ AQ6
HCP: 16 ♣ KJ

East Bids 3♥ if possible.
West Bids 4♣ if possible.
East Bids 4♥ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 342 ♠ 10765
Dealer: N ♥ 7632
Vul: Both ♦ 1074
HCP: 0 ♣ 96

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 343 ♠ AQJ9
Dealer: S ♥ KQ64
Vul: None ♦ A3
HCP: 16 ♣ 954

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 344 ♠ K10654
Dealer: N ♥ 8
Vul: NS ♦ J8542
HCP: 4 ♣ 72

East Doubles 2♠ if possible.
West Bids 3♥ if possible.

Partner bids first.

Board: 345 ♠ 10653
Dealer: S ♥ AQ7
Vul: None ♦ A2
HCP: 16 ♣ AQ103

West Bids 2♠ if possible.
East Bids 2NT if possible.
West Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 341
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 0
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 4♥ E

North:
 ♠ 942
 ♥ —
 ♦ 987
 ♣ 10976432

South:
 ♠ Q1073
 ♥ A1082
 ♦ AQ6
 ♣ KJ

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
 2. limit raise or better in ♥

Board: 342
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 0
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AJ83
 ♥ AJ85
 ♦ AQ3
 ♣ J5

South:
 ♠ 10765
 ♥ 7632
 ♦ 1074
 ♣ 96

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

Board: 343
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 5
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ 862
 ♥ 53
 ♦ KJ108
 ♣ J872

South:
 ♠ AQJ9
 ♥ KQ64
 ♦ A3
 ♣ 954

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 344
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 4
 Contract: 3♥X W

North:
 ♠ AJ7
 ♥ AKJ2
 ♦ A973
 ♣ 106

South:
 ♠ K10654
 ♥ 8
 ♦ J8542
 ♣ 72

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	X	Pass
3♥	Pass	Pass	X
AP			

Board: 345
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 7
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♦ W

North:
 ♠ K872
 ♥ 1082
 ♦ K8
 ♣ J764

South:
 ♠ 10653
 ♥ AQ7
 ♦ A2
 ♣ AQ103

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

1. Multi-Landy, 5M-4m

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 346	♠ Q862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q96	

Board: 347	♠ KJ9873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1084	

Board: 348	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 762	
Vul: None	♦ K863	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ	

Board: 349	♠ KQ9754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 86	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ —	

Board: 350	♠ 54	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK106	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ8	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ A952	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 8
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ Q862
♥ AJ
♦ AQ42
♣ Q96

South:
♠ J43
♥ 9542
♦ 85
♣ AK42

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

Board: 347
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KJ9873
♥ A
♦ KQ4
♣ 1084

South:
♠ AQ42
♥ KQ86
♦ J63
♣ AJ

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 348
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ 762
♦ K863
♣ AKJ

South:
♠ 10874
♥ KQ9
♦ A72
♣ 1072

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

Board: 349
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQ9754
♥ 86
♦ AQ1064
♣ —

South:
♠ A3
♥ A1074
♦ 752
♣ AQJ9

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 350
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 5
Contract: 2♠ W

North:
♠ 54
♥ AK106
♦ KQ8
♣ A952

South:
♠ Q108
♥ J982
♦ 92
♣ Q1086

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	Pass
2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²	Pass
2♠	AP		
1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
2. to the partner's longer			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 346	♠ J43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9542	
Vul: NS	♦ 85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AK42	

Board: 347	♠ AQ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ86	
Vul: EW	♦ J63	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ	

Board: 348	♠ 10874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ9	
Vul: None	♦ A72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 1072	

Board: 349	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1074	
Vul: EW	♦ 752	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 350	♠ Q108	West Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J982	East Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 92	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ Q1086	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 346
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 8
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ Q862
♥ AJ
♦ AQ42
♣ Q96

South:
♠ J43
♥ 9542
♦ 85
♣ AK42

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

Board: 347
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KJ9873
♥ A
♦ KQ4
♣ 1084

South:
♠ AQ42
♥ KQ86
♦ J63
♣ AJ

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 348
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AJ9
♥ 762
♦ K863
♣ AKJ

South:
♠ 10874
♥ KQ9
♦ A72
♣ 1072

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

Board: 349
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 15
Contract: 6♠ S

North:
♠ KQ9754
♥ 86
♦ AQ1064
♣ —

South:
♠ A3
♥ A1074
♦ 752
♣ AQJ9

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♥ ¹	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Texas			
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 350
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 5
Contract: 2♠ W

North:
♠ 54
♥ AK106
♦ KQ8
♣ A952

South:
♠ Q108
♥ J982
♦ 92
♣ Q1086

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	Pass
2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥ ²	Pass
2♠	AP		
1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
2. to the partner's longer			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 351	♠ AK842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 53	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 1092	

Board: 352	♠ AKQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 103	
Vul: EW	♦ 1075	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK3	

Board: 353	♠ AQJ86	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 843	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 4	
HCP: 10	♣ QJ107	Partner bids first.

Board: 354	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A742	
Vul: None	♦ A542	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ	

Board: 355	♠ 9654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 106	
Vul: EW	♦ J87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ KQ105	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK842	♠ Q107				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 53	♥ KQ87	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ10	♦ 86	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 1092	♣ AKQ7	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ52	♠ J43		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ 103	♥ AJ954	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 1075	♦ QJ	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK3	♣ 872				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ86	♠ K4				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 843	♥ AJ92	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 4	♦ K963	Pass	3♣	3♦	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ107	♣ A94	4♦	X	AP	
Contract: 4♦ X E						

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ A92		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ A742	♥ 10	AP			
North HCP: 17	♦ A542	♦ KQJ1073				
South HCP: 10	♣ AQJ	♣ 985				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 355	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9654	♠ AJ82				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 106	♥ Q743	AP			
North HCP: 6	♦ J87	♦ A3				
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ105	♣ A63				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 351	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ87	
Vul: NS	♦ 86	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ7	
Board: 352	♠ J43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ954	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 872	
Board: 353	♠ K4	East Bids 3♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ92	West Bids 4♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K963	
HCP: 15	♣ A94	You bid first.
Board: 354	♠ A92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ1073	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 985	
Board: 355	♠ AJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q743	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A63	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK842	♠ Q107				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 53	♥ KQ87	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ10	♦ 86	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 16	♣ 1092	♣ AKQ7	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ52	♠ J43		1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ 103	♥ AJ954	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 1075	♦ QJ	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK3	♣ 872				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ86	♠ K4				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 843	♥ AJ92	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 10	♦ 4	♦ K963	Pass	3♣	3♦	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ107	♣ A94	4♦	X	AP	
Contract: 4♦ X E						

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10	♠ A92		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: None	♥ A742	♥ 10	AP			
North HCP: 17	♦ A542	♦ KQJ1073				
South HCP: 10	♣ AQJ	♣ 985				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 355	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9654	♠ AJ82				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 106	♥ Q743	AP			
North HCP: 6	♦ J87	♦ A3				
South HCP: 15	♣ KQ105	♣ A63				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 356	♠ QJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A85	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K9	

Board: 357	♠ K942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8643	
Vul: None	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J32	

Board: 358	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: NS	♦ K1096	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q964	

Board: 359	♠ 9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: Both	♦ K82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J987	

Board: 360	♠ AK4	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K76	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A1064	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ K109	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 356	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ32	♠ A8		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ A85	♥ K109				
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ92	♦ K84	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ K9	♣ QJ762				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 357	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K942	♠ J7				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 8643	♥ A52				
North HCP: 6	♦ Q9	♦ A72	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J32	♣ AK1095				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 358	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KQ6		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ5	♥ KJ109	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K1096	♦ AJ4	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ Q964	♣ 853	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9875	♠ AK6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K5	♥ Q62	AP			
North HCP: 7	♦ K82	♦ A1054				
South HCP: 16	♣ J987	♣ K52				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK4	♠ 986		1NT	X ¹	Pass
Vul: None	♥ K76	♥ Q942	2♣	Pass	2♦	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ A1064	♦ 53	Pass	X	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 6	♣ K109	♣ A876	AP			
Contract: 2♥ S			1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 356	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K109	
Vul: Both	♦ K84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ762	

Board: 357	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A52	
Vul: None	♦ A72	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK1095	

Board: 358	♠ KQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ109	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 853	

Board: 359	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q62	
Vul: Both	♦ A1054	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K52	

Board: 360	♠ 986	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q942	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 53	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
HCP: 6	♣ A876	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 356	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ32	♠ A8		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ A85	♥ K109				
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ92	♦ K84	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ K9	♣ QJ762				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 357	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K942	♠ J7				1NT
Vul: None	♥ 8643	♥ A52				
North HCP: 6	♦ Q9	♦ A72	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J32	♣ AK1095				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 358	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KQ6		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ AQ5	♥ KJ109	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K1096	♦ AJ4	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ Q964	♣ 853	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9875	♠ AK6				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K5	♥ Q62	AP			
North HCP: 7	♦ K82	♦ A1054				
South HCP: 16	♣ J987	♣ K52				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK4	♠ 986		1NT	X ¹	Pass
Vul: None	♥ K76	♥ Q942	2♣	Pass	2♦	Pass
North HCP: 17	♦ A1064	♦ 53	Pass	X	Pass	2♥
South HCP: 6	♣ K109	♣ A876	AP			
Contract: 2♥ S			1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 361	♠ K742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 974	
Vul: NS	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ 8643	

Board: 362	♠ AQ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: EW	♦ K842	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ3	

Board: 363	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9765	
Vul: None	♦ Q743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A5	

Board: 364	♠ A10765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ7	

Board: 365	♠ KJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J5	
Vul: EW	♦ A10754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 974	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K742	♠ Q1053				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 974	♥ K2				
North HCP: 5	♦ Q5	♦ K1097	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8643	♣ AK10				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ104	♠ 852				
Vul: EW	♥ Q4	♥ J1092		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K842	♦ J5				
South HCP: 5	♣ AQ3	♣ K964				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K4	♠ AJ8				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q9765	♥ AJ4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ Q743	♦ A1092	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15	♣ A5	♣ J73	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10765	♠ KJ2				
Vul: NS	♥ KJ6	♥ 72		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ Q7	♦ AJ10962	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ7	♣ J10				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ2	♠ AQ10				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J5	♥ AQ2	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ A10754	♦ J63	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 974	♣ A632				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 361	♠ Q1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ K1097	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK10	

Board: 362	♠ 852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1092	
Vul: EW	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ K964	

Board: 363	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ4	
Vul: None	♦ A1092	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J73	

Board: 364	♠ KJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 72	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ10962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J10	

Board: 365	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ2	
Vul: EW	♦ J63	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A632	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K742	♠ Q1053				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 974	♥ K2				
North HCP: 5	♦ Q5	♦ K1097	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 8643	♣ AK10				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ104	♠ 852				
Vul: EW	♥ Q4	♥ J1092		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K842	♦ J5				
South HCP: 5	♣ AQ3	♣ K964				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K4	♠ AJ8				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q9765	♥ AJ4	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ Q743	♦ A1092	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15	♣ A5	♣ J73	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10765	♠ KJ2				
Vul: NS	♥ KJ6	♥ 72		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ Q7	♦ AJ10962	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ7	♣ J10				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ2	♠ AQ10				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ J5	♥ AQ2	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9	♦ A10754	♦ J63	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 974	♣ A632				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 366	♠ KQJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K32	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q84	

Board: 367	♠ 1072	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 965	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J1052	

Board: 368	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ96	
Vul: Both	♦ AK96	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J93	

Board: 369	♠ 843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK9	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q42	

Board: 370	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ874	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K104	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ95	♠ 74		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: NS	♥ K32	♥ J64				
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ	♦ K987	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q84	♣ AK65				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1072	♠ AQJ6				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 965	♥ AK4				
North HCP: 7	♦ AQ7	♦ K1095	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ J1052	♣ 63				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ AJ7432		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ KQ96	♥ 5	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AK96	♦ J104	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ J93	♣ K54				
Contract: 3♠ N						

Board: 369	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 843	♠ AKQ62				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AK9	♥ Q5	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 18	♦ AKQ3	♦ 976	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q42	♣ A97	1. Gerber, for N			
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 370	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ6	♠ K3		1NT	Pass	4♦ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A10	♥ QJ9753	Pass	4♥	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ874	♦ 106	1. Texas			
South HCP: 9	♣ K104	♣ QJ8				
Contract: 4♥ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 366	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J64	
Vul: NS	♦ K987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK65	

Board: 367	♠ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: EW	♦ K1095	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 63	

Board: 368	♠ AJ7432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ J104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K54	

Board: 369	♠ AKQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: None	♦ 976	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A97	

Board: 370	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9753	
Vul: EW	♦ 106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ QJ8	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ95	♠ 74	West North East South
Vul: NS	♥ K32	♥ J64	1NT Pass 3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ	♦ K987	AP
South HCP: 11	♣ Q84	♣ AK65	
Contract: 3N N			

Board: 367	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 1072	♠ AQJ6	West North East South
Vul: EW	♥ 965	♥ AK4	1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ AQ7	♦ K1095	AP
South HCP: 17	♣ J1052	♣ 63	
Contract: 1N S			

Board: 368	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ K10	♠ AJ7432	West North East South
Vul: Both	♥ KQ96	♥ 5	1NT Pass 2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ AK96	♦ J104	Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠
South HCP: 9	♣ J93	♣ K54	AP
Contract: 3♠ N			

Board: 369	North:	South:	
Dealer: S	♠ 843	♠ AKQ62	West North East South
Vul: None	♥ AK9	♥ Q5	Pass 4♣ ¹ Pass 4♠
North HCP: 18	♦ AKQ3	♦ 976	Pass 6NT AP
South HCP: 15	♣ Q42	♣ A97	1. Gerber, for N
Contract: 6N S			

Board: 370	North:	South:	
Dealer: N	♠ AQ6	♠ K3	West North East South
Vul: EW	♥ A10	♥ QJ9753	1NT Pass 4♦ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ874	♦ 106	Pass 4♥ AP
South HCP: 9	♣ K104	♣ QJ8	1. Texas
Contract: 4♥ N			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 371	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 643	
Vul: Both	♦ 96542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 7653	

Board: 372	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 653	
Vul: None	♦ AJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ4	

Board: 373	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K72	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 53	

Board: 374	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10862	
Vul: Both	♦ Q54	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q4	

Board: 375	♠ 108542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ8	
Vul: None	♦ A73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 97	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 371	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ K1062				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 643	♥ QJ5				
North HCP: 4	♦ 96542	♦ A3	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 7653	♣ AQJ10				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 372	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ 10974		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 653	♥ AK10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ104	♦ Q972	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ4	♣ 52				
Contract: 3N N			1. Stayman			

Board: 373	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K73	♠ AQ52				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K72	♥ J964				
North HCP: 9	♦ QJ1075	♦ K8	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 53	♣ AJ4				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 374	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ	♠ J1065		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q10862	♥ AK9	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ Q54	♦ AJ973	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ Q4	♣ J	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N			1. Stayman			

Board: 375	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108542	♠ AJ6				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KQ8	♥ A1095	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ A73	♦ KQJ5	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 15	♣ 97	♣ 32	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 371	♠ K1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ10	

Board: 372	♠ 10974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ Q972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 52	

Board: 373	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J964	
Vul: NS	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ4	

Board: 374	♠ J1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

Board: 375	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1095	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 32	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 371	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A	♠ K1062				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 643	♥ QJ5				
North HCP: 4	♦ 96542	♦ A3	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 7653	♣ AQJ10				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 372	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK8	♠ 10974		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 653	♥ AK10	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ104	♦ Q972	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ KQ4	♣ 52				
Contract: 3N N			1. Stayman			

Board: 373	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K73	♠ AQ52				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ K72	♥ J964				
North HCP: 9	♦ QJ1075	♦ K8	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 53	♣ AJ4				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 374	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQ	♠ J1065		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ Q10862	♥ AK9	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ Q54	♦ AJ973	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ Q4	♣ J	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N			1. Stayman			

Board: 375	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108542	♠ AJ6				1NT
Vul: None	♥ KQ8	♥ A1095	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ A73	♦ KQJ5	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 15	♣ 97	♣ 32	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 376	♠ A842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A94	
Vul: EW	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ96	

Board: 377	♠ J1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1075	
Vul: None	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 982	

Board: 378	♠ A85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K102	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ85	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ5	

Board: 379	♠ J87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ A97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J9742	

Board: 380	♠ J93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 862	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 376	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ A842	♠ 1075	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ A94	♥ 1062		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K6	♦ 753				
South HCP: 4	♣ AQ96	♣ KJ54				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 377	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ J1043	♠ A7652	West	North	East	South
Vul: None	♥ 1075	♥ A6				1NT
North HCP: 3	♦ Q82	♦ A65	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 982	♣ K107				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 378	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ A85	♠ 973	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ K102	♥ QJ64		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ85	♦ 76				
South HCP: 5	♣ KJ5	♣ Q1087				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 379	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ J87	♠ 64	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ KQ965				1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ A97	♦ K83	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J9742	♣ AK10				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 380	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ J93	♠ AQ2	West	North	East	South
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ9	♥ 108		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ5	♦ K8643	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 862	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 376	♠ 1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1062	
Vul: EW	♦ 753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ KJ54	

Board: 377	♠ A7652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: None	♦ A65	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K107	

Board: 378	♠ 973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ64	
Vul: EW	♦ 76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q1087	

Board: 379	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ965	
Vul: Both	♦ K83	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK10	

Board: 380	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 108	
Vul: NS	♦ K8643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ3	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 376	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ A842	♠ 1075	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ A94	♥ 1062		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K6	♦ 753				
South HCP: 4	♣ AQ96	♣ KJ54				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 377	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ J1043	♠ A7652	West	North	East	South
Vul: None	♥ 1075	♥ A6				1NT
North HCP: 3	♦ Q82	♦ A65	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 982	♣ K107				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 378	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ A85	♠ 973	West	North	East	South
Vul: EW	♥ K102	♥ QJ64		1NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ85	♦ 76				
South HCP: 5	♣ KJ5	♣ Q1087				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 379	North:	South:				
Dealer: S	♠ J87	♠ 64	West	North	East	South
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ KQ965				1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ A97	♦ K83	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J9742	♣ AK10				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 380	North:	South:				
Dealer: N	♠ J93	♠ AQ2	West	North	East	South
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ9	♥ 108		1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ5	♦ K8643	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 862	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 381	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8542	
Vul: EW	♦ Q742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 2	♣ 972	
Board: 382	♠ AQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q1042	
Board: 383	♠ 42	East Doubles 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ8	
Vul: None	♦ Q106532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 86	
Board: 384	♠ AQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A54	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q54	
Board: 385	♠ J98752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ J96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ9	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108	♠ KQ943				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 8542	♥ Q6				
North HCP: 2	♦ Q742	♦ KJ9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 972	♣ A43				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ7	♠ 108542		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ 964	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ8	♦ 105	AP			
South HCP: 1	♣ Q1042	♣ J98				
Contract: 3♠ S						

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 383	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AJ5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ8	♥ 10943	Pass	3♣ ¹	X	3♦ ²
North HCP: 7	♦ Q106532	♦ AK9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 86	♣ K95				
Contract: 3♦ S						

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 384	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ96	♠ K854		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A54	♥ K1063	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ6	♦ K32	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q54	♣ 73				
Contract: 4♠ N						

1. Stayman

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J98752	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ A72	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ J96	♦ K10742	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ9	♣ K82				
Contract: 2♠ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 381	♠ KQ943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A43	
Board: 382	♠ 108542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 964	
Vul: Both	♦ 105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 1	♣ J98	
Board: 383	♠ AJ5	East Doubles 3♣ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 10943	
Vul: None	♦ AK9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K95	
Board: 384	♠ K854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1063	
Vul: EW	♦ K32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 73	
Board: 385	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A72	
Vul: None	♦ K10742	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K82	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 108	♠ KQ943				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 8542	♥ Q6				
North HCP: 2	♦ Q742	♦ KJ9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 972	♣ A43				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ7	♠ 108542		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ A2	♥ 964	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ8	♦ 105	AP			
South HCP: 1	♣ Q1042	♣ J98				
Contract: 3♠ S						

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 383	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ AJ5				1NT
Vul: None	♥ AJ8	♥ 10943	Pass	3♣ ¹	X	3♦ ²
North HCP: 7	♦ Q106532	♦ AK9	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 86	♣ K95				
Contract: 3♦ S						

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 384	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ96	♠ K854		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ A54	♥ K1063	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ6	♦ K32	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q54	♣ 73				
Contract: 4♠ N						

1. Stayman

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J98752	♠ AQ				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ A72	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ J96	♦ K10742	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ9	♣ K82				
Contract: 2♠ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 386	♠ AJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A83	
Vul: None	♦ KQ102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q8	

Board: 387	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ93	
Vul: NS	♦ 107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J54	

Board: 388	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ K84	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ54	

Board: 389	♠ 1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ62	
Vul: None	♦ 8743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 105	

Board: 390	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A953	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ83	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A2	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 386
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AJ53
♥ A83
♦ KQ102
♣ Q8

South:
♠ Q107
♥ 10642
♦ A
♣ K9765

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

Board: 387
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ AK5
♥ KQJ93
♦ 107
♣ J54

South:
♠ Q32
♥ A107
♦ AQ8
♣ A832

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

Board: 388
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 5
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ Q4
♥ AQJ9
♦ K84
♣ KJ54

South:
♠ J73
♥ 43
♦ Q6
♣ Q109632

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

Board: 389
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 4
South HCP: 16
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 1032
♥ KJ62
♦ 8743
♣ 105

South:
♠ KQ75
♥ A94
♦ 62
♣ AK72

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 390
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 8
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ K73
♥ A953
♦ AQ83
♣ A2

South:
♠ A1052
♥ QJ642
♦ J9
♣ 97

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 386	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10642	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K9765	

Board: 387	♠ Q32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A107	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A832	

Board: 388	♠ J73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 43	
Vul: EW	♦ Q6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ Q109632	

Board: 389	♠ KQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A94	
Vul: None	♦ 62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK72	

Board: 390	♠ A1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ642	
Vul: EW	♦ J9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 97	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 386
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AJ53
♥ A83
♦ KQ102
♣ Q8

South:
♠ Q107
♥ 10642
♦ A
♣ K9765

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

Board: 387
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ AK5
♥ KQJ93
♦ 107
♣ J54

South:
♠ Q32
♥ A107
♦ AQ8
♣ A832

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

Board: 388
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 5
Contract: 3♣ N

North:
♠ Q4
♥ AQJ9
♦ K84
♣ KJ54

South:
♠ J73
♥ 43
♦ Q6
♣ Q109632

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

Board: 389
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 4
South HCP: 16
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 1032
♥ KJ62
♦ 8743
♣ 105

South:
♠ KQ75
♥ A94
♦ 62
♣ AK72

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 390
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 8
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ K73
♥ A953
♦ AQ83
♣ A2

South:
♠ A1052
♥ QJ642
♦ J9
♣ 97

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥
AP			
1. Extended acceptance after NT			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 391	♠ 7632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ Q87632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A2	
Board: 392	♠ KQ8	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K102	
Vul: Both	♦ A83	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A1086	
Board: 393	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K543	
Vul: None	♦ J874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 10652	
Board: 394	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ K986	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ42	
Board: 395	♠ 93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ109842	
Vul: Both	♦ K84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 5	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ 7632
 ♥ 10
 ♦ Q87632
 ♣ A2

South:
 ♠ K4
 ♥ A7543
 ♦ AK10
 ♣ K93

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

Board: 392
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 2♠ N

North:
 ♠ KQ8
 ♥ K102
 ♦ A83
 ♣ A1086

South:
 ♠ J7542
 ♥ 96
 ♦ J974
 ♣ J5

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

Board: 393
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 4
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ K543
 ♦ J874
 ♣ 10652

South:
 ♠ A74
 ♥ 72
 ♦ KQ32
 ♣ AK74

West	North	East	South
			1NT
	AP		

Board: 394
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 2♠ N

North:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ Q2
 ♦ K986
 ♣ KQJ42

South:
 ♠ K109532
 ♥ 1063
 ♦ 72
 ♣ 97

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

Board: 395
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ 93
 ♥ QJ109842
 ♦ K84
 ♣ 5

South:
 ♠ AK
 ♥ A76
 ♦ QJ75
 ♣ Q973

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
	AP		
	1. Texas		

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 391	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7543	
Vul: EW	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K93	
Board: 392	♠ J7542	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: Both	♦ J974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J5	
Board: 393	♠ A74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 72	
Vul: None	♦ KQ32	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK74	
Board: 394	♠ K109532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1063	
Vul: EW	♦ 72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 97	
Board: 395	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A76	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q973	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ 7632
 ♥ 10
 ♦ Q87632
 ♣ A2

South:
 ♠ K4
 ♥ A7543
 ♦ AK10
 ♣ K93

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

Board: 392
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 2♠ N

North:
 ♠ KQ8
 ♥ K102
 ♦ A83
 ♣ A1086

South:
 ♠ J7542
 ♥ 96
 ♦ J974
 ♣ J5

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

Board: 393
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 4
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ 6
 ♥ K543
 ♦ J874
 ♣ 10652

South:
 ♠ A74
 ♥ 72
 ♦ KQ32
 ♣ AK74

West	North	East	South
			1NT
	AP		

Board: 394
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 3
 Contract: 2♠ N

North:
 ♠ A8
 ♥ Q2
 ♦ K986
 ♣ KQJ42

South:
 ♠ K109532
 ♥ 1063
 ♦ 72
 ♣ 97

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

Board: 395
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ 93
 ♥ QJ109842
 ♦ K84
 ♣ 5

South:
 ♠ AK
 ♥ A76
 ♦ QJ75
 ♣ Q973

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
	AP		
	1. Texas		

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 396	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ97	
Vul: None	♦ Q106	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K103	
Board: 397	♠ K873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10543	
Vul: NS	♦ A52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q2	
Board: 398	♠ Q62	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ7	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A2	
HCP: 16	♣ A10987	You bid first.
Board: 399	♠ 862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ K98763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ 1063	
Board: 400	♠ A75	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1065	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ AK6	
HCP: 15	♣ KJ109	You bid first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 9
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ J8
♥ AKQ97
♦ Q106
♣ K103

South:
♠ AQ63
♥ 1032
♦ K83
♣ 542

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
AP			

1. Stayman

Board: 397
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 9
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ K873
♥ 10543
♦ A52
♣ Q2

South:
♠ QJ95
♥ AK
♦ K1063
♣ K104

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

1. Stayman

Board: 398
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 7
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ Q62
♥ AQ7
♦ A2
♣ A10987

South:
♠ J103
♥ K83
♦ J64
♣ Q653

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	XX
2♥	2NT	AP	

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 399
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 3
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3♦ S

North:
♠ 862
♥ 7
♦ K98763
♣ 1063

South:
♠ J75
♥ AQ1093
♦ A10
♣ KQ8

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

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 400
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 4
Contract: 2♥ W

North:
♠ A75
♥ 1065
♦ AK6
♣ KJ109

South:
♠ 63
♥ 74
♦ 98754
♣ A632

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

1. Multi-Landy, Multi
2. to the partner's longer

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 396	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1032	
Vul: None	♦ K83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 542	
Board: 397	♠ QJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ K1063	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K104	
Board: 398	♠ J103	East Doubles 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K83	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J64	
HCP: 7	♣ Q653	Partner bids first.
Board: 399	♠ J75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1093	
Vul: None	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ8	
Board: 400	♠ 63	East Bids 2♦ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 74	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 98754	
HCP: 4	♣ A632	Partner bids first.

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 2N N

North:
 ♠ J8
 ♥ AKQ97
 ♦ Q106
 ♣ K103

South:
 ♠ AQ63
 ♥ 1032
 ♦ K83
 ♣ 542

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

Board: 397
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:
 ♠ K873
 ♥ 10543
 ♦ A52
 ♣ Q2

South:
 ♠ QJ95
 ♥ AK
 ♦ K1063
 ♣ K104

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

Board: 398
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 2N N

North:
 ♠ Q62
 ♥ AQ7
 ♦ A2
 ♣ A10987

South:
 ♠ J103
 ♥ K83
 ♦ J64
 ♣ Q653

West	North	East	South
	1NT	X ¹	XX
2♥	2NT	AP	
1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP			

Board: 399
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 3
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3♦ S

North:
 ♠ 862
 ♥ 7
 ♦ K98763
 ♣ 1063

South:
 ♠ J75
 ♥ AQ1093
 ♦ A10
 ♣ KQ8

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

Board: 400
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 4
 Contract: 2♥ W

North:
 ♠ A75
 ♥ 1065
 ♦ AK6
 ♣ KJ109

South:
 ♠ 63
 ♥ 74
 ♦ 98754
 ♣ A632

West	North	East	South
	1NT	2♦ ¹	Pass
2♥ ²	AP		
1. Multi-Landy, Multi			
2. to the partner's longer			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 401	♠ Q93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1073	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J107	

Board: 402	♠ AK107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 82	
Vul: None	♦ Q83	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK75	

Board: 403	♠ AK96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9843	
Vul: NS	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 1063	

Board: 404	♠ 875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ2	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ74	

Board: 405	♠ KQ876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ J652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 632	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 401	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q93	♠ KJ6				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A1073	♥ KQ4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ AK9	♦ J1032	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J107	♣ KQ8	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						
Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK107	♠ J42		1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 82	♥ 9	Pass	3♣ ²	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q83	♦ J96	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 3	♣ AK75	♣ J109643	2. automat			
Contract: 3♣ N						
Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK96	♠ QJ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q9843	♥ K102	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 5	♦ AK873	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ 1063	♣ K75	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						
Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 875	♠ KJ2		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ2	♥ 743	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K8	♦ AJ1064				
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQ74	♣ 62				
Contract: 3N N						
Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ876	♠ A2				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K	♥ AJ3	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ J652	♦ K9843	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 632	♣ KJ5				
Contract: 2N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 401	♠ KJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ4	
Vul: EW	♦ J1032	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ8	

Board: 402	♠ J42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: None	♦ J96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 3	♣ J109643	

Board: 403	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K102	
Vul: NS	♦ AK873	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K75	

Board: 404	♠ KJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 743	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 62	

Board: 405	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ K9843	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ5	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 401	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q93	♠ KJ6				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A1073	♥ KQ4	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ AK9	♦ J1032	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ J107	♣ KQ8	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N S						
Board: 402	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK107	♠ J42		1NT	Pass	2♠ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 82	♥ 9	Pass	3♣ ²	AP	
North HCP: 16	♦ Q83	♦ J96	1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT			
South HCP: 3	♣ AK75	♣ J109643	2. automat			
Contract: 3♣ N						
Board: 403	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK96	♠ QJ				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ Q9843	♥ K102	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ 5	♦ AK873	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 16	♣ 1063	♣ K75	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						
Board: 404	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 875	♠ KJ2		1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ KQ2	♥ 743	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K8	♦ AJ1064				
South HCP: 9	♣ AKQ74	♣ 62				
Contract: 3N N						
Board: 405	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ876	♠ A2				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ K	♥ AJ3	Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9	♦ J652	♦ K9843	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 632	♣ KJ5				
Contract: 2N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 406	♠ KQJ	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ72	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 65	
HCP: 17	♣ AK73	You bid first.
Board: 407	♠ 1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A86	
Vul: EW	♦ 742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ104	
Board: 408	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK106	
Vul: Both	♦ 107	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A953	
Board: 409	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ2	
Vul: None	♦ 1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ J5432	
Board: 410	♠ KJ6	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 873	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK3	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ	♠ 97		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ KJ72	♥ 9865				
North HCP: 17	♦ 65	♦ 1043	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 1	♣ AK73	♣ J965	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
Contract: 2♠ W						

Board: 407	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1093	♠ QJ4				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A86	♥ K732				
North HCP: 10	♦ 742	♦ AQ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ104	♣ K93				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ3	♠ K9764		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK106	♥ J8				
North HCP: 16	♦ 107	♦ Q3	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A953	♣ J742				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 103	♠ AJ86				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ2	♥ 854				
North HCP: 4	♦ 1042	♦ A876	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J5432	♣ AK				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ6	♠ Q9873		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ 873	♥ 109				
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ85	♦ K109	X	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AK3	♣ J82				
Contract: 2♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 406	♠ 97	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 9865	West Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: NS	♦ 1043	
HCP: 1	♣ J965	Partner bids first.
Board: 407	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K732	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K93	
Board: 408	♠ K9764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ Q3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J742	
Board: 409	♠ AJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 854	
Vul: None	♦ A876	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK	
Board: 410	♠ Q9873	West Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: EW	♦ K109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J82	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 406	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ	♠ 97		1NT	2♣ ¹	Pass
Vul: NS	♥ KJ72	♥ 9865				
North HCP: 17	♦ 65	♦ 1043	2♠	AP		
South HCP: 1	♣ AK73	♣ J965	1. Multi-Landy, both majors			
Contract: 2♠ W						

Board: 407	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1093	♠ QJ4				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ A86	♥ K732				
North HCP: 10	♦ 742	♦ AQ10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ104	♣ K93				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ3	♠ K9764		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK106	♥ J8				
North HCP: 16	♦ 107	♦ Q3	Pass	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 7	♣ A953	♣ J742				
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 103	♠ AJ86				1NT
Vul: None	♥ QJ2	♥ 854				
North HCP: 4	♦ 1042	♦ A876	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ J5432	♣ AK				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ6	♠ Q9873		1NT	Pass	2♥
Vul: EW	♥ 873	♥ 109				
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ85	♦ K109	X	2♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AK3	♣ J82				
Contract: 2♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 411	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1043	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 2	

Board: 412	♠ Q73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1076	
Vul: None	♦ A2	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ7	

Board: 413	♠ J85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK432	
Vul: NS	♦ J42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 109	

Board: 414	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 10853	

Board: 415	♠ 94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q94	
Vul: None	♦ 10852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ K964	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ A103				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ1043	♥ A98	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ107	♦ A64	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15	♣ 2	♣ QJ53	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q73	♠ AJ10		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ K1076	♥ AJ85	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ A2	♦ 108	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AKJ7	♣ 9853	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 413	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J85	♠ A964				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AK432	♥ J85	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ J42	♦ AQ10	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ 109	♣ KQJ	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 414	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ J75		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ2	♥ 107	AP			
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ	♦ A732				
South HCP: 12	♣ 10853	♣ AK74				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 415	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 94	♠ AQ85				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q94	♥ AJ3	AP			
North HCP: 5	♦ 10852	♦ AQ7				
South HCP: 17	♣ K964	♣ 753				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 411	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: Both	♦ A64	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ53	

Board: 412	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ85	
Vul: None	♦ 108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 9853	

Board: 413	♠ A964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J85	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ	

Board: 414	♠ J75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 107	
Vul: Both	♦ A732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK74	

Board: 415	♠ AQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: None	♦ AQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 753	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ A103				1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ1043	♥ A98	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ KQJ107	♦ A64	Pass	3♦	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 15	♣ 2	♣ QJ53	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q73	♠ AJ10		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ K1076	♥ AJ85	Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 17	♦ A2	♦ 108	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ AKJ7	♣ 9853	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 413	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J85	♠ A964				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ AK432	♥ J85	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ J42	♦ AQ10	Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 17	♣ 109	♣ KQJ	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 414	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K4	♠ J75		1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ2	♥ 107	AP			
North HCP: 17	♦ KQJ	♦ A732				
South HCP: 12	♣ 10853	♣ AK74				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 415	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 94	♠ AQ85				1NT
Vul: None	♥ Q94	♥ AJ3	AP			
North HCP: 5	♦ 10852	♦ AQ7				
South HCP: 17	♣ K964	♣ 753				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 416	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ3	
Vul: NS	♦ J652	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ53	

Board: 417	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 754	
Vul: EW	♦ Q73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A9873	

Board: 418	♠ A1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q43	
Vul: None	♦ KQ94	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ	

Board: 419	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 932	
Vul: NS	♦ J10832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KQ6	

Board: 420	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ K985	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK5	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 416	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ K9		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ KQ3	♥ 8654	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J652	♦ AK87	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ53	♣ Q42	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 417	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ A965				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 754	♥ A109				
North HCP: 6	♦ Q73	♦ K5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ A9873	♣ KQJ5				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 418	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1042	♠ KJ86		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ Q43	♥ 85	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ94	♦ AJ7	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ	♣ K942	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 419	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10	♠ K96				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 932	♥ AQJ8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8	♦ J10832	♦ AK64	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ6	♣ 102				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 420	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ7	♠ Q98643		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ QJ4	♥ A106	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K985	♦ 4	1. Texas			
South HCP: 6	♣ AK5	♣ 862				
Contract: 4♠ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 416	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8654	
Vul: NS	♦ AK87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q42	

Board: 417	♠ A965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A109	
Vul: EW	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ5	

Board: 418	♠ KJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 85	
Vul: None	♦ AJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K942	

Board: 419	♠ K96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ AK64	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 102	

Board: 420	♠ Q98643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A106	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 862	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 416	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ K9		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: NS	♥ KQ3	♥ 8654	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J652	♦ AK87	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ53	♣ Q42	1. Stayman			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 417	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 42	♠ A965				1NT
Vul: EW	♥ 754	♥ A109				
North HCP: 6	♦ Q73	♦ K5	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ A9873	♣ KQJ5				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 418	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1042	♠ KJ86		1NT	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ Q43	♥ 85	Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ94	♦ AJ7	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ	♣ K942	1. Stayman			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 419	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q10	♠ K96				1NT
Vul: NS	♥ 932	♥ AQJ8	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8	♦ J10832	♦ AK64	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ KQ6	♣ 102				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 420	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ7	♠ Q98643		1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ QJ4	♥ A106	Pass	4♠	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ K985	♦ 4	1. Texas			
South HCP: 6	♣ AK5	♣ 862				
Contract: 4♠ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 421	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10643	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ8762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 7	
Board: 422	♠ J43	West Doubles 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK92	
Vul: NS	♦ AK5	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ J96	
Board: 423	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	
Vul: EW	♦ J94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ QJ10942	
Board: 424	♠ AKJ9	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J752	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ3	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 15	♣ J10	You bid first.
Board: 425	♠ J103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J53	
Vul: None	♦ AQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 9742	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 421
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ —
♥ J10643
♦ AQJ8762
♣ 7

South:
♠ AK3
♥ AKQ95
♦ 95
♣ 1053

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	3♠ ³
Pass	3NT ⁴	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 422
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J43
♥ AK92
♦ AK5
♣ J96

South:
♠ A
♥ 1076543
♦ QJ1084
♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
X	4♦ ²	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 423
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ K5
♥ 73
♦ J94
♣ QJ10942

South:
♠ A1087
♥ Q42
♦ AK82
♣ A7

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
AP			

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 424
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 5
Contract: 2♥ W

North:
♠ AKJ9
♥ J752
♦ KQ3
♣ J10

South:
♠ 10652
♥ K943
♦ 104
♣ Q64

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	Pass

X ¹	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♥	AP		

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 425
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ J103
♥ J53
♦ AQ7
♣ 9742

South:
♠ A92
♥ AKQ2
♦ 10543
♣ A5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 421	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ95	
Vul: Both	♦ 95	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 1053	
Board: 422	♠ A	West Doubles 3♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 1076543	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A	
Board: 423	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q42	
Vul: EW	♦ AK82	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A7	
Board: 424	♠ 10652	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ K943	East Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 104	West Bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ Q64	Partner bids first.
Board: 425	♠ A92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ2	
Vul: None	♦ 10543	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A5	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 421
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 16
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
♠ —
♥ J10643
♦ AQJ8762
♣ 7

South:
♠ AK3
♥ AKQ95
♦ 95
♣ 1053

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	3♠ ³
Pass	3NT ⁴	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Extended acceptance after NT
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 422
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ J43
♥ AK92
♦ AK5
♣ J96

South:
♠ A
♥ 1076543
♦ QJ1084
♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠ ¹
X	4♦ ²	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 423
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ K5
♥ 73
♦ J94
♣ QJ10942

South:
♠ A1087
♥ Q42
♦ AK82
♣ A7

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♠ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
AP			

1. Minor Suit Transfers after 1NT
2. automat

Board: 424
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 5
Contract: 2♥ W

North:
♠ AKJ9
♥ J752
♦ KQ3
♣ J10

South:
♠ 10652
♥ K943
♦ 104
♣ Q64

West	North	East	South
	1NT	Pass	Pass

X ¹	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♥	AP		

1. Multi-Landy, 4M-5m or 18+ HCP

Board: 425
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 8
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ J103
♥ J53
♦ AQ7
♣ 9742

South:
♠ A92
♥ AKQ2
♦ 10543
♣ A5

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 426	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ Q872	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ85	

Board: 427	♠ A974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: Both	♦ 9632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 4	♣ 10754	

Board: 428	♠ Q1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 75	
Vul: None	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK102	

Board: 429	♠ A32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q7652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ	

Board: 430	♠ AKQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q105	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 74	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 426
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ A7
 ♥ KJ4
 ♦ Q872
 ♣ AJ85

South:
 ♠ Q953
 ♥ A108765
 ♦ A3
 ♣ 3

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

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 427
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 4
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ A974
 ♥ 9
 ♦ 9632
 ♣ 10754

South:
 ♠ Q1053
 ♥ AKJ
 ♦ J54
 ♣ KJ8

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 428
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ Q1085
 ♥ 75
 ♦ AK4
 ♣ AK102

South:
 ♠ K962
 ♥ Q92
 ♦ Q9863
 ♣ 5

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

1. Stayman

Board: 429
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ A32
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ Q7652
 ♣ KQJ

South:
 ♠ KQ5
 ♥ KJ853
 ♦ AK8
 ♣ 97

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 430
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 5
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AKQ62
 ♥ KQ5
 ♦ Q105
 ♣ 74

South:
 ♠ 1098
 ♥ J92
 ♦ K92
 ♣ J853

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 426	♠ Q953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108765	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 3	
Board: 427	♠ Q1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ	
Vul: Both	♦ J54	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ8	
Board: 428	♠ K962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q92	
Vul: None	♦ Q9863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 5	
Board: 429	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ853	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 97	
Board: 430	♠ 1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J92	
Vul: Both	♦ K92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 5	♣ J853	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 426
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 10
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:
 ♠ A7
 ♥ KJ4
 ♦ Q872
 ♣ AJ85

South:
 ♠ Q953
 ♥ A108765
 ♦ A3
 ♣ 3

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

1. Splinter
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 427
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 4
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ A974
 ♥ 9
 ♦ 9632
 ♣ 10754

South:
 ♠ Q1053
 ♥ AKJ
 ♦ J54
 ♣ KJ8

West	North	East	South
			1NT
AP			

Board: 428
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 7
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:
 ♠ Q1085
 ♥ 75
 ♦ AK4
 ♣ AK102

South:
 ♠ K962
 ♥ Q92
 ♦ Q9863
 ♣ 5

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

1. Stayman

Board: 429
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ A32
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ Q7652
 ♣ KQJ

South:
 ♠ KQ5
 ♥ KJ853
 ♦ AK8
 ♣ 97

West	North	East	South
			1NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 430
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 5
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AKQ62
 ♥ KQ5
 ♦ Q105
 ♣ 74

South:
 ♠ 1098
 ♥ J92
 ♦ K92
 ♣ J853

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 431	♠ AQ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J109654	
Vul: None	♦ 42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 4	

Board: 432	♠ J62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A64	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ106	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A102	

Board: 433	♠ Q87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J3	
Vul: None	♦ J1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K1052	

Board: 434	♠ 984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ9	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ94	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AQ98

♥ J109654

♦ 42

♣ 4

South:

♠ K1063

♥ A7

♦ AQJ10

♣ J75

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Texas

Board: 432

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ J62

♥ A64

♦ AQ106

♣ A102

South:

♠ AK54

♥ KQ982

♦ K985

♣ —

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Stayman

2. SMOLEN

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 433

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 15

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ Q87

♥ J3

♦ J1054

♣ K1052

South:

♠ AJ4

♥ KQ10

♦ K873

♣ Q83

West North East South

1NT

AP

Board: 434

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 984

♥ AJ9

♦ AJ4

♣ KQ94

South:

♠ AK106

♥ 10876

♦ 62

♣ 873

West North East South

1NT AP

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 431	♠ K1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J75	

Board: 432	♠ AK54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ982	
Vul: EW	♦ K985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 433	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: None	♦ K873	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q83	

Board: 434	♠ AK106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10876	
Vul: NS	♦ 62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 873	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AQ98

♥ J109654

♦ 42

♣ 4

South:

♠ K1063

♥ A7

♦ AQJ10

♣ J75

West North East South

1NT

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Texas

Board: 432

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ J62

♥ A64

♦ AQ106

♣ A102

South:

♠ AK54

♥ KQ982

♦ K985

♣ —

West North East South

1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT³

Pass 5♣ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Stayman

2. SMOLEN

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 433

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 15

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ Q87

♥ J3

♦ J1054

♣ K1052

South:

♠ AJ4

♥ KQ10

♦ K873

♣ Q83

West North East South

1NT

AP

Board: 434

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 984

♥ AJ9

♦ AJ4

♣ KQ94

South:

♠ AK106

♥ 10876

♦ 62

♣ 873

West North East South

1NT AP

North hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 435	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ753	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A75	

Board: 436	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A632	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ86	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 435

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ QJ753

♦ KQJ10

♣ A75

South:

♠ KQ84

♥ AK84

♦ A75

♣ 84

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 107

♥ A632

♦ AQ7

♣ AJ86

South:

♠ J952

♥ 1087

♦ K3

♣ K1073

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	

South hands (Practice Page)

15-17 Notrump Opening

Board: 435	♠ KQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK84	
Vul: EW	♦ A75	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 84	

Board: 436	♠ J952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1087	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K1073	

15-17 Notrump Opening Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 435

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ QJ753

♦ KQJ10

♣ A75

South:

♠ KQ84

♥ AK84

♦ A75

♣ 84

West	North	East	South
			1NT

Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 107

♥ A632

♦ AQ7

♣ AJ86

South:

♠ J952

♥ 1087

♦ K3

♣ K1073

West	North	East	South
	1NT	AP	