

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 1	♠ 8	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AKQ98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ62	
HCP: 16+2	♣ T4	
Board: 2	♠ J94	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A965	East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K64	
HCP: 9	♣ JT2	
Board: 3	♠ QT4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 5	East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J54	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ AQ9743	East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
		East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
		West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♣ if possible.
Board: 4	♠ AQ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ62	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 4	
HCP: 11+1	♣ Q9764	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 8

♥ AKQ98

♦ AQJ62

♣ T4

South:

♠ AQJ2

♥ J763

♦ KT3

♣ 72

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
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Pass	6♥	All Pass	
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1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 2

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ J94

♥ A965

♦ K64

♣ JT2

South:

♠ KQ8732

♥ T

♦ JT32

♣ K7

W	N	E	S
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Pass	Pass	1♥	2♠
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All Pass

Board: 3

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♣X South

North:

♠ QT4

♥ 5

♦ J54

♣ AQ9743

South:

♠ A75

♥ AJ86

♦ KT9

♣ J85

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	1♥	Pass
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1♠	2♣	2♥	3♣
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Pass	Pass	3♥	4♣
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X	All Pass		
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Board: 4

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ AQ6

♥ QJ62

♦ 4

♣ Q9764

South:

♠ J875

♥ A9

♦ 98752

♣ K5

W	N	E	S
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 1	♠ AQJ2	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ J763	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT3	
HCP: 11	♣ 72	
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Board: 2	♠ KQ8732	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ T	East (RHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ JT32	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K7	
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Board: 3	♠ A75	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ86	East (RHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT9	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ J85	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
		East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
		West (LHO) Doubles 4♣ if possible.
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Board: 4	♠ J875	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 98752	
HCP: 8+1	♣ K5	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1

Dealer: West
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 16+2
 South HCP: 11
 Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 8
 ♥ AKQ98
 ♦ AQJ62
 ♣ T4

South:

♠ AQJ2
 ♥ J763
 ♦ KT3
 ♣ 72

W	N	E	S
Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦ ³
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 2

Dealer: West
 Vul: E-W
 North HCP: 9
 South HCP: 9+2
 Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ J94
 ♥ A965
 ♦ K64
 ♣ JT2

South:

♠ KQ8732
 ♥ T
 ♦ JT32
 ♣ K7

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	1♥	2♠
All Pass			

Board: 3

Dealer: North
 Vul: E-W
 North HCP: 9+2
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 4♣X South

North:

♠ QT4
 ♥ 5
 ♦ J54
 ♣ AQ9743

South:

♠ A75
 ♥ AJ86
 ♦ KT9
 ♣ J85

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1♥	Pass
1♠	2♣	2♥	3♣
Pass	Pass	3♥	4♣
X	All Pass		

Board: 4

Dealer: North
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 11+1
 South HCP: 8+1
 Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ AQ6
 ♥ QJ62
 ♦ 4
 ♣ Q9764

South:

♠ J875
 ♥ A9
 ♦ 98752
 ♣ K5

W	N	E	S
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
All Pass			

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Losing Trick Count

Board: 5 ♠ AJ762 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ - East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T9654
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ K94

Board: 6 ♠ K843 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ KQ82 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 84
 HCP: 10 ♣ Q87

Board: 7 ♠ AT532 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ K6 East (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ J985
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ 65

Board: 8 ♠ 652 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ J9 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ KT875
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ A63

Board: 9 ♠ JT3 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KQJT3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ K86
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 73

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 5

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJ762

♥ -

♦ T9654

♣ K94

South:

♠ T985

♥ AKQ75

♦ K

♣ A87

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♦	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 6

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ K843

♥ KQ82

♦ 84

♣ Q87

South:

♠ Q72

♥ AJ

♦ KJT96

♣ K94

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1NT
All Pass			

Board: 7

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ AT532

♥ K6

♦ J985

♣ 65

South:

♠ 9

♥ J732

♦ AQ764

♣ A92

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	1 ♠	X
Pass	1NT	All Pass	

Board: 8

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ 652

♥ J9

♦ KT875

♣ A63

South:

♠ KQJT3

♥ AQ8432

♦ J

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. forcing 1NT			

Board: 9

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ JT3

♥ KQJT3

♦ K86

♣ 73

South:

♠ KQ762

♥ 96

♦ 32

♣ KJ94

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 5 ♠ T985 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AKQ75 East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K
 HCP: 16+1 ♣ A87

Board: 6 ♠ Q72 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AJ The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KJT96
 HCP: 14+1 ♣ K94

Board: 7 ♠ 9 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ J732 East (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ AQ764
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ A92

Board: 8 ♠ KQJT3 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AQ8432 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ J
 HCP: 13+3 ♣ 8

Board: 9 ♠ KQ762 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 96 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 32
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ KJ94

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 5

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJ762

♥ -

♦ T9654

♣ K94

South:

♠ T985

♥ AKQ75

♦ K

♣ A87

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♦	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 6

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ K843

♥ KQ82

♦ 84

♣ Q87

South:

♠ Q72

♥ AJ

♦ KJT96

♣ K94

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1NT
All Pass			

Board: 7

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ AT532

♥ K6

♦ J985

♣ 65

South:

♠ 9

♥ J732

♦ AQ764

♣ A92

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	1 ♠	X
Pass	1NT	All Pass	

Board: 8

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ 652

♥ J9

♦ KT875

♣ A63

South:

♠ KQJT3

♥ AQ8432

♦ J

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 9

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ JT3

♥ KQJT3

♦ K86

♣ 73

South:

♠ KQ762

♥ 96

♦ 32

♣ KJ94

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 10	♠ AKQ982	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q4	
HCP: 14+2	♣ QJT	
Board: 11	♠ 9652	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ975	West (RHO) Doubles 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 8	
HCP: 10+1	♣ AT2	
Board: 12	♠ T742	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J432	West (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AK93	
Board: 13	♠ A92	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A98	
HCP: 17	♣ AJ72	
Board: 14	♠ A7	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ K972	West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 53	East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ QT854	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 10

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ982

♥ 42

♦ Q4

♣ QJT

South:

♠ 6

♥ KJT5

♦ AK8

♣ 76543

W N E S

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣¹

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 11

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ 9652

♥ AQ975

♦ 8

♣ AT2

South:

♠ KJ43

♥ KJT63

♦ KT2

♣ 4

W N E S

1♥ Pass 4♣¹

X 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 5♥ All Pass

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 12

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ T742

♥ J432

♦ A

♣ AK93

South:

♠ KQ8

♥ Q86

♦ Q9872

♣ 54

W N E S

Pass

1♦ X 1♠ 1NT

All Pass

1. max 2 !S

Board: 13

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A92

♥ KJ3

♦ A98

♣ AJ72

South:

♠ QJ8

♥ 872

♦ 65

♣ KQ654

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 14

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ A7

♥ K972

♦ 53

♣ QT854

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ JT83

♦ KQ

♣ A762

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♣

1♠ X Pass 2♥

Pass Pass 2♠ Pass

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 10	♠ 6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK8	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 76543	
Board: 11	♠ KJ43	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT63	West (LHO) Doubles 4♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KT2	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 4	
Board: 12	♠ KQ8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q86	West (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q9872	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ 54	
Board: 13	♠ QJ8	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 872	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 65	
HCP: 8+1	♣ KQ654	
Board: 14	♠ QJ4	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ JT83	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ A762	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 10

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ982

♥ 42

♦ Q4

♣ QJT

South:

♠ 6

♥ KJT5

♦ AK8

♣ 76543

W N E S

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣¹

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 11

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ 9652

♥ AQ975

♦ 8

♣ AT2

South:

♠ KJ43

♥ KJT63

♦ KT2

♣ 4

W N E S

1♥ Pass 4♣¹

X 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 5♥ All Pass

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 12

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ T742

♥ J432

♦ A

♣ AK93

South:

♠ KQ8

♥ Q86

♦ Q9872

♣ 54

W N E S

Pass

1♦ X 1♠ 1NT

All Pass

1. max 2 !S

Board: 13

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A92

♥ KJ3

♦ A98

♣ AJ72

South:

♠ QJ8

♥ 872

♦ 65

♣ KQ654

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 14

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ A7

♥ K972

♦ 53

♣ QT854

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ JT83

♦ KQ

♣ A762

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♣

1♠ X Pass 2♥

Pass Pass 2♠ Pass

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 15

♠ KQT8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ842

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 43

HCP: 10+1

♣ 72

Board: 16

♠ Q984

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT87

West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ A8763

HCP: 9+1

♣ -

Board: 17

♠ AQT8

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ 92

West (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQ863

East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

HCP: 11+1

♣ T2

Board: 18

♠ K653

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ Q3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K84

HCP: 8

♣ 7643

Board: 19

♠ AQJ4

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ T3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ53

HCP: 19

♣ AK2

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 15

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ KQT8

♥ KQ842

♦ 43

♣ 72

South:

♠ 73

♥ J

♦ KQ9652

♣ QJ43

W N E S

1♥ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 16

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q984

♥ KT87

♦ A8763

♣ -

South:

♠ K653

♥ A54

♦ KQ92

♣ A8

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

3♣ 3♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 17

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2♦ North

North:

♠ AQT8

♥ 92

♦ KQ863

♣ T2

South:

♠ J4

♥ JT3

♦ J74

♣ AQ975

W N E S

Pass Pass

1♦ Pass 1♥ Pass

Pass 2♦ All Pass

Board: 18

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ K653

♥ Q3

♦ K84

♣ 7643

South:

♠ A4

♥ T864

♦ AT73

♣ AK5

W N E S

Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 19

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ4

♥ T3

♦ AJ53

♣ AK2

South:

♠ KT

♥ K984

♦ T76

♣ QJ95

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 15	♠ 73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ9652	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ43	
Board: 16	♠ K653	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A54	West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ92	
HCP: 16	♣ A8	
Board: 17	♠ J4	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ JT3	West (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J74	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ AQ975	
Board: 18	♠ A4	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ T864	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT73	
HCP: 15	♣ AK5	
Board: 19	♠ KT	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ K984	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T76	
HCP: 9	♣ QJ95	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 15

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ KQT8

♥ KQ842

♦ 43

♣ 72

South:

♠ 73

♥ J

♦ KQ9652

♣ QJ43

W N E S

1♥ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 16

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q984

♥ KT87

♦ A8763

♣ -

South:

♠ K653

♥ A54

♦ KQ92

♣ A8

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

3♣ 3♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 17

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2♦ North

North:

♠ AQT8

♥ 92

♦ KQ863

♣ T2

South:

♠ J4

♥ JT3

♦ J74

♣ AQ975

W N E S

Pass Pass

1♦ Pass 1♥ Pass

Pass 2♦ All Pass

Board: 18

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ K653

♥ Q3

♦ K84

♣ 7643

South:

♠ A4

♥ T864

♦ AT73

♣ AK5

W N E S

Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 19

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ4

♥ T3

♦ AJ53

♣ AK2

South:

♠ KT

♥ K984

♦ T76

♣ QJ95

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 20	♠ A8764	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ JT753	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 5	
Board: 21	♠ AT52	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT952	East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ -	
HCP: 10+1	♣ AJ93	
Board: 22	♠ T	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT43	
HCP: 8+1	♣ Q9743	
Board: 23	♠ AJ9	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ73	
HCP: 15+1	♣ 874	
Board: 24	♠ AKJ3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J8	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A642	
HCP: 13	♣ T92	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 20

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A8764	♠ Q		Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Vul: Both	♥ A7	♥ 854	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 9+2	♦ JT753	♦ AK942	Pass	3 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 5	♣ AK94				
Contract: 3 ♦ North						

Board: 21

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AT52	♠ J7		1 ♥	2 ♦	3 ♦ ¹
Vul: N-S	♥ JT952	♥ 863	Pass	3 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 10+1	♦ -	♦ AKQ95				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AJ93	♣ 874				
Contract: 3 ♥ North						

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 22

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ T	♠ AJ74			Pass	1 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ7	♥ K54	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8+1	♦ JT43	♦ AQ5	All Pass			
South HCP: 18	♣ Q9743	♣ A62				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 23

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AJ9	♠ Q2	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ A9	♥ Q73	All Pass			
North HCP: 15+1	♦ KQJ73	♦ A954				
South HCP: 13	♣ 874	♣ AJ65				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 24

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ3	♠ 9				1 ♦
Vul: None	♥ J8	♥ K64	1 ♥	X	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A642	♦ KJT98	Pass	2 ♥ ¹	Pass	3 ♦
South HCP: 10+1	♣ T92	♣ K875	All Pass			
Contract: 3 ♦ South						

1. strength cue bid

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 20

♠ Q

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 854

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AK942

HCP: 16+1

♣ AK94

Board: 21

♠ J7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 863

East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ95

HCP: 10+1

♣ 874

Board: 22

♠ AJ74

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ K54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ5

HCP: 18

♣ A62

Board: 23

♠ Q2

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ Q73

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A954

HCP: 13

♣ AJ65

Board: 24

♠ 9

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K64

West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KJT98

HCP: 10+1

♣ K875

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 20

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A8764	♠ Q		Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Vul: Both	♥ A7	♥ 854	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 9+2	♦ JT753	♦ AK942	Pass	3 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ 5	♣ AK94				
Contract: 3 ♦ North						

Board: 21

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AT52	♠ J7		1 ♥	2 ♦	3 ♦ ¹
Vul: N-S	♥ JT952	♥ 863	Pass	3 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 10+1	♦ -	♦ AKQ95				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AJ93	♣ 874				
Contract: 3 ♥ North						

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 22

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ T	♠ AJ74			Pass	1 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ7	♥ K54	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 8+1	♦ JT43	♦ AQ5	All Pass			
South HCP: 18	♣ Q9743	♣ A62				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 23

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AJ9	♠ Q2	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
Vul: Both	♥ A9	♥ Q73	All Pass			
North HCP: 15+1	♦ KQJ73	♦ A954				
South HCP: 13	♣ 874	♣ AJ65				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 24

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AKJ3	♠ 9				1 ♦
Vul: None	♥ J8	♥ K64	1 ♥	X	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A642	♦ KJT98	Pass	2 ♥ ¹	Pass	3 ♦
South HCP: 10+1	♣ T92	♣ K875	All Pass			
Contract: 3 ♦ South						

1. strength cue bid

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 25

♠ K52

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJT54

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ T2

HCP: 15+2

♣ A3

Board: 26

♠ KQ7543

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q93

HCP: 12+2

♣ KQ76

Board: 27

♠ 964

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ87

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KJ743

HCP: 11+1

♣ K

Board: 28

♠ KQ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J853

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 753

HCP: 12

♣ AQ65

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 25

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K52

♥ AKJT54

♦ T2

♣ A3

South:

♠ 6

♥ Q9762

♦ AK975

♣ T9

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ 2♥¹ 3♠²

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

Board: 26

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ7543

♥ -

♦ Q93

♣ KQ76

South:

♠ AJ986

♥ KT7

♦ T74

♣ AJ

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. Splinter

Board: 27

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ 964

♥ KJ87

♦ KJ743

♣ K

South:

♠ A32

♥ T

♦ AT85

♣ QJT32

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ All Pass

Board: 28

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ J853

♦ 753

♣ AQ65

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKQ64

♦ T86

♣ JT92

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 25 ♠ 6 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q9762 East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AK975
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ T9

Board: 26 ♠ AJ986 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KT7 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ T74
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ AJ

Board: 27 ♠ A32 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ T The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AT85
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ QJT32

Board: 28 ♠ 3 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AKQ64 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T86
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ JT92

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 25

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K52

♥ AKJT54

♦ T2

♣ A3

South:

♠ 6

♥ Q9762

♦ AK975

♣ T9

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ 2♥¹ 3♠²

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Splinter

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

Board: 26

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ7543

♥ -

♦ Q93

♣ KQ76

South:

♠ AJ986

♥ KT7

♦ T74

♣ AJ

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. Splinter

Board: 27

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ 964

♥ KJ87

♦ KJ743

♣ K

South:

♠ A32

♥ T

♦ AT85

♣ QJT32

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ All Pass

Board: 28

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ J853

♦ 753

♣ AQ65

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKQ64

♦ T86

♣ JT92

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 29

♠ A3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K8632

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K7

HCP: 10+1

♣ 7543

Board: 30

♠ KJ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ94

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 72

HCP: 10+1

♣ Q6542

Board: 31

♠ AQ93

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ A8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A73

HCP: 15

♣ J742

Board: 32

♠ KT53

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 97

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J3

HCP: 13+1

♣ AKQ86

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 29

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ A3

♥ K8632

♦ K7

♣ 7543

South:

♠ QJT5

♥ AQJ5

♦ A

♣ AJ96

W	N	E	S
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	1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
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All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

Board: 30

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KJ

♥ KJ94

♦ 72

♣ Q6542

South:

♠ 643

♥ AQ752

♦ JT5

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1♥
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2♣	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 31

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 5+3

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ AQ93

♥ A8

♦ A73

♣ J742

South:

♠ T82

♥ QJT

♦ QT98652

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
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Pass	3♦ ²	All Pass	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

Board: 32

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT53

♥ 97

♦ J3

♣ AKQ86

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ KQ32

♦ T9842

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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			1♦
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 29

♠ QJT5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A

HCP: 19

♣ AJ96

Board: 30

♠ 643

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ752

West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ JT5

HCP: 11+1

♣ A9

Board: 31

♠ T82

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ QJT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QT98652

HCP: 5+3

♣ -

Board: 32

♠ AJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ T9842

HCP: 11+1

♣ J

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 29

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ A3

♥ K8632

♦ K7

♣ 7543

South:

♠ QJT5

♥ AQJ5

♦ A

♣ AJ96

W	N	E	S
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	1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥ ³	Pass	6♥
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All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

Board: 30

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KJ

♥ KJ94

♦ 72

♣ Q6542

South:

♠ 643

♥ AQ752

♦ JT5

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1♥
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2♣	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 31

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 5+3

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ AQ93

♥ A8

♦ A73

♣ J742

South:

♠ T82

♥ QJT

♦ QT98652

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1NT	Pass	3♣ ¹
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Pass	3♦ ²	All Pass	
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1. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

2. automat

Board: 32

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT53

♥ 97

♦ J3

♣ AKQ86

South:

♠ AJ8

♥ KQ32

♦ T9842

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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			1♦
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 33

♠ A3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 74

East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ T86

HCP: 11+2

♣ AQJ862

Board: 34

♠ T7

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ JT83

East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKQ6

HCP: 14

♣ KJ3

Board: 35

♠ KT83

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ72

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 4

HCP: 10+1

♣ T95

Board: 36

♠ T

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ T2

West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AT763

HCP: 11+2

♣ AQJ85

Board: 37

♠ Q5

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ 72

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q986543

HCP: 6+3

♣ Q6

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 33

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ 74

♦ T86

♣ AQJ862

South:

♠ 72

♥ AKQ82

♦ A9432

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣ 3 ♠ X

Pass 4 ♣ All Pass

Board: 34

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 6

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ T7

♥ JT83

♦ AKQ6

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ 852

♥ A76

♦ 543

♣ QT95

W N E S

Pass 1 ♦ 2 ♠ Pass

Pass X Pass 3 ♣

All Pass

Board: 35

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KT83

♥ AQJ72

♦ 4

♣ T95

South:

♠ Q6

♥ KT6543

♦ QT5

♣ Q2

W N E S

1 ♥ 1 ♠ 2 ♠¹

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 36

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ T2

♦ AT763

♣ AQJ85

South:

♠ AQ976

♥ Q943

♦ QJ52

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♠ 2NT¹ Pass 3 ♦

All Pass

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 37

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ 72

♦ Q986543

♣ Q6

South:

♠ KT964

♥ 65

♦ KT2

♣ AJ5

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♦¹ All Pass

1. Weak Jump Shifts 3

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 33 ♠ 72 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AKQ82 East (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ A9432
 HCP: 13+2 ♣ 4

Board: 34 ♠ 852 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A76 East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 543
 HCP: 6 ♣ QT95

Board: 35 ♠ Q6 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ KT6543 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QT5
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ Q2

Board: 36 ♠ AQ976 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ Q943 West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ QJ52
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ -

Board: 37 ♠ KT964 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ 65 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KT2
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ AJ5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 33

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ 74

♦ T86

♣ AQJ862

South:

♠ 72

♥ AKQ82

♦ A9432

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♣ 3 ♠ X

Pass 4 ♣ All Pass

Board: 34

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 6

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ T7

♥ JT83

♦ AKQ6

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ 852

♥ A76

♦ 543

♣ QT95

W N E S

Pass 1 ♦ 2 ♠ Pass

Pass X Pass 3 ♣

All Pass

Board: 35

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KT83

♥ AQJ72

♦ 4

♣ T95

South:

♠ Q6

♥ KT6543

♦ QT5

♣ Q2

W N E S

1 ♥ 1 ♠ 2 ♠¹

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 36

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ T2

♦ AT763

♣ AQJ85

South:

♠ AQ976

♥ Q943

♦ QJ52

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♠ 2NT¹ Pass 3 ♦

All Pass

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 37

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ 72

♦ Q986543

♣ Q6

South:

♠ KT964

♥ 65

♦ KT2

♣ AJ5

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♦¹ All Pass

1. Weak Jump Shifts 3

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 38

♠ JT84

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJT6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K72

HCP: 10+1

♣ 6

Board: 39

♠ AQ654

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ T65

HCP: 12+1

♣ A643

Board: 40

♠ K873

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 82

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKJT7

HCP: 14+1

♣ K6

Board: 41

♠ AK96

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ KJ952

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQ

HCP: 16+1

♣ T3

Board: 42

♠ A9

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AKQ9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 7532

HCP: 14

♣ J32

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 38

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ JT84

♥ KQJT6

♦ K72

♣ 6

South:

♠ A

♥ 742

♦ A54

♣ QJ8732

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

All Pass

Board: 39

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ654

♥ Q

♦ T65

♣ A643

South:

♠ K93

♥ J854

♦ AQ873

♣ 5

W N E S

Pass 1♠ 2♥ 2NT¹

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 40

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K873

♥ 82

♦ AKJT7

♣ K6

South:

♠ Q5

♥ KQ63

♦ Q952

♣ Q85

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 41

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 5+1

Contract: 1♥ North

North:

♠ AK96

♥ KJ952

♦ KQ

♣ T3

South:

♠ T754

♥ T63

♦ AJ752

♣ 4

W N E S

Pass 1♥ All Pass

Board: 42

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKQ9

♦ 7532

♣ J32

South:

♠ J6

♥ J53

♦ AT9

♣ AQ864

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 38

♠ A

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 742

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A54

HCP: 11+2

♣ QJ8732

Board: 39

♠ K93

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J854

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ873

HCP: 10+1

♣ 5

Board: 40

♠ Q5

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q952

HCP: 11

♣ Q85

Board: 41

♠ T754

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ T63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ752

HCP: 5+1

♣ 4

Board: 42

♠ J6

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ J53

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AT9

HCP: 12+1

♣ AQ864

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 38

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ JT84

♥ KQJT6

♦ K72

♣ 6

South:

♠ A

♥ 742

♦ A54

♣ QJ8732

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

All Pass

Board: 39

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ654

♥ Q

♦ T65

♣ A643

South:

♠ K93

♥ J854

♦ AQ873

♣ 5

W N E S

Pass 1♠ 2♥ 2NT¹

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 40

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K873

♥ 82

♦ AKJT7

♣ K6

South:

♠ Q5

♥ KQ63

♦ Q952

♣ Q85

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 41

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 5+1

Contract: 1♥ North

North:

♠ AK96

♥ KJ952

♦ KQ

♣ T3

South:

♠ T754

♥ T63

♦ AJ752

♣ 4

W N E S

Pass 1♥ All Pass

Board: 42

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKQ9

♦ 7532

♣ J32

South:

♠ J6

♥ J53

♦ AT9

♣ AQ864

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 43

♠ A972

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 76

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AK532

HCP: 11+1

♣ 87

Board: 44

♠ AK5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ4

West (RHO) opens 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ75

HCP: 20

♣ AJ9

Board: 45

♠ KJ98

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A43

HCP: 15

♣ A65

Board: 46

♠ T6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 3

East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KJ542

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 11+2

♣ AQJ54

Board: 47

♠ 65

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ KQJ9753

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 975

HCP: 6+3

♣ 7

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 43

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ A972

♥ 76

♦ AK532

♣ 87

South:

♠ 5

♥ K43

♦ T864

♣ AKJ32

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	Pass	2 ♦ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	All Pass	

1. Inverted minors

Board: 44

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ AK5

♥ QJ4

♦ AJ75

♣ AJ9

South:

♠ Q

♥ 95

♦ KQ964

♣ QT742

W	N	E	S
			Pass
2 ♠	X	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	All Pass	

Board: 45

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KJ98

♥ QJ5

♦ A43

♣ A65

South:

♠ 7

♥ 864

♦ KQJ85

♣ KJT2

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

Board: 46

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T6

♥ 3

♦ KJ542

♣ AQJ54

South:

♠ A8

♥ AJT72

♦ A987

♣ T8

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	X	XX
1 ♠	2 ♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

Board: 47

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+3

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ 65

♥ KQJ9753

♦ 975

♣ 7

South:

♠ A843

♥ T62

♦ KQJ2

♣ Q5

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♦
Pass	2 ♥ ¹	All Pass	

1. Weak Jump Shifts 2

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 43

♠ 5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K43

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T864

HCP: 11+1

♣ AKJ32

Board: 44

♠ Q

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 95

West (LHO) opens 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQ964

HCP: 9+2

♣ QT742

Board: 45

♠ 7

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 864

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQJ85

HCP: 10+1

♣ KJT2

Board: 46

♠ A8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJT72

East (RHO) Doubles 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ A987

West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

HCP: 13+1

♣ T8

Board: 47

♠ A843

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ T62

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQJ2

HCP: 12

♣ Q5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 43

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ A972

♥ 76

♦ AK532

♣ 87

South:

♠ 5

♥ K43

♦ T864

♣ AKJ32

W N E S

1 ♦ Pass 2 ♦¹

Pass 3 ♦ All Pass

1. Inverted minors

Board: 44

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ AK5

♥ QJ4

♦ AJ75

♣ AJ9

South:

♠ Q

♥ 95

♦ KQ964

♣ QT742

W N E S

Pass

2 ♠ X Pass 3 ♦

Pass 5 ♦ All Pass

Board: 45

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KJ98

♥ QJ5

♦ A43

♣ A65

South:

♠ 7

♥ 864

♦ KQJ85

♣ KJT2

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 46

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T6

♥ 3

♦ KJ542

♣ AQJ54

South:

♠ A8

♥ AJT72

♦ A987

♣ T8

W N E S

1 ♦ X XX

1 ♠ 2 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 47

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+3

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ 65

♥ KQJ9753

♦ 975

♣ 7

South:

♠ A843

♥ T62

♦ KQJ2

♣ Q5

W N E S

Pass 1 ♦

Pass 2 ♥¹ All Pass

1. Weak Jump Shifts 2

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 48

♠ 9832

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West ♥ A43

East (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S ♦ Q754

West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

HCP: 6 ♣ 42

East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Board: 49

♠ AQ6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South ♥ K87

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None ♦ K6542

HCP: 16+1 ♣ A8

Board: 50

♠ 743

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South ♥ 876

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S ♦ QJ

HCP: 9+1 ♣ KQJ84

Board: 51

♠ AK64

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East ♥ AKJT753

West (RHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S ♦ J3

HCP: 16+3 ♣ -

Board: 52

♠ KJ93

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West ♥ 753

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both ♦ Q42

HCP: 13 ♣ AK2

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 48

Board: 48	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 9832	♠ AJT5	Pass	Pass	1 ♦	X
Vul: N-S	♥ A43	♥ KQT7	1 ♥	X	2 ♦	2 ♠
North HCP: 6	♦ Q754	♦ 93	All Pass			
South HCP: 14	♣ 42	♣ A96				
Contract: 2 ♠ South						

Board: 49

Board: 49	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ6	♠ K9				Pass
Vul: None	♥ K87	♥ 65	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16+1	♦ K6542	♦ QJ73	All Pass			
South HCP: 10+1	♣ A8	♣ KJT93				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 50

Board: 50	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 743	♠ Q82				1 ♥
Vul: N-S	♥ 876	♥ AT543	Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 9+1	♦ QJ	♦ A953				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ KQJ84	♣ 3				
Contract: 2 ♥ North						

Board: 51

Board: 51	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ AK64	♠ T732			Pass	Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AKJT753	♥ 964	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16+3	♦ J3	♦ 64	X	3 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 5	♣ -	♣ AJT3				
Contract: 3 ♥ North						

Board: 52

Board: 52	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KJ93	♠ T4	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♥
Vul: Both	♥ 753	♥ AT986	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q42	♦ AKJT3	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AK2	♣ 7				
Contract: 2NT South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 48

Dealer: West
 Vul: N-S
 HCP: 14

♠ AJT5
 ♥ KQT7
 ♦ 93
 ♣ A96

LHO is dealer.
 East (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
 West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
 East (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Board: 49

Dealer: South
 Vul: None
 HCP: 10+1

♠ K9
 ♥ 65
 ♦ QJ73
 ♣ KJT93

You are dealer.
 The opponents are silent.

Board: 50

Dealer: South
 Vul: N-S
 HCP: 10+1

♠ Q82
 ♥ AT543
 ♦ A953
 ♣ 3

You are dealer.
 The opponents are silent.

Board: 51

Dealer: East
 Vul: N-S
 HCP: 5

♠ T732
 ♥ 964
 ♦ 64
 ♣ AJT3

RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 West (LHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

Board: 52

Dealer: West
 Vul: Both
 HCP: 12+2

♠ T4
 ♥ AT986
 ♦ AKJT3
 ♣ 7

LHO is dealer.
 The opponents are silent.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 48

Board: 48	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 9832	♠ AJT5	Pass	Pass	1 ♦	X
Vul: N-S	♥ A43	♥ KQT7	1 ♥	X	2 ♦	2 ♠
North HCP: 6	♦ Q754	♦ 93	All Pass			
South HCP: 14	♣ 42	♣ A96				
Contract: 2 ♠ South						

Board: 49

Board: 49	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ6	♠ K9				Pass
Vul: None	♥ K87	♥ 65	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16+1	♦ K6542	♦ QJ73	All Pass			
South HCP: 10+1	♣ A8	♣ KJT93				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 50

Board: 50	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 743	♠ Q82				1 ♥
Vul: N-S	♥ 876	♥ AT543	Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 9+1	♦ QJ	♦ A953				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ KQJ84	♣ 3				
Contract: 2 ♥ North						

Board: 51

Board: 51	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ AK64	♠ T732			Pass	Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AKJT753	♥ 964	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 16+3	♦ J3	♦ 64	X	3 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 5	♣ -	♣ AJT3				
Contract: 3 ♥ North						

Board: 52

Board: 52	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KJ93	♠ T4	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♥
Vul: Both	♥ 753	♥ AT986	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q42	♦ AKJT3	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+2	♣ AK2	♣ 7				
Contract: 2NT South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 53

♠ KJ754

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K4

HCP: 14+1

♣ 6543

Board: 54

♠ AK765

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ J643

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK

East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.

HCP: 18+1

♣ K2

Board: 55

♠ 9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQT85

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ63

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+1

♣ 752

Board: 56

♠ 63

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ875

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J9

HCP: 10+1

♣ KT43

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 53

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ754

♥ AK

♦ K4

♣ 6543

South:

♠ Q96

♥ T765

♦ Q75

♣ AKQ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♣

Pass 2 ♦¹ Pass 3 ♠²

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4 ♣⁴

Pass 4 ♦⁵ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 54

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK765

♥ J643

♦ AK

♣ K2

South:

♠ Q8

♥ A5

♦ QJT954

♣ J83

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT¹

2 ♠² Pass 2NT³ 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

2. Michaels Cuebid

3. to the partner's longer

Board: 55

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ 9

♥ KQT85

♦ AJ63

♣ 752

South:

♠ KT52

♥ 632

♦ K

♣ QJ963

W N E S

1 ♥ 2 ♥¹ X

2 ♠ Pass Pass 3 ♥

All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 56

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 63

♥ AQ875

♦ J9

♣ KT43

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ K32

♦ K76

♣ A862

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 53

♠ Q96

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T765

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q75

HCP: 13

♣ AKQ

Board: 54

♠ Q8

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ A5

West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ QJT954

East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.

HCP: 10+2

♣ J83

Board: 55

♠ KT52

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 632

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K

West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 9+1

♣ QJ963

Board: 56

♠ AQ9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K76

HCP: 16

♣ A862

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 53

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ754

♥ AK

♦ K4

♣ 6543

South:

♠ Q96

♥ T765

♦ Q75

♣ AKQ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1 ♣

Pass 2 ♦¹ Pass 3 ♠²

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4 ♣⁴

Pass 4 ♦⁵ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 54

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AK765

♥ J643

♦ AK

♣ K2

South:

♠ Q8

♥ A5

♦ QJT954

♣ J83

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT¹

2 ♠² Pass 2NT³ 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

2. Michaels Cuebid

3. to the partner's longer

Board: 55

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ 9

♥ KQT85

♦ AJ63

♣ 752

South:

♠ KT52

♥ 632

♦ K

♣ QJ963

W N E S

1 ♥ 2 ♥¹ X

2 ♠ Pass Pass 3 ♥

All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 56

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 63

♥ AQ875

♦ J9

♣ KT43

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ K32

♦ K76

♣ A862

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 57

♠ A

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ KJT432

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 987

East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 8+2

♣ 862

Board: 58

♠ QJ5

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ T8

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AK

HCP: 18+2

♣ AKJ943

Board: 59

♠ AKJ86

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ962

East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KT6

HCP: 14+2

♣ -

Board: 60

♠ T97632

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ J32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A85

HCP: 5+2

♣ 3

Board: 61

♠ Q97

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ983

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AT5

HCP: 16+1

♣ A4

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 57

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ A

♥ KJT432

♦ 987

♣ 862

South:

♠ KJ94

♥ A6

♦ QT63

♣ A53

W N E S

Pass 1♦

1♣ 2♥¹ 2♠ Pass

Pass 3♥ All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 58

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ T8

♦ AK

♣ AKJ943

South:

♠ A986

♥ AJ2

♦ 86543

♣ 6

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♣ 1♥ X

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 59

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ86

♥ QJ962

♦ KT6

♣ -

South:

♠ QT74

♥ KT5

♦ A5

♣ Q942

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 60

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 5+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 1♥ South

North:

♠ T97632

♥ J32

♦ A85

♣ 3

South:

♠ AK4

♥ AKT65

♦ -

♣ Q9854

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♥

All Pass

Board: 61

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q97

♥ AQ983

♦ AT5

♣ A4

South:

♠ J632

♥ 52

♦ KQ

♣ KQ632

W N E S

Pass

1♣ 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 57 ♠ KJ94 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ A6 West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ QT63 East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 14 ♣ A53

Board: 58 ♠ A986 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AJ2 East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ 86543
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ 6

Board: 59 ♠ QT74 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KT5 East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ A5
 HCP: 11 ♣ Q942

Board: 60 ♠ AK4 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AKT65 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ -
 HCP: 16+2 ♣ Q9854

Board: 61 ♠ J632 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 52 West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ KQ
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ KQ632

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 57

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ A

♥ KJT432

♦ 987

♣ 862

South:

♠ KJ94

♥ A6

♦ QT63

♣ A53

W N E S

Pass 1♦

1♣ 2♥¹ 2♠ Pass

Pass 3♥ All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 58

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ T8

♦ AK

♣ AKJ943

South:

♠ A986

♥ AJ2

♦ 86543

♣ 6

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♣ 1♥ X

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 59

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ86

♥ QJ962

♦ KT6

♣ -

South:

♠ QT74

♥ KT5

♦ A5

♣ Q942

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1♠ 2NT¹ 3♣²

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. Unusual 2NT

2. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 60

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 5+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 1♥ South

North:

♠ T97632

♥ J32

♦ A85

♣ 3

South:

♠ AK4

♥ AKT65

♦ -

♣ Q9854

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♥

All Pass

Board: 61

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q97

♥ AQ983

♦ AT5

♣ A4

South:

♠ J632

♥ 52

♦ KQ

♣ KQ632

W N E S

Pass

1♣ 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 62 ♠ T53 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AQ52 West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KJT98 East (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 6

Board: 63 ♠ KQT Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KQJ72 West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ A6
 HCP: 16+1 ♣ J92

Board: 64 ♠ T7 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ K8 East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QJ92 West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ A9862

Board: 65 ♠ A LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ A642 East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ JT West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 14+2 ♣ AJT875

Board: 66 ♠ J86 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ A96 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 75
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ QJT76

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 62

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ T53

♥ AQ52

♦ KJT98

♣ 6

South:

♠ AJ972

♥ 864

♦ 7

♣ AQJ7

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
X	XX	2 ♣	X
Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 63

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQT

♥ KQJ72

♦ A6

♣ J92

South:

♠ J

♥ A543

♦ T87

♣ AQ854

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 64

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ T7

♥ K8

♦ QJ92

♣ A9862

South:

♠ 3

♥ AJ42

♦ KT643

♣ QJT

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦
Pass	2 ♦ ¹	2 ♠	3 ♦
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	4 ♦
All Pass			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 65

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2 ♣ North

North:

♠ A

♥ A642

♦ JT

♣ AJT875

South:

♠ T754

♥ T97

♦ KQ82

♣ Q9

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	Pass
1 ♥	2 ♣	All Pass	

Board: 66

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ J86

♥ A96

♦ 75

♣ QJT76

South:

♠ A9

♥ Q73

♦ AKQJ86

♣ 93

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1NT	Pass	3 ♦
All Pass			

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 62 ♠ AJ972 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 864 West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ 7 East (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ AQJ7

Board: 63 ♠ J You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ A543 West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T87
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ AQ854

Board: 64 ♠ 3 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AJ42 East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KT643 West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ QJT

Board: 65 ♠ T754 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ T97 East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KQ82 West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 7 ♣ Q9

Board: 66 ♠ A9 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ Q73 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AKQJ86
 HCP: 16+2 ♣ 93

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 62

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ T53

♥ AQ52

♦ KJT98

♣ 6

South:

♠ AJ972

♥ 864

♦ 7

♣ AQJ7

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
X	XX	2 ♣	X
Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 63

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQT

♥ KQJ72

♦ A6

♣ J92

South:

♠ J

♥ A543

♦ T87

♣ AQ854

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 64

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ T7

♥ K8

♦ QJ92

♣ A9862

South:

♠ 3

♥ AJ42

♦ KT643

♣ QJT

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦
Pass	2 ♦ ¹	2 ♠	3 ♦
3 ♠	Pass	Pass	4 ♦
All Pass			

1. Inverted minors

Board: 65

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2 ♣ North

North:

♠ A

♥ A642

♦ JT

♣ AJT875

South:

♠ T754

♥ T97

♦ KQ82

♣ Q9

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	Pass
1 ♥	2 ♣	All Pass	

Board: 66

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ J86

♥ A96

♦ 75

♣ QJT76

South:

♠ A9

♥ Q73

♦ AKQJ86

♣ 93

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1NT	Pass	3 ♦
All Pass			

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 67

♠ KJT8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK6

HCP: 15

♣ A876

Board: 68

♠ J42

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ T8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 98643

HCP: 4+1

♣ QJ8

Board: 69

♠ 62

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AQJT84

East (LHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 73

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 12+2

♣ KQ9

Board: 70

♠ 7643

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T

West (RHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK873

HCP: 11+1

♣ A93

Board: 71

♠ AJ97

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K7

HCP: 9+1

♣ J8432

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 67

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJT8	♠ A5				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ 93	♥ 87652	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ AK6	♦ QJ74	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 10+1	♣ A876	♣ K2	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3NT South			All Pass			

Board: 68

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ J42	♠ A7			Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ T8	♥ A9754	All Pass			
North HCP: 4+1	♦ 98643	♦ AQT2				
South HCP: 14+1	♣ QJ8	♣ T7				
Contract: 1♥ South						

Board: 69

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 62	♠ J4			Pass	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ AQJT84	♥ K3	Pass	1♥	X	XX
North HCP: 12+2	♦ 73	♦ AQT5	2♠	3♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+1	♣ KQ9	♣ T7432				
Contract: 3♥ North						

Board: 70

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 7643	♠ AT2		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: E-W	♥ T	♥ KQJ8	X	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11+1	♦ AK873	♦ JT6	All Pass			
South HCP: 11	♣ A93	♣ T52				
Contract: 2NT South						

Board: 71

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ97	♠ KQ43				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 32	♥ KJ5	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 9+1	♦ K7	♦ Q95	All Pass			
South HCP: 13	♣ J8432	♣ QT6				
Contract: 2♠ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 67

♠ A5

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 87652

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QJ74

HCP: 10+1

♣ K2

Board: 68

♠ A7

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ A9754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQT2

HCP: 14+1

♣ T7

Board: 69

♠ J4

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ K3

East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQT5

West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+1

♣ T7432

Board: 70

♠ AT2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJ8

West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ JT6

HCP: 11

♣ T52

Board: 71

♠ KQ43

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q95

HCP: 13

♣ QT6

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 67

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KJT8

♥ 93

♦ AK6

♣ A876

South:

♠ A5

♥ 87652

♦ QJ74

♣ K2

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

Board: 68

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 4+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 1♥ South

North:

♠ J42

♥ T8

♦ 98643

♣ QJ8

South:

♠ A7

♥ A9754

♦ AQT2

♣ T7

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♥
All Pass			

Board: 69

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 62

♥ AQJT84

♦ 73

♣ KQ9

South:

♠ J4

♥ K3

♦ AQT5

♣ T7432

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1♥	X	XX
2♠	3♥	All Pass	

Board: 70

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ 7643

♥ T

♦ AK873

♣ A93

South:

♠ AT2

♥ KQJ8

♦ JT6

♣ T52

W	N	E	S
	1♦	Pass	1♥
X	1♠	Pass	2NT
All Pass			

Board: 71

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ AJ97

♥ 32

♦ K7

♣ J8432

South:

♠ KQ43

♥ KJ5

♦ Q95

♣ QT6

W	N	E	S
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
All Pass			

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 72

♠ T6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ87

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T943

HCP: 9

♣ KT6

Board: 73

♠ Q43

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AKT862

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ T95

HCP: 9+2

♣ 7

Board: 74

♠ T2

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ J62

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AT8

HCP: 8+1

♣ K9432

Board: 75

♠ T

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKT54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A742

HCP: 18+1

♣ AK8

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 72

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ T6

♥ AQ87

♦ T943

♣ KT6

South:

♠ AJ432

♥ 5

♦ KQ752

♣ 87

W N E S

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 73

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q43

♥ AKT862

♦ T95

♣ 7

South:

♠ AJT

♥ 5

♦ K764

♣ AQJ94

W N E S

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. artificial

Board: 74

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ T2

♥ J62

♦ AT8

♣ K9432

South:

♠ QJ983

♥ A4

♦ J62

♣ AQ6

W N E S

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 75

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ AKT54

♦ A742

♣ AK8

South:

♠ QJ873

♥ Q62

♦ KQ985

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5 ♣² Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 72	♠ AJ432	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQ752	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 87	

Board: 73	♠ AJT	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K764	
HCP: 15+1	♣ AQJ94	

Board: 74	♠ QJ983	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ A4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J62	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AQ6	

Board: 75	♠ QJ873	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q62	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQ985	
HCP: 10+2	♣ -	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 72

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2♠ North

North:

♠ T6

♥ AQ87

♦ T943

♣ KT6

South:

♠ AJ432

♥ 5

♦ KQ752

♣ 87

W N E S

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 73

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q43

♥ AKT862

♦ T95

♣ 7

South:

♠ AJT

♥ 5

♦ K764

♣ AQJ94

W N E S

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. artificial

Board: 74

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ T2

♥ J62

♦ AT8

♣ K9432

South:

♠ QJ983

♥ A4

♦ J62

♣ AQ6

W N E S

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 75

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♦ South

North:

♠ T

♥ AKT54

♦ A742

♣ AK8

South:

♠ QJ873

♥ Q62

♦ KQ985

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♣² Pass 6♦

All Pass

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 76

♠ 632

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ A842

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AT

HCP: 12

♣ A654

Board: 77

♠ A82

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AJ97

East (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ953

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 14+1

♣ 3

Board: 78

♠ AQT43

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 72

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K82

HCP: 13+1

♣ KJ7

Board: 79

♠ J652

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AJ

West (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQT97

East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 12+1

♣ J6

East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♦ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 632

♥ A842

♦ AT

♣ A654

South:

♠ AKJT84

♥ 7

♦ KJ43

♣ J9

W

N

E

S

Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 77

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ A82

♥ AJ97

♦ KQ953

♣ 3

South:

♠ T6

♥ Q62

♦ J86

♣ KJ876

W

N

E

S

1 ♠ Pass

2 ♠ 3 ♦ All Pass

Board: 78

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQT43

♥ 72

♦ K82

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ KJ875

♥ K4

♦ Q4

♣ Q952

W

N

E

S

1 ♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 79

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 6+1

Contract: 4 ♦ X South

North:

♠ J652

♥ AJ

♦ KQT97

♣ J6

South:

♠ A

♥ Q763

♦ 86432

♣ T94

W

N

E

S

Pass Pass

1 ♥ 2 ♦ 2 ♠ 4 ♦

Pass Pass X All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 76	♠ AKJT84	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ43	
HCP: 13+2	♣ J9	
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Board: 77	♠ T6	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ Q62	East (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J86	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 7+1	♣ KJ876	
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Board: 78	♠ KJ875	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q4	
HCP: 11+1	♣ Q952	
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Board: 79	♠ A	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ Q763	West (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 86432	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 6+1	♣ T94	East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♦ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 632

♥ A842

♦ AT

♣ A654

South:

♠ AKJT84

♥ 7

♦ KJ43

♣ J9

W

N

E

S

Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 77

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ A82

♥ AJ97

♦ KQ953

♣ 3

South:

♠ T6

♥ Q62

♦ J86

♣ KJ876

W

N

E

S

1 ♠ Pass

2 ♠ 3 ♦ All Pass

Board: 78

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQT43

♥ 72

♦ K82

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ KJ875

♥ K4

♦ Q4

♣ Q952

W

N

E

S

1 ♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 79

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 6+1

Contract: 4 ♦ X South

North:

♠ J652

♥ AJ

♦ KQT97

♣ J6

South:

♠ A

♥ Q763

♦ 86432

♣ T94

W

N

E

S

Pass Pass

1 ♥ 2 ♦ 2 ♠ 4 ♦

Pass Pass X All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 80

♠ KT9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A4

HCP: 11+1

♣ Q7643

Board: 81

♠ A74

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AT82

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q43

HCP: 16

♣ AQ4

Board: 82

♠ AJT96

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJT76

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J3

HCP: 10+2

♣ 8

Board: 83

♠ 2

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ JT643

East (LHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJT873

HCP: 6+3

♣ 7

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 80

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 19+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ KT9

♥ QT3

♦ A4

♣ Q7643

South:

♠ A

♥ AK9874

♦ KJT86

♣ A

W N E S

Pass Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 5NT⁴ Pass 6♦⁵

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1

Board: 81

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ A74

♥ AT82

♦ Q43

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ Q65

♥ 94

♦ K865

♣ J872

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1NT All Pass

Board: 82

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 14+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJT96

♥ KJT76

♦ J3

♣ 8

South:

♠ K

♥ 42

♦ AQ8

♣ KQT9743

W N E S

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 83

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 6+3

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ JT643

♦ AJT873

♣ 7

South:

♠ AK9843

♥ AQ8

♦ -

♣ AQ64

W N E S

Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦² X 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 80

♠ A

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK9874

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJT86

HCP: 19+3

♣ A

Board: 81

♠ Q65

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ 94

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K865

HCP: 6

♣ J872

Board: 82

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ8

HCP: 14+3

♣ KQT9743

Board: 83

♠ AK9843

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ AQ8

East (RHO) Doubles 2♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ -

HCP: 19+2

♣ AQ64

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 80

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 19+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ KT9

♥ QT3

♦ A4

♣ Q7643

South:

♠ A

♥ AK9874

♦ KJT86

♣ A

W N E S

Pass Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♦³

Pass 5NT⁴ Pass 6♦⁵

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1

Board: 81

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ A74

♥ AT82

♦ Q43

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ Q65

♥ 94

♦ K865

♣ J872

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1NT All Pass

Board: 82

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 14+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJT96

♥ KJT76

♦ J3

♣ 8

South:

♠ K

♥ 42

♦ AQ8

♣ KQT9743

W N E S

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 83

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 6+3

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ JT643

♦ AJT873

♣ 7

South:

♠ AK9843

♥ AQ8

♦ -

♣ AQ64

W N E S

Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦² X 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 84

♠ 85

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK92

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ75

HCP: 12

♣ 983

Board: 85

♠ Q63

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ63

West (RHO) Doubles 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ -

East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

HCP: 10+2

♣ T7654

Board: 86

♠ T752

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 9

HCP: 10

♣ QJT9

Board: 87

♠ 6

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AQJ954

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ7

HCP: 13+2

♣ JT3

Board: 88

♠ 532

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ T976

West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ K876

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 7

♣ A2

West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 84

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ 85

♥ AK92

♦ KQ75

♣ 983

South:

♠ QT6

♥ 4

♦ 9832

♣ AKT74

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♦	2♠	Pass
Pass	X	Pass	3♣
All Pass			

Board: 85

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ Q63

♥ AKJ63

♦ -

♣ T7654

South:

♠ JT82

♥ Q4

♦ J985

♣ AJ9

W	N	E	S
	1♥	Pass	1♠
X	XX ¹	2♦	X
Pass	3♣	All Pass	

1. Support double redouble

Board: 86

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ T752

♥ AK42

♦ 9

♣ QJT9

South:

♠ KJ98

♥ J98

♦ AQ

♣ A763

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. Stayman

Board: 87

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ AQJ954

♦ AJ7

♣ JT3

South:

♠ AQJT

♥ T32

♦ T642

♣ A6

W	N	E	S
Pass	1♥	3♣	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

Board: 88

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 532

♥ T976

♦ K876

♣ A2

South:

♠ KQ

♥ AJ85432

♦ 93

♣ 96

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♥
1♠	2♥	2♠	3♥
3♠	4♥	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 84

♠ QT6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 4

East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 9832

HCP: 9+1

♣ AKT74

Board: 85

♠ JT82

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q4

West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ J985

East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

HCP: 9

♣ AJ9

Board: 86

♠ KJ98

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J98

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ

HCP: 15

♣ A763

Board: 87

♠ AQJT

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ T32

East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ T642

HCP: 11

♣ A6

Board: 88

♠ KQ

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ AJ85432

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 93

East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+3

♣ 96

West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 84

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ 85

♥ AK92

♦ KQ75

♣ 983

South:

♠ QT6

♥ 4

♦ 9832

♣ AKT74

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♦	2♠	Pass
Pass	X	Pass	3♣
All Pass			

Board: 85

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ Q63

♥ AKJ63

♦ -

♣ T7654

South:

♠ JT82

♥ Q4

♦ J985

♣ AJ9

W	N	E	S
	1♥	Pass	1♠
X	XX ¹	2♦	X
Pass	3♣	All Pass	

1. Support double redouble

Board: 86

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ T752

♥ AK42

♦ 9

♣ QJT9

South:

♠ KJ98

♥ J98

♦ AQ

♣ A763

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. Stayman

Board: 87

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ AQJ954

♦ AJ7

♣ JT3

South:

♠ AQJT

♥ T32

♦ T642

♣ A6

W	N	E	S
Pass	1♥	3♣	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

Board: 88

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 532

♥ T976

♦ K876

♣ A2

South:

♠ KQ

♥ AJ85432

♦ 93

♣ 96

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♥
1♠	2♥	2♠	3♥
3♠	4♥	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 89	♠ AJT75	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K72	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A7	
Board: 90	♠ K87	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KJT532	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J753	West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ -	
Board: 91	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT987	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKT94	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 54	
Board: 92	♠ KT82	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K2	East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 54	East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 8+1	♣ QT753	West (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Board: 93	♠ KJ65	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ J65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ75	
HCP: 12	♣ K2	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 89

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 3+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ AJT75

♥ AJ3

♦ K72

♣ A7

South:

♠ 96

♥ Q864

♦ J6

♣ T9843

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT	All Pass	

Board: 90

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 2♠ North

North:

♠ K87

♥ KJT532

♦ J753

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ642

♥ A

♦ KQ62

♣ 874

W	N	E	S
		1♣	1♠
X	2♠	All Pass	

Board: 91

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ T

♥ KT987

♦ AKT94

♣ 54

South:

♠ KQ865

♥ J2

♦ 752

♣ KQ2

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	2♥	All Pass	

Board: 92

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KT82

♥ K2

♦ 54

♣ QT753

South:

♠ J7

♥ AQ8654

♦ JT6

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1♦	1♥
Pass	1♠	2♦	2♥
3♦	3♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

Board: 93

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ65

♥ J65

♦ KJ75

♣ K2

South:

♠ AQ84

♥ 93

♦ AQ42

♣ T97

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 89	♠ 96	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ Q864	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J6	
HCP: 3+1	♣ T9843	
Board: 90	♠ AQ642	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ A	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ62	West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 15+1	♣ 874	
Board: 91	♠ KQ865	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 752	
HCP: 11+1	♣ KQ2	
Board: 92	♠ J7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ8654	East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT6	East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 15+2	♣ AK	West (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Board: 93	♠ AQ84	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ42	
HCP: 12	♣ T97	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 89

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 3+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ AJT75

♥ AJ3

♦ K72

♣ A7

South:

♠ 96

♥ Q864

♦ J6

♣ T9843

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1NT	All Pass	

Board: 90

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 2♠ North

North:

♠ K87

♥ KJT532

♦ J753

♣ -

South:

♠ AQ642

♥ A

♦ KQ62

♣ 874

W	N	E	S
		1♣	1♠
X	2♠	All Pass	

Board: 91

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ T

♥ KT987

♦ AKT94

♣ 54

South:

♠ KQ865

♥ J2

♦ 752

♣ KQ2

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	2♥	All Pass	

Board: 92

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KT82

♥ K2

♦ 54

♣ QT753

South:

♠ J7

♥ AQ8654

♦ JT6

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1♦	1♥
Pass	1♠	2♦	2♥
3♦	3♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

Board: 93

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ65

♥ J65

♦ KJ75

♣ K2

South:

♠ AQ84

♥ 93

♦ AQ42

♣ T97

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 94

♠ 76

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A543

East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AK984

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 11+1

♣ T9

Board: 95

♠ AT52

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AJ32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 73

HCP: 11

♣ Q54

Board: 96

♠ 7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QJT7

HCP: 8+2

♣ JT6542

Board: 97

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKT62

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J9863

HCP: 12+2

♣ A6

Board: 98

♠ KJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 97532

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A2

HCP: 11+1

♣ K832

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 94

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ 76

♥ A543

♦ AK984

♣ T9

South:

♠ QJ83

♥ -

♦ J7

♣ AQJ8652

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♥ 2 ♣¹

2 ♥ Pass Pass 4 ♣

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 95

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ AT52

♥ AJ32

♦ 73

♣ Q54

South:

♠ K73

♥ 8

♦ JT

♣ AKJT876

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣ Pass 3 ♥¹

Pass 4 ♣ All Pass

1. Splinter

Board: 96

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ KJ

♦ QJT7

♣ JT6542

South:

♠ 42

♥ AQT6542

♦ K63

♣ A

W N E S

3 ♣ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

Board: 97

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ AKT62

♦ J9863

♣ A6

South:

♠ AQ3

♥ Q953

♦ K75

♣ QT5

W N E S

1 ♣

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠¹ Pass 4 ♦²

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 98

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KJ

♥ 97532

♦ A2

♣ K832

South:

♠ Q92

♥ T8

♦ KQ863

♣ AT5

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 94 ♠ QJ83 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ - East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ J7 West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 11+3 ♣ AQJ8652

Board: 95 ♠ K73 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ JT
 HCP: 12+3 ♣ AKJT876

Board: 96 ♠ 42 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AQT6542 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ K63
 HCP: 13+3 ♣ A

Board: 97 ♠ AQ3 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q953 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ K75
 HCP: 13 ♣ QT5

Board: 98 ♠ Q92 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ T8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ KQ863
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ AT5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 94

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ 76

♥ A543

♦ AK984

♣ T9

South:

♠ QJ83

♥ -

♦ J7

♣ AQJ8652

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♥ 2 ♣¹

2 ♥ Pass Pass 4 ♣

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 95

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ AT52

♥ AJ32

♦ 73

♣ Q54

South:

♠ K73

♥ 8

♦ JT

♣ AKJT876

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣ Pass 3 ♥¹

Pass 4 ♣ All Pass

1. Splinter

Board: 96

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ KJ

♦ QJT7

♣ JT6542

South:

♠ 42

♥ AQT6542

♦ K63

♣ A

W N E S

3 ♣ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

Board: 97

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ AKT62

♦ J9863

♣ A6

South:

♠ AQ3

♥ Q953

♦ K75

♣ QT5

W N E S

1 ♣

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠¹ Pass 4 ♦²

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 98

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KJ

♥ 97532

♦ A2

♣ K832

South:

♠ Q92

♥ T8

♦ KQ863

♣ AT5

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 99

♠ 4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 975

HCP: 10+1

♣ AK653

Board: 100

♠ AK74

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ K972

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q97

HCP: 12

♣ T9

Board: 101

♠ KQJ76

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ K9

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 8654

East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 13+1

♣ A3

West (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 4 ♥ if possible.

East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

Board: 102

♠ 43

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ KJ6

West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 9854

HCP: 4

♣ T865

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 99

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ KT63

♦ 975

♣ AK653

South:

♠ AQ96

♥ 8742

♦ AQT3

♣ 4

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

All Pass

Board: 100

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ AK74

♥ K972

♦ Q97

♣ T9

South:

♠ J65

♥ Q43

♦ KJ52

♣ J63

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1NT

All Pass

Board: 101

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 6

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ KQJ76

♥ K9

♦ 8654

♣ A3

South:

♠ AT95

♥ 63

♦ QT72

♣ 865

W N E S

1♣ 1♠ 2♥¹ 2♠

3♥ 3♠ Pass Pass

4♥ 4♠ X All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 102

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 4

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 43

♥ KJ6

♦ 9854

♣ T865

South:

♠ AK7

♥ AQT542

♦ K3

♣ 74

W N E S

Pass 1♥

2♦ Pass Pass 3♥

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 99

♠ AQ96

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 8742

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQT3

HCP: 12

♣ 4

Board: 100

♠ J65

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ Q43

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KJ52

HCP: 8

♣ J63

Board: 101

♠ AT95

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ 63

West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ QT72

East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 6

♣ 865

West (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

West (LHO) bids 4 ♥ if possible.

East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

Board: 102

♠ AK7

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ AQT542

West (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K3

HCP: 16+2

♣ 74

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 99

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ KT63

♦ 975

♣ AK653

South:

♠ AQ96

♥ 8742

♦ AQT3

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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All Pass

Board: 100

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ AK74

♥ K972

♦ Q97

♣ T9

South:

♠ J65

♥ Q43

♦ KJ52

♣ J63

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
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All Pass

Board: 101

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 6

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ KQJ76

♥ K9

♦ 8654

♣ A3

South:

♠ AT95

♥ 63

♦ QT72

♣ 865

W	N	E	S
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1♣	1♠	2♥ ¹	2♠
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3♥	3♠	Pass	Pass
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4♥	4♠	X	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 102

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 4

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 43

♥ KJ6

♦ 9854

♣ T865

South:

♠ AK7

♥ AQT542

♦ K3

♣ 74

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	1♥
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2♦	Pass	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♥
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All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 103	♠ KQ754	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ K63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 87	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 543	
Board: 104	♠ AQT62	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT6	
HCP: 9+1	♣ T53	
Board: 105	♠ 53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT973	West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT	West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 14+1	♣ AK73	
Board: 106	♠ KT9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J53	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J9	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AKT92	
Board: 107	♠ A62	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ KQ75	West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	West (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 12+1	♣ QJ984	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 103

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQ754

♥ K63

♦ 87

♣ 543

South:

♠ A8

♥ AQ972

♦ KT4

♣ A92

W

N

E

S

Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

Board: 104

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ AQT62

♥ 96

♦ KT6

♣ T53

South:

♠ J

♥ KJ853

♦ Q732

♣ AJ2

W

N

E

S

Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ All Pass

Board: 105

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 53

♥ KT973

♦ AT

♣ AK73

South:

♠ JT874

♥ Q85

♦ KQ83

♣ 2

W

N

E

S

Pass

1♣ 1♥ Pass Pass

2♣ Pass Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

Board: 106

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ KT9

♥ J53

♦ J9

♣ AKT92

South:

♠ J5

♥ KQ974

♦ Q542

♣ 75

W

N

E

S

Pass

Pass 1♣ 1♠ 2♥

All Pass

Board: 107

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ A62

♥ KQ75

♦ 7

♣ QJ984

South:

♠ J84

♥ AJ63

♦ T93

♣ AK6

W

N

E

S

1♠ 2♣ Pass 2♠¹

3♦ Pass Pass 3♠²

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. strength cue bid

2. limit raise or better in !C

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 103 ♠ A8 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AQ972 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ KT4
 HCP: 17+1 ♣ A92

Board: 104 ♠ J RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KJ853 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ Q732
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ AJ2

Board: 105 ♠ JT874 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q85 West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KQ83 West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ 2

Board: 106 ♠ J5 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KQ974 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ Q542
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ 75

Board: 107 ♠ J84 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AJ63 West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ T93 West (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
 HCP: 13 ♣ AK6

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 103

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQ754

♥ K63

♦ 87

♣ 543

South:

♠ A8

♥ AQ972

♦ KT4

♣ A92

W

N

E

S

Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

Board: 104

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ AQT62

♥ 96

♦ KT6

♣ T53

South:

♠ J

♥ KJ853

♦ Q732

♣ AJ2

W

N

E

S

Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ All Pass

Board: 105

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 53

♥ KT973

♦ AT

♣ AK73

South:

♠ JT874

♥ Q85

♦ KQ83

♣ 2

W

N

E

S

Pass

1♣ 1♥ Pass Pass

2♣ Pass Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

Board: 106

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ KT9

♥ J53

♦ J9

♣ AKT92

South:

♠ J5

♥ KQ974

♦ Q542

♣ 75

W

N

E

S

Pass

Pass 1♣ 1♠ 2♥

All Pass

Board: 107

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ A62

♥ KQ75

♦ 7

♣ QJ984

South:

♠ J84

♥ AJ63

♦ T93

♣ AK6

W

N

E

S

1♠ 2♣ Pass 2♠¹

3♦ Pass Pass 3♠²

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. strength cue bid

2. limit raise or better in !C

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 108	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K875	
HCP: 10+1	♣ AK432	
Board: 109	♠ QJ92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJT	
HCP: 13	♣ J95	
Board: 110	♠ 87	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ J8762	West (RHO) Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T985	
HCP: 3+1	♣ Q9	
Board: 111	♠ KJ653	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 3	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 65	
Board: 112	♠ A5432	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT876	West (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A43	
HCP: 11+2	♣ -	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 108

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ 9765

♦ K875

♣ AK432

South:

♠ AKT652

♥ JT3

♦ AJ3

♣ J

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 109

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ QJ92

♥ K4

♦ KQJT

♣ J95

South:

♠ T754

♥ A

♦ A6532

♣ KT7

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 110

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 3+1

South HCP: 23+1

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ 87

♥ J8762

♦ T985

♣ Q9

South:

♠ A3

♥ AKT

♦ AK762

♣ AJ6

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
X	Pass	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	All Pass	

1. strong

Board: 111

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ KJ653

♥ KQJ32

♦ 3

♣ 65

South:

♠ AT9

♥ T

♦ 764

♣ KQJ932

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	

1. Reverse drury

Board: 112

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ A5432

♥ KT876

♦ A43

♣ -

South:

♠ 9

♥ QJ

♦ KT982

♣ QJ742

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1 ♣	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 108	♠ AKT652	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ3	
HCP: 14+2	♣ J	
Board: 109	♠ T754	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A6532	
HCP: 11+1	♣ KT7	
Board: 110	♠ A3	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ AKT	West (LHO) Doubles 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK762	
HCP: 23+1	♣ AJ6	
Board: 111	♠ AT9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 764	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KQJ932	
Board: 112	♠ 9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ	West (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT982	
HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ742	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 108

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ -	♠ AKT652		Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ 9765	♥ JT3	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 10+1	♦ K875	♦ AJ3	All Pass			
South HCP: 14+2	♣ AK432	♣ J				
Contract: 2 ♠ South						

Board: 109

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ92	♠ T754				1 ♦
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ A	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 13	♦ KQJT	♦ A6532	Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ J95	♣ KT7				
Contract: 3 ♠ North						

Board: 110

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 87	♠ A3	Pass	Pass	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ J8762	♥ AKT	X	Pass	Pass	3 ♦
North HCP: 3+1	♦ T985	♦ AK762	Pass	5 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 23+1	♣ Q9	♣ AJ6				
Contract: 5 ♦ North						1. strong

Board: 111

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KJ653	♠ AT9				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ KQJ32	♥ T	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 3	♦ 764	Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+2	♣ 65	♣ KQJ932				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						1. Reverse drury

Board: 112

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A5432	♠ 9				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ KT876	♥ QJ	1 ♣	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ A43	♦ KT982	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+2	♣ -	♣ QJ742				
Contract: 2 ♥ South						1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 113	♠ A2	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ KJ853	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ JT	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ 8763	

Board: 114	♠ KQ42	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ87	
HCP: 11	♣ 875	

Board: 115	♠ AQT54	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A8	
HCP: 11+1	♣ T3	

Board: 116	♠ T43	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q7543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 2	
HCP: 10+1	♣ AKJ6	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 113

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ A2

♥ KJ853

♦ JT

♣ 8763

South:

♠ T87

♥ A62

♦ Q987

♣ AQ2

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♦

1♠ 2♥ 2♠ 3♥

All Pass

Board: 114

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ42

♥ 65

♦ AQ87

♣ 875

South:

♠ AJT85

♥ J3

♦ T63

♣ AQ3

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 115

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQT54

♥ JT86

♦ A8

♣ T3

South:

♠ K986

♥ K7

♦ KJ5

♣ KJ87

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 116

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T43

♥ Q7543

♦ 2

♣ AKJ6

South:

♠ AKJ6

♥ AKT6

♦ Q5

♣ 432

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♣² Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. surplus

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 113	♠ T87	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ A62	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q987	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ2	

Board: 114	♠ AJT85	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ J3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T63	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AQ3	

Board: 115	♠ K986	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ5	
HCP: 14	♣ KJ87	

Board: 116	♠ AKJ6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q5	
HCP: 17	♣ 432	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 113

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ A2

♥ KJ853

♦ JT

♣ 8763

South:

♠ T87

♥ A62

♦ Q987

♣ AQ2

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♦

1♠ 2♥ 2♠ 3♥

All Pass

Board: 114

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ42

♥ 65

♦ AQ87

♣ 875

South:

♠ AJT85

♥ J3

♦ T63

♣ AQ3

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 115

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQT54

♥ JT86

♦ A8

♣ T3

South:

♠ K986

♥ K7

♦ KJ5

♣ KJ87

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 116

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T43

♥ Q7543

♦ 2

♣ AKJ6

South:

♠ AKJ6

♥ AKT6

♦ Q5

♣ 432

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♣² Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT³ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Extended acceptance after NT

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. surplus

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 117 ♠ K62 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AJ63 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KT6
 HCP: 11 ♣ T62

Board: 118 ♠ 54 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ T8 West (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ QJ7 East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ AJ9542 East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

Board: 119 ♠ AK762 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 4 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ T72
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ A963

Board: 120 ♠ - You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ JT942 East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ A7543
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ A92

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 117

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 9+2

North:

♠ K62

♥ AJ63

♦ KT6

♣ T62

South:

♠ Q98

♥ T5

♦ A98542

♣ K8

W N E S

Pass Out

Board: 118

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ 54

♥ T8

♦ QJ7

♣ AJ9542

South:

♠ K962

♥ J92

♦ AKT983

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠ 2 ♦

Pass ¹ Pass 2 ♥ Pass

Pass 3 ♦ All Pass

1. max 2 !S

Board: 119

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK762

♥ 4

♦ T72

♣ A963

South:

♠ Q984

♥ K653

♦ KQ65

♣ 2

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. Reverse drury

Board: 120

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ JT942

♦ A7543

♣ A92

South:

♠ AQJT86

♥ Q

♦ J86

♣ J75

W N E S

Pass 1 ♦ 2 ♠

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 117	♠ Q98	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ T5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A98542	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K8	
Board: 118	♠ K962	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ J92	West (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKT983	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 11+2	♣ -	East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Board: 119	♠ Q984	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ65	
HCP: 10	♣ 2	
Board: 120	♠ AQJT86	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J86	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J75	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 117

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 9+2

North:

♠ K62

♥ AJ63

♦ KT6

♣ T62

South:

♠ Q98

♥ T5

♦ A98542

♣ K8

W N E S

Pass Out

Board: 118

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ 54

♥ T8

♦ QJ7

♣ AJ9542

South:

♠ K962

♥ J92

♦ AKT983

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠ 2 ♦

Pass ¹ Pass 2 ♥ Pass

Pass 3 ♦ All Pass

1. max 2 !S

Board: 119

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK762

♥ 4

♦ T72

♣ A963

South:

♠ Q984

♥ K653

♦ KQ65

♣ 2

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. Reverse drury

Board: 120

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ JT942

♦ A7543

♣ A92

South:

♠ AQJT86

♥ Q

♦ J86

♣ J75

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦ 2 ♠

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 121 ♠ JT9842 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ 43 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ KT6
 HCP: 7+2 ♣ QJ

Board: 122 ♠ J2 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 95 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ T742
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ AKQ95

Board: 123 ♠ A2 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AKQ763 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AJ64
 HCP: 22+2 ♣ A

Board: 124 ♠ T875 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ AJ94 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 873
 HCP: 11 ♣ AQ

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ JT9842

♥ 43

♦ KT6

♣ QJ

South:

♠ AKQ5

♥ AT72

♦ AQ542

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	6 ♠
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All Pass

1. artificial

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 122

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ 95

♦ T742

♣ AKQ95

South:

♠ KQT986

♥ J7

♦ KQ

♣ 862

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	
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Board: 123

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 22+2

South HCP: 4+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ A2

♥ AKQ763

♦ AJ64

♣ A

South:

♠ 976

♥ JT842

♦ K72

♣ 62

W	N	E	S
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Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
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Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
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1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 124

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ T875

♥ AJ94

♦ 873

♣ AQ

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ KT762

♦ Q

♣ JT94

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	Pass
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Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
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Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
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South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 121 ♠ AKQ5 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AT72 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AQ542
 HCP: 19+1 ♣ -

Board: 122 ♠ KQT986 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ J7 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ KQ
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ 862

Board: 123 ♠ 976 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ JT842 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ K72
 HCP: 4+1 ♣ 62

Board: 124 ♠ QJ2 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KT762 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ Q
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ JT94

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ JT9842

♥ 43

♦ KT6

♣ QJ

South:

♠ AKQ5

♥ AT72

♦ AQ542

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	6 ♠
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All Pass

1. artificial

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 122

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ 95

♦ T742

♣ AKQ95

South:

♠ KQT986

♥ J7

♦ KQ

♣ 862

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	
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Board: 123

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 22+2

South HCP: 4+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ A2

♥ AKQ763

♦ AJ64

♣ A

South:

♠ 976

♥ JT842

♦ K72

♣ 62

W	N	E	S
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Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
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Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
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1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 124

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ T875

♥ AJ94

♦ 873

♣ AQ

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ KT762

♦ Q

♣ JT94

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	Pass
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Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
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Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
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North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 125 ♠ AKT652 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West ♥ J2 East (LHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both ♦ J87
HCP: 11+2 ♣ Q5

Board: 126 ♠ 876 LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East ♥ 52 East (LHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None ♦ A9832
HCP: 8+1 ♣ A32

Board: 127 ♠ 87 You are dealer.
Dealer: North ♥ Q942 East (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S ♦ KQJT
HCP: 10 ♣ Q54

Board: 128 ♠ A43 Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South ♥ A7 The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W ♦ AKT54
HCP: 18+1 ♣ QJ5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 125

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKT652

♥ J2

♦ J87

♣ Q5

South:

♠ QJ87

♥ 53

♦ K96

♣ KT86

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 126

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ 876

♥ 52

♦ A9832

♣ A32

South:

♠ A92

♥ K743

♦ KQ4

♣ KJ9

W	N	E	S
		1 ♠	1NT
All Pass			

Board: 127

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 87

♥ Q942

♦ KQJT

♣ Q54

South:

♠ AKQT5

♥ KJT53

♦ A3

♣ J

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♣	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 128

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ A43

♥ A7

♦ AKT54

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ T5

♥ KJT3

♦ 63

♣ AK986

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠ ¹	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥ ²
Pass	4 ♠ ³	Pass	5 ♣
Pass	6 ♣	All Pass	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 125	♠ QJ87	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 53	East (RHO) bids 4♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K96	
HCP: 9	♣ KT86	
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Board: 126	♠ A92	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ K743	East (RHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ4	
HCP: 16	♣ KJ9	
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Board: 127	♠ AKQT5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT53	East (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A3	
HCP: 18+2	♣ J	
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Board: 128	♠ T5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 63	
HCP: 11+1	♣ AK986	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 125

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKT652

♥ J2

♦ J87

♣ Q5

South:

♠ QJ87

♥ 53

♦ K96

♣ KT86

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 126

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ 876

♥ 52

♦ A9832

♣ A32

South:

♠ A92

♥ K743

♦ KQ4

♣ KJ9

W	N	E	S
		1 ♠	1NT
All Pass			

Board: 127

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 87

♥ Q942

♦ KQJT

♣ Q54

South:

♠ AKQT5

♥ KJT53

♦ A3

♣ J

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♣	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
1. Michaels Cuebid			

Board: 128

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ A43

♥ A7

♦ AKT54

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ T5

♥ KJT3

♦ 63

♣ AK986

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠ ¹	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥ ²
Pass	4 ♠ ³	Pass	5 ♣
Pass	6 ♣	All Pass	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 129	♠ A5432	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 76	East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 87	West (RHO) bids 4 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ AQ86	West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

Board: 130	♠ A764	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 85	
HCP: 11	♣ A542	

Board: 131	♠ QJ98762	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ J6	East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q8	
HCP: 6+3	♣ 62	

Board: 132	♠ 65	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AT	East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ T864	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 13+1	♣ AKQ94	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 129

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A5432	♠ JT87		1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Vul: None	♥ 76	♥ KQT82	Pass	Pass	3 ♦	3 ♠
North HCP: 10+1	♦ 87	♦ 2	4 ♦	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 6+1	♣ AQ86	♣ 932	X	All Pass		
Contract: 4 ♠ X South						

Board: 130

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A764	♠ J9				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ KT2	♥ QJ95	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♦
North HCP: 11	♦ 85	♦ KQJ76	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 10+1	♣ A542	♣ T9	All Pass			
Contract: 1NT South						

Board: 131

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ QJ98762	♠ AKT4			1 ♥	X
Vul: N-S	♥ J6	♥ KQ8	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 6+3	♦ Q8	♦ AKJT7	Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	5 ♠
South HCP: 20+1	♣ 62	♣ 5	All Pass			
Contract: 5 ♠ South						

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 132

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 65	♠ T98			1 ♥	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ AT	♥ KJ82	1 ♠	2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass
North HCP: 13+1	♦ T864	♦ KJ972	Pass	X	Pass	3 ♦
South HCP: 9+1	♣ AKQ94	♣ J	All Pass			
Contract: 3 ♦ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 129	♠ JT87	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQT82	East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 2	West (LHO) bids 4 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 6+1	♣ 932	West (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

Board: 130	♠ J9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQJ76	
HCP: 10+1	♣ T9	

Board: 131	♠ AKT4	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ KQ8	East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJT7	
HCP: 20+1	♣ 5	

Board: 132	♠ T98	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ KJ82	East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ972	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ J	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 129

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ A5432	♠ JT87		1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Vul: None	♥ 76	♥ KQT82	Pass	Pass	3 ♦	3 ♠
North HCP: 10+1	♦ 87	♦ 2	4 ♦	Pass	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 6+1	♣ AQ86	♣ 932	X	All Pass		
Contract: 4 ♠ X South						

Board: 130

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A764	♠ J9				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ KT2	♥ QJ95	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♦
North HCP: 11	♦ 85	♦ KQJ76	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 10+1	♣ A542	♣ T9	All Pass			
Contract: 1NT South						

Board: 131

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ QJ98762	♠ AKT4			1 ♥	X
Vul: N-S	♥ J6	♥ KQ8	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 6+3	♦ Q8	♦ AKJT7	Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	5 ♠
South HCP: 20+1	♣ 62	♣ 5	All Pass			
Contract: 5 ♠ South						

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

Board: 132

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 65	♠ T98			1 ♥	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ AT	♥ KJ82	1 ♠	2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass
North HCP: 13+1	♦ T864	♦ KJ972	Pass	X	Pass	3 ♦
South HCP: 9+1	♣ AKQ94	♣ J	All Pass			
Contract: 3 ♦ South						

Losing Trick Count

LHO is dealer.

East (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 1 if possible.

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Partner is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

♣ A432

You are dealer.

The opponents are silent.

♣ KQT983

Partner is dealer.

West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.

East (LHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

♣ A9874

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 133

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 4

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ AK7

♥ AQJ972

♦ T52

♣ Q

South:

♠ T52

♥ T53

♦ KJ6

♣ T832

W

N

E

S

1♣ Pass

1♦ 1♥ 1♠ Pass

1NT 2♥ Pass Pass

2♠ X Pass 3♥

All Pass

Board: 134

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ A84

♦ AT95

♣ A432

South:

♠ AT32

♥ KJT93

♦ 87

♣ K9

W

N

E

S

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥ All Pass

Board: 135

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 9

♥ K8

♦ Q972

♣ KQT983

South:

♠ KQ42

♥ AQT974

♦ K5

♣ J

W

N

E

S

Pass Pass 1♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 136

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ J9

♥ K9642

♦ A

♣ A9874

South:

♠ 83

♥ AQT73

♦ Q973

♣ QT

W

N

E

S

Pass

1♠ 2♠¹ 4♠ 5♥

All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 133	♠ T52	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ T53	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ6	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 4	♣ T832	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
		West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
		West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Board: 134	♠ AT32	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJT93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 87	
HCP: 11+1	♣ K9	

Board: 135	♠ KQ42	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT974	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 15+2	♣ J	

Board: 136	♠ 83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT73	West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q973	East (RHO) bids 4 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ QT	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 133

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 4

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ AK7

♥ AQJ972

♦ T52

♣ Q

South:

♠ T52

♥ T53

♦ KJ6

♣ T832

W

N

E

S

1♣ Pass

1♦ 1♥ 1♠ Pass

1NT 2♥ Pass Pass

2♠ X Pass 3♥

All Pass

Board: 134

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ A84

♦ AT95

♣ A432

South:

♠ AT32

♥ KJT93

♦ 87

♣ K9

W

N

E

S

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥ All Pass

Board: 135

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 9

♥ K8

♦ Q972

♣ KQT983

South:

♠ KQ42

♥ AQT974

♦ K5

♣ J

W

N

E

S

Pass Pass 1♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 136

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ J9

♥ K9642

♦ A

♣ A9874

South:

♠ 83

♥ AQT73

♦ Q973

♣ QT

W

N

E

S

Pass

1♠ 2♠¹ 4♠ 5♥

All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 137

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

HCP: 22+1

♠ QJ

♥ KQT

♦ AK753

♣ AK6

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.

Board: 138

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

HCP: 12

♠ J32

♥ KJ84

♦ 654

♣ AQJ

LHO is dealer.

East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Board: 139

Dealer: North

Vul: None

HCP: 11+1

♠ A6

♥ KJ

♦ 9542

♣ QJT42

You are dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 140

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

HCP: 10+1

♠ KT2

♥ QT954

♦ J52

♣ A9

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 141

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

HCP: 10+2

♠ 64

♥ AKQ987

♦ T43

♣ J5

LHO is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 137

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ KQT

♦ AK753

♣ AK6

South:

♠ KT82

♥ 762

♦ J

♣ QJ743

W	N	E	S
1 ♦	X	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 138

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 1 ♠ South

North:

♠ J32

♥ KJ84

♦ 654

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ T975

♥ AQ9

♦ 2

♣ KT654

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 139

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ A6

♥ KJ

♦ 9542

♣ QJT42

South:

♠ KQT54

♥ A54

♦ AT3

♣ 86

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦ ¹
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 140

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT2

♥ QT954

♦ J52

♣ A9

South:

♠ QJ753

♥ KJ

♦ KQ73

♣ J7

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. Reverse drury

2. artificial

Board: 141

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ 64

♥ AKQ987

♦ T43

♣ J5

South:

♠ A97

♥ J653

♦ K752

♣ QT

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 137 ♠ KT82 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 762 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ J
 HCP: 7+1 ♣ QJ743

Board: 138 ♠ T975 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AQ9 East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ 2
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ KT654

Board: 139 ♠ KQT54 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ A54 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AT3
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ 86

Board: 140 ♠ QJ753 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ KJ The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KQ73
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ J7

Board: 141 ♠ A97 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ J653 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ K752
 HCP: 10 ♣ QT

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 137

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ KQT

♦ AK753

♣ AK6

South:

♠ KT82

♥ 762

♦ J

♣ QJ743

W	N	E	S
1 ♦	X	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 138

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 1 ♠ South

North:

♠ J32

♥ KJ84

♦ 654

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ T975

♥ AQ9

♦ 2

♣ KT654

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 139

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ A6

♥ KJ

♦ 9542

♣ QJT42

South:

♠ KQT54

♥ A54

♦ AT3

♣ 86

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦ ¹
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 140

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT2

♥ QT954

♦ J52

♣ A9

South:

♠ QJ753

♥ KJ

♦ KQ73

♣ J7

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. Reverse drury

2. artificial

Board: 141

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ 64

♥ AKQ987

♦ T43

♣ J5

South:

♠ A97

♥ J653

♦ K752

♣ QT

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 142	♠ Q84	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ2	
HCP: 15	♣ KT65	
Board: 143	♠ J73	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AT9765	West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ QT	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J5	
Board: 144	♠ T	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ QJT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK8642	
HCP: 14+2	♣ KJ9	
Board: 145	♠ T	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AKQ7543	East (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 8	West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.
HCP: 9+3	♣ 8632	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 142

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♣ North

North:

♠ Q84

♥ KJ8

♦ AQ2

♣ KT65

South:

♠ 52

♥ AT32

♦ 87

♣ AQ843

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 143

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ J73

♥ AT9765

♦ QT

♣ J5

South:

♠ KQT

♥ Q42

♦ 92

♣ A7642

W N E S

1♦ 2♥ Pass 3♥

All Pass

Board: 144

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ T

♥ QJT

♦ AK8642

♣ KJ9

South:

♠ Q7643

♥ AK7432

♦ T

♣ 5

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♦ Pass 4♠

Pass 5♥ All Pass

Board: 145

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ T

♥ AKQ7543

♦ 8

♣ 8632

South:

♠ KQJ75

♥ 62

♦ JT62

♣ A4

W N E S

1♠ Pass

1NT¹ 3♥ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 142	♠ 52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 87	
HCP: 10+1	♣ AQ843	
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Board: 143	♠ KQT	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ Q42	West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 92	
HCP: 11+1	♣ A7642	
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Board: 144	♠ Q7643	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ AK7432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T	
HCP: 9+3	♣ 5	
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Board: 145	♠ KQJ75	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 62	East (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ JT62	West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ A4	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 142

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♣ North

North:

♠ Q84

♥ KJ8

♦ AQ2

♣ KT65

South:

♠ 52

♥ AT32

♦ 87

♣ AQ843

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 143

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ J73

♥ AT9765

♦ QT

♣ J5

South:

♠ KQT

♥ Q42

♦ 92

♣ A7642

W N E S

1♦ 2♥ Pass 3♥

All Pass

Board: 144

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ T

♥ QJT

♦ AK8642

♣ KJ9

South:

♠ Q7643

♥ AK7432

♦ T

♣ 5

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♦ Pass 4♠

Pass 5♥ All Pass

Board: 145

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ T

♥ AKQ7543

♦ 8

♣ 8632

South:

♠ KQJ75

♥ 62

♦ JT62

♣ A4

W N E S

1♠ Pass

1NT¹ 3♥ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Losing Trick Count

East (LHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

East (LHO) bids 4♣ if possible.

♣ QJT54

♣ K5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AJ952

♦ A2

♣ 8764

South:

♠ J8

♥ KT

♦ J43

♣ KQJ953

W N E S

1♦ 1♥ 1♠ 1♣

Pass 2♦¹ 2♠ 3♣

3♠ 3NT 4♠ Pass

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !C

Board: 147

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♦ South

North:

♠ 943

♥ K8

♦ KQJ8753

♣ K

South:

♠ AK8

♥ QT94

♦ T642

♣ 85

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

2♣ 2♦ 3♣ 3♦

Pass Pass 4♣ 4♦

All Pass

Board: 148

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q9742

♥ J2

♦ A

♣ QJT54

South:

♠ A6

♥ AK6543

♦ J83

♣ K7

W N E S

Pass 2♦ 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 149

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ864

♥ K7

♦ AQ52

♣ K5

South:

♠ 3

♥ Q832

♦ KJ763

♣ A64

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

Losing Trick Count

East (RHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

East (RHO) bids 4♣ if possible.

♣ K7

♣ A64

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 146

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AJ952

♦ A2

♣ 8764

South:

♠ J8

♥ KT

♦ J43

♣ KQJ953

W N E S

1♦ 1♥ 1♠ 1♣

Pass 2♦¹ 2♠ 3♣

3♠ 3NT 4♠ Pass

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !C

Board: 147

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♦ South

North:

♠ 943

♥ K8

♦ KQJ8753

♣ K

South:

♠ AK8

♥ QT94

♦ T642

♣ 85

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

2♣ 2♦ 3♣ 3♦

Pass Pass 4♣ 4♦

All Pass

Board: 148

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q9742

♥ J2

♦ A

♣ QJT54

South:

♠ A6

♥ AK6543

♦ J83

♣ K7

W N E S

Pass 2♦ 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♦¹ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 149

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ864

♥ K7

♦ AQ52

♣ K5

South:

♠ 3

♥ Q832

♦ KJ763

♣ A64

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 150

♠ J983

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 953

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 74

HCP: 5

♣ AT54

Board: 151

♠ JT

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ T2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKJT

HCP: 14+1

♣ AJ732

Board: 152

♠ 963

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ JT

West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AJT97

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 11+1

♣ KQ9

Board: 153

♠ AJ9

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AJ875

West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 9

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 14+1

♣ A876

Board: 154

♠ 8752

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ T942

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ Q8

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 5

♣ K43

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 150

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J983	♠ 42				1 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ 953	♥ AT	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 5	♦ 74	♦ KQT65	All Pass			
South HCP: 11+1	♣ AT54	♣ Q863				
Contract: 2 ♣ South						

Board: 151

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ JT	♠ 87632	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ T2	♥ K6	Pass	1NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 14+1	♦ AKJT	♦ 93				
South HCP: 6+1	♣ AJ732	♣ K985				
Contract: 1NT North						

Board: 152

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 963	♠ J2	Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Vul: None	♥ JT	♥ A932	X	XX	1 ♠	2 ♠ ¹
North HCP: 11+1	♦ AJT97	♦ KQ832	Pass	3 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 14+1	♣ KQ9	♣ A4				
Contract: 3 ♦ North						1. strength cue bid

Board: 153

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ AJ9	♠ T842			Pass	Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AJ875	♥ KT92	1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	3 ♥
North HCP: 14+1	♦ 9	♦ Q65	All Pass			
South HCP: 5	♣ A876	♣ T2				
Contract: 3 ♥ South						

Board: 154

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 8752	♠ 943	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♥	1NT
Vul: Both	♥ T942	♥ AK87	All Pass			
North HCP: 5	♦ Q8	♦ A432				
South HCP: 15	♣ K43	♣ A5				
Contract: 1NT South						1. max 2 !H

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 150 ♠ 42 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AT The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KQT65
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ Q863

Board: 151 ♠ 87632 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ K6 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 93
 HCP: 6+1 ♣ K985

Board: 152 ♠ J2 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A932 West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KQ832 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 14+1 ♣ A4

Board: 153 ♠ T842 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KT92 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ Q65 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 5 ♣ T2

Board: 154 ♠ 943 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AK87 West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ A432 East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 15 ♣ A5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 150

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ J983

♥ 953

♦ 74

♣ AT54

South:

♠ 42

♥ AT

♦ KQT65

♣ Q863

W N E S

Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

All Pass

Board: 151

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 6+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ JT

♥ T2

♦ AKJT

♣ AJ732

South:

♠ 87632

♥ K6

♦ 93

♣ K985

W N E S

Pass 1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT All Pass

Board: 152

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ 963

♥ JT

♦ AJT97

♣ KQ9

South:

♠ J2

♥ A932

♦ KQ832

♣ A4

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♦

X XX 1♠ 2♠¹

Pass 3♦ All Pass

1. strength cue bid

Board: 153

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 5

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ AJ9

♥ AJ875

♦ 9

♣ A876

South:

♠ T842

♥ KT92

♦ Q65

♣ T2

W N E S

Pass Pass

1♦ 1♥ 1♠ 3♥

All Pass

Board: 154

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 15

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ 8752

♥ T942

♦ Q8

♣ K43

South:

♠ 943

♥ AK87

♦ A432

♣ A5

W N E S

1♣ Pass 1♥ 1NT

All Pass

1. max 2 !H

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 155

♠ J4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQT8754

West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ -

HCP: 12+3

♣ AQ62

Board: 156

♠ AQT5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 9854

HCP: 9

♣ K982

Board: 157

♠ 43

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ76

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q2

HCP: 11+1

♣ QT73

Board: 158

♠ 75

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ K983

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J9654

HCP: 5+1

♣ J9

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 155

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ J4

♥ KQT8754

♦ -

♣ AQ62

South:

♠ Q986

♥ 2

♦ AQJ73

♣ 743

W	N	E	S
			Pass

1 ♠	2 ♥	All Pass	
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Board: 156

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQT5

♥ 5

♦ 9854

♣ K982

South:

♠ 94

♥ AKJ874

♦ KQ3

♣ A3

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♥

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
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Board: 157

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2♣ North

North:

♠ 43

♥ AQJ76

♦ Q2

♣ QT73

South:

♠ KQ52

♥ 8

♦ J973

♣ J854

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	2 ♣	All Pass	
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Board: 158

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+1

South HCP: 22

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 75

♥ K983

♦ J9654

♣ J9

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ AT6

♦ AKT2

♣ A7

W	N	E	S
		Pass	2 ♣ ¹

Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 155	♠ Q986	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ73	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 743	

Board: 156	♠ 94	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ3	
HCP: 17+2	♣ A3	

Board: 157	♠ KQ52	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J973	
HCP: 7	♣ J854	

Board: 158	♠ AQJ6	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKT2	
HCP: 22	♣ A7	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 155

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ J4

♥ KQT8754

♦ -

♣ AQ62

South:

♠ Q986

♥ 2

♦ AQJ73

♣ 743

W	N	E	S
			Pass

1 ♠	2 ♥	All Pass	
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Board: 156

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQT5

♥ 5

♦ 9854

♣ K982

South:

♠ 94

♥ AKJ874

♦ KQ3

♣ A3

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♥

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
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Board: 157

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2♣ North

North:

♠ 43

♥ AQJ76

♦ Q2

♣ QT73

South:

♠ KQ52

♥ 8

♦ J973

♣ J854

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	2 ♣	All Pass	
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Board: 158

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+1

South HCP: 22

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 75

♥ K983

♦ J9654

♣ J9

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ AT6

♦ AKT2

♣ A7

W	N	E	S
		Pass	2 ♣ ¹

Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 159

♠ AKT43

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q6

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ T983

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 9+1

♣ 86

Board: 160

♠ 9843

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ2

West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K962

HCP: 10

♣ Q3

Board: 161

♠ AQ964

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ92

West (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 872

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

HCP: 13+1

♣ J

Board: 162

♠ Q2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT653

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJT5

HCP: 11+1

♣ T3

Board: 163

♠ A854

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 9

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ874

HCP: 11+1

♣ KT3

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 159

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKT43

♥ Q6

♦ T983

♣ 86

South:

♠ Q86

♥ 8

♦ A542

♣ KQT93

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ 2 ♥ X¹

Pass 2 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass

Pass 3 ♠ All Pass

1. Support double redouble

Board: 160

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ 9843

♥ KQ2

♦ K962

♣ Q3

South:

♠ KT652

♥ A6

♦ A3

♣ T542

W N E S

2 ♦ 3 ♦¹ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 161

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AQ964

♥ AQ92

♦ 872

♣ J

South:

♠ -

♥ JT86

♦ AJT4

♣ K8764

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♠ Pass Pass

2 ♣ 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣¹

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 162

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ Q2

♥ AT653

♦ AJT5

♣ T3

South:

♠ K5

♥ Q9

♦ 7432

♣ KQJ92

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT

All Pass

Board: 163

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A854

♥ 9

♦ KJ874

♣ KT3

South:

♠ KJT97

♥ 876

♦ A2

♣ AJ7

W N E S

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 159	♠ Q86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A542	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ KQT93	
Board: 160	♠ KT652	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A6	West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A3	
HCP: 11+1	♣ T542	
Board: 161	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT86	West (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AJT4	West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ K8764	
Board: 162	♠ K5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 7432	
HCP: 11+1	♣ KQJ92	
Board: 163	♠ KJT97	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 876	East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A2	
HCP: 13+1	♣ AJ7	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 159

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKT43

♥ Q6

♦ T983

♣ 86

South:

♠ Q86

♥ 8

♦ A542

♣ KQT93

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ 2 ♥ X¹

Pass 2 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass

Pass 3 ♠ All Pass

1. Support double redouble

Board: 160

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ 9843

♥ KQ2

♦ K962

♣ Q3

South:

♠ KT652

♥ A6

♦ A3

♣ T542

W N E S

2 ♦ 3 ♦¹ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 161

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AQ964

♥ AQ92

♦ 872

♣ J

South:

♠ -

♥ JT86

♦ AJT4

♣ K8764

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♠ Pass Pass

2 ♣ 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣¹

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 162

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ Q2

♥ AT653

♦ AJT5

♣ T3

South:

♠ K5

♥ Q9

♦ 7432

♣ KQJ92

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT

All Pass

Board: 163

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A854

♥ 9

♦ KJ874

♣ KT3

South:

♠ KJT97

♥ 876

♦ A2

♣ AJ7

W N E S

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 164 ♠ QJ6 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ QJ932 East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ QJ95
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ 7

Board: 165 ♠ K92 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 43 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AQ5
 HCP: 16+1 ♣ AK763

Board: 166 ♠ Q432 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ AJ2 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AQ84
 HCP: 13 ♣ T6

Board: 167 ♠ AK42 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ QJT97 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 84
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 84

Board: 168 ♠ 32 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ K5 West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ Q9864
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ AJT2

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ QJ6

♥ QJ932

♦ QJ95

♣ 7

South:

♠ A5

♥ K5

♦ T762

♣ AK853

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♣
Pass	1 ♥	1 ♠	1NT
All Pass			

Board: 165

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K92

♥ 43

♦ AQ5

♣ AK763

South:

♠ AT4

♥ KQJ82

♦ 8732

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 166

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q432

♥ AJ2

♦ AQ84

♣ T6

South:

♠ AJT98

♥ T743

♦ J

♣ KQJ

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3 ♦ ²
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. Jacoby 2NT
2. shortness !D

Board: 167

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK42

♥ QJT97

♦ 84

♣ 84

South:

♠ T76

♥ A6

♦ J973

♣ KT93

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 168

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ 32

♥ K5

♦ Q9864

♣ AJT2

South:

♠ KT65

♥ A8

♦ J

♣ K97543

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
1 ♠	2 ♦ ¹	Pass	3 ♣
All Pass			

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 164 ♠ A5 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ K5 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ T762
 HCP: 14+1 ♣ AK853

Board: 165 ♠ AT4 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KQJ82 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 8732
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 5

Board: 166 ♠ AJT98 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ T743 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ J
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ KQJ

Board: 167 ♠ T76 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ A6 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ J973
 HCP: 8 ♣ KT93

Board: 168 ♠ KT65 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ A8 West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ J
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ K97543

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 164

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ QJ6

♥ QJ932

♦ QJ95

♣ 7

South:

♠ A5

♥ K5

♦ T762

♣ AK853

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♣

Pass 1 ♥ 1 ♠ 1NT

All Pass

Board: 165

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K92

♥ 43

♦ AQ5

♣ AK763

South:

♠ AT4

♥ KQJ82

♦ 8732

♣ 5

W N E S

1 ♥

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 166

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q432

♥ AJ2

♦ AQ84

♣ T6

South:

♠ AJT98

♥ T743

♦ J

♣ KQJ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3 ♦²

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !D

Board: 167

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK42

♥ QJT97

♦ 84

♣ 84

South:

♠ T76

♥ A6

♦ J973

♣ KT93

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♥

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 168

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ 32

♥ K5

♦ Q9864

♣ AJT2

South:

♠ KT65

♥ A8

♦ J

♣ K97543

W N E S

1 ♣

1 ♠ 2 ♦¹ Pass 3 ♣

All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 169	♠ A954	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ A53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT97	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	
Board: 170	♠ 6	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ T5	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 74	East (LHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 8+4	♣ AKJT9852	
Board: 171	♠ KJT82	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q9852	West (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	East (LHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 10+2	♣ A4	
Board: 172	♠ 753	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ2	West (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T754	
HCP: 12	♣ AQ2	
Board: 173	♠ A	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J94	
HCP: 13+2	♣ KQ6542	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 169

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 3+2

Contract: 1 ♦ North

North:

♠ A954

♥ A53

♦ AT97

♣ AQ

South:

♠ 863

♥ T2

♦ QJ8652

♣ 82

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♦	All Pass	

Board: 170

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+4

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5 ♣ X North

North:

♠ 6

♥ T5

♦ 74

♣ AKJT9852

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ AJ6

♦ T5

♣ 7643

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♣
1 ♠	5 ♣	X	All Pass

Board: 171

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3 ♠ X South

North:

♠ KJT82

♥ Q9852

♦ 7

♣ A4

South:

♠ 9653

♥ AT

♦ J982

♣ QT7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

Board: 172

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ 753

♥ AQ2

♦ T754

♣ AQ2

South:

♠ K9862

♥ J843

♦ AQ32

♣ -

W	N	E	S
			1 ♠
3 ♣	3 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 173

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ A

♥ K98

♦ J94

♣ KQ6542

South:

♠ QT854

♥ Q

♦ AQ53

♣ T97

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
All Pass			

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 169	♠ 863	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ T2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ8652	
HCP: 3+2	♣ 82	
Board: 170	♠ AQJ4	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AJ6	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ T5	East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 12	♣ 7643	
Board: 171	♠ 9653	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT	West (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J982	East (RHO) Doubles 3 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 7	♣ QT7	
Board: 172	♠ K9862	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J843	West (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ32	
HCP: 10+1	♣ -	
Board: 173	♠ QT854	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ53	
HCP: 10+1	♣ T97	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 169

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 3+2

Contract: 1 ♦ North

North:

♠ A954

♥ A53

♦ AT97

♣ AQ

South:

♠ 863

♥ T2

♦ QJ8652

♣ 82

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♦	All Pass	

Board: 170

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+4

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5 ♣ X North

North:

♠ 6

♥ T5

♦ 74

♣ AKJT9852

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ AJ6

♦ T5

♣ 7643

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♣
1 ♠	5 ♣	X	All Pass

Board: 171

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3 ♠ X South

North:

♠ KJT82

♥ Q9852

♦ 7

♣ A4

South:

♠ 9653

♥ AT

♦ J982

♣ QT7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

Board: 172

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ 753

♥ AQ2

♦ T754

♣ AQ2

South:

♠ K9862

♥ J843

♦ AQ32

♣ -

W	N	E	S
			1 ♠
3 ♣	3 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 173

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ A

♥ K98

♦ J94

♣ KQ6542

South:

♠ QT854

♥ Q

♦ AQ53

♣ T97

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
All Pass			

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 174

♠ J

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AKQ5

West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.

Vul: None

♦ A76

HCP: 19+1

♣ AJ932

Board: 175

♠ 4

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ J82

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQJ632

HCP: 10+2

♣ KT3

Board: 176

♠ KQJ9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T4

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 2

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

HCP: 9+2

♣ QJ8543

Board: 177

♠ J63

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T3

HCP: 9+2

♣ KQ9764

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 174

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ J

♥ AKQ5

♦ A76

♣ AJ932

South:

♠ KQ98542

♥ 832

♦ -

♣ Q75

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
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1NT ¹	2NT	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. Unusual 1NT

Board: 175

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ J82

♦ KQJ632

♣ KT3

South:

♠ KQT762

♥ A7

♦ 987

♣ 74

W	N	E	S
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
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All Pass

Board: 176

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQJ9

♥ T4

♦ 2

♣ QJ8543

South:

♠ T5432

♥ AJ

♦ K843

♣ A2

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
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2 ♠ ¹	2NT ²	3 ♥	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 177

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ J63

♥ K7

♦ T3

♣ KQ9764

South:

♠ AQT4

♥ JT63

♦ 642

♣ A3

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
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Pass	1NT	All Pass	
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South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 174 ♠ KQ98542 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 832 West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ -
 HCP: 7+3 ♣ Q75

Board: 175 ♠ KQT762 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A7 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 987
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ 74

Board: 176 ♠ T5432 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AJ West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ K843 East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ A2

Board: 177 ♠ AQT4 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ JT63 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ 642
 HCP: 11 ♣ A3

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 174

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ J

♥ AKQ5

♦ A76

♣ AJ932

South:

♠ KQ98542

♥ 832

♦ -

♣ Q75

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣ Pass 1 ♠

1NT¹ 2NT Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Unusual 1NT

Board: 175

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ J82

♦ KQJ632

♣ KT3

South:

♠ KQT762

♥ A7

♦ 987

♣ 74

W N E S

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

All Pass

Board: 176

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQJ9

♥ T4

♦ 2

♣ QJ8543

South:

♠ T5432

♥ AJ

♦ K843

♣ A2

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♠

2 ♠¹ 2NT² 3 ♥ 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 177

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ J63

♥ K7

♦ T3

♣ KQ9764

South:

♠ AQT4

♥ JT63

♦ 642

♣ A3

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦

Pass 1NT All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 178

♠ Q62

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQT6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ3

HCP: 13

♣ 983

Board: 179

♠ QT43

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 5

East (LHO) opens 1NT if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ T7642

HCP: 8+1

♣ AQ5

Board: 180

♠ AJ932

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ84

West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K6

HCP: 16+1

♣ KT

Board: 181

♠ QT97

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT872

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A64

HCP: 11+1

♣ Q

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 178

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q62

♥ KQT6

♦ AQ3

♣ 983

South:

♠ AK543

♥ 52

♦ J954

♣ AQ

W N E S

1 ♣ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦¹

Pass 3 ♠² Pass 3NT³

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

3. surplus

Board: 179

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ QT43

♥ 5

♦ T7642

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ KJ62

♥ AQJT4

♦ 5

♣ 942

W N E S

Pass 1NT 2 ♦¹

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

1. Cappelletti, both majors

Board: 180

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ932

♥ AJ84

♦ K6

♣ KT

South:

♠ KQT7

♥ KQ7

♦ J93

♣ Q92

W N E S

1 ♣

1 ♦ X Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 181

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT97

♥ KT872

♦ A64

♣ Q

South:

♠ A6432

♥ A

♦ KT982

♣ 84

W N E S

1 ♥ 3 ♣ X

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 178	♠ AK543	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J954	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AQ	
Board: 179	♠ KJ62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJT4	East (RHO) opens 1NT if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 5	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 942	
Board: 180	♠ KQT7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ7	West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J93	
HCP: 13	♣ Q92	
Board: 181	♠ A6432	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT982	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 84	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 178

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q62

♥ KQT6

♦ AQ3

♣ 983

South:

♠ AK543

♥ 52

♦ J954

♣ AQ

W N E S

1 ♣ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♦¹

Pass 3 ♠² Pass 3NT³

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

3. surplus

Board: 179

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ QT43

♥ 5

♦ T7642

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ KJ62

♥ AQJT4

♦ 5

♣ 942

W N E S

Pass 1NT 2 ♦¹

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

1. Cappelletti, both majors

Board: 180

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ932

♥ AJ84

♦ K6

♣ KT

South:

♠ KQT7

♥ KQ7

♦ J93

♣ Q92

W N E S

1 ♣

1 ♦ X Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 181

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT97

♥ KT872

♦ A64

♣ Q

South:

♠ A6432

♥ A

♦ KT982

♣ 84

W N E S

1 ♥ 3 ♣ X

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 182 ♠ A543 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ KJ76 East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K84 West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
 HCP: 14 ♣ K3

Board: 183 ♠ 8765 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AKJ9543 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ Q
 HCP: 12+3 ♣ Q

Board: 184 ♠ T953 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ Q3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AT64
 HCP: 10 ♣ AT3

Board: 185 ♠ Q972 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AK3 West (RHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ T42 East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 HCP: 13 ♣ AT4 East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Board: 186 ♠ T985 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ 9764 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ J98
 HCP: 3 ♣ Q5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 182

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ A543

♥ KJ76

♦ K84

♣ K3

South:

♠ KJ862

♥ -

♦ 73

♣ AJT865

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	2 ♥	2 ♠ ¹

3 ♥	3 ♠	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 183

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 8765

♥ AKJ9543

♦ Q

♣ Q

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ 8

♦ KT542

♣ KT76

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦

Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	4 ♥	All Pass
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Board: 184

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T953

♥ Q3

♦ AT64

♣ AT3

South:

♠ AK2

♥ K752

♦ K8

♣ KJ76

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1NT

Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3NT	All Pass
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1. Stayman

Board: 185

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q972

♥ AK3

♦ T42

♣ AT4

South:

♠ JT54

♥ 4

♦ Q976

♣ KQ32

W	N	E	S
			Pass

1 ♥	X	2 ♥	X ¹
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Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	3 ♠
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All Pass

1. Responsive double

Board: 186

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 3

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 1 ♥ South

North:

♠ T985

♥ 9764

♦ J98

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ AKJT8

♦ Q3

♣ K92

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 182 ♠ KJ862 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ - East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 73 West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
 HCP: 9+3 ♣ AJT865

Board: 183 ♠ KQ4 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ KT542
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ KT76

Board: 184 ♠ AK2 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ K752 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ K8
 HCP: 17 ♣ KJ76

Board: 185 ♠ JT54 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 4 West (LHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ Q976 East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 HCP: 8 ♣ KQ32 East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Board: 186 ♠ AQJ RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AKJT8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ Q3
 HCP: 20+1 ♣ K92

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 182

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ A543

♥ KJ76

♦ K84

♣ K3

South:

♠ KJ862

♥ -

♦ 73

♣ AJT865

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	2 ♥	2 ♠ ¹

3 ♥	3 ♠	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 183

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 8765

♥ AKJ9543

♦ Q

♣ Q

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ 8

♦ KT542

♣ KT76

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦

Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	4 ♥	All Pass
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Board: 184

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T953

♥ Q3

♦ AT64

♣ AT3

South:

♠ AK2

♥ K752

♦ K8

♣ KJ76

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1NT

Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3NT	All Pass
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1. Stayman

Board: 185

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q972

♥ AK3

♦ T42

♣ AT4

South:

♠ JT54

♥ 4

♦ Q976

♣ KQ32

W	N	E	S
			Pass

1 ♥	X	2 ♥	X ¹
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Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥	3 ♠
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All Pass

1. Responsive double

Board: 186

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 3

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 1 ♥ South

North:

♠ T985

♥ 9764

♦ J98

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ AKJT8

♦ Q3

♣ K92

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 187	♠ KT874	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJT7	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AK	
Board: 188	♠ AJ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 986	East (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT42	East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
HCP: 11	♣ QT62	
Board: 189	♠ AT93	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ6	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 12+2	♣ AT8642	
Board: 190	♠ K875	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ986	East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K4	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 83	
Board: 191	♠ AQJ52	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K832	
HCP: 10+1	♣ T32	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 187

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT874	♠ A				Pass
Vul: None	♥ A8	♥ J9732	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ QJT7	♦ K96	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AK	♣ Q752				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 188

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ	♠ 98754				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ 986	♥ AJT4	Pass	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AT42	♦ KQ6	Pass	1NT	2 ♣	2 ♥
South HCP: 10+1	♣ QT62	♣ 4	Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 189

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT93	♠ K6				Pass
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ K974	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♥	1NT
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KJ6	♦ QT832	2 ♥	3 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+1	♣ AT8642	♣ J3				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 190

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K875	♠ AQJ6432		Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ QJ986	♥ 7	Pass	2 ♣ ¹	2 ♠ ²	4 ♥ ³
North HCP: 9+1	♦ K4	♦ T9	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+3	♣ 83	♣ AT4				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

1. Reverse drury
2. Michaels Cuebid
3. Splinter

Board: 191

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ52	♠ K73		1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ 8	♥ AQJ9	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 10+1	♦ K832	♦ Q7	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 17	♣ T32	♣ KQ54				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 187	♠ A	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J9732	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K96	
HCP: 10+1	♣ Q752	
Board: 188	♠ 98754	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT4	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ6	East (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ 4	
Board: 189	♠ K6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K974	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QT832	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ J3	
Board: 190	♠ AQJ6432	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T9	
HCP: 11+3	♣ AT4	
Board: 191	♠ K73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q7	
HCP: 17	♣ KQ54	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 187

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT874	♠ A				Pass
Vul: None	♥ A8	♥ J9732	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 17+1	♦ QJT7	♦ K96	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AK	♣ Q752				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 188

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ	♠ 98754				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ 986	♥ AJT4	Pass	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AT42	♦ KQ6	Pass	1NT	2 ♣	2 ♥
South HCP: 10+1	♣ QT62	♣ 4	Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 189

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT93	♠ K6				Pass
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ K974	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♥	1NT
North HCP: 12+2	♦ KJ6	♦ QT832	2 ♥	3 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 9+1	♣ AT8642	♣ J3				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 190

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K875	♠ AQJ6432		Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ QJ986	♥ 7	Pass	2 ♣ ¹	2 ♠ ²	4 ♥ ³
North HCP: 9+1	♦ K4	♦ T9	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+3	♣ 83	♣ AT4				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

1. Reverse drury
2. Michaels Cuebid
3. Splinter

Board: 191

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQJ52	♠ K73		1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ 8	♥ AQJ9	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 10+1	♦ K832	♦ Q7	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 17	♣ T32	♣ KQ54				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 192	♠ AJT2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJT9	
HCP: 12	♣ T873	
Board: 193	♠ 4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT75	East (LHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q54	
HCP: 10+1	♣ KT75	
Board: 194	♠ Q8632	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT	
HCP: 8+1	♣ J65	
Board: 195	♠ AQ87543	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ82	
HCP: 12+3	♣ 85	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 192

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJT2	♠ Q9653				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ K	♥ AQT54	Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KJT9	♦ 76	2 ♥	2 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ T873	♣ 6				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 193

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 4	♠ K9865		1 ♥	X	1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ AJT75	♥ 8	Pass	2 ♣	All Pass	
North HCP: 10+1	♦ Q54	♦ KJ93				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ KT75	♣ QJ6				
Contract: 2 ♣ North						

Board: 194

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ Q8632	♠ AK			Pass	1NT
Vul: E-W	♥ 95	♥ AKT6	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 8+1	♦ AJT	♦ 52	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ J65	♣ QT942				
Contract: 2NT North						

Board: 195

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ87543	♠ -				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ K9852	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12+3	♦ AQ82	♦ 74	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+3	♣ 85	♣ KQT963				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 192	♠ Q9653	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT54	West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 76	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 6	
Board: 193	♠ K9865	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8	East (RHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ93	
HCP: 10+1	♣ QJ6	
Board: 194	♠ AK	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AKT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 52	
HCP: 16+1	♣ QT942	
Board: 195	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K9852	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 74	
HCP: 8+3	♣ KQT963	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 192

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJT2	♠ Q9653				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ K	♥ AQT54	Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KJT9	♦ 76	2 ♥	2 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+2	♣ T873	♣ 6				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 193

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 4	♠ K9865		1 ♥	X	1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ AJT75	♥ 8	Pass	2 ♣	All Pass	
North HCP: 10+1	♦ Q54	♦ KJ93				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ KT75	♣ QJ6				
Contract: 2 ♣ North						

Board: 194

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ Q8632	♠ AK			Pass	1NT
Vul: E-W	♥ 95	♥ AKT6	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 8+1	♦ AJT	♦ 52	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ J65	♣ QT942				
Contract: 2NT North						

Board: 195

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ87543	♠ -				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ K9852	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12+3	♦ AQ82	♦ 74	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 8+3	♣ 85	♣ KQT963				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 196	♠ AQJ97	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A53	West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KT	
HCP: 19+1	♣ KQ5	

Board: 197	♠ J9854	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT7	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 64	

Board: 198	♠ J862	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q52	
HCP: 4	♣ J963	

Board: 199	♠ 952	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ8	
HCP: 14	♣ QT76	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ97

♥ A53

♦ KT

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q84

♦ QJ9876

♣ A83

W	N	E	S
1 ♠	X	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ ¹	Pass	4 ♠ ²
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦
All Pass			

1. Cue bid, a !H stopper

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

Board: 197

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ J9854

♥ KQ

♦ AJT7

♣ 64

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ A8764

♦ Q85

♣ Q8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♦ ¹	Pass	3 ♠ ²
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

Board: 198

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 4

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 1 ♥ South

North:

♠ J862

♥ 82

♦ Q52

♣ J963

South:

♠ AT

♥ AK764

♦ AJ63

♣ Q2

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 199

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 952

♥ A5

♦ AKJ8

♣ QT76

South:

♠ AJT7

♥ K973

♦ 2

♣ K932

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 196 ♠ 2 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ Q84 West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ QJ9876
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ A83

Board: 197 ♠ AQ6 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ A8764 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ Q85
 HCP: 14+1 ♣ Q8

Board: 198 ♠ AT RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AK764 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AJ63
 HCP: 18+1 ♣ Q2

Board: 199 ♠ AJT7 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ K973 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 2
 HCP: 11 ♣ K932

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ97

♥ A53

♦ KT

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ 2

♥ Q84

♦ QJ9876

♣ A83

W	N	E	S
1 ♠	X	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ ¹	Pass	4 ♠ ²
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦
All Pass			

1. Cue bid, a !H stopper

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

Board: 197

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ J9854

♥ KQ

♦ AJT7

♣ 64

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ A8764

♦ Q85

♣ Q8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♦ ¹	Pass	3 ♠ ²
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

Board: 198

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 4

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 1 ♥ South

North:

♠ J862

♥ 82

♦ Q52

♣ J963

South:

♠ AT

♥ AK764

♦ AJ63

♣ Q2

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 199

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 952

♥ A5

♦ AKJ8

♣ QT76

South:

♠ AJT7

♥ K973

♦ 2

♣ K932

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Losing Trick Count

LHO is dealer.

East (LHO) opens 1♥ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

East (LHO) bids $5\clubsuit$ if possible.

West (RHO) Doubles $5\spadesuit$ if possible.

Partner is dealer.

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

♣ AQ842

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

The opponents are silent.

♣ Q76

LHO is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

♣ KQ432

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

The opponents are silent.

♣ A2

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 200

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 5 ♠ X North

North:

♠ J9543

♥ A75

♦ A653

♣ 3

South:

♠ QT876

♥ JT4

♦ KJ2

♣ K9

W	N	E	S
		1 ♥	1 ♠
2 ♣ ¹	4 ♠	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
X	All Pass		

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 201

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ A

♥ AT

♦ QJ872

♣ AQ842

South:

♠ Q7632

♥ K643

♦ 4

♣ K63

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♦	1 ♠	X
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

Board: 202

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ AT974

♥ 63

♦ QT7

♣ Q76

South:

♠ J8

♥ AQT875

♦ K3

♣ J85

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 203

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ96

♥ A3

♦ 82

♣ KQ432

South:

♠ K72

♥ 42

♦ A963

♣ A876

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♦
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 204

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJT2

♥ J9

♦ AQT74

♣ A2

South:

♠ -

♥ K82

♦ KJ65

♣ KJ9643

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 200 ♠ QT876 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ JT4 East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KJ2 West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ K9 East (RHO) bids 5 ♣ if possible.
 West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.

Board: 201 ♠ Q7632 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ K643 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 4
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ K63

Board: 202 ♠ J8 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AQT875 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ K3
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ J85

Board: 203 ♠ K72 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ 42 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ A963
 HCP: 11 ♣ A876

Board: 204 ♠ - LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ K82 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KJ65
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ KJ9643

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 200

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 5 ♠ X North

North:

♠ J9543

♥ A75

♦ A653

♣ 3

South:

♠ QT876

♥ JT4

♦ KJ2

♣ K9

W	N	E	S
		1 ♥	1 ♠
2 ♣ ¹	4 ♠	5 ♣	Pass
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
X	All Pass		

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 201

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ A

♥ AT

♦ QJ872

♣ AQ842

South:

♠ Q7632

♥ K643

♦ 4

♣ K63

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♦	1 ♠	X
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

Board: 202

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ AT974

♥ 63

♦ QT7

♣ Q76

South:

♠ J8

♥ AQT875

♦ K3

♣ J85

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 203

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ96

♥ A3

♦ 82

♣ KQ432

South:

♠ K72

♥ 42

♦ A963

♣ A876

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♦
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 204

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJT2

♥ J9

♦ AQT74

♣ A2

South:

♠ -

♥ K82

♦ KJ65

♣ KJ9643

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 205 ♠ K6542 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ T93 East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ -
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ AJ972

Board: 206 ♠ 652 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ KT5 West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ 83
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ AK632

Board: 207 ♠ AJ982 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 953 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ J
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ KQ94

Board: 208 ♠ J9642 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q9 East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AK6
 HCP: 15+1 ♣ AJ8

Board: 209 ♠ AKJ72 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ 5 East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ QJT92
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ T3

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 205

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K6542

♥ T93

♦ -

♣ AJ972

South:

♠ AJ

♥ Q86

♦ AKT9

♣ K654

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♥ X

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 206

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 652

♥ KT5

♦ 83

♣ AK632

South:

♠ KQJ84

♥ Q6432

♦ QJ7

♣ -

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1 ♠

2 ♣ 2NT¹ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 207

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ982

♥ 953

♦ J

♣ KQ94

South:

♠ Q74

♥ A742

♦ AK87

♣ A6

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 208

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ J9642

♥ Q9

♦ AK6

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ KQ53

♥ J6

♦ QT943

♣ Q4

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1NT 2 ♦¹ 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♦ All Pass

1. Cappelletti, both majors

Board: 209

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 8+4

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKJ72

♥ 5

♦ QJT92

♣ T3

South:

♠ 3

♥ JT962

♦ -

♣ AQJ9642

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦ 4NT¹

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. Unusual 4NT

2. bidable suit

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 205 ♠ AJ Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ Q86 East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ AKT9
 HCP: 17 ♣ K654

Board: 206 ♠ KQJ84 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ Q6432 West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ QJ7
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ -

Board: 207 ♠ Q74 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ A742 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AK87
 HCP: 17 ♣ A6

Board: 208 ♠ KQ53 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ J6 East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QT943
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ Q4

Board: 209 ♠ 3 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ JT962 East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ -
 HCP: 8+4 ♣ AQJ9642

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 205

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K6542

♥ T93

♦ -

♣ AJ972

South:

♠ AJ

♥ Q86

♦ AKT9

♣ K654

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♥ X

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 206

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 652

♥ KT5

♦ 83

♣ AK632

South:

♠ KQJ84

♥ Q6432

♦ QJ7

♣ -

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1 ♠

2 ♣ 2NT¹ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 207

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ982

♥ 953

♦ J

♣ KQ94

South:

♠ Q74

♥ A742

♦ AK87

♣ A6

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 208

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ J9642

♥ Q9

♦ AK6

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ KQ53

♥ J6

♦ QT943

♣ Q4

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1NT 2 ♦¹ 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♦ All Pass

1. Cappelletti, both majors

Board: 209

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 8+4

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKJ72

♥ 5

♦ QJT92

♣ T3

South:

♠ 3

♥ JT962

♦ -

♣ AQJ9642

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦ 4NT¹

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. Unusual 4NT

2. bidable suit

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 210 ♠ AJ96 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ 832 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A873
 HCP: 10 ♣ J4

Board: 211 ♠ T4 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 96 East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A8742
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ AQ73

Board: 212 ♠ J6 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ K854 East (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ J842
 HCP: 14 ♣ AKQ

Board: 213 ♠ - RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AKQ863 West (RHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KJ3 East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
 HCP: 16+2 ♣ KT92 East (LHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

Board: 214 ♠ J LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ 75 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 96
 HCP: 8+4 ♣ AKT97432

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 210

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJ96

♥ 832

♦ A873

♣ J4

South:

♠ KT8743

♥ KJ

♦ KQT

♣ T9

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 211

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ T4

♥ 96

♦ A8742

♣ AQ73

South:

♠ KQ72

♥ 873

♦ QJT93

♣ J

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 2 ♦ 2 ♥ 4 ♦

All Pass

Board: 212

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ J6

♥ K854

♦ J842

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ AT832

♥ Q762

♦ AT

♣ 75

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣ 1 ♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

Board: 213

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 7

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AKQ863

♦ KJ3

♣ KT92

South:

♠ Q75

♥ JT72

♦ AT94

♣ 75

W N E S

1 ♠ 2 ♥ 2 ♠ 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ 4 ♠ Pass

Pass 5 ♥ All Pass

Board: 214

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+4

South HCP: 19+3

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ J

♥ 75

♦ 96

♣ AKT97432

South:

♠ AK532

♥ A3

♦ AKJ432

♣ -

W N E S

Pass Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♣ Pass 5 ♦

All Pass

1. strong

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 210 ♠ KT8743 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KJ The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KQT
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ T9

Board: 211 ♠ KQ72 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 873 East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QJT93
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ J

Board: 212 ♠ AT832 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ Q762 East (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ AT
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 75

Board: 213 ♠ Q75 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ JT72 West (LHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AT94 East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
 HCP: 7 ♣ 75 East (RHO) bids 4♠ if possible.

Board: 214 ♠ AK532 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ A3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AKJ432
 HCP: 19+3 ♣ -

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 210

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJ96

♥ 832

♦ A873

♣ J4

South:

♠ KT8743

♥ KJ

♦ KQT

♣ T9

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 211

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ T4

♥ 96

♦ A8742

♣ AQ73

South:

♠ KQ72

♥ 873

♦ QJT93

♣ J

W N E S

Pass

Pass 2 ♦ 2 ♥ 4 ♦

All Pass

Board: 212

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ J6

♥ K854

♦ J842

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ AT832

♥ Q762

♦ AT

♣ 75

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

Board: 213

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 7

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AKQ863

♦ KJ3

♣ KT92

South:

♠ Q75

♥ JT72

♦ AT94

♣ 75

W N E S

1 ♠ 2 ♥ 2 ♠ 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ 4 ♠ Pass

Pass 5 ♥ All Pass

Board: 214

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+4

South HCP: 19+3

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ J

♥ 75

♦ 96

♣ AKT97432

South:

♠ AK532

♥ A3

♦ AKJ432

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♣ Pass 5 ♦

All Pass

1. strong

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 215	♠ AQ74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q32	
HCP: 16	♣ A96	
Board: 216	♠ KT432	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K983	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J	
HCP: 9+1	♣ Q63	
Board: 217	♠ K72	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AQ7	West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ7	
HCP: 16	♣ 863	
Board: 218	♠ AK76	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K643	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 95	
HCP: 13	♣ K95	
Board: 219	♠ K9742	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ QJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AQT6	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 215

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ74

♥ A87

♦ Q32

♣ A96

South:

♠ T5

♥ KQT4

♦ T5

♣ KJT84

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 216

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KT432

♥ K983

♦ J

♣ Q63

South:

♠ 9

♥ AJT54

♦ AQ92

♣ 742

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

1♠ 2♠¹ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 217

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K72

♥ AQ7

♦ AQJ7

♣ 863

South:

♠ Q953

♥ J6

♦ KT9862

♣ A

W N E S

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

X 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 218

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AK76

♥ K643

♦ 95

♣ K95

South:

♠ QJ842

♥ Q982

♦ KJ8

♣ Q

W N E S

Pass 1♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 219

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ K9742

♥ QJ3

♦ 9

♣ AQT6

South:

♠ AQ865

♥ K64

♦ 75

♣ 752

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 215	♠ T5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T5	
HCP: 9+1	♣ KJT84	
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Board: 216	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT54	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ92	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 742	
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Board: 217	♠ Q953	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ J6	West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT9862	
HCP: 10+2	♣ A	
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Board: 218	♠ QJ842	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q982	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ8	
HCP: 11+1	♣ Q	
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Board: 219	♠ AQ865	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ K64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 75	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 752	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 215

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ74

♥ A87

♦ Q32

♣ A96

South:

♠ T5

♥ KQT4

♦ T5

♣ KJT84

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 216

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KT432

♥ K983

♦ J

♣ Q63

South:

♠ 9

♥ AJT54

♦ AQ92

♣ 742

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

1♠ 2♠¹ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 217

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K72

♥ AQ7

♦ AQJ7

♣ 863

South:

♠ Q953

♥ J6

♦ KT9862

♣ A

W N E S

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

X 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 218

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AK76

♥ K643

♦ 95

♣ K95

South:

♠ QJ842

♥ Q982

♦ KJ8

♣ Q

W N E S

Pass 1♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 219

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ K9742

♥ QJ3

♦ 9

♣ AQT6

South:

♠ AQ865

♥ K64

♦ 75

♣ 752

W N E S

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 220

♠ 765

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ 74

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK954

HCP: 13+1

♣ AQ2

Board: 221

♠ AQ3

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ Q943

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ962

HCP: 14+1

♣ J

Board: 222

♠ 2

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ J976

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 5

HCP: 7+3

♣ AQT9873

Board: 223

♠ 32

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJT98

East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT754

HCP: 9+2

♣ 6

Board: 224

♠ AK96

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AQT42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K

HCP: 18+1

♣ Q43

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 220

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ 765

♥ 74

♦ AK954

♣ AQ2

South:

♠ A942

♥ KQ86

♦ QJT7

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦

Pass 2 ♦¹ Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♦ All Pass

1. Inverted minors

Board: 221

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2 ♦ North

North:

♠ AQ3

♥ Q943

♦ AJ962

♣ J

South:

♠ J4

♥ J8

♦ QT83

♣ AT752

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♦ Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♦ All Pass

Board: 222

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 7+3

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ J976

♦ 5

♣ AQT9873

South:

♠ AKT9743

♥ KQT

♦ KJ9

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

Board: 223

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ 32

♥ AJT98

♦ AT754

♣ 6

South:

♠ Q765

♥ 32

♦ J8

♣ AKJ97

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♣

Pass 1 ♥ X 1 ♠

Pass 1NT All Pass

Board: 224

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK96

♥ AQT42

♦ K

♣ Q43

South:

♠ QJ5

♥ 97

♦ JT9862

♣ KJ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 220 ♠ A942 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KQ86 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QJT7
 HCP: 12 ♣ 9

Board: 221 ♠ J4 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ J8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ QT83
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ AT752

Board: 222 ♠ AKT9743 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ KQT The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ KJ9
 HCP: 16+3 ♣ -

Board: 223 ♠ Q765 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 32 East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ J8
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ AKJ97

Board: 224 ♠ QJ5 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 97 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ JT9862
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ KJ

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 220

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ 765

♥ 74

♦ AK954

♣ AQ2

South:

♠ A942

♥ KQ86

♦ QJT7

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦

Pass 2 ♦¹ Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♦ All Pass

1. Inverted minors

Board: 221

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2 ♦ North

North:

♠ AQ3

♥ Q943

♦ AJ962

♣ J

South:

♠ J4

♥ J8

♦ QT83

♣ AT752

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♦ Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♦ All Pass

Board: 222

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 7+3

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ J976

♦ 5

♣ AQT9873

South:

♠ AKT9743

♥ KQT

♦ KJ9

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

Board: 223

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ 32

♥ AJT98

♦ AT754

♣ 6

South:

♠ Q765

♥ 32

♦ J8

♣ AKJ97

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♣

Pass 1 ♥ X 1 ♠

Pass 1NT All Pass

Board: 224

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK96

♥ AQT42

♦ K

♣ Q43

South:

♠ QJ5

♥ 97

♦ JT9862

♣ KJ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 225

♠ J643

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ963

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K762

HCP: 8+1

♣ -

Board: 226

♠ AT76

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 98

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q6

West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 11+1

♣ KQ832

Board: 227

♠ JT64

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ A63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ T

HCP: 12+1

♣ AK963

Board: 228

♠ K2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ93

West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 76

HCP: 11+1

♣ J952

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 225

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J643	♠ K52		Pass	Pass	1 ♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ963	♥ A8	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 8+1	♦ K762	♦ 53	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ AKQ652				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 226

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT76	♠ Q9				1 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ 98	♥ KQ63	1 ♠	2 ♣	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 11+1	♦ Q6	♦ T8	2 ♥	3 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ KQ832	♣ AT965				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 227

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ JT64	♠ K72	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Vul: N-S	♥ A63	♥ J5	Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠ ³
North HCP: 12+1	♦ T	♦ AQ62	Pass	5 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK963	♣ QJT8				
Contract: 5 ♣ North						

1. Inverted minors
2. Splinter
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

Board: 228

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K2	♠ 74		1 ♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ93	♥ 86	3 ♠	Pass	Pass	4 ♦
North HCP: 11+1	♦ 76	♦ AKJ9432	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+3	♣ J952	♣ A8				
Contract: 4 ♦ South						

1. forcing 1NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 225

♠ K52

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 53

HCP: 16+2

♣ AKQ652

Board: 226

♠ Q9

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ63

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ T8

West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 11+1

♣ AT965

Board: 227

♠ K72

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ J5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ62

HCP: 13

♣ QJT8

Board: 228

♠ 74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 86

West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AKJ9432

HCP: 12+3

♣ A8

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 225

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J643	♠ K52		Pass	Pass	1 ♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ963	♥ A8	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 8+1	♦ K762	♦ 53	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+2	♣ -	♣ AKQ652				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 226

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AT76	♠ Q9				1 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ 98	♥ KQ63	1 ♠	2 ♣	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 11+1	♦ Q6	♦ T8	2 ♥	3 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ KQ832	♣ AT965				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 227

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ JT64	♠ K72	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Vul: N-S	♥ A63	♥ J5	Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠ ³
North HCP: 12+1	♦ T	♦ AQ62	Pass	5 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK963	♣ QJT8				
Contract: 5 ♣ North						

1. Inverted minors
2. Splinter
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

Board: 228

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K2	♠ 74		1 ♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ93	♥ 86	3 ♠	Pass	Pass	4 ♦
North HCP: 11+1	♦ 76	♦ AKJ9432	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+3	♣ J952	♣ A8				
Contract: 4 ♦ South						

1. forcing 1NT

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 229

♠ AKT95

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A6

HCP: 11+1

♣ 8753

Board: 230

♠ J42

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q9865

West (RHO) Doubles 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQT5

East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

HCP: 9+1

♣ 9

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 4♣ if possible.

Board: 231

♠ AT983

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ QT85

HCP: 12+1

♣ A8

Board: 232

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ84

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J76

HCP: 8+1

♣ A8754

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 229

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKT95

♥ 85

♦ A6

♣ 8753

South:

♠ 843

♥ AKJT6

♦ KQJT

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 4 ♣¹

Pass 4 ♦² Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 230

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ J42

♥ Q9865

♦ AQT5

♣ 9

South:

♠ KT85

♥ A7

♦ KJ643

♣ 43

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦

X 1 ♥ 2 ♣ Pass¹

Pass 2 ♦ 3 ♣ 3 ♦

4 ♣ 4 ♦ All Pass

1. max 2 !H

Board: 231

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT983

♥ Q2

♦ QT85

♣ A8

South:

♠ 542

♥ A853

♦ A

♣ K9653

W N E S

1 ♣

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♦¹ Pass 2 ♠²

Pass 3 ♠ All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

Board: 232

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ QJ84

♦ J76

♣ A8754

South:

♠ Q9

♥ KT973

♦ 42

♣ KQT9

W N E S

1 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 229

♠ 843

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJT6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQJT

HCP: 14+1

♣ 4

Board: 230

♠ KT85

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A7

West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ643

East (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.

HCP: 11+1

♣ 43

East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.

West (LHO) bids 4 ♣ if possible.

Board: 231

♠ 542

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A853

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A

HCP: 11+1

♣ K9653

Board: 232

♠ Q9

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT973

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 42

HCP: 10+1

♣ KQT9

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 229

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKT95

♥ 85

♦ A6

♣ 8753

South:

♠ 843

♥ AKJT6

♦ KQJT

♣ 4

W N E S

1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 4 ♣¹

Pass 4 ♦² Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 230

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ J42

♥ Q9865

♦ AQT5

♣ 9

South:

♠ KT85

♥ A7

♦ KJ643

♣ 43

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦

X 1 ♥ 2 ♣ Pass¹

Pass 2 ♦ 3 ♣ 3 ♦

4 ♣ 4 ♦ All Pass

1. max 2 !H

Board: 231

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT983

♥ Q2

♦ QT85

♣ A8

South:

♠ 542

♥ A853

♦ A

♣ K9653

W N E S

1 ♣

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♦¹ Pass 2 ♠²

Pass 3 ♠ All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

Board: 232

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ QJ84

♦ J76

♣ A8754

South:

♠ Q9

♥ KT973

♦ 42

♣ KQT9

W N E S

1 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 233

♠ 43

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ7

HCP: 13+1

♣ KJ653

Board: 234

♠ AJ972

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT982

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ -

HCP: 9+2

♣ T83

Board: 235

♠ KT8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQT964

West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ T

East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 15+2

♣ AQ7

Board: 236

♠ QJ92

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ QJ7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 82

HCP: 7

♣ J963

Board: 237

♠ AQT43

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ -

West (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A754

East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 14+1

♣ A643

East (LHO) Doubles 3 ♣ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 233

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 43	♠ AQJ98				1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ K54	♥ 973	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♦
North HCP: 13+1	♦ AQ7	♦ T865	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ KJ653	♣ A				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 234

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AJ972	♠ K654		Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Vul: Both	♥ AT982	♥ K	1 ♥	X	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 9+2	♦ -	♦ AT9432	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 14+2	♣ T83	♣ A5				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

Board: 235

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KT8	♠ J				Pass
Vul: None	♥ AQT964	♥ K532	1 ♠	2 ♥	2 ♠	2NT ¹
North HCP: 15+2	♦ T	♦ K742	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ7	♣ K854				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 236

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ QJ92	♠ A75			Pass	1NT
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ7	♥ 86	Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 7	♦ 82	♦ AQ74	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 17	♣ J963	♣ AK75				
Contract: 2NT North						

1. Stayman

Board: 237

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AQT43	♠ J96	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ -	♥ 87632	Pass	3 ♣	X	3 ♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ A754	♦ KJ8	All Pass			
South HCP: 7+1	♣ A643	♣ Q8				
Contract: 3 ♠ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 233	♠ AQJ98	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 973	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T865	
HCP: 11+1	♣ A	
Board: 234	♠ K654	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AT9432	
HCP: 14+2	♣ A5	
Board: 235	♠ J	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K532	West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K742	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 10	♣ K854	
Board: 236	♠ A75	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ74	
HCP: 17	♣ AK75	
Board: 237	♠ J96	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 87632	West (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ8	East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 7+1	♣ Q8	East (RHO) Doubles 3 ♣ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 233

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 43

♥ K54

♦ AQ7

♣ KJ653

South:

♠ AQJ98

♥ 973

♦ T865

♣ A

W	N	E	S
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 234

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ972

♥ AT982

♦ -

♣ T83

South:

♠ K654

♥ K

♦ AT9432

♣ A5

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
1 ♥	X	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 235

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KT8

♥ AQT964

♦ T

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ J

♥ K532

♦ K742

♣ K854

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1 ♠	2 ♥	2 ♠	2NT ¹
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 236

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 17

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ QJ92

♥ QJ7

♦ 82

♣ J963

South:

♠ A75

♥ 86

♦ AQ74

♣ AK75

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

1. Stayman

Board: 237

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQT43

♥ -

♦ A754

♣ A643

South:

♠ J96

♥ 87632

♦ KJ8

♣ Q8

W	N	E	S
1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♣	X	3 ♠
All Pass			

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 238

Dealer: South
 Vul: None
 HCP: 10+1

♠ T63
 ♥ AQJ87
 ♦ 72
 ♣ K63

Partner is dealer.
 West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Board: 239

Dealer: North
 Vul: N-S
 HCP: 11

♠ KQT9
 ♥ 985
 ♦ Q765
 ♣ AT

You are dealer.
 The opponents are silent.

Board: 240

Dealer: North
 Vul: E-W
 HCP: 8+1

♠ Q6543
 ♥ 92
 ♦ AQ98
 ♣ 65

You are dealer.
 The opponents are silent.

Board: 241

Dealer: North
 Vul: None
 HCP: 10+1

♠ 9
 ♥ K8542
 ♦ A65
 ♣ QJT6

You are dealer.
 The opponents are silent.

Board: 242

Dealer: East
 Vul: E-W
 HCP: 9

♠ Q854
 ♥ A543
 ♦ J95
 ♣ Q2

LHO is dealer.
 The opponents are silent.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 238

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ T63

♥ AQJ87

♦ 72

♣ K63

South:

♠ J4

♥ KT3

♦ J3

♣ AQT985

W N E S

1 ♣

2 ♠ X Pass 3 ♣

All Pass

Board: 239

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQT9

♥ 985

♦ Q765

♣ AT

South:

♠ A843

♥ KJ42

♦ KT32

♣ 5

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

All Pass

Board: 240

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q6543

♥ 92

♦ AQ98

♣ 65

South:

♠ AK2

♥ J53

♦ KJ762

♣ K4

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

Board: 241

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 9

♥ K8542

♦ A65

♣ QJT6

South:

♠ 832

♥ AQ73

♦ KJ87

♣ 92

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

Board: 242

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♥ North

North:

♠ Q854

♥ A543

♦ J95

♣ Q2

South:

♠ K63

♥ QJT762

♦ Q63

♣ K

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥

Pass 3 ♥ All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 238	♠ J4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT3	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J3	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AQT985	

Board: 239	♠ A843	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT32	
HCP: 11	♣ 5	

Board: 240	♠ AK2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ762	
HCP: 15+1	♣ K4	

Board: 241	♠ 832	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ87	
HCP: 10	♣ 92	

Board: 242	♠ K63	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ QJT762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q63	
HCP: 11+2	♣ K	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 238

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ T63

♥ AQJ87

♦ 72

♣ K63

South:

♠ J4

♥ KT3

♦ J3

♣ AQT985

W N E S

1 ♣

2 ♠ X Pass 3 ♣

All Pass

Board: 239

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQT9

♥ 985

♦ Q765

♣ AT

South:

♠ A843

♥ KJ42

♦ KT32

♣ 5

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

All Pass

Board: 240

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q6543

♥ 92

♦ AQ98

♣ 65

South:

♠ AK2

♥ J53

♦ KJ762

♣ K4

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

Board: 241

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 9

♥ K8542

♦ A65

♣ QJT6

South:

♠ 832

♥ AQ73

♦ KJ87

♣ 92

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

Board: 242

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3 ♥ North

North:

♠ Q854

♥ A543

♦ J95

♣ Q2

South:

♠ K63

♥ QJT762

♦ Q63

♣ K

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥

Pass 3 ♥ All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 243 ♠ Q4 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ K4 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AKT9
 HCP: 21+1 ♣ AKQ94

Board: 244 ♠ J53 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AK8764 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ A
 HCP: 14+2 ♣ Q83

Board: 245 ♠ KT762 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ K73 East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ QJ75

Board: 246 ♠ AJ Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QT52 East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AQT74
 HCP: 14+1 ♣ J5

Board: 247 ♠ QT542 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ KQT72 East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ T
 HCP: 10+2 ♣ K8

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 4

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q4

♥ K4

♦ AKT9

♣ AKQ94

South:

♠ J86

♥ 8532

♦ QJ43

♣ 87

W N E S

Pass 2NT All Pass

Board: 244

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ J53

♥ AK8764

♦ A

♣ Q83

South:

♠ 96

♥ 2

♦ KQJ94

♣ AT952

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♣

All Pass

Board: 245

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT762

♥ K73

♦ A

♣ QJ75

South:

♠ A5

♥ J842

♦ 72

♣ AK632

W N E S

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 246

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ QT52

♦ AQT74

♣ J5

South:

♠ KQ732

♥ 3

♦ K983

♣ T43

W N E S

Pass 1♦ 2♥ 2♠

All Pass

Board: 247

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QT542

♥ KQT72

♦ T

♣ K8

South:

♠ AK9876

♥ 93

♦ Q2

♣ 943

W N E S

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 243	♠ J86	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 8532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ43	
HCP: 4	♣ 87	
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Board: 244	♠ 96	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ94	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AT952	
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Board: 245	♠ A5	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ J842	East (RHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 72	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AK632	
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Board: 246	♠ KQ732	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 3	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K983	
HCP: 8+1	♣ T43	
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Board: 247	♠ AK9876	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 93	East (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q2	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 943	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 4

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q4

♥ K4

♦ AKT9

♣ AKQ94

South:

♠ J86

♥ 8532

♦ QJ43

♣ 87

W N E S

Pass 2NT All Pass

Board: 244

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ J53

♥ AK8764

♦ A

♣ Q83

South:

♠ 96

♥ 2

♦ KQJ94

♣ AT952

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♣

All Pass

Board: 245

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT762

♥ K73

♦ A

♣ QJ75

South:

♠ A5

♥ J842

♦ 72

♣ AK632

W N E S

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 246

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ QT52

♦ AQT74

♣ J5

South:

♠ KQ732

♥ 3

♦ K983

♣ T43

W N E S

Pass 1♦ 2♥ 2♠

All Pass

Board: 247

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QT542

♥ KQT72

♦ T

♣ K8

South:

♠ AK9876

♥ 93

♦ Q2

♣ 943

W N E S

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 248

♠ 98752

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ 973

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J

HCP: 3+1

♣ Q652

Board: 249

♠ T86

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K8752

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A

HCP: 10+1

♣ KT84

Board: 250

♠ Q

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AKJ654

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ J96

HCP: 13+2

♣ Q75

Board: 251

♠ J96

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT932

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ -

HCP: 10+2

♣ KQT54

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 248

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 3+1

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 1 ♠ South

North:

♠ 98752

♥ 973

♦ J

♣ Q652

South:

♠ AJT43

♥ QJ

♦ AKQ73

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♠

All Pass

Board: 249

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ T86

♥ K8752

♦ A

♣ KT84

South:

♠ A74

♥ QT3

♦ K962

♣ AQ2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

Board: 250

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AKJ654

♦ J96

♣ Q75

South:

♠ A765

♥ -

♦ KT54

♣ A8632

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
All Pass			

Board: 251

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ J96

♥ AT932

♦ -

♣ KQT54

South:

♠ AQ74

♥ K854

♦ AK85

♣ 7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♠ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	6 ♥
All Pass			

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 248 ♠ AJT43 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ QJ The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AKQ73
 HCP: 17+2 ♣ 8

Board: 249 ♠ A74 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ QT3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ K962
 HCP: 15 ♣ AQ2

Board: 250 ♠ A765 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ - The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ KT54
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ A8632

Board: 251 ♠ AQ74 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ K854 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ AK85
 HCP: 16 ♣ 7

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 248

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 3+1

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 1 ♠ South

North:

♠ 98752

♥ 973

♦ J

♣ Q652

South:

♠ AJT43

♥ QJ

♦ AKQ73

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♠

All Pass

Board: 249

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ T86

♥ K8752

♦ A

♣ KT84

South:

♠ A74

♥ QT3

♦ K962

♣ AQ2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

Board: 250

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AKJ654

♦ J96

♣ Q75

South:

♠ A765

♥ -

♦ KT54

♣ A8632

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
All Pass			

Board: 251

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ J96

♥ AT932

♦ -

♣ KQT54

South:

♠ AQ74

♥ K854

♦ AK85

♣ 7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♠ ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	6 ♥
All Pass			

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 252 ♠ AQT9 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 8 West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T85
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ AQT83

Board: 253 ♠ J2 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AT964 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ K2
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ QJ92

Board: 254 ♠ 8542 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ A4 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AKT4
 HCP: 12 ♣ J97

Board: 255 ♠ KQ865 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ A8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ K82
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ T98

Board: 256 ♠ 6 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 75 West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KJT42
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ AK654

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 252

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQT9

♥ 8

♦ T85

♣ AQT83

South:

♠ J7432

♥ AJ753

♦ A

♣ 75

W N E S

1 ♠

2 ♦ 3 ♦¹ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 253

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ J2

♥ AT964

♦ K2

♣ QJ92

South:

♠ T98

♥ K8532

♦ 984

♣ A4

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 2 ♥

All Pass

Board: 254

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ 8542

♥ A4

♦ AKT4

♣ J97

South:

♠ KQT3

♥ 97

♦ Q975

♣ 863

W N E S

Pass 1 ♦ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

Board: 255

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ865

♥ A8

♦ K82

♣ T98

South:

♠ AJ94

♥ KJ542

♦ A53

♣ 7

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♥

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 256

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ 75

♦ KJT42

♣ AK654

South:

♠ Q9752

♥ KT6

♦ A6

♣ Q73

W N E S

1 ♠

2 ♥ X Pass 2 ♠

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 252 ♠ J7432 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AJ753 West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ A
 HCP: 10+2 ♣ 75

Board: 253 ♠ T98 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ K8532 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 984
 HCP: 7+1 ♣ A4

Board: 254 ♠ KQT3 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 97 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ Q975
 HCP: 7 ♣ 863

Board: 255 ♠ AJ94 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KJ542 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A53
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ 7

Board: 256 ♠ Q9752 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KT6 West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A6
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ Q73

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 252

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQT9

♥ 8

♦ T85

♣ AQT83

South:

♠ J7432

♥ AJ753

♦ A

♣ 75

W N E S

1 ♠

2 ♦ 3 ♦¹ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 253

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ J2

♥ AT964

♦ K2

♣ QJ92

South:

♠ T98

♥ K8532

♦ 984

♣ A4

W N E S

1 ♥ Pass 2 ♥

All Pass

Board: 254

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ 8542

♥ A4

♦ AKT4

♣ J97

South:

♠ KQT3

♥ 97

♦ Q975

♣ 863

W N E S

Pass 1 ♦ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ All Pass

Board: 255

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ865

♥ A8

♦ K82

♣ T98

South:

♠ AJ94

♥ KJ542

♦ A53

♣ 7

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 256

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ 75

♦ KJT42

♣ AK654

South:

♠ Q9752

♥ KT6

♦ A6

♣ Q73

W N E S

1 ♠

2 ♥ X Pass 2 ♠

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 257	♠ T87	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AJ72	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A87	
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ	
Board: 258	♠ 982	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AKQJ4	West (RHO) opens 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 14+2	♣ A8753	
Board: 259	♠ AT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ863	East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT952	
HCP: 13+2	♣ J	
Board: 260	♠ 95	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT43	
HCP: 11	♣ KQ86	
Board: 261	♠ AKJ8764	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 43	
HCP: 11+3	♣ 85	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ T87

♥ AJ72

♦ A87

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ KJ643

♥ T86

♦ K6

♣ J62

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♠
Pass	1NT	All Pass	

Board: 258

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♥ X South

North:

♠ 982

♥ AKQJ4

♦ -

♣ A8753

South:

♠ QJ

♥ 765

♦ KT43

♣ KQ96

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
2 ♠	3 ♠ ¹	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 259

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AT

♥ AJ863

♦ KT952

♣ J

South:

♠ 8

♥ Q952

♦ AJ6

♣ K9632

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♥	3 ♠	4 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 260

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 95

♥ QT6

♦ AT43

♣ KQ86

South:

♠ AKJ643

♥ K854

♦ KQ

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 261

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ8764

♥ K7

♦ 43

♣ 85

South:

♠ Q

♥ T9

♦ QJT75

♣ KQ764

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 257	♠ KJ643	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ T86	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K6	
HCP: 8+1	♣ J62	
Board: 258	♠ QJ	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 765	West (LHO) opens 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT43	East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ96	
Board: 259	♠ 8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q952	East (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ6	
HCP: 10+1	♣ K9632	
Board: 260	♠ AKJ643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K854	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	
HCP: 16+2	♣ 4	
Board: 261	♠ Q	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJT75	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KQ764	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ T87

♥ AJ72

♦ A87

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ KJ643

♥ T86

♦ K6

♣ J62

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♠
Pass	1NT	All Pass	

Board: 258

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♥ X South

North:

♠ 982

♥ AKQJ4

♦ -

♣ A8753

South:

♠ QJ

♥ 765

♦ KT43

♣ KQ96

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
2 ♠	3 ♠ ¹	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 259

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AT

♥ AJ863

♦ KT952

♣ J

South:

♠ 8

♥ Q952

♦ AJ6

♣ K9632

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♥	3 ♠	4 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 260

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 95

♥ QT6

♦ AT43

♣ KQ86

South:

♠ AKJ643

♥ K854

♦ KQ

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 261

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ8764

♥ K7

♦ 43

♣ 85

South:

♠ Q

♥ T9

♦ QJT75

♣ KQ764

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 262

♠ 85

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ QJ863

East (LHO) opens 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K5

HCP: 9+1

♣ K653

Board: 263

♠ 6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJT74

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 32

HCP: 12+2

♣ AKJT8

Board: 264

♠ JT94

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A3

HCP: 11+1

♣ AQ742

Board: 265

♠ AKJT64

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ 62

East (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A5

West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.

HCP: 14+2

♣ Q84

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 262

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ 85

♥ QJ863

♦ K5

♣ K653

South:

♠ AQ963

♥ A7

♦ QJT7

♣ Q2

W N E S

Pass Pass 2 ♥ 2 ♠

All Pass

Board: 263

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KJT74

♦ 32

♣ AKJT8

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ Q85

♦ 87

♣ Q942

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♦² Pass 2 ♥

All Pass

1. Reverse drury

2. artificial

Board: 264

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ JT94

♥ T3

♦ A3

♣ AQ742

South:

♠ AK83

♥ 76

♦ KJ4

♣ KJ93

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣¹

Pass 3 ♦² Pass 3NT³

Pass 4 ♣⁴ Pass 4 ♦⁵

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 265

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 6+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT64

♥ 62

♦ A5

♣ Q84

South:

♠ 973

♥ KQ9754

♦ 76

♣ J5

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦ Pass

1NT 2 ♠ All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 262 ♠ AQ963 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A7 East (RHO) opens 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ QJT7
 HCP: 15+1 ♣ Q2

Board: 263 ♠ KQJ3 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q85 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 87
 HCP: 10 ♣ Q942

Board: 264 ♠ AK83 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 76 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ KJ4
 HCP: 15 ♣ KJ93

Board: 265 ♠ 973 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KQ9754 East (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 76 West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
 HCP: 6+2 ♣ J5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 262

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ 85

♥ QJ863

♦ K5

♣ K653

South:

♠ AQ963

♥ A7

♦ QJT7

♣ Q2

W N E S

Pass Pass 2 ♥ 2 ♠

All Pass

Board: 263

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KJT74

♦ 32

♣ AKJT8

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ Q85

♦ 87

♣ Q942

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♦² Pass 2 ♥

All Pass

1. Reverse drury

2. artificial

Board: 264

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ JT94

♥ T3

♦ A3

♣ AQ742

South:

♠ AK83

♥ 76

♦ KJ4

♣ KJ93

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣¹

Pass 3 ♦² Pass 3NT³

Pass 4 ♣⁴ Pass 4 ♦⁵

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 265

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 6+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT64

♥ 62

♦ A5

♣ Q84

South:

♠ 973

♥ KQ9754

♦ 76

♣ J5

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♦ Pass

1NT 2 ♠ All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 266

♠ 98432

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJT8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 2

HCP: 10+2

♣ Q8

Board: 267

♠ QJ85

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ5

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 972

HCP: 14

♣ AK9

Board: 268

♠ J

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 73

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ97

HCP: 14+2

♣ AKJT65

Board: 269

♠ Q

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ 84

East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KJ94

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 9+2

♣ KT9876

Board: 270

♠ Q73

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 975

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AK9842

HCP: 9+2

♣ 7

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 266

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 98432	♠ J		1 ♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AKJT8	♥ Q3	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 2	♦ KQT86	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12+2	♣ Q8	♣ KJT64	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 267

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ85	♠ AT				Pass
Vul: None	♥ KJ5	♥ Q	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠	2 ♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 972	♦ 8653	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AK9	♣ Q87642				
Contract: 2 ♣ South						

Board: 268

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J	♠ Q653				1 ♥
Vul: N-S	♥ 73	♥ AKJ54	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AJ97	♦ 654	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AKJT65	♣ 2	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 269

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ Q	♠ AT92	Pass	Pass	1 ♦	X
Vul: Both	♥ 84	♥ QJ92	1 ♥	3 ♣	All Pass	
North HCP: 9+2	♦ KJ94	♦ 7				
South HCP: 10	♣ KT9876	♣ QJ53				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 270

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q73	♠ AT852				1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ 975	♥ QT8	Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AK9842	♦ 5				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ 7	♣ KJ92				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 266

♠ J

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQT86

HCP: 12+2

♣ KJT64

Board: 267

♠ AT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 8653

HCP: 8+2

♣ Q87642

Board: 268

♠ Q653

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 654

HCP: 10+1

♣ 2

Board: 269

♠ AT92

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ QJ92

East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 7

West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 10

♣ QJ53

Board: 270

♠ AT852

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QT8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 5

HCP: 10+1

♣ KJ92

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 266

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 98432	♠ J		1 ♠	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AKJT8	♥ Q3	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 10+2	♦ 2	♦ KQT86	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12+2	♣ Q8	♣ KJT64	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						1. forcing 1NT

Board: 267

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ85	♠ AT				Pass
Vul: None	♥ KJ5	♥ Q	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠	2 ♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 972	♦ 8653	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+2	♣ AK9	♣ Q87642				
Contract: 2 ♣ South						

Board: 268

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J	♠ Q653				1 ♥
Vul: N-S	♥ 73	♥ AKJ54	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AJ97	♦ 654	Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AKJT65	♣ 2	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 269

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ Q	♠ AT92	Pass	Pass	1 ♦	X
Vul: Both	♥ 84	♥ QJ92	1 ♥	3 ♣	All Pass	
North HCP: 9+2	♦ KJ94	♦ 7				
South HCP: 10	♣ KT9876	♣ QJ53				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 270

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q73	♠ AT852				1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ 975	♥ QT8	Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 9+2	♦ AK9842	♦ 5				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ 7	♣ KJ92				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 271 ♠ J764 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ QJ97 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ J4
 HCP: 5 ♣ 962

Board: 272 ♠ A982 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ K9654 West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ KJ
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ T9

Board: 273 ♠ KJ987 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 6 East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ J5
 HCP: 10+2 ♣ AJ875

Board: 274 ♠ Q93 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 986 East (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K3
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ KQJ63

Board: 275 ♠ Q95 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ KQ64 East (LHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 76
 HCP: 11 ♣ AT32

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 271

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ J764

♥ QJ97

♦ J4

♣ 962

South:

♠ AK3

♥ A852

♦ A63

♣ AT7

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

Board: 272

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ A982

♥ K9654

♦ KJ

♣ T9

South:

♠ KT65

♥ JT

♦ A652

♣ K85

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

1NT¹ 2♠ Pass 3♠

All Pass

1. Unusual 1NT

Board: 273

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KJ987

♥ 6

♦ J5

♣ AJ875

South:

♠ T6432

♥ AQJ7

♦ T

♣ QT3

W N E S

1♠ 2♥ 3♥¹

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 274

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ Q93

♥ 986

♦ K3

♣ KQJ63

South:

♠ KJ8

♥ AQT72

♦ QT4

♣ A4

W N E S

Pass 1♦ 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

Board: 275

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q95

♥ KQ64

♦ 76

♣ AT32

South:

♠ KJ72

♥ -

♦ AQT32

♣ QJ54

W N E S

Pass 1♥ X

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 271	♠ AK3	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ A852	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A63	
HCP: 19	♣ AT7	
Board: 272	♠ KT65	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ JT	West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A652	
HCP: 11	♣ K85	
Board: 273	♠ T6432	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ7	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T	
HCP: 9+1	♣ QT3	
Board: 274	♠ KJ8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT72	East (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT4	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A4	
Board: 275	♠ KJ72	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQT32	
HCP: 13+1	♣ QJ54	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 271

Board: 271	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ J764	♠ AK3	Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♣
Vul: E-W	♥ QJ97	♥ A852	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 5	♦ J4	♦ A63	All Pass			
South HCP: 19	♣ 962	♣ AT7				
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 272

Board: 272	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ A982	♠ KT65	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ K9654	♥ JT	1NT ¹	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 11+1	♦ KJ	♦ A652	All Pass			
South HCP: 11	♣ T9	♣ K85	1. Unusual 1NT			
Contract: 3 ♠ South						

1. Unusual 1NT

Board: 273

Board: 273	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ987	♠ T6432		1 ♠	2 ♥	3 ♥ ¹
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ AQJ7	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 10+2	♦ J5	♦ T	1. limit raise or better in !S			
South HCP: 9+1	♣ AJ875	♣ QT3				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 274

Board: 274	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q93	♠ KJ8		Pass	1 ♦	1 ♥
Vul: N-S	♥ 986	♥ AQT72	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
North HCP: 11+1	♦ K3	♦ QT4	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 16+1	♣ KQJ63	♣ A4				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

Board: 275

Board: 275	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q95	♠ KJ72		Pass	1 ♥	X
Vul: E-W	♥ KQ64	♥ -	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 11	♦ 76	♦ AQT32	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+1	♣ AT32	♣ QJ54				
Contract: 3NT North						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 276	♠ KT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ75	West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q983	
HCP: 10	♣ T8	
Board: 277	♠ AQ532	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J95	
HCP: 10+1	♣ T	
Board: 278	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J763	East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q9652	East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ AQ82	
Board: 279	♠ K7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ2	
HCP: 14+1	♣ JT632	
Board: 280	♠ A754	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ65	West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ J965	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT5	♠ 864		Pass	Pass	3♦
Vul: Both	♥ KQ75	♥ 2	3♠	4♦	All Pass	
North HCP: 10	♦ Q983	♦ KJT7642				
South HCP: 9+3	♣ T8	♣ AJ				
Contract: 4♦ North						

Board: 277

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ532	♠ T964		1♠	Pass	3♠
Vul: N-S	♥ KT84	♥ AQJ95	All Pass			
North HCP: 10+1	♦ J95	♦ Q84				
South HCP: 9+1	♣ T	♣ 4				
Contract: 3♠ South						

Board: 278

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ -	♠ AQJT4		Pass	1♦	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ J763	♥ Q85	Pass	Pass	X	All Pass
North HCP: 9+1	♦ Q9652	♦ J74				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AQ82	♣ T9				
Contract: 1♠X South						

Board: 279

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K7	♠ A83				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AJ9	♥ Q874	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+1	♦ KQ2	♦ AJ987	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+1	♣ JT632	♣ 8	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 280

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A754	♠ J6				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AQ65	♥ 84	X	XX	1♦	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q	♦ KT82	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ J965	♣ AKT32				
Contract: 3NT North						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 276	♠ 864	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 2	West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJT7642	
HCP: 9+3	♣ AJ	
Board: 277	♠ T964	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q84	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 4	
Board: 278	♠ AQJT4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q85	East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J74	East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ T9	
Board: 279	♠ A83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ987	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 8	
Board: 280	♠ J6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 84	West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KT82	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ AKT32	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT5	♠ 864		Pass	Pass	3♦
Vul: Both	♥ KQ75	♥ 2	3♠	4♦	All Pass	
North HCP: 10	♦ Q983	♦ KJT7642				
South HCP: 9+3	♣ T8	♣ AJ				
Contract: 4♦ North						

Board: 277

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AQ532	♠ T964		1♠	Pass	3♠
Vul: N-S	♥ KT84	♥ AQJ95	All Pass			
North HCP: 10+1	♦ J95	♦ Q84				
South HCP: 9+1	♣ T	♣ 4				
Contract: 3♠ South						

Board: 278

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ -	♠ AQJT4		Pass	1♦	1♠
Vul: E-W	♥ J763	♥ Q85	Pass	Pass	X	All Pass
North HCP: 9+1	♦ Q9652	♦ J74				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AQ82	♣ T9				
Contract: 1♠X South						

Board: 279

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K7	♠ A83				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AJ9	♥ Q874	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14+1	♦ KQ2	♦ AJ987	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 11+1	♣ JT632	♣ 8	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 280

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A754	♠ J6				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AQ65	♥ 84	X	XX	1♦	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q	♦ KT82	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ J965	♣ AKT32				
Contract: 3NT North						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 281	♠ AQ532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK653	
HCP: 14+2	♣ JT7	
Board: 282	♠ 76	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ87	
HCP: 12+2	♣ AKJ852	
Board: 283	♠ AJ9764	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ A5	West (RHO) opens 2♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T9	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK4	
Board: 284	♠ AT72	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AQ8764	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T7	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 4	
Board: 285	♠ J7542	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T	
HCP: 10+1	♣ AK32	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 281

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ532	♠ -				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ -	♥ QT3	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 NT
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AK653	♦ JT982	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
South HCP: 9+2	♣ JT7	♣ AQ864	Pass	5 ♦	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♦ North						

Board: 282

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 76	♠ AKT8532			Pass	1 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ A876	Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 12+2	♦ QJ87	♦ 93	Pass	2 NT	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 11+3	♣ AKJ852	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

1. forcing 1 NT

Board: 283

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ AJ9764	♠ T5			Pass	Pass
Vul: None	♥ A5	♥ QJ64	2 ♦	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
North HCP: 16+2	♦ T9	♦ A43	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 8	♣ AK4	♣ J765				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 284

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ AT72	♠ KQ98654			Pass	4 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ AQ8764	♥ 9	All Pass			
North HCP: 10+2	♦ T7	♦ -				
South HCP: 10+4	♣ 4	♣ KQ962				
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 285

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ J7542	♠ AK	Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q52	♥ KT7	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
North HCP: 10+1	♦ T	♦ AJ9652	Pass	3 NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 15+2	♣ AK32	♣ T7				
Contract: 3 NT North						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 281 ♠ - You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QT3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ JT982
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ AQ864

Board: 282 ♠ AKT8532 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ A876 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 93
 HCP: 11+3 ♣ -

Board: 283 ♠ T5 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ QJ64 West (LHO) opens 2♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ A43
 HCP: 8 ♣ J765

Board: 284 ♠ KQ98654 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ 9 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ -
 HCP: 10+4 ♣ KQ962

Board: 285 ♠ AK LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ KT7 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ AJ9652
 HCP: 15+2 ♣ T7

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 281

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ AQ532

♥ -

♦ AK653

♣ JT7

South:

♠ -

♥ QT3

♦ JT982

♣ AQ864

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	5 ♦	All Pass	

Board: 282

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 76

♥ J

♦ QJ87

♣ AKJ852

South:

♠ AKT8532

♥ A876

♦ 93

♣ -

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1 NT ¹	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 NT	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. forcing 1 NT

Board: 283

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJ9764

♥ A5

♦ T9

♣ AK4

South:

♠ T5

♥ QJ64

♦ A43

♣ J765

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
2 ♦	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ¹
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 284

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 10+4

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT72

♥ AQ8764

♦ T7

♣ 4

South:

♠ KQ98654

♥ 9

♦ -

♣ KQ962

W	N	E	S
		Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 285

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 3 NT North

North:

♠ J7542

♥ Q52

♦ T

♣ AK32

South:

♠ AK

♥ KT7

♦ AJ9652

♣ T7

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 286	♠ J4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q9862	
HCP: 9+1	♣ KQJ2	
Board: 287	♠ A965	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ 954	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 862	
HCP: 8	♣ AT7	
Board: 288	♠ K873	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K872	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ64	
HCP: 11	♣ J	
Board: 289	♠ AT9865	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ J	East (LHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ84	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 16+3	♣ A	East (LHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.
Board: 290	♠ KJ872	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 943	
HCP: 8+1	♣ T3	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 286

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J4

♥ 43

♦ Q9862

♣ KQJ2

South:

♠ AT9

♥ AQT

♦ AK543

♣ 73

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 287

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 11

North:

♠ A965

♥ 954

♦ 862

♣ AT7

South:

♠ KT74

♥ AKT8

♦ T75

♣ J2

W N E S

Pass Out

Board: 288

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K873

♥ K872

♦ KJ64

♣ J

South:

♠ AQ4

♥ Q54

♦ Q85

♣ K974

W N E S

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

Board: 289

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 6

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ AT9865

♥ J

♦ AQJ84

♣ A

South:

♠ K4

♥ T87

♦ T963

♣ QJ82

W N E S

1♥ Pass

2♥ 3♥¹ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♠ X All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

Board: 290

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ KJ872

♥ A92

♦ 943

♣ T3

South:

♠ T3

♥ KT86

♦ AQJT

♣ A95

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 286

♠ AT9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AK543

HCP: 17+1

♣ 73

Board: 287

♠ KT74

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ AKT8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ T75

HCP: 11

♣ J2

Board: 288

♠ AQ4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q85

HCP: 13

♣ K974

Board: 289

♠ K4

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ T87

East (RHO) opens 1♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ T963

West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 6

♣ QJ82

East (RHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

Board: 290

♠ T3

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ KT86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJT

HCP: 14

♣ A95

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 286

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ J4	♠ AT9		Pass	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ 43	♥ AQT	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 9+1	♦ Q9862	♦ AK543	All Pass			
South HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJ2	♣ 73				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 287

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ A965	♠ KT74	Pass Out			
Vul: E-W	♥ 954	♥ AKT8				
North HCP: 8	♦ 862	♦ T75				
South HCP: 11	♣ AT7	♣ J2				

Board: 288

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K873	♠ AQ4		1 ♦	Pass	2 ♣
Vul: E-W	♥ K872	♥ Q54	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KJ64	♦ Q85	All Pass			
South HCP: 13	♣ J	♣ K974				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 289

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ AT9865	♠ K4			1 ♥	Pass
Vul: None	♥ J	♥ T87	2 ♥	3 ♥ ¹	Pass	3NT ²
North HCP: 16+3	♦ AQJ84	♦ T963	Pass	4 ♠	X	All Pass
South HCP: 6	♣ A	♣ QJ82				
Contract: 4 ♠ X North						

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. to the partner's longer

Board: 290

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KJ872	♠ T3	Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ A92	♥ KT86	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 8+1	♦ 943	♦ AQJT	All Pass			
South HCP: 14	♣ T3	♣ A95				
Contract: 1NT South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 291	♠ QT654	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ K92	West (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ K	East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 15+1	♣ AK65	East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

Board: 292	♠ 4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT62	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJT65	
HCP: 10+1	♣ KQ7	

Board: 293	♠ K	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT976	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ	
HCP: 10+2	♣ 98762	

Board: 294	♠ KJ864	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 953	East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ96	East (LHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+1	♣ 6	

Board: 295	♠ KQJ92	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ 75	West (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J4	East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 14+1	♣ AK43	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 291

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ QT654

♥ K92

♦ K

♣ AK65

South:

♠ J

♥ 6

♦ AT97532

♣ QT32

W	N	E	S
1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass
Pass	3 ♣	3 ♥	5 ♣
All Pass			

Board: 292

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ 4

♥ JT62

♦ KJT65

♣ KQ7

South:

♠ AJT3

♥ K3

♦ A8

♣ T9854

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♣
1 ♠	X	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2NT
All Pass			

Board: 293

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ K

♥ QT976

♦ AJ

♣ 98762

South:

♠ AQ643

♥ 83

♦ Q7

♣ AJT5

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
All Pass			

Board: 294

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ KJ864

♥ 953

♦ KQ96

♣ 6

South:

♠ QT

♥ K84

♦ AT8542

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♥	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥ ¹	X	3NT
Pass	5 ♦	All Pass	

1. limit raise or better in !D

Board: 295

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQJ92

♥ 75

♦ J4

♣ AK43

South:

♠ AT83

♥ JT

♦ A987

♣ 852

W	N	E	S
1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 291

♠ J

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ 6

West (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT97532

East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 7+3

♣ QT32

East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

Board: 292

♠ AJT3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K3

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A8

HCP: 12+1

♣ T9854

Board: 293

♠ AQ643

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 83

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q7

HCP: 13+1

♣ AJT5

Board: 294

♠ QT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K84

East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AT8542

East (RHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 16+2

♣ AK

Board: 295

♠ AT83

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ JT

West (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A987

East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 9

♣ 852

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 291

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ QT654	♠ J	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ K92	♥ 6	Pass	3 ♣	3 ♥	5 ♣
North HCP: 15+1	♦ K	♦ AT97532	All Pass			
South HCP: 7+3	♣ AK65	♣ QT32				
Contract: 5 ♣ South						

Board: 292

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 4	♠ AJT3		Pass	Pass	1 ♣
Vul: Both	♥ JT62	♥ K3	1 ♠	X	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10+1	♦ KJT65	♦ A8	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 12+1	♣ KQ7	♣ T9854	All Pass			
Contract: 2NT South						

Board: 293

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ AQ643		1 ♥	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ QT976	♥ 83	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
North HCP: 10+2	♦ AJ	♦ Q7	All Pass			
South HCP: 13+1	♣ 98762	♣ AJT5				
Contract: 5 ♣ South						

Board: 294

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KJ864	♠ QT		Pass	1 ♥	2 ♦
Vul: E-W	♥ 953	♥ K84	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♦
North HCP: 9+1	♦ KQ96	♦ AT8542	Pass	3 ♥ ¹	X	3NT
South HCP: 16+2	♣ 6	♣ AK	Pass	5 ♦	All Pass	
Contract: 5 ♦ North						

1. limit raise or better in !D

Board: 295

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KQJ92	♠ AT83	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♥	2 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ 75	♥ JT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ J4	♦ A987	All Pass			
South HCP: 9	♣ AK43	♣ 852				
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 296

♠ K9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKQ62

HCP: 16+1

♣ KJ94

Board: 297

♠ K75

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A653

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ9

HCP: 17

♣ A96

Board: 298

♠ QT6

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ T43

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKT5

HCP: 12

♣ KT6

Board: 299

♠ AT7542

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ A86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KJ2

HCP: 16+2

♣ A

Board: 300

♠ KT743

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ K

East (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ853

HCP: 14+2

♣ A8

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 296

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ 32

♦ AKQ62

♣ KJ94

South:

♠ AT86

♥ KQ654

♦ JT3

♣ 6

W N E S

1 ♥

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 297

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K75

♥ A653

♦ AQ9

♣ A96

South:

♠ QJ63

♥ 72

♦ K63

♣ KQ84

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 298

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT6

♥ T43

♦ AKT5

♣ KT6

South:

♠ AJ87432

♥ KJ

♦ 32

♣ 32

W N E S

Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

Board: 299

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT7542

♥ A86

♦ KJ2

♣ A

South:

♠ 3

♥ Q32

♦ A9854

♣ J972

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3 ♠ All Pass

Board: 300

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ KT743

♥ K

♦ KJ853

♣ A8

South:

♠ J65

♥ AJT9864

♦ 2

♣ Q9

W N E S

1 ♣ 3 ♥

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 296	♠ AT86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ654	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ JT3	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 6	
Board: 297	♠ QJ63	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K63	
HCP: 11	♣ KQ84	
Board: 298	♠ AJ87432	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 32	
HCP: 9+3	♣ 32	
Board: 299	♠ 3	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ Q32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A9854	
HCP: 7+1	♣ J972	
Board: 300	♠ J65	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AJT9864	East (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 2	
HCP: 8+3	♣ Q9	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 296

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ 32

♦ AKQ62

♣ KJ94

South:

♠ AT86

♥ KQ654

♦ JT3

♣ 6

W N E S

1 ♥

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 297

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K75

♥ A653

♦ AQ9

♣ A96

South:

♠ QJ63

♥ 72

♦ K63

♣ KQ84

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 298

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT6

♥ T43

♦ AKT5

♣ KT6

South:

♠ AJ87432

♥ KJ

♦ 32

♣ 32

W N E S

Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

Board: 299

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT7542

♥ A86

♦ KJ2

♣ A

South:

♠ 3

♥ Q32

♦ A9854

♣ J972

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3 ♠ All Pass

Board: 300

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ KT743

♥ K

♦ KJ853

♣ A8

South:

♠ J65

♥ AJT9864

♦ 2

♣ Q9

W N E S

1 ♣ 3 ♥

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 301 ♠ AQ952 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ K9765 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 9
 HCP: 13+2 ♣ A7

Board: 302 ♠ KJT8 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ A4 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AK952
 HCP: 19+1 ♣ A4

Board: 303 ♠ AK976 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ J7 West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QJ76 East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ 52 West (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.

Board: 304 ♠ 74 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ A9 East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AT95
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ Q9653

Board: 305 ♠ KQ84 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ JT83 West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ A East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 14 ♣ AT62

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 301

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AQ952

♥ K9765

♦ 9

♣ A7

South:

♠ 87

♥ QJ43

♦ AKQ54

♣ KJ

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
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Pass	6♥	All Pass	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 302

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 4+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KJT8

♥ A4

♦ AK952

♣ A4

South:

♠ A96432

♥ 9762

♦ -

♣ 875

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♦	Pass	2♠ ¹
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Pass	4♠	All Pass	
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1. Weak Jump Shifts 2

Board: 303

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ AK976

♥ J7

♦ QJ76

♣ 52

South:

♠ JT83

♥ A642

♦ 95

♣ A87

W	N	E	S
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1♦	1♠	2♥ ¹	2♠
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3♣	Pass	Pass	3♠
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All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 304

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ A9

♦ AT95

♣ Q9653

South:

♠ KJ532

♥ K732

♦ 32

♣ AT

W	N	E	S
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			1♠
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Pass	1NT ¹	2♥	Pass
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Pass	X	Pass	2♠
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All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 305

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♠ North

North:

♠ KQ84

♥ JT83

♦ A

♣ AT62

South:

♠ J753

♥ K94

♦ 986

♣ Q97

W	N	E	S
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1♦	X	1♥	X
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Pass	¹ 2♠	All Pass	
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1. max 2 !H

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 301	♠ 87	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ QJ43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ54	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ	
Board: 302	♠ A96432	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 9762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 4+2	♣ 875	
Board: 303	♠ JT83	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ A642	West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 95	East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9	♣ A87	West (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
Board: 304	♠ KJ532	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K732	East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 32	
HCP: 11+1	♣ AT	
Board: 305	♠ J753	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ K94	West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 986	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 6	♣ Q97	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 301

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AQ952

♥ K9765

♦ 9

♣ A7

South:

♠ 87

♥ QJ43

♦ AKQ54

♣ KJ

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
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Pass	6♥	All Pass	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 302

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 4+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KJT8

♥ A4

♦ AK952

♣ A4

South:

♠ A96432

♥ 9762

♦ -

♣ 875

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♦	Pass	2♠ ¹
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Pass	4♠	All Pass	
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1. Weak Jump Shifts 2

Board: 303

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ AK976

♥ J7

♦ QJ76

♣ 52

South:

♠ JT83

♥ A642

♦ 95

♣ A87

W	N	E	S
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1♦	1♠	2♥ ¹	2♠
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3♣	Pass	Pass	3♠
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All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 304

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ A9

♦ AT95

♣ Q9653

South:

♠ KJ532

♥ K732

♦ 32

♣ AT

W	N	E	S
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			1♠
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Pass	1NT ¹	2♥	Pass
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Pass	X	Pass	2♠
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All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 305

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♠ North

North:

♠ KQ84

♥ JT83

♦ A

♣ AT62

South:

♠ J753

♥ K94

♦ 986

♣ Q97

W	N	E	S
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1♦	X	1♥	X
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Pass	¹ 2♠	All Pass	
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1. max 2 !H

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 306

♠ 54

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K8

West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQJT9

HCP: 10+1

♣ T763

Board: 307

♠ 54

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ Q94

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ

HCP: 15+1

♣ AT963

Board: 308

♠ 2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T965

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQJ3

HCP: 11

♣ KQT8

Board: 309

♠ AKT432

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ8

East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ J7

HCP: 11+2

♣ 98

Board: 310

♠ KQ4

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ A5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ2

HCP: 16+1

♣ Q7654

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 306

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 54

♥ K8

♦ AQJT9

♣ T763

South:

♠ T97

♥ AJT9654

♦ 74

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	3♥
3♠	4♥	All Pass	

Board: 307

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ 54

♥ Q94

♦ AKQ

♣ AT963

South:

♠ AKJT32

♥ 85

♦ T82

♣ J2

W	N	E	S
Pass	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. Texas

Board: 308

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 2

♥ T965

♦ KQJ3

♣ KQT8

South:

♠ AQJ54

♥ KQJ82

♦ 6

♣ J5

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

Board: 309

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT432

♥ QJ8

♦ J7

♣ 98

South:

♠ Q987

♥ 3

♦ QT854

♣ AJ3

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♠	X	4♠
All Pass			

Board: 310

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ A5

♦ AJ2

♣ Q7654

South:

♠ A9863

♥ 9

♦ 98

♣ AKT92

W	N	E	S
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
All Pass			

1. Blackwood 0314, for !C

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 306 ♠ T97 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AJT9654 West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 74
 HCP: 9+3 ♣ A

Board: 307 ♠ AKJT32 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 85 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T82
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ J2

Board: 308 ♠ AQJ54 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ KQJ82 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 6
 HCP: 14+2 ♣ J5

Board: 309 ♠ Q987 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 3 East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ QT854
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ AJ3

Board: 310 ♠ A9863 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 9 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 98
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ AKT92

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 306

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 54

♥ K8

♦ AQJT9

♣ T763

South:

♠ T97

♥ AJT9654

♦ 74

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	3♥
3♠	4♥	All Pass	

Board: 307

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ 54

♥ Q94

♦ AKQ

♣ AT963

South:

♠ AKJT32

♥ 85

♦ T82

♣ J2

W	N	E	S
Pass	1NT	Pass	4♥ ¹
Pass	4♠	All Pass	

1. Texas

Board: 308

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 2

♥ T965

♦ KQJ3

♣ KQT8

South:

♠ AQJ54

♥ KQJ82

♦ 6

♣ J5

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

Board: 309

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT432

♥ QJ8

♦ J7

♣ 98

South:

♠ Q987

♥ 3

♦ QT854

♣ AJ3

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♠	X	4♠
All Pass			

Board: 310

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ A5

♦ AJ2

♣ Q7654

South:

♠ A9863

♥ 9

♦ 98

♣ AKT92

W	N	E	S
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣ ²
All Pass			

1. Blackwood 0314, for !C
2. A=0/5 or 3/5

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 311	♠ K3	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AQ87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q	
HCP: 15+2	♣ A75432	
Board: 312	♠ Q84	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ53	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 9	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ KJT82	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
		West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
		West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.
Board: 313	♠ J952	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q432	
HCP: 11	♣ AJ8	
Board: 314	♠ 5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J8653	West (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK	
HCP: 14+2	♣ KQJ84	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 311

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ K3	♠ AJ7652	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ87	♥ KJ2	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 15+2	♦ Q	♦ A9	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	6 ♣
South HCP: 15+2	♣ A75432	♣ QT	All Pass			
Contract: 6 ♣ South						

Board: 312

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q84	♠ 96		1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♥
Vul: None	♥ KQ53	♥ JT987	1 ♠	2 ♥	2 ♠	3 ♥
North HCP: 11+1	♦ 9	♦ A752	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
South HCP: 5+1	♣ KJT82	♣ 64	X	All Pass		
Contract: 4 ♥ X North						

Board: 313

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J952	♠ KQ43				1 ♥
Vul: E-W	♥ K9	♥ AJ764	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 11	♦ Q432	♦ 987	All Pass			
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AJ8	♣ 3				
Contract: 2 ♠ South						

Board: 314

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 5	♠ K9872				Pass
Vul: Both	♥ J8653	♥ 7	1 ♥	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AK	♦ Q643	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+1	♣ KQJ84	♣ A63				
Contract: 2 ♠ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 311	♠ AJ7652	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ KJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A9	
HCP: 15+2	♣ QT	
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Board: 312	♠ 96	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT987	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A752	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 5+1	♣ 64	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
		West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
		West (LHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.
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Board: 313	♠ KQ43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ764	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 987	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 3	
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Board: 314	♠ K9872	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 7	West (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q643	
HCP: 9+1	♣ A63	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 311

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ K3	♠ AJ7652	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ87	♥ KJ2	Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 15+2	♦ Q	♦ A9	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	6 ♣
South HCP: 15+2	♣ A75432	♣ QT	All Pass			
Contract: 6 ♣ South						

Board: 312

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q84	♠ 96		1 ♣	1 ♦	1 ♥
Vul: None	♥ KQ53	♥ JT987	1 ♠	2 ♥	2 ♠	3 ♥
North HCP: 11+1	♦ 9	♦ A752	3 ♠	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
South HCP: 5+1	♣ KJT82	♣ 64	X	All Pass		
Contract: 4 ♥ X North						

Board: 313

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J952	♠ KQ43				1 ♥
Vul: E-W	♥ K9	♥ AJ764	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 11	♦ Q432	♦ 987	All Pass			
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AJ8	♣ 3				
Contract: 2 ♠ South						

Board: 314

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 5	♠ K9872				Pass
Vul: Both	♥ J8653	♥ 7	1 ♥	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
North HCP: 14+2	♦ AK	♦ Q643	All Pass			
South HCP: 9+1	♣ KQJ84	♣ A63				
Contract: 2 ♠ South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 315

♠ 4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ97

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ QT873

HCP: 11+1

♣ K92

Board: 316

♠ J753

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ 4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ JT9643

HCP: 4+2

♣ Q9

Board: 317

♠ 5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ62

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQT83

HCP: 12+1

♣ QT3

Board: 318

♠ K8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ542

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 6542

West (RHO) bids 5♣ if possible.

HCP: 10+1

♣ K4

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 315

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ AQ97

♦ QT873

♣ K92

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ T863

♦ A5

♣ QJT4

W N E S

1♦ 2♠ X

Pass 3♥ All Pass

Board: 316

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 4+2

South HCP: 21+2

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ J753

♥ 4

♦ JT9643

♣ Q9

South:

♠ AK98

♥ AKQJT5

♦ A

♣ T2

W N E S

Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦² Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♥

All Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

Board: 317

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ 5

♥ KQ62

♦ KQT83

♣ QT3

South:

♠ QT986

♥ 94

♦ 9764

♣ AK

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT All Pass

Board: 318

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ K8

♥ KJ542

♦ 6542

♣ K4

South:

♠ JT7

♥ AT9876

♦ AKQ

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² Pass 4♣³

Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

5♣ 5♥ All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

3. Splinter

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 315 ♠ AJ7 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ T863 East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ A5
 HCP: 12 ♣ QJT4

Board: 316 ♠ AK98 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AKQJT5 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A
 HCP: 21+2 ♣ T2

Board: 317 ♠ QT986 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 94 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 9764
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ AK

Board: 318 ♠ JT7 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AT9876 West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ AKQ West (LHO) bids 5 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 14+2 ♣ 9

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 315

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 4

♥ AQ97

♦ QT873

♣ K92

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ T863

♦ A5

♣ QJT4

W N E S

1♦ 2♠ X

Pass 3♥ All Pass

Board: 316

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 4+2

South HCP: 21+2

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ J753

♥ 4

♦ JT9643

♣ Q9

South:

♠ AK98

♥ AKQJT5

♦ A

♣ T2

W N E S

Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦² Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 5♥

All Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

Board: 317

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 1NT North

North:

♠ 5

♥ KQ62

♦ KQT83

♣ QT3

South:

♠ QT986

♥ 94

♦ 9764

♣ AK

W N E S

Pass

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT All Pass

Board: 318

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 5♥ North

North:

♠ K8

♥ KJ542

♦ 6542

♣ K4

South:

♠ JT7

♥ AT9876

♦ AKQ

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² Pass 4♣³

Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

5♣ 5♥ All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. limit raise or better in !H

3. Splinter

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 319

♠ AT8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 82

East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A8

HCP: 11+2

♣ QJT842

Board: 320

♠ AK65

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T98

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J

HCP: 15+1

♣ AK732

Board: 321

♠ Q74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A8652

West (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ JT3

West (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 9+1

♣ Q2

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Board: 322

♠ T

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT975

East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 973

HCP: 8+1

♣ KQT8

Board: 323

♠ QJ53

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K642

West (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 86

East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

HCP: 10

♣ A72

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 319

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AT8

♥ 82

♦ A8

♣ QJT842

South:

♠ 32

♥ KJ96

♦ Q72

♣ AK73

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣	2 ♣ ¹	2 ♥ ²
Pass	5 ♣	All Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !C

Board: 320

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK65

♥ T98

♦ J

♣ AK732

South:

♠ J

♥ AJ753

♦ K7532

♣ J8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 321

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q74

♥ A8652

♦ JT3

♣ Q2

South:

♠ K93

♥ Q9743

♦ Q87

♣ K5

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1 ♣	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
X	Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 322

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T

♥ KT975

♦ 973

♣ KQT8

South:

♠ A94

♥ AJ

♦ KQ852

♣ A65

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1 ♥	1 ♠	2NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

Board: 323

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3 ♥ North

North:

♠ QJ53

♥ K642

♦ 86

♣ A72

South:

♠ 72

♥ QJT83

♦ -

♣ KQ9863

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠	2NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥	All Pass	

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 319	♠ 32	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ96	East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q72	
HCP: 13	♣ AK73	
Board: 320	♠ J	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ753	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K7532	
HCP: 10+2	♣ J8	
Board: 321	♠ K93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9743	West (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q87	West (LHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ K5	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Board: 322	♠ A94	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ852	
HCP: 18+1	♣ A65	
Board: 323	♠ 72	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJT83	West (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 8+3	♣ KQ9863	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 319

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AT8

♥ 82

♦ A8

♣ QJT842

South:

♠ 32

♥ KJ96

♦ Q72

♣ AK73

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣	2 ♣ ¹	2 ♥ ²
Pass	5 ♣	All Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !C

Board: 320

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK65

♥ T98

♦ J

♣ AK732

South:

♠ J

♥ AJ753

♦ K7532

♣ J8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 321

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q74

♥ A8652

♦ JT3

♣ Q2

South:

♠ K93

♥ Q9743

♦ Q87

♣ K5

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1 ♣	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
X	Pass	2 ♠	3 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 322

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T

♥ KT975

♦ 973

♣ KQT8

South:

♠ A94

♥ AJ

♦ KQ852

♣ A65

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1 ♥	1 ♠	2NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

Board: 323

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3 ♥ North

North:

♠ QJ53

♥ K642

♦ 86

♣ A72

South:

♠ 72

♥ QJT83

♦ -

♣ KQ9863

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠	2NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥	All Pass	
1. Unusual 2NT			

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 324

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

HCP: 13

♠ J85

♥ A74

♦ AJ65

♣ K62

Partner is dealer.

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Board: 325

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

HCP: 16

♠ QJT2

♥ AQ62

♦ KT4

♣ A9

Partner is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 326

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

HCP: 13+1

♠ KQ73

♥ AQT6

♦ Q8742

♣ -

LHO is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 327

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

HCP: 13+1

♠ Q3

♥ AT962

♦ KQT9

♣ Q8

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 328

Dealer: South

Vul: None

HCP: 17

♠ J4

♥ AJT7

♦ AKJ

♣ QJ65

Partner is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 324

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J85	♠ K7432				Pass
Vul: Both	♥ A74	♥ 5	1 ♣	X	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ65	♦ KQ874	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+2	♣ K62	♣ 85				
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 325

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJT2	♠ K8				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ62	♥ 85	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ KT4	♦ 973	Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A9	♣ KQT863	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
2. automat

Board: 326

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ KQ73	♠ AT42			Pass	1 ♥
Vul: N-S	♥ AQT6	♥ 85432	Pass	4 ♣ ¹	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 13+1	♦ Q8742	♦ A9	All Pass			
South HCP: 11+1	♣ -	♣ KT				
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

1. Splinter

Board: 327

Board: 327	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ Q3	♠ AKJ7	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AT962	♥ QJ87	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 13+1	♦ KQT9	♦ 754	1. Jacoby 2NT			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q8	♣ 72				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

Board: 328

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J4	♠ AT876				Pass
Vul: None	♥ AJT7	♥ K9653	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AKJ	♦ Q63	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ65	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 324 ♠ K7432 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 5 West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ KQ874
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ 85

Board: 325 ♠ K8 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 85 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 973
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ KQT863

Board: 326 ♠ AT42 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ 85432 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ A9
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ KT

Board: 327 ♠ AKJ7 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ QJ87 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 754
 HCP: 11 ♣ 72

Board: 328 ♠ AT876 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ K9653 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ Q63
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ -

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 324

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J85	♠ K7432				Pass
Vul: Both	♥ A74	♥ 5	1 ♣	X	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ65	♦ KQ874	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+2	♣ K62	♣ 85				
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 325

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJT2	♠ K8				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AQ62	♥ 85	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠ ¹
North HCP: 16	♦ KT4	♦ 973	Pass	3 ♣ ²	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8+2	♣ A9	♣ KQT863	All Pass			

1. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

2. automat

Board: 326

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ KQ73	♠ AT42			Pass	1 ♥
Vul: N-S	♥ AQT6	♥ 85432	Pass	4 ♣ ¹	Pass	4 ♥
North HCP: 13+1	♦ Q8742	♦ A9	All Pass			
South HCP: 11+1	♣ -	♣ KT				
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

1. Splinter

Board: 327

Board: 327	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ Q3	♠ AKJ7	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ AT962	♥ QJ87	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 13+1	♦ KQT9	♦ 754	1. Jacoby 2NT			
South HCP: 11	♣ Q8	♣ 72				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

Board: 328

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ J4	♠ AT876				Pass
Vul: None	♥ AJT7	♥ K9653	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AKJ	♦ Q63	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 9+2	♣ QJ65	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 329

♠ KJ8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ9765

East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ -

HCP: 11+2

♣ Q963

Board: 330

♠ J432

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q8432

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A

HCP: 10+1

♣ K65

Board: 331

♠ QJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ975432

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AK2

HCP: 15+4

♣ -

Board: 332

♠ QJ83

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ3

East (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 92

West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

HCP: 11

♣ KT72

Board: 333

♠ 7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT5

West (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQJ983

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+2

♣ T75

East (LHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 329

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ AJ9765

♦ -

♣ Q963

South:

♠ Q963

♥ K3

♦ KQT7

♣ 742

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♥	2♦	X
Pass	2♥	All Pass	

Board: 330

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J432

♥ Q8432

♦ A

♣ K65

South:

♠ T

♥ AJ975

♦ KQT2

♣ J87

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♥
2♣	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 331

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+4

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AJ975432

♦ AK2

♣ -

South:

♠ K3

♥ KQ

♦ JT976

♣ Q863

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♥	2♥ ¹	2NT
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 332

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ QJ83

♥ KQ3

♦ 92

♣ KT72

South:

♠ A6

♥ T84

♦ KT

♣ AJ8643

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♣
Pass	1♠	1NT ¹	2♣
2♦	2♥ ²	Pass	3♣
All Pass			

1. Unusual 1NT

2. limit raise or better in !C

Board: 333

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♦ X South

North:

♠ 7

♥ KT5

♦ AQJ983

♣ T75

South:

♠ KQ643

♥ J4

♦ 76542

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1♣	2♦	2♠ ¹	4♦
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 329

♠ Q963

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K3

East (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQT7

HCP: 10

♣ 742

Board: 330

♠ T

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ975

West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQT2

HCP: 11+1

♣ J87

Board: 331

♠ K3

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ JT976

HCP: 11+1

♣ Q863

Board: 332

♠ A6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T84

East (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KT

West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

HCP: 12+2

♣ AJ8643

Board: 333

♠ KQ643

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J4

West (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 76542

East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 8+2

♣ Q

East (RHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 329

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2♥ North

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ AJ9765

♦ -

♣ Q963

South:

♠ Q963

♥ K3

♦ KQT7

♣ 742

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♥	2♦	X
Pass	2♥	All Pass	

Board: 330

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J432

♥ Q8432

♦ A

♣ K65

South:

♠ T

♥ AJ975

♦ KQT2

♣ J87

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♥
2♣	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 331

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+4

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AJ975432

♦ AK2

♣ -

South:

♠ K3

♥ KQ

♦ JT976

♣ Q863

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♥	2♥ ¹	2NT
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 332

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ QJ83

♥ KQ3

♦ 92

♣ KT72

South:

♠ A6

♥ T84

♦ KT

♣ AJ8643

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♣
Pass	1♠	1NT ¹	2♣
2♦	2♥ ²	Pass	3♣
All Pass			

1. Unusual 1NT

2. limit raise or better in !C

Board: 333

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♦ X South

North:

♠ 7

♥ KT5

♦ AQJ983

♣ T75

South:

♠ KQ643

♥ J4

♦ 76542

♣ Q

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1♣	2♦	2♠ ¹	4♦
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 334

♠ K9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K986

East (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 85

HCP: 9+1

♣ K9543

Board: 335

♠ 95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ75

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQT3

HCP: 14

♣ KJ6

Board: 336

♠ K4

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ QJ7

East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ JT94

HCP: 12

♣ KQ62

Board: 337

♠ A4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ98

East (LHO) Doubles 1♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KT6

West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

HCP: 12

♣ 9873

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 334

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ K986

♦ 85

♣ K9543

South:

♠ Q6

♥ J7

♦ AQT9

♣ AQJT8

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♦	1NT

Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2NT	All Pass	
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1. Stayman

Board: 335

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 95

♥ AJ75

♦ KQT3

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ AT64

♥ QT3

♦ 5

♣ AT532

W	N	E	S
			Pass

Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

Board: 336

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ K4

♥ QJ7

♦ JT94

♣ KQ62

South:

♠ QT8732

♥ A32

♦ K6

♣ T8

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠

Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠
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All Pass

Board: 337

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ A4

♥ KQ98

♦ KT6

♣ 9873

South:

♠ QT95

♥ 65

♦ 42

♣ KQJT5

W	N	E	S
			Pass

Pass	1 ♣	X	1 ♠
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2 ♦	Pass ¹	Pass	3 ♣
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All Pass

1. max 2 !S

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 334 ♠ Q6 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ J7 East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ AQT9
 HCP: 16+1 ♣ AQJT8

Board: 335 ♠ AT64 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QT3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 5
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ AT532

Board: 336 ♠ QT8732 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A32 East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K6
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ T8

Board: 337 ♠ QT95 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 65 East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ 42 West (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ KQJT5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 334

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ K986

♦ 85

♣ K9543

South:

♠ Q6

♥ J7

♦ AQT9

♣ AQJT8

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♦	1NT

Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2NT	All Pass	
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1. Stayman

Board: 335

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 95

♥ AJ75

♦ KQT3

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ AT64

♥ QT3

♦ 5

♣ AT532

W	N	E	S
			Pass

Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
------	-----	------	-----

All Pass

Board: 336

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ K4

♥ QJ7

♦ JT94

♣ KQ62

South:

♠ QT8732

♥ A32

♦ K6

♣ T8

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠

Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♠
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All Pass

Board: 337

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ A4

♥ KQ98

♦ KT6

♣ 9873

South:

♠ QT95

♥ 65

♦ 42

♣ KQJT5

W	N	E	S
			Pass

Pass	1 ♣	X	1 ♠
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2 ♦	Pass ¹	Pass	3 ♣
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All Pass

1. max 2 !S

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 338

♠ A85

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AQ3

West (RHO) opens 2♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ A952

HCP: 16

♣ Q32

Board: 339

♠ 9852

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J43

East (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ93

HCP: 11

♣ KJ

Board: 340

♠ KJT4

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ K

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q92

HCP: 16+1

♣ AK875

Board: 341

♠ J3

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QT9852

HCP: 8+2

♣ T97

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 338

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A85

♥ AQ3

♦ A952

♣ Q32

South:

♠ KJT9

♥ 652

♦ Q73

♣ K76

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
2 ♦	2NT	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. Stayman

2. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 339

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ 9852

♥ J43

♦ AQ93

♣ KJ

South:

♠ QJ74

♥ K972

♦ T

♣ A543

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	Pass	1 ♦	X
Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 340

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ KJT4

♥ K

♦ Q92

♣ AK875

South:

♠ Q873

♥ Q93

♦ A854

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 341

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AJ

♦ QT9852

♣ T97

South:

♠ AT654

♥ Q732

♦ K7

♣ AQ

W	N	E	S
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♦
All Pass			

1. artificial

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 338

♠ KJT9

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ 652

West (LHO) opens 2♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q73

HCP: 9

♣ K76

Board: 339

♠ QJ74

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K972

East (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ T

HCP: 10

♣ A543

Board: 340

♠ Q873

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ Q93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A854

HCP: 8

♣ 92

Board: 341

♠ AT654

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ Q732

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K7

HCP: 15+1

♣ AQ

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 338

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A85

♥ AQ3

♦ A952

♣ Q32

South:

♠ KJT9

♥ 652

♦ Q73

♣ K76

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
2 ♦	2NT	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. Stayman

2. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 339

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 10

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ 9852

♥ J43

♦ AQ93

♣ KJ

South:

♠ QJ74

♥ K972

♦ T

♣ A543

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	Pass	1 ♦	X
Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 340

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ KJT4

♥ K

♦ Q92

♣ AK875

South:

♠ Q873

♥ Q93

♦ A854

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	

Board: 341

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AJ

♦ QT9852

♣ T97

South:

♠ AT654

♥ Q732

♦ K7

♣ AQ

W	N	E	S
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♦
All Pass			

1. artificial

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 342

♠ 75

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AJT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKT3

HCP: 13

♣ J765

Board: 343

♠ QJ4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 4

HCP: 10+1

♣ KQ653

Board: 344

♠ Q76

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A975

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T874

HCP: 10

♣ A5

Board: 345

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 3

West (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 653

East (LHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.

HCP: 9+4

♣ AKQ87632

Board: 346

♠ AKQ74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 43

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 75

HCP: 14+1

♣ AJ32

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 342

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 75

♥ AJT

♦ AKT3

♣ J765

South:

♠ QJ432

♥ KQ6

♦ J2

♣ AK3

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1NT
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 343

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ4

♥ QT93

♦ 4

♣ KQ653

South:

♠ 653

♥ K

♦ AKQ965

♣ A94

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 344

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q76

♥ A975

♦ T874

♣ A5

South:

♠ K9

♥ KJT64

♦ J

♣ K9862

W	N	E	S
			1♥
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 345

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+4

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5♣X North

North:

♠ 4

♥ 3

♦ 653

♣ AKQ87632

South:

♠ QT975

♥ AJT84

♦ J9

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1♦	5♣	X	All Pass

Board: 346

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ74

♥ 43

♦ 75

♣ AJ32

South:

♠ T3

♥ KQT76

♦ QJ96

♣ K9

W	N	E	S
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 342 ♠ QJ432 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KQ6 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ J2
 HCP: 16+1 ♣ AK3

Board: 343 ♠ 653 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ K The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ AKQ965
 HCP: 16+2 ♣ A94

Board: 344 ♠ K9 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KJT64 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ J
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ K9862

Board: 345 ♠ QT975 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AJT84 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ J9 East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ T

Board: 346 ♠ T3 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KQT76 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ QJ96
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ K9

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 342

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 75

♥ AJT

♦ AKT3

♣ J765

South:

♠ QJ432

♥ KQ6

♦ J2

♣ AK3

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1NT
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 343

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ4

♥ QT93

♦ 4

♣ KQ653

South:

♠ 653

♥ K

♦ AKQ965

♣ A94

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 344

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q76

♥ A975

♦ T874

♣ A5

South:

♠ K9

♥ KJT64

♦ J

♣ K9862

W	N	E	S
			1♥
Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. Jacoby 2NT

Board: 345

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+4

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5♣X North

North:

♠ 4

♥ 3

♦ 653

♣ AKQ87632

South:

♠ QT975

♥ AJT84

♦ J9

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1♦	5♣	X	All Pass

Board: 346

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ74

♥ 43

♦ 75

♣ AJ32

South:

♠ T3

♥ KQT76

♦ QJ96

♣ K9

W	N	E	S
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♣ ¹	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 347

Dealer: West

Vul: None

HCP: 18+1

♠ KQ5

♥ AJT52

♦ A42

♣ A9

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 348

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

HCP: 8

♠ 962

♥ 865

♦ KQT2

♣ K54

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

East (LHO) opens 3 ♠ if possible.

Board: 349

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

HCP: 11+2

♠ K

♥ T765

♦ Q4

♣ AQT985

You are dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 350

Dealer: North

Vul: None

HCP: 11

♠ AKJ5

♥ 6

♦ K543

♣ 8643

You are dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 351

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

HCP: 14

♠ K94

♥ Q97

♦ K74

♣ AQ62

Partner is dealer.

West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♦ if possible.

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 347

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KQ5	♠ 93	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Vul: None	♥ AJT52	♥ 9874	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 18+1	♦ A42	♦ Q98				
South HCP: 7	♣ A9	♣ KQT3				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

Board: 348

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 962	♠ Q4	Pass	Pass	3 ♠	4 ♥
Vul: E-W	♥ 865	♥ AQJ943	All Pass			
North HCP: 8	♦ KQT2	♦ 97				
South HCP: 13+2	♣ K54	♣ A92				
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 349

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ AQJ54		1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ T765	♥ 83	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 11+2	♦ Q4	♦ A9652	Pass	3 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+2	♣ AQT985	♣ 7				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 350

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ5	♠ Q83		1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ KQJ82	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ K543	♦ QT6	All Pass			
South HCP: 10+1	♣ 8643	♣ 97				
Contract: 1NT South						

Board: 351

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K94	♠ J632				1 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ Q97	♥ 64	X	XX	1 ♥	1 ♠
North HCP: 14	♦ K74	♦ AQJT9	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ AQ62	♣ K4				
Contract: 3NT North						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 347	♠ 93	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 9874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q98	
HCP: 7	♣ KQT3	
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Board: 348	♠ Q4	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ AQJ943	East (RHO) opens 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 97	
HCP: 13+2	♣ A92	
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Board: 349	♠ AQJ54	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A9652	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 7	
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Board: 350	♠ Q83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QT6	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 97	
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Board: 351	♠ J632	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 64	West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJT9	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ K4	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 347

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KQ5	♠ 93	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Vul: None	♥ AJT52	♥ 9874	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 18+1	♦ A42	♦ Q98				
South HCP: 7	♣ A9	♣ KQT3				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

Board: 348

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 962	♠ Q4	Pass	Pass	3 ♠	4 ♥
Vul: E-W	♥ 865	♥ AQJ943	All Pass			
North HCP: 8	♦ KQT2	♦ 97				
South HCP: 13+2	♣ K54	♣ A92				
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

Board: 349

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K	♠ AQJ54		1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ T765	♥ 83	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 11+2	♦ Q4	♦ A9652	Pass	3 ♣	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+2	♣ AQT985	♣ 7				
Contract: 3 ♣ North						

Board: 350

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AKJ5	♠ Q83		1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥
Vul: None	♥ 6	♥ KQJ82	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ K543	♦ QT6	All Pass			
South HCP: 10+1	♣ 8643	♣ 97				
Contract: 1NT South						

Board: 351

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K94	♠ J632				1 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ Q97	♥ 64	X	XX	1 ♥	1 ♠
North HCP: 14	♦ K74	♦ AQJT9	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ AQ62	♣ K4				
Contract: 3NT North						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 352 ♠ K93 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ Q75 East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T84 West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 7 ♣ Q432

Board: 353 ♠ AQ63 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ QJ8652 West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ -
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ K62

Board: 354 ♠ K963 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ T843 East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A862
 HCP: 7 ♣ 6

Board: 355 ♠ A Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q7532 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ JT4
 HCP: 14+1 ♣ AK97

Board: 356 ♠ KJ82 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 853 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ AK652
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ 8

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 352

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ K93

♥ Q75

♦ T84

♣ Q432

South:

♠ A54

♥ JT9432

♦ Q

♣ AJ8

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♣ 1♥

1♠ Pass Pass 2♥

All Pass

Board: 353

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AQ63

♥ QJ8652

♦ -

♣ K62

South:

♠ J8

♥ KT7

♦ AQT42

♣ Q75

W N E S

1♠ 2♥ Pass 2♠¹

Pass 4♦² Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Splinter

Board: 354

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ K963

♥ T843

♦ A862

♣ 6

South:

♠ A8

♥ J2

♦ QJ74

♣ KJT42

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥ 2♣

All Pass

Board: 355

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A

♥ Q7532

♦ JT4

♣ AK97

South:

♠ T86

♥ T

♦ AKQ96

♣ JT62

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 356

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KJ82

♥ 853

♦ AK652

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q95

♥ AT942

♦ 73

♣ AQ3

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2NT

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 352 ♠ A54 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ JT9432 East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ Q West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ AJ8

Board: 353 ♠ J8 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ KT7 West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ AQT42
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ Q75

Board: 354 ♠ A8 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ J2 East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QJ74
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ KJT42

Board: 355 ♠ T86 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ T The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AKQ96
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ JT62

Board: 356 ♠ Q95 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AT942 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 73
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ AQ3

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 352

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ K93

♥ Q75

♦ T84

♣ Q432

South:

♠ A54

♥ JT9432

♦ Q

♣ AJ8

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♣ 1♥

1♠ Pass Pass 2♥

All Pass

Board: 353

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AQ63

♥ QJ8652

♦ -

♣ K62

South:

♠ J8

♥ KT7

♦ AQT42

♣ Q75

W N E S

1♠ 2♥ Pass 2♠¹

Pass 4♦² Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. Splinter

Board: 354

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ K963

♥ T843

♦ A862

♣ 6

South:

♠ A8

♥ J2

♦ QJ74

♣ KJT42

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥ 2♣

All Pass

Board: 355

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A

♥ Q7532

♦ JT4

♣ AK97

South:

♠ T86

♥ T

♦ AKQ96

♣ JT62

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

Board: 356

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KJ82

♥ 853

♦ AK652

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q95

♥ AT942

♦ 73

♣ AQ3

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2NT

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 357 ♠ KQJT64 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ J654 West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 15+2 ♣ AT West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

Board: 358 ♠ K654 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q97532 West (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ K74 East (LHO) bids 5 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ - West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.

Board: 359 ♠ A75 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ A92 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ J853
 HCP: 12 ♣ K95

Board: 360 ♠ AQJ2 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AQ2 West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KJ8
 HCP: 17 ♣ T98

Board: 361 ♠ 2 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ KQJ The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ A5
 HCP: 11+3 ♣ J976542

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 357

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KQJT64	♠ 85	1 ♦	1 ♠	X	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ J654	♥ 2	2 ♥	2 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 15+2	♦ A	♦ QJ876				
South HCP: 6+2	♣ AT	♣ K9872				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 358

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K654	♠ AJ983				1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ Q97532	♥ AJT64	2NT ¹	4 ♠	5 ♣	5 ♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K74	♦ -	X	All Pass		
South HCP: 10+2	♣ -	♣ 843				
Contract: 5 ♠ X South						

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 359

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ A75	♠ 3	Pass	1 ♦	Pass	2 ♦ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ A92	♥ KJ4	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 12	♦ J853	♦ AQ64				
South HCP: 11+1	♣ K95	♣ JT876				
Contract: 2NT North						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 360

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AQJ2	♠ K53	1 ♦	X	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ2	♥ J3	All Pass			
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ8	♦ T932				
South HCP: 9	♣ T98	♣ AJ73				
Contract: 1NT South						

Board: 361

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 2	♠ T843			Pass	Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ KQJ	♥ AT54	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♥
North HCP: 11+3	♦ A5	♦ Q63	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
South HCP: 10	♣ J976542	♣ A3	All Pass			
Contract: 3 ♣ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 357 ♠ 85 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 2 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QJ876 East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 6+2 ♣ K9872 West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

Board: 358 ♠ AJ983 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AJT64 West (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ - East (RHO) bids 5 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 10+2 ♣ 843 West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.

Board: 359 ♠ 3 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ KJ4 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ AQ64
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ JT876

Board: 360 ♠ K53 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ J3 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ T932
 HCP: 9 ♣ AJ73

Board: 361 ♠ T843 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AT54 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ Q63
 HCP: 10 ♣ A3

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 357

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KQJT64	♠ 85	1 ♦	1 ♠	X	Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ J654	♥ 2	2 ♥	2 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 15+2	♦ A	♦ QJ876				
South HCP: 6+2	♣ AT	♣ K9872				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 358

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ K654	♠ AJ983				1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ Q97532	♥ AJT64	2NT ¹	4 ♠	5 ♣	5 ♠
North HCP: 8+2	♦ K74	♦ -	X	All Pass		
South HCP: 10+2	♣ -	♣ 843				
Contract: 5 ♠ X South						

1. Unusual 2NT

Board: 359

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ A75	♠ 3	Pass	1 ♦	Pass	2 ♦ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ A92	♥ KJ4	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 12	♦ J853	♦ AQ64				
South HCP: 11+1	♣ K95	♣ JT876				
Contract: 2NT North						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 360

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AQJ2	♠ K53	1 ♦	X	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ AQ2	♥ J3	All Pass			
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ8	♦ T932				
South HCP: 9	♣ T98	♣ AJ73				
Contract: 1NT South						

Board: 361

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 2	♠ T843			Pass	Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ KQJ	♥ AT54	Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♥
North HCP: 11+3	♦ A5	♦ Q63	Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
South HCP: 10	♣ J976542	♣ A3	All Pass			
Contract: 3 ♣ South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 362 ♠ 853 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ T3 East (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ J83
 HCP: 1+1 ♣ T9863

Board: 363 ♠ Q92 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AKJ32 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AJ6
 HCP: 15+1 ♣ 94

Board: 364 ♠ KQT53 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ J7 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ Q82
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ J64

Board: 365 ♠ J RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AK643 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ A86
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ T964

Board: 366 ♠ QT872 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KJ9 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ 2
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ K964

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 362

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 1+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ 853

♥ T3

♦ J83

♣ T9863

South:

♠ A92

♥ A8752

♦ AK7

♣ J4

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠ 2♥

All Pass

Board: 363

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ Q92

♥ AKJ32

♦ AJ6

♣ 94

South:

♠ 64

♥ T8

♦ KT732

♣ AQT2

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

All Pass

Board: 364

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 21

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQT53

♥ J7

♦ Q82

♣ J64

South:

♠ A42

♥ AKQ2

♦ KJ73

♣ A5

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

Board: 365

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ J

♥ AK643

♦ A86

♣ T964

South:

♠ AQ952

♥ QJ97

♦ K2

♣ 85

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♠² Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

Board: 366

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ QT872

♥ KJ9

♦ 2

♣ K964

South:

♠ A6

♥ 86

♦ A9874

♣ QJ85

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 362 ♠ A92 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A8752 East (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ AK7
 HCP: 16+1 ♣ J4

Board: 363 ♠ 64 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ T8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ KT732
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ AQT2

Board: 364 ♠ A42 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AKQ2 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KJ73
 HCP: 21 ♣ A5

Board: 365 ♠ AQ952 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ QJ97 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ K2
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ 85

Board: 366 ♠ A6 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 86 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ A9874
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ QJ85

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 362

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 1+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ 853

♥ T3

♦ J83

♣ T9863

South:

♠ A92

♥ A8752

♦ AK7

♣ J4

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠ 2♥

All Pass

Board: 363

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ Q92

♥ AKJ32

♦ AJ6

♣ 94

South:

♠ 64

♥ T8

♦ KT732

♣ AQT2

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

All Pass

Board: 364

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 21

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQT53

♥ J7

♦ Q82

♣ J64

South:

♠ A42

♥ AKQ2

♦ KJ73

♣ A5

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

Board: 365

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ J

♥ AK643

♦ A86

♣ T964

South:

♠ AQ952

♥ QJ97

♦ K2

♣ 85

W N E S

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♠² Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Jacoby 2NT

2. shortness !S

Board: 366

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ QT872

♥ KJ9

♦ 2

♣ K964

South:

♠ A6

♥ 86

♦ A9874

♣ QJ85

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 367 ♠ QJ84 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ A32 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KQ4
 HCP: 17 ♣ AJ8

Board: 368 ♠ 42 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ T9832 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K97
 HCP: 4+1 ♣ J52

Board: 369 ♠ J93 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AQ865 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ A5
 HCP: 16+1 ♣ AJ5

Board: 370 ♠ KT96 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 6 West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ KJ96
 HCP: 9 ♣ Q975

Board: 371 ♠ JT72 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ KJ96 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K52
 HCP: 8 ♣ 98

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 367

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ QJ84	♠ K6	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: E-W	♥ A32	♥ T84	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ4	♦ JT98				
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ8	♣ KT63				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 368

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 42	♠ AJ98	Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT
Vul: N-S	♥ T9832	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 4+1	♦ K97	♦ 85	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ J52	♣ K987				
Contract: 2♥ South						

Board: 369

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ J93	♠ T4	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AQ865	♥ KT942	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ A5	♦ 86	All Pass			
South HCP: 6+1	♣ AJ5	♣ KT73				
Contract: 4♥ South						

1. Super acceptance after NT

Board: 370

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT96	♠ Q83		Pass	Pass	1♥
Vul: N-S	♥ 6	♥ AKT843	2♣	X	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ96	♦ 75	All Pass			
South HCP: 13+2	♣ Q975	♣ A6				
Contract: 2♥ South						

Board: 371

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ JT72	♠ A83	Pass	Pass	Pass	1♦
Vul: N-S	♥ KJ96	♥ AT87	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ K52	♦ AT73	All Pass			
South HCP: 14	♣ 98	♣ QT				
Contract: 2♥ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 367 ♠ K6 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ T84 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ JT98
 HCP: 7 ♣ KT63

Board: 368 ♠ AJ98 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AKJ The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 85
 HCP: 16 ♣ K987

Board: 369 ♠ T4 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ KT942 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ 86
 HCP: 6+1 ♣ KT73

Board: 370 ♠ Q83 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AKT843 West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 75
 HCP: 13+2 ♣ A6

Board: 371 ♠ A83 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AT87 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AT73
 HCP: 14 ♣ QT

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 367

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ QJ84	♠ K6	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Vul: E-W	♥ A32	♥ T84	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 17	♦ KQ4	♦ JT98				
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ8	♣ KT63				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 368

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 42	♠ AJ98	Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT
Vul: N-S	♥ T9832	♥ AKJ	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 4+1	♦ K97	♦ 85	All Pass			
South HCP: 16	♣ J52	♣ K987				
Contract: 2♥ South						

Board: 369

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ J93	♠ T4	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AQ865	♥ KT942	Pass	3♥ ¹	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ A5	♦ 86	All Pass			
South HCP: 6+1	♣ AJ5	♣ KT73				
Contract: 4♥ South						

1. Super acceptance after NT

Board: 370

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KT96	♠ Q83		Pass	Pass	1♥
Vul: N-S	♥ 6	♥ AKT843	2♣	X	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ96	♦ 75	All Pass			
South HCP: 13+2	♣ Q975	♣ A6				
Contract: 2♥ South						

Board: 371

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ JT72	♠ A83	Pass	Pass	Pass	1♦
Vul: N-S	♥ KJ96	♥ AT87	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ K52	♦ AT73	All Pass			
South HCP: 14	♣ 98	♣ QT				
Contract: 2♥ South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 372	♠ 2	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ K8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ983	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AKJ54	
Board: 373	♠ AKT93	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ T5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A975	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 84	
Board: 374	♠ KJ53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ	West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 2	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJT3	
Board: 375	♠ QJT762	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT8	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 52	
Board: 376	♠ Q63	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ K972	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T643	
HCP: 8	♣ K8	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 372

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 5+2

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ K8

♦ AQ983

♣ AKJ54

South:

♠ AJT765

♥ T74

♦ T52

♣ 6

W N E S

Pass Pass 2 ♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. artificial

Board: 373

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ AKT93

♥ T5

♦ A975

♣ 84

South:

♠ 4

♥ K742

♦ J832

♣ QJ32

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 374

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KJ53

♥ AQJ

♦ 2

♣ KQJT3

South:

♠ T7

♥ T9875

♦ AKQ93

♣ 2

W N E S

Pass Pass

1 ♦ X Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

Board: 375

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ QJT762

♥ A5

♦ AT8

♣ 52

South:

♠ K9

♥ KQ643

♦ 72

♣ JT73

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 376

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q63

♥ K972

♦ T643

♣ K8

South:

♠ A4

♥ J54

♦ AQ95

♣ A753

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♣¹ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. Stayman

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 372 ♠ AJT765 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ T74 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ T52
 HCP: 5+2 ♣ 6

Board: 373 ♠ 4 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ K742 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ J832
 HCP: 7 ♣ QJ32

Board: 374 ♠ T7 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ T9875 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AKQ93
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ 2

Board: 375 ♠ K9 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ KQ643 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ 72
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ JT73

Board: 376 ♠ A4 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ J54 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AQ95
 HCP: 15 ♣ A753

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 372

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 5+2

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ K8

♦ AQ983

♣ AKJ54

South:

♠ AJT765

♥ T74

♦ T52

♣ 6

W N E S

Pass Pass 2 ♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. artificial

Board: 373

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ AKT93

♥ T5

♦ A975

♣ 84

South:

♠ 4

♥ K742

♦ J832

♣ QJ32

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 374

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KJ53

♥ AQJ

♦ 2

♣ KQJT3

South:

♠ T7

♥ T9875

♦ AKQ93

♣ 2

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass

1 ♦ X Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

Board: 375

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ QJT762

♥ A5

♦ AT8

♣ 52

South:

♠ K9

♥ KQ643

♦ 72

♣ JT73

W N E S

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT¹

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 376

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q63

♥ K972

♦ T643

♣ K8

South:

♠ A4

♥ J54

♦ AQ95

♣ A753

W N E S

Pass Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♣¹ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2NT All Pass

1. Stayman

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 377	♠ KQ752	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A95	
HCP: 11+1	♣ Q72	
Board: 378	♠ T654	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KJ83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J73	
HCP: 9	♣ A2	
Board: 379	♠ KJ	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AK32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT865	
HCP: 15+1	♣ 53	
Board: 380	♠ Q532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 64	
HCP: 6+1	♣ QJ952	
Board: 381	♠ T3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K9	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ43	
HCP: 10+1	♣ QJ854	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 377

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ752

♥ T4

♦ A95

♣ Q72

South:

♠ 43

♥ AKQ75

♦ J432

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

Board: 378

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ T654

♥ KJ83

♦ J73

♣ A2

South:

♠ AKJ8

♥ 76542

♦ A

♣ KT6

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ¹
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

Board: 379

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2 ♦ North

North:

♠ KJ

♥ AK32

♦ AT865

♣ 53

South:

♠ A64

♥ T8

♦ 9732

♣ Q974

W	N	E	S
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♦	All Pass	

Board: 380

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 1NT South

North:

♠ Q532

♥ J8

♦ 64

♣ QJ952

South:

♠ JT4

♥ K975

♦ AK852

♣ 7

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
All Pass			

Board: 381

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ T3

♥ K9

♦ KJ43

♣ QJ854

South:

♠ Q

♥ QT842

♦ AQ976

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♣	2NT ¹
Pass	3 ♦	All Pass	

1. Unusual 2NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 377	♠ 43	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J432	
HCP: 14+1	♣ A9	
Board: 378	♠ AKJ8	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 76542	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 15+1	♣ KT6	
Board: 379	♠ A64	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ T8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9732	
HCP: 6	♣ Q974	
Board: 380	♠ JT4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K975	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK852	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 7	
Board: 381	♠ Q	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT842	East (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ976	
HCP: 14+2	♣ A9	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 377

Board: 377	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQ752	♠ 43		1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Vul: E-W	♥ T4	♥ AKQ75	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11+1	♦ A95	♦ J432	All Pass			
South HCP: 14+1	♣ Q72	♣ A9				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 378

Board: 378	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ T654	♠ AKJ8			Pass	1 ♥
Vul: Both	♥ KJ83	♥ 76542	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ¹
North HCP: 9	♦ J73	♦ A	Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	4 ♥
South HCP: 15+1	♣ A2	♣ KT6	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♥ South						

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

Board: 379

Board: 379	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KJ	♠ A64	Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ AK32	♥ T8	Pass	2 ♦	All Pass	
North HCP: 15+1	♦ AT865	♦ 9732				
South HCP: 6	♣ 53	♣ Q974				
Contract: 2 ♦ North						

Board: 380

Board: 380	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q532	♠ JT4				1 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ J8	♥ K975	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 6+1	♦ 64	♦ AK852	All Pass			
South HCP: 11+1	♣ QJ952	♣ 7				
Contract: 1NT South						

Board: 381

Board: 381	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T3	♠ Q		Pass	1 ♣	2NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ K9	♥ QT842	Pass	3 ♦	All Pass	
North HCP: 10+1	♦ KJ43	♦ AQ976	1. Unusual 2NT			
South HCP: 14+2	♣ QJ854	♣ A9				
Contract: 3 ♦ North						

1. Unusual 2NT

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 382

♠ Q54

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J3

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQ85

East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

HCP: 10

♣ Q952

East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.

Board: 383

♠ AQ96

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ K63

West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K3

HCP: 16

♣ A974

Board: 384

♠ AQJ86

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ76

HCP: 20+1

♣ KQT

Board: 385

♠ AT853

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT98

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 85

HCP: 11+1

♣ KT

Board: 386

♠ AT75

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A9

West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 98

HCP: 11+1

♣ QJT94

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 382

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ Q54

♥ J3

♦ KQ85

♣ Q952

South:

♠ KJ86

♥ Q42

♦ -

♣ AKJT76

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1♣
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1♦	1NT	2♦	3♣
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Pass	Pass	3♦	4♣
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All Pass

Board: 383

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AQ96

♥ K63

♦ K3

♣ A974

South:

♠ KT753

♥ 94

♦ AJT86

♣ K

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
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X	2♠	Pass	4♠
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All Pass

Board: 384

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 20+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 5♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ86

♥ K

♦ AJ76

♣ KQT

South:

♠ K2

♥ Q85

♦ KQ85

♣ J865

W	N	E	S
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Pass

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦ ²
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All Pass

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 385

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT853

♥ AT98

♦ 85

♣ KT

South:

♠ 64

♥ Q5

♦ AK6

♣ A98543

W	N	E	S
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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Board: 386

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ AT75

♥ A9

♦ 98

♣ QJT94

South:

♠ K9862

♥ Q7

♦ 642

♣ AK5

W	N	E	S
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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X	2♠	Pass	3♠
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All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 382	♠ KJ86	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q42	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ -	East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 14+2	♣ AKJT76	East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.

Board: 383	♠ KT753	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 94	West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT86	
HCP: 11+2	♣ K	

Board: 384	♠ K2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ85	
HCP: 11	♣ J865	

Board: 385	♠ 64	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK6	
HCP: 13+2	♣ A98543	

Board: 386	♠ K9862	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q7	West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 642	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AK5	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 382

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ Q54	♠ KJ86		Pass	Pass	1 ♣
Vul: None	♥ J3	♥ Q42	1 ♦	1NT	2 ♦	3 ♣
North HCP: 10	♦ KQ85	♦ -	Pass	Pass	3 ♦	4 ♣
South HCP: 14+2	♣ Q952	♣ AKJT76	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♣ South						

Board: 383

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AQ96	♠ KT753	Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
Vul: E-W	♥ K63	♥ 94	X	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
North HCP: 16	♦ K3	♦ AJT86	All Pass			
South HCP: 11+2	♣ A974	♣ K				
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 384

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQJ86	♠ K2				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ K	♥ Q85	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 20+1	♦ AJ76	♦ KQ85	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5 ♦ ²
South HCP: 11	♣ KQT	♣ J865	All Pass			
Contract: 5 ♦ South						

1. Blackwood 0314, for !D

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

Board: 385

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AT853	♠ 64		1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Vul: None	♥ AT98	♥ Q5	Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 11+1	♦ 85	♦ AK6	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 13+2	♣ KT	♣ A98543				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 386

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ AT75	♠ K9862		1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ A9	♥ Q7	X	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 11+1	♦ 98	♦ 642	All Pass			
South HCP: 12+1	♣ QJT94	♣ AK5				
Contract: 3 ♠ South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 387	♠ AQ82	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A976	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 5	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ54	West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Board: 388	♠ QJ	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ 985	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQT6	
HCP: 9	♣ 9875	
Board: 389	♠ 3	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 2	East (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ JT9532	West (RHO) bids 4 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 4+3	♣ QJ854	East (LHO) bids 4 ♦ if possible.
		West (RHO) bids 4 ♠ if possible.
		East (LHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.
Board: 390	♠ Q54	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT875	East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 11+2	♣ K953	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 387

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ82	♠ 9				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ A976	♥ KQJ3	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠	X
North HCP: 13	♦ 5	♦ 98764	Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠	Pass
South HCP: 10+1	♣ QJ54	♣ A76	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Contract: 4 ♥ South			3 ♠	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

All Pass

Board: 388

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ QJ	♠ K98	Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 985	♥ AT6	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 9	♦ AQT6	♦ KJ75				
South HCP: 15	♣ 9875	♣ KJT				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 389

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 3	♠ T8			1 ♠	X
Vul: E-W	♥ 2	♥ KQ97	4 ♣ ¹	Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass
North HCP: 4+3	♦ JT9532	♦ AQ76	4 ♠	5 ♣	X	All Pass
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ854	♣ A73				
Contract: 5 ♣ X North						

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 390

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q54	♠ KJ863				1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ AQT875	♥ K432	Pass	1NT ¹	2 ♦	2 ♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ -	♦ 73	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ K953	♣ AT				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

1. forcing 1NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 387

♠ 9

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJ3

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 98764

East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+1

♣ A76

West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

Board: 388

♠ K98

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: West

♥ AT6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KJ75

HCP: 15

♣ KJT

Board: 389

♠ T8

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ KQ97

East (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ76

West (LHO) bids 4 ♣ if possible.

HCP: 15

♣ A73

East (RHO) bids 4 ♦ if possible.

West (LHO) bids 4 ♠ if possible.

East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.

Board: 390

♠ KJ863

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K432

East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 73

HCP: 11+1

♣ AT

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 387

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AQ82	♠ 9				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ A976	♥ KQJ3	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠	X
North HCP: 13	♦ 5	♦ 98764	Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠	Pass
South HCP: 10+1	♣ QJ54	♣ A76	Pass	3 ♥	Pass	Pass
Contract: 4 ♥ South			3 ♠	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

All Pass

Board: 388

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ QJ	♠ K98	Pass	Pass	Pass	1NT
Vul: Both	♥ 985	♥ AT6	Pass	3NT	All Pass	
North HCP: 9	♦ AQT6	♦ KJ75				
South HCP: 15	♣ 9875	♣ KJT				
Contract: 3NT North						

Board: 389

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ 3	♠ T8			1 ♠	X
Vul: E-W	♥ 2	♥ KQ97	4 ♣ ¹	Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass
North HCP: 4+3	♦ JT9532	♦ AQ76	4 ♠	5 ♣	X	All Pass
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ854	♣ A73				
Contract: 5 ♣ X North						

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 390

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ Q54	♠ KJ863				1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ AQT875	♥ K432	Pass	1NT ¹	2 ♦	2 ♥
North HCP: 11+2	♦ -	♦ 73	Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ K953	♣ AT				
Contract: 4 ♥ North						

1. forcing 1NT

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 391

♠ T3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ75

HCP: 16+1

♣ K4

Board: 392

♠ A954

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J3

West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 962

East (LHO) Doubles 3 ♦ if possible.

HCP: 9

♣ A873

East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

Board: 393

♠ AJ5

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ K8

East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ QJ8

HCP: 12+1

♣ JT832

Board: 394

♠ QT93

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J9754

East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 7

HCP: 7+1

♣ A84

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T3

♥ AKJ85

♦ AJ75

♣ K4

South:

♠ KJ9

♥ QT743

♦ 9

♣ QJ53

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Reverse drury

Board: 392

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ A954

♥ J3

♦ 962

♣ A873

South:

♠ T8763

♥ KQT86

♦ 7

♣ KQ

W N E S

1♠

2♦ 3♦¹ X Pass

Pass 4♠ X All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 393

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ K8

♦ QJ8

♣ JT832

South:

♠ 3

♥ 9752

♦ AK7

♣ KQ974

W N E S

Pass 1♣ 2♠ 3♣

All Pass

Board: 394

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ QT93

♥ J9754

♦ 7

♣ A84

South:

♠ A5

♥ 86

♦ KJT52

♣ K953

W N E S

1♦

Pass 1♥ X 2♣

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 391	♠ KJ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT743	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 9	
HCP: 9+1	♣ QJ53	
Board: 392	♠ T8763	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT86	West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	East (RHO) Doubles 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 10+2	♣ KQ	East (RHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.
Board: 393	♠ 3	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 9752	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK7	
HCP: 12+1	♣ KQ974	
Board: 394	♠ A5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 86	East (RHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KJT52	
HCP: 11+1	♣ K953	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T3

♥ AKJ85

♦ AJ75

♣ K4

South:

♠ KJ9

♥ QT743

♦ 9

♣ QJ53

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. Reverse drury

Board: 392

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠X North

North:

♠ A954

♥ J3

♦ 962

♣ A873

South:

♠ T8763

♥ KQT86

♦ 7

♣ KQ

W N E S

1♠

2♦ 3♦¹ X Pass

Pass 4♠ X All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

Board: 393

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ K8

♦ QJ8

♣ JT832

South:

♠ 3

♥ 9752

♦ AK7

♣ KQ974

W N E S

Pass 1♣ 2♠ 3♣

All Pass

Board: 394

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ QT93

♥ J9754

♦ 7

♣ A84

South:

♠ A5

♥ 86

♦ KJT52

♣ K953

W N E S

1♦

Pass 1♥ X 2♣

All Pass

Losing Trick Count

West (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

♣ J32

♣ A6

♣ K9542

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 395

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 6+1

Contract: 4♥X South

North:

♠ AT5

♥ J7643

♦ KJ4

♣ A8

South:

♠ 876

♥ QT952

♦ AT

♣ 432

W	N	E	S
		Pass	Pass
1♦	1♥	1♠	2♥
Pass	Pass	3♣	Pass
Pass	3♥	Pass	Pass
4♣	Pass	Pass	4♥

X All Pass

Board: 396

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ 873

♥ A7

♦ KQ853

♣ J32

South:

♠ J2

♥ 83

♦ A76

♣ AKQT96

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♣
Pass	1♦	1♠	2♣
Pass	3♣	All Pass	

Board: 397

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J975

♥ KJ872

♦ AQ

♣ A6

South:

♠ K86

♥ 5

♦ KT87

♣ KQ854

W	N	E	S
			1♣
Pass	1♥	1♠	Pass ¹
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. max 2 !H

Board: 398

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ Q53

♥ 853

♦ K4

♣ K9542

South:

♠ AJT9872

♥ A94

♦ J75

♣ -

W	N	E	S
1♦	Pass	1NT	3♠
All Pass			

Losing Trick Count

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

West (LHO) opens 1 if possible.

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

West (LHO) bids 4♣ if possible.

West (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

◆ A76

♣ AKQT96

You are dealer.

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

◆ KT87

♣ KQ854

LHO is dealer.

West (LHO) opens 1 \spadesuit if possible.

East (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.

♣ —

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 395

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 6+1

Contract: 4♥X South

North:

♠ AT5

♥ J7643

♦ KJ4

♣ A8

South:

♠ 876

♥ QT952

♦ AT

♣ 432

W

N

E

S

Pass Pass

1♦ 1♥ 1♠ 2♥

Pass Pass 3♣ Pass

Pass 3♥ Pass Pass

4♣ Pass Pass 4♥

X

All Pass

Board: 396

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ 873

♥ A7

♦ KQ853

♣ J32

South:

♠ J2

♥ 83

♦ A76

♣ AKQT96

W

N

E

S

Pass 1♣

Pass 1♦ 1♠ 2♣

Pass 3♣ All Pass

Board: 397

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J975

♥ KJ872

♦ AQ

♣ A6

South:

♠ K86

♥ 5

♦ KT87

♣ KQ854

W

N

E

S

1♣

Pass 1♥ 1♠ Pass¹

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. max 2 !H

Board: 398

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ Q53

♥ 853

♦ K4

♣ K9542

South:

♠ AJT9872

♥ A94

♦ J75

♣ -

W

N

E

S

1♦ Pass 1NT 3♠

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 399 ♠ 85 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AK986 East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 9865
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ Q9

Board: 400 ♠ J53 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ J The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K75
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ AK9763

Board: 401 ♠ AQJ9 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 9 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AJT63
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ J42

Board: 402 ♠ T65 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ T9854 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 984
 HCP: 0+1 ♣ 72

Board: 403 ♠ 7642 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AKQT8 East (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ Q9 West (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ 98

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 399

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 85

♥ AK986

♦ 9865

♣ Q9

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ QJ43

♦ 3

♣ A7542

W	N	E	S
			1♣
Pass	1♥	1♠	2♥
Pass	3♥	All Pass	

Board: 400

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ J53

♥ J

♦ K75

♣ AK9763

South:

♠ KT

♥ Q9652

♦ AT

♣ QT52

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♥
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♣	All Pass	

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 401

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ9

♥ 9

♦ AJT63

♣ J42

South:

♠ T4

♥ Q42

♦ Q752

♣ KQT7

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
All Pass			

Board: 402

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 0+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 1♣ South

North:

♠ T65

♥ T9854

♦ 984

♣ 72

South:

♠ AJ4

♥ AKJ6

♦ A63

♣ Q53

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	1♣
All Pass			

Board: 403

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 7642

♥ AKQT8

♦ Q9

♣ 98

South:

♠ AT9

♥ J73

♦ KT652

♣ 42

W	N	E	S
	1♥	2♣	2♥
3♣	3♥	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 399 ♠ KJ6 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QJ43 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 3
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ A7542

Board: 400 ♠ KT RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ Q9652 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AT
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ QT52

Board: 401 ♠ T4 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q42 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ Q752
 HCP: 9 ♣ KQT7

Board: 402 ♠ AJ4 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AKJ6 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A63
 HCP: 19 ♣ Q53

Board: 403 ♠ AT9 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ J73 East (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KT652 West (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ 42

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 399

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 85

♥ AK986

♦ 9865

♣ Q9

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ QJ43

♦ 3

♣ A7542

W	N	E	S
			1♣
Pass	1♥	1♠	2♥
Pass	3♥	All Pass	

Board: 400

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ J53

♥ J

♦ K75

♣ AK9763

South:

♠ KT

♥ Q9652

♦ AT

♣ QT52

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1♥
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♣	All Pass	

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 401

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ9

♥ 9

♦ AJT63

♣ J42

South:

♠ T4

♥ Q42

♦ Q752

♣ KQT7

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
All Pass			

Board: 402

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 0+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 1♣ South

North:

♠ T65

♥ T9854

♦ 984

♣ 72

South:

♠ AJ4

♥ AKJ6

♦ A63

♣ Q53

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	1♣
All Pass			

Board: 403

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ 7642

♥ AKQT8

♦ Q9

♣ 98

South:

♠ AT9

♥ J73

♦ KT652

♣ 42

W	N	E	S
	1♥	2♣	2♥
3♣	3♥	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 404	♠ QJ52	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ98	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 93	
Board: 405	♠ JT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK6	West (RHO) opens 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 8764	East (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ3	
Board: 406	♠ 95	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ 873	East (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJT9	
HCP: 11	♣ KQJT	
Board: 407	♠ Q64	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ T8	East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ543	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
HCP: 15+2	♣ A7	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
		East (LHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.
Board: 408	♠ KQ9	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A852	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KJ982	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 404

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ QJ52	♠ AT4		Pass	Pass	1 ♥
Vul: Both	♥ 32	♥ AKJ74	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 9+1	♦ KQJ98	♦ T732	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 15+1	♣ 93	♣ K	Pass	4 ♦	All Pass	
Contract: 4 ♦ North						

Board: 405

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ 2				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AK6	♥ QT73	2 ♠	X	3 ♠	X ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ 8764	♦ AKT2	Pass	4 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 10	♣ AKQ3	♣ JT86				
Contract: 4 ♦ North						1. Responsive double

Board: 406

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 95	♠ KQJ87432	Pass	Pass	1 ♦	4 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ 873	♥ QJ5	All Pass			
North HCP: 11	♦ AJT9	♦ 6				
South HCP: 9+4	♣ KQJT	♣ 7				
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 407

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ Q64	♠ J983	Pass	1 ♦	2 ♣	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ T8	♥ 742	2 ♥	3 ♦	3 ♥	4 ♦
North HCP: 15+2	♦ AKQ543	♦ J972	Pass	Pass	X	All Pass
South HCP: 5	♣ A7	♣ QJ				
Contract: 4 ♦ X South						

Board: 408

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KQ9	♠ 8532	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠	3 ♦
Vul: None	♥ A852	♥ 3	All Pass			
North HCP: 17+1	♦ A	♦ KQJ87642				
South HCP: 6+4	♣ KJ982	♣ -				
Contract: 3 ♦ South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 404 ♠ AT4 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AKJ74 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ T732
 HCP: 15+1 ♣ K

Board: 405 ♠ 2 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QT73 West (LHO) opens 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AKT2 East (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 10 ♣ JT86

Board: 406 ♠ KQJ87432 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ QJ5 East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 6
 HCP: 9+4 ♣ 7

Board: 407 ♠ J983 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 742 East (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ J972 West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 5 ♣ QJ East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
 East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♦ if possible.

Board: 408 ♠ 8532 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 3 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KQJ87642
 HCP: 6+4 ♣ -

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 404

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ QJ52	♠ AT4		Pass	Pass	1 ♥
Vul: Both	♥ 32	♥ AKJ74	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
North HCP: 9+1	♦ KQJ98	♦ T732	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
South HCP: 15+1	♣ 93	♣ K	Pass	4 ♦	All Pass	
Contract: 4 ♦ North						

Board: 405

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ JT	♠ 2				Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AK6	♥ QT73	2 ♠	X	3 ♠	X ¹
North HCP: 17	♦ 8764	♦ AKT2	Pass	4 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 10	♣ AKQ3	♣ JT86				
Contract: 4 ♦ North						1. Responsive double

Board: 406

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ 95	♠ KQJ87432	Pass	Pass	1 ♦	4 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ 873	♥ QJ5	All Pass			
North HCP: 11	♦ AJT9	♦ 6				
South HCP: 9+4	♣ KQJT	♣ 7				
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 407

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ Q64	♠ J983	Pass	1 ♦	2 ♣	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ T8	♥ 742	2 ♥	3 ♦	3 ♥	4 ♦
North HCP: 15+2	♦ AKQ543	♦ J972	Pass	Pass	X	All Pass
South HCP: 5	♣ A7	♣ QJ				
Contract: 4 ♦ X South						

Board: 408

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KQ9	♠ 8532	Pass	1 ♣	1 ♠	3 ♦
Vul: None	♥ A852	♥ 3	All Pass			
North HCP: 17+1	♦ A	♦ KQJ87642				
South HCP: 6+4	♣ KJ982	♣ -				
Contract: 3 ♦ South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 409 ♠ Q7652 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ T83 East (LHO) opens 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ QJ5
 HCP: 7+1 ♣ QT

Board: 410 ♠ A2 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ 95 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ J8765
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ A763

Board: 411 ♠ AT7 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ AKQJ8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ K9
 HCP: 22+1 ♣ KQ7

Board: 412 ♠ AQT854 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ J8 East (LHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 542
 HCP: 8+2 ♣ J5

Board: 413 ♠ AK RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ Q9 West (RHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ AQ8 East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
 HCP: 21+2 ♣ AQT764 West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 409

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q7652

♥ T83

♦ QJ5

♣ QT

South:

♠ AKJ8

♥ A

♦ A83

♣ J8543

W	N	E	S
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Pass	Pass	2 ♥	X
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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Board: 410

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ A2

♥ 95

♦ J8765

♣ A763

South:

♠ KQJ943

♥ K873

♦ -

♣ K52

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
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1. forcing 1NT

Board: 411

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AT7

♥ AKQJ8

♦ K9

♣ KQ7

South:

♠ 6543

♥ T972

♦ J743

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	Pass
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Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
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Pass	2NT	All Pass	
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1. strong

2. waiting

Board: 412

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQT854

♥ J8

♦ 542

♣ J5

South:

♠ -

♥ QT763

♦ AQJ97

♣ KT8

W	N	E	S
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		1 ♠	2 ♠ ¹
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Pass	2NT ²	Pass	3 ♦
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All Pass			
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1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

Board: 413

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+2

South HCP: 4+1

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ Q9

♦ AQ8

♣ AQT764

South:

♠ T74

♥ 7

♦ KJ752

♣ 8532

W	N	E	S
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1 ♠	X	2 ♠	Pass
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Pass	3 ♣	Pass	Pass
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3 ♠	4 ♣	All Pass	
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South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 409 ♠ AKJ8 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A East (RHO) opens 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ A83
 HCP: 17+1 ♣ J8543

Board: 410 ♠ KQJ943 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ K873 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ -
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ K52

Board: 411 ♠ 6543 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ T972 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ J743
 HCP: 1 ♣ 5

Board: 412 ♠ - RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ QT763 East (RHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ AQJ97
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ KT8

Board: 413 ♠ T74 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 7 West (LHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ KJ752 East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
 HCP: 4+1 ♣ 8532 West (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 409

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 7+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q7652

♥ T83

♦ QJ5

♣ QT

South:

♠ AKJ8

♥ A

♦ A83

♣ J8543

W	N	E	S
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Pass	Pass	2 ♥	X
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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Board: 410

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 2 ♠ North

North:

♠ A2

♥ 95

♦ J8765

♣ A763

South:

♠ KQJ943

♥ K873

♦ -

♣ K52

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
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1. forcing 1NT

Board: 411

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 22+1

South HCP: 1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AT7

♥ AKQJ8

♦ K9

♣ KQ7

South:

♠ 6543

♥ T972

♦ J743

♣ 5

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	Pass
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Pass	2 ♣ ¹	Pass	2 ♦ ²
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Pass	2NT	All Pass	
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1. strong

2. waiting

Board: 412

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQT854

♥ J8

♦ 542

♣ J5

South:

♠ -

♥ QT763

♦ AQJ97

♣ KT8

W	N	E	S
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		1 ♠	2 ♠ ¹
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Pass	2NT ²	Pass	3 ♦
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All Pass			
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1. Michaels Cuebid

2. to the partner's longer

Board: 413

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+2

South HCP: 4+1

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ Q9

♦ AQ8

♣ AQT764

South:

♠ T74

♥ 7

♦ KJ752

♣ 8532

W	N	E	S
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1 ♠	X	2 ♠	Pass
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Pass	3 ♣	Pass	Pass
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3 ♠	4 ♣	All Pass	
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North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 414 ♠ KQ85 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West ♥ 5 West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None ♦ T9432
HCP: 9+1 ♣ A93

Board: 415 ♠ KT9843 Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South ♥ K32 West (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S ♦ KQ4
HCP: 11+2 ♣ 5

Board: 416 ♠ 98732 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West ♥ JT83 West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S ♦ Q4
HCP: 10+1 ♣ AK

Board: 417 ♠ 2 LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East ♥ KT843 East (LHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None ♦ 86 West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.
HCP: 10+2 ♣ AQJ32

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 414

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ85

♥ 5

♦ T9432

♣ A93

South:

♠ AT3

♥ K42

♦ AKJ5

♣ J86

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1NT

2♥¹ X Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. Cappelletti, 5M5+m

Board: 415

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 2♠ North

North:

♠ KT9843

♥ K32

♦ KQ4

♣ 5

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ QJT54

♦ A

♣ 8642

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass

1♣ 2♠ All Pass

Board: 416

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 98732

♥ JT83

♦ Q4

♣ AK

South:

♠ K

♥ A9542

♦ AKJ53

♣ T3

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² Pass 2NT³

Pass 3♣⁴ Pass 3♦⁵

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♦⁶

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !H
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 417

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ 2

♥ KT843

♦ 86

♣ AQJ32

South:

♠ AQJ84

♥ 5

♦ Q5

♣ KT986

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠ Pass

1NT¹ 2♠² Pass 2NT³

Pass 3♣ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT
2. Michaels Cuebid
3. to the partner's longer

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 414 ♠ AT3 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ K42 West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ AKJ5
 HCP: 16 ♣ J86

Board: 415 ♠ QJ2 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QJT54 West (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ A
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 8642

Board: 416 ♠ K LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A9542 West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AKJ53
 HCP: 15+2 ♣ T3

Board: 417 ♠ AQJ84 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ 5 East (RHO) opens 1♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ Q5 West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ KT986

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 414

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ85

♥ 5

♦ T9432

♣ A93

South:

♠ AT3

♥ K42

♦ AKJ5

♣ J86

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1NT

2♥¹ X Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. Cappelletti, 5M5+m

Board: 415

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 2♠ North

North:

♠ KT9843

♥ K32

♦ KQ4

♣ 5

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ QJT54

♦ A

♣ 8642

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass

1♣ 2♠ All Pass

Board: 416

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 98732

♥ JT83

♦ Q4

♣ AK

South:

♠ K

♥ A9542

♦ AKJ53

♣ T3

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♥

2♥¹ 2♠² Pass 2NT³

Pass 3♣⁴ Pass 3♦⁵

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♦⁶

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid
2. limit raise or better in !H
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper
6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 417

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ 2

♥ KT843

♦ 86

♣ AQJ32

South:

♠ AQJ84

♥ 5

♦ Q5

♣ KT986

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠ Pass

1NT¹ 2♠² Pass 2NT³

Pass 3♣ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT
2. Michaels Cuebid
3. to the partner's longer

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 418 ♠ Q653 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ 62 East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ A42 West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 6 ♣ 9872

Board: 419 ♠ KT62 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ T9 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AK4
 HCP: 15 ♣ AJ76

Board: 420 ♠ A74 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ J6 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ KJ543
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ A74

Board: 421 ♠ 8753 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ AQ985 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T4
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ A9

Board: 422 ♠ KJ LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ J842 West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ T97 East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 9 ♣ KJ98

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 418

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q653

♥ 62

♦ A42

♣ 9872

South:

♠ AK9872

♥ A9543

♦ 5

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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Pass	Pass	1 ♥	1 ♠
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2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

Board: 419

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KT62

♥ T9

♦ AK4

♣ AJ76

South:

♠ 98

♥ AJ72

♦ Q765

♣ 532

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2NT
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All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 420

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A74

♥ J6

♦ KJ543

♣ A74

South:

♠ KJ983

♥ T73

♦ AQT9

♣ 3

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♠
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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Board: 421

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ 8753

♥ AQ985

♦ T4

♣ A9

South:

♠ 2

♥ JT2

♦ AQJ98

♣ JT82

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
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All Pass

Board: 422

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ

♥ J842

♦ T97

♣ KJ98

South:

♠ T98532

♥ KQ7

♦ A43

♣ 6

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	Pass
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1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠
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All Pass

1. max 2 !S

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 418 ♠ AK9872 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ A9543 East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 5 West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 12+3 ♣ J

Board: 419 ♠ 98 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AJ72 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ Q765
 HCP: 7 ♣ 532

Board: 420 ♠ KJ983 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ T73 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ AQT9
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 3

Board: 421 ♠ 2 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ JT2 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AQJ98
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ JT82

Board: 422 ♠ T98532 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ KQ7 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ A43 East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ 6

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 418

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q653

♥ 62

♦ A42

♣ 9872

South:

♠ AK9872

♥ A9543

♦ 5

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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Pass	Pass	1 ♥	1 ♠
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2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

Board: 419

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KT62

♥ T9

♦ AK4

♣ AJ76

South:

♠ 98

♥ AJ72

♦ Q765

♣ 532

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2NT
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All Pass

1. Stayman

Board: 420

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A74

♥ J6

♦ KJ543

♣ A74

South:

♠ KJ983

♥ T73

♦ AQT9

♣ 3

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♠
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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Board: 421

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ 8753

♥ AQ985

♦ T4

♣ A9

South:

♠ 2

♥ JT2

♦ AQJ98

♣ JT82

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
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All Pass

Board: 422

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ

♥ J842

♦ T97

♣ KJ98

South:

♠ T98532

♥ KQ7

♦ A43

♣ 6

W	N	E	S
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		Pass	Pass
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1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♠
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All Pass

1. max 2 !S

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 423	♠ K9842	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT862	East (LHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J8	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 4	
Board: 424	♠ 9873	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKT76	
HCP: 11+1	♣ T4	
Board: 425	♠ K87	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ AT3	West (RHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 94	West (RHO) Doubles 2♣ if possible.
HCP: 12+1	♣ KQ952	
Board: 426	♠ 942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A5	West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K63	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AQJ84	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 423

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ K9842

♥ AT862

♦ J8

♣ 4

South:

♠ AQ76

♥ 3

♦ Q6543

♣ Q53

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♥ X

Pass 3 ♠ All Pass

Board: 424

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 9873

♥ A7

♦ AKT76

♣ T4

South:

♠ KQJT6

♥ J54

♦ QJ985

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♦ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♣¹

Pass 4 ♦² Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 425

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 5+2

Contract: 2 ♣ X North

North:

♠ K87

♥ AT3

♦ 94

♣ KQ952

South:

♠ 965432

♥ J9

♦ T82

♣ A7

W N E S

Pass Pass

1 ♦ 2 ♣ Pass Pass

X All Pass

Board: 426

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ 942

♥ A5

♦ K63

♣ AQJ84

South:

♠ QJ876

♥ 8

♦ A52

♣ KT93

W N E S

1 ♠

2 ♥ 3 ♥¹ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !S

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 423	♠ AQ76	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	East (RHO) opens 1♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q6543	
HCP: 10+1	♣ Q53	
Board: 424	♠ KQJT6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJ985	
HCP: 10+2	♣ -	
Board: 425	♠ 965432	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ J9	West (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T82	West (LHO) Doubles 2♣ if possible.
HCP: 5+2	♣ A7	
Board: 426	♠ QJ876	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A52	
HCP: 10+1	♣ KT93	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 423

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ K9842	♠ AQ76		Pass	1 ♥	X
Vul: Both	♥ AT862	♥ 3	Pass	3 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 8+2	♦ J8	♦ Q6543				
South HCP: 10+1	♣ 4	♣ Q53				
Contract: 3 ♠ North						

Board: 424

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 9873	♠ KQJT6		1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
Vul: None	♥ A7	♥ J54	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ ¹
North HCP: 11+1	♦ AKT76	♦ QJ985	Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 10+2	♣ T4	♣ -	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

Board: 425

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ K87	♠ 965432			Pass	Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ AT3	♥ J9	1 ♦	2 ♣	Pass	Pass
North HCP: 12+1	♦ 94	♦ T82	X	All Pass		
South HCP: 5+2	♣ KQ952	♣ A7				
Contract: 2 ♣ X North						

Board: 426

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 942	♠ QJ876				1 ♠
Vul: Both	♥ A5	♥ 8	2 ♥	3 ♥ ¹	Pass	3 ♠
North HCP: 14+1	♦ K63	♦ A52	Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+1	♣ AQJ84	♣ KT93				
Contract: 4 ♠ North						

1. limit raise or better in !S

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 427 ♠ T98 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AKQJ72 West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ 983 East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ Q East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
 East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.

Board: 428 ♠ T4 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ Q542 West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AK642
 HCP: 9+1 ♣ 72

Board: 429 ♠ J4 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ JT852 West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ KQJ2 West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ Q6

Board: 430 ♠ 953 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AQ72 West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ - East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ AJT932

Board: 431 ♠ K7 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ QJT83 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AT32
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 76

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 427

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥X South

North:

♠ T98

♥ AKQJ72

♦ 983

♣ Q

South:

♠ KQ

♥ T985

♦ J54

♣ K973

W	N	E	S
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1♠	2♥	2♠	3♥
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Pass	Pass	3♠	4♥
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Pass	Pass	X	All Pass
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Board: 428

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T4

♥ Q542

♦ AK642

♣ 72

South:

♠ AQ63

♥ KJT763

♦ 85

♣ A

W	N	E	S
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	Pass	Pass	1♥
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X	2♥	Pass	4♥
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All Pass			
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Board: 429

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ J4

♥ JT852

♦ KQJ2

♣ Q6

South:

♠ A965

♥ Q96

♦ A

♣ KT984

W	N	E	S
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1♣	1♥ ¹	Pass	2♣ ¹
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X	XX	Pass	3♥
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All Pass			
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1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 430

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ 953

♥ AQ72

♦ -

♣ AJT932

South:

♠ AK642

♥ K

♦ KJ965

♣ Q7

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♣	Pass	1♠
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1NT ¹	X ²	2♥	4♠
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All Pass			
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1. Unusual 1NT

2. Support double redouble

Board: 431

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K7

♥ QJT83

♦ AT32

♣ 76

South:

♠ A83

♥ K976

♦ Q95

♣ K53

W	N	E	S
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	1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. Jacoby 2NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 427 ♠ KQ LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ T985 West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ J54 East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 9 ♣ K973 East (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
 East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.

Board: 428 ♠ AQ63 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ KJT763 West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 85
 HCP: 14+2 ♣ A

Board: 429 ♠ A965 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ Q96 West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ A West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♣ if possible.
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ KT984

Board: 430 ♠ AK642 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ K West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KJ965 East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 HCP: 16+2 ♣ Q7

Board: 431 ♠ A83 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ K976 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ Q95
 HCP: 12 ♣ K53

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 427

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥X South

North:

♠ T98

♥ AKQJ72

♦ 983

♣ Q

South:

♠ KQ

♥ T985

♦ J54

♣ K973

W	N	E	S
1♠	2♥	2♠	3♥
Pass	Pass	3♠	4♥
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

Board: 428

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ T4

♥ Q542

♦ AK642

♣ 72

South:

♠ AQ63

♥ KJT763

♦ 85

♣ A

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♥
X	2♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

Board: 429

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ J4

♥ JT852

♦ KQJ2

♣ Q6

South:

♠ A965

♥ Q96

♦ A

♣ KT984

W	N	E	S
1♣	1♥	Pass	2♣ ¹
X	XX	Pass	3♥
All Pass			

1. limit raise or better in !H

Board: 430

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ 953

♥ AQ72

♦ -

♣ AJT932

South:

♠ AK642

♥ K

♦ KJ965

♣ Q7

W	N	E	S
Pass	1♣	Pass	1♠
1NT ¹	X ²	2♥	4♠
All Pass			

1. Unusual 1NT

2. Support double redouble

Board: 431

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K7

♥ QJT83

♦ AT32

♣ 76

South:

♠ A83

♥ K976

♦ Q95

♣ K53

W	N	E	S
	1♥	Pass	2NT ¹
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. Jacoby 2NT

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 432	♠ Q7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT9	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT6	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 13+1	♣ KQT62	

Board: 433	♠ AT743	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQ94	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 76	

Board: 434	♠ AK5	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AQ97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 9432	
HCP: 13	♣ 86	

Board: 435	♠ AT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 973	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ93	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ85	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 432

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♦ North

North:

♠ Q7

♥ QT9

♦ AT6

♣ KQT62

South:

♠ J5

♥ 8543

♦ KQJ75

♣ A8

W N E S

1♦

1♠ 2♣¹ 2♠ Pass

Pass X Pass 3♥

Pass 4♦ All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 433

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AT743

♥ J3

♦ KQ94

♣ 76

South:

♠ K95

♥ A942

♦ AT5

♣ KQ9

W N E S

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

Board: 434

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AK5

♥ AQ97

♦ 9432

♣ 86

South:

♠ QJ732

♥ 65

♦ KJT86

♣ A

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 3♠² Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3!S

Board: 435

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ AT

♥ 973

♦ AQ93

♣ AQ85

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ T854

♦ K764

♣ T

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. Stayman

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 432	♠ J5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8543	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQJ75	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ A8	

Board: 433	♠ K95	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT5	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ9	

Board: 434	♠ QJ732	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJT86	
HCP: 11+2	♣ A	

Board: 435	♠ KQJ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T854	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K764	
HCP: 9	♣ T	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 432

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ Q7

♥ QT9

♦ AT6

♣ KQT62

South:

♠ J5

♥ 8543

♦ KQJ75

♣ A8

W N E S

1 ♦

1 ♠ 2 ♣¹ 2 ♠ Pass

Pass X Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♦ All Pass

1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

Board: 433

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT743

♥ J3

♦ KQ94

♣ 76

South:

♠ K95

♥ A942

♦ AT5

♣ KQ9

W N E S

1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

Board: 434

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK5

♥ AQ97

♦ 9432

♣ 86

South:

♠ QJ732

♥ 65

♦ KJT86

♣ A

W N E S

Pass 1 ♦ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 3 ♠² Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 !S

Board: 435

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ AT

♥ 973

♦ AQ93

♣ AQ85

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ T854

♦ K764

♣ T

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. Stayman

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 436	♠ AJT	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ T2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J843	
HCP: 11	♣ KQ42	
Board: 437	♠ KQT54	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A52	East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q74	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 43	
Board: 438	♠ A65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK982	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q8	
Board: 439	♠ 9432	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ873	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J2	
HCP: 11+1	♣ KJ	
Board: 440	♠ T2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T9532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQT6	
HCP: 9+1	♣ K8	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 436

Board: 436	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AJT	♠ K	Pass	Pass	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ T2	♥ KQJ9843	Pass	2♦	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 11	♦ J843	♦ 65	All Pass			
South HCP: 13+3	♣ KQ42	♣ AT3				
Contract: 4♥ South						

Board: 437

Board: 437	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQT54	♠ J92		1 ♠	X	All Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ A52	♥ 873				
North HCP: 11+1	♦ Q74	♦ T9				
South HCP: 4+1	♣ 43	♣ QJ852				
Contract: 1 ♠ X North						

Board: 438

Board: 438	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A65	♠ KQ974				1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ K76	♥ 4	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AK982	♦ J6	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 10+2	♣ Q8	♣ A9743	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 439

Board: 439	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 9432	♠ J87		1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ873	♥ K4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11+1	♦ J2	♦ AKQ	All Pass			
South HCP: 13+1	♣ KJ	♣ 76532				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 440

Board: 440	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T2	♠ KQJ		Pass	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ T9532	♥ KJ	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 9+1	♦ AQT6	♦ J92	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ K8	♣ AJ976	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 436	♠ K	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ KQJ9843	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 65	
HCP: 13+3	♣ AT3	
Board: 437	♠ J92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 873	East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T9	
HCP: 4+1	♣ QJ852	
Board: 438	♠ KQ974	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J6	
HCP: 10+2	♣ A9743	
Board: 439	♠ J87	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ	
HCP: 13+1	♣ 76532	
Board: 440	♠ KQJ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J92	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ976	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 436

Board: 436	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AJT	♠ K	Pass	Pass	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ T2	♥ KQJ9843	Pass	2♦	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 11	♦ J843	♦ 65	All Pass			
South HCP: 13+3	♣ KQ42	♣ AT3				
Contract: 4♥ South						

Board: 437

Board: 437	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ KQT54	♠ J92		1 ♠	X	All Pass
Vul: N-S	♥ A52	♥ 873				
North HCP: 11+1	♦ Q74	♦ T9				
South HCP: 4+1	♣ 43	♣ QJ852				
Contract: 1 ♠ X North						

Board: 438

Board: 438	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ A65	♠ KQ974				1 ♠
Vul: E-W	♥ K76	♥ 4	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♣
North HCP: 16+1	♦ AK982	♦ J6	Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
South HCP: 10+2	♣ Q8	♣ A9743	All Pass			
Contract: 4 ♠ South						

Board: 439

Board: 439	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ 9432	♠ J87		1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ873	♥ K4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 11+1	♦ J2	♦ AKQ	All Pass			
South HCP: 13+1	♣ KJ	♣ 76532				
Contract: 3NT South						

Board: 440

Board: 440	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ T2	♠ KQJ		Pass	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ T9532	♥ KJ	Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
North HCP: 9+1	♦ AQT6	♦ J92	Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16+1	♣ K8	♣ AJ976	All Pass			
Contract: 3NT South						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 441	♠ AJ32	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q853	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT8	
HCP: 15	♣ A4	
Board: 442	♠ QT875	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ64	East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 8	East (LHO) Redoubles if possible.
HCP: 8+1	♣ JT6	
Board: 443	♠ AK7	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK64	
HCP: 21	♣ K943	
Board: 444	♠ AQ98	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A843	West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ J	
HCP: 15	♣ A963	
Board: 445	♠ KJ62	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ A7542	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK6	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 441

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ32	♠ K74				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ Q853	♥ 7	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AT8	♦ Q752	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+1	♣ A4	♣ KT973				
Contract: 2NT South						

Board: 442

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ QT875	♠ A64		Pass	1♦	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ KQ64	♥ T32	Pass	X	XX	2♦
North HCP: 8+1	♦ 8	♦ KJT4	All Pass			
South HCP: 10	♣ JT6	♣ Q92				
Contract: 2♦ South						

Board: 443

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AK7	♠ 82	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ 87653	Pass	3♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 21	♦ AK64	♦ 932				
South HCP: 2+1	♣ K943	♣ Q72				
Contract: 3♥ North						

Board: 444

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AQ98	♠ J653	1♦	X	Pass	2♠
Vul: E-W	♥ A843	♥ J6	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 15	♦ J	♦ KT98				
South HCP: 8	♣ A963	♣ QJ2				
Contract: 4♠ North						

Board: 445

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KJ62	♠ 73	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ A7542	♥ Q3	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ J	♦ KQ953	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+1	♣ AK6	♣ JT98				
Contract: 2♥ South						

1. forcing 1NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 441 ♠ K74 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 7 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ Q752
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ KT973

Board: 442 ♠ A64 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ T32 East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ KJT4 East (RHO) Redoubles if possible.
 HCP: 10 ♣ Q92

Board: 443 ♠ 82 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 87653 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ 932
 HCP: 2+1 ♣ Q72

Board: 444 ♠ J653 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ J6 West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KT98
 HCP: 8 ♣ QJ2

Board: 445 ♠ 73 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ Q3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ KQ953
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ JT98

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 441

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ32	♠ K74				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ Q853	♥ 7	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AT8	♦ Q752	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+1	♣ A4	♣ KT973				
Contract: 2NT South						

Board: 442

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: North	♠ QT875	♠ A64		Pass	1♦	Pass
Vul: Both	♥ KQ64	♥ T32	Pass	X	XX	2♦
North HCP: 8+1	♦ 8	♦ KJT4	All Pass			
South HCP: 10	♣ JT6	♣ Q92				
Contract: 2♦ South						

Board: 443

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AK7	♠ 82	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Vul: None	♥ A2	♥ 87653	Pass	3♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 21	♦ AK64	♦ 932				
South HCP: 2+1	♣ K943	♣ Q72				
Contract: 3♥ North						

Board: 444

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ AQ98	♠ J653	1♦	X	Pass	2♠
Vul: E-W	♥ A843	♥ J6	Pass	4♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 15	♦ J	♦ KT98				
South HCP: 8	♣ A963	♣ QJ2				
Contract: 4♠ North						

Board: 445

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: West	♠ KJ62	♠ 73	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT ¹
Vul: Both	♥ A7542	♥ Q3	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16+1	♦ J	♦ KQ953	All Pass			
South HCP: 8+1	♣ AK6	♣ JT98				
Contract: 2♥ South			1. forcing 1NT			

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 446

Dealer: South

Vul: None

HCP: 18+1

♠ A8

♥ T93

♦ AKQ

♣ KQT54

Partner is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 447

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

HCP: 13+1

♠ QJ43

♥ KT953

♦ AK9

♣ 2

Partner is dealer.

East (LHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Board: 448

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

HCP: 6+1

♠ AQ2

♥ T8753

♦ 98

♣ 732

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Board: 449

Dealer: West

Vul: None

HCP: 12

♠ KQT7

♥ T762

♦ KQJ

♣ JT

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

The opponents are silent.

Board: 450

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

HCP: 21

♠ A85

♥ AQT2

♦ KQ96

♣ AQ

LHO is dealer.

The opponents are silent.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 446

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A8

♥ T93

♦ AKQ

♣ KQT54

South:

♠ JT2

♥ KQ852

♦ J843

♣ A

W N E S

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

Board: 447

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ QJ43

♥ KT953

♦ AK9

♣ 2

South:

♠ K6

♥ 7642

♦ T6

♣ AK965

W N E S

Pass 1♥ X XX

1♠ 2NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

Board: 448

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ AQ2

♥ T8753

♦ 98

♣ 732

South:

♠ KJ943

♥ Q64

♦ AKQ5

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♠

2♣ 2♠ 3♣ 3♠

All Pass

Board: 449

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ KQT7

♥ T762

♦ KQJ

♣ JT

South:

♠ J5

♥ Q5

♦ A8653

♣ 9843

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 3♦

All Pass

Board: 450

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 5+2

Contract: 5♦ North

North:

♠ A85

♥ AQT2

♦ KQ96

♣ AQ

South:

♠ 96

♥ 853

♦ AJT832

♣ 72

W N E S

Pass 5♦ All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 446	♠ JT2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ852	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J843	
HCP: 11+1	♣ A	
Board: 447	♠ K6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 7642	East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T6	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ AK965	
Board: 448	♠ KJ943	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ Q64	West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ5	East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 15+1	♣ 9	
Board: 449	♠ J5	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A8653	
HCP: 7+1	♣ 9843	
Board: 450	♠ 96	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 853	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT832	
HCP: 5+2	♣ 72	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 446

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A8

♥ T93

♦ AKQ

♣ KQT54

South:

♠ JT2

♥ KQ852

♦ J843

♣ A

W N E S

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

Board: 447

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ QJ43

♥ KT953

♦ AK9

♣ 2

South:

♠ K6

♥ 7642

♦ T6

♣ AK965

W N E S

Pass 1♥ X XX

1♠ 2NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

Board: 448

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 3♠ South

North:

♠ AQ2

♥ T8753

♦ 98

♣ 732

South:

♠ KJ943

♥ Q64

♦ AKQ5

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass Pass Pass 1♠

2♣ 2♠ 3♣ 3♠

All Pass

Board: 449

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ KQT7

♥ T762

♦ KQJ

♣ JT

South:

♠ J5

♥ Q5

♦ A8653

♣ 9843

W N E S

Pass 1♦ Pass 3♦

All Pass

Board: 450

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 5+2

Contract: 5♦ North

North:

♠ A85

♥ AQT2

♦ KQ96

♣ AQ

South:

♠ 96

♥ 853

♦ AJT832

♣ 72

W N E S

Pass 5♦ All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 451	♠ T85	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KJ953	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K653	
HCP: 11+1	♣ A	
Board: 452	♠ 2	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AQJT53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T5	
HCP: 14+2	♣ AK82	
Board: 453	♠ AJ6	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ Q942	West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 73	East (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
HCP: 10	♣ K972	West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
Board: 454	♠ 87643	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ Q4	East (LHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ J5	
HCP: 3+1	♣ T932	
Board: 455	♠ KT753	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 742	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A862	West (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 8+1	♣ J	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 451

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ T85

♥ KJ953

♦ K653

♣ A

South:

♠ K973

♥ A7

♦ Q94

♣ K986

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♣

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2NT All Pass

Board: 452

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ AQJT53

♦ T5

♣ AK82

South:

♠ AKQ9854

♥ 92

♦ A98

♣ 3

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

Board: 453

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ Q942

♦ 73

♣ K972

South:

♠ K9543

♥ AJT873

♦ AT

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♦ Pass 1NT 2 ♦¹

X 4 ♥ All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 454

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 3+1

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ 87643

♥ Q4

♦ J5

♣ T932

South:

♠ -

♥ KJ987

♦ KQT

♣ AKQJ6

W N E S

Pass Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♦² X 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

Board: 455

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT753

♥ 742

♦ A862

♣ J

South:

♠ Q942

♥ KT

♦ 53

♣ AQ432

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♣

1 ♦ 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

3 ♦ 3 ♠ All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 451	♠ K973	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q94	
HCP: 12	♣ K986	
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Board: 452	♠ AKQ9854	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A98	
HCP: 13+3	♣ 3	
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Board: 453	♠ K9543	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ AJT873	West (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT	East (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.
HCP: 12+3	♣ -	West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
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Board: 454	♠ -	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ KJ987	East (RHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQT	
HCP: 19+2	♣ AKQJ6	
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Board: 455	♠ Q942	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 53	West (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ AQ432	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 451

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ T85

♥ KJ953

♦ K653

♣ A

South:

♠ K973

♥ A7

♦ Q94

♣ K986

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♣

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2NT All Pass

Board: 452

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ 2

♥ AQJT53

♦ T5

♣ AK82

South:

♠ AKQ9854

♥ 92

♦ A98

♣ 3

W N E S

Pass 1 ♥ Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

Board: 453

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ Q942

♦ 73

♣ K972

South:

♠ K9543

♥ AJT873

♦ AT

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♦ Pass 1NT 2 ♦¹

X 4 ♥ All Pass

1. Michaels Cuebid

Board: 454

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 3+1

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ 87643

♥ Q4

♦ J5

♣ T932

South:

♠ -

♥ KJ987

♦ KQT

♣ AKQJ6

W N E S

Pass Pass 2 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♦² X 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

Board: 455

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT753

♥ 742

♦ A862

♣ J

South:

♠ Q942

♥ KT

♦ 53

♣ AQ432

W N E S

Pass Pass 1 ♣

1 ♦ 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠

3 ♦ 3 ♠ All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 456 ♠ Q8 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ QJ654 West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ KJ642
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ 3

Board: 457 ♠ AKJT872 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ T74 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ J
 HCP: 9+3 ♣ T4

Board: 458 ♠ KQJT4 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ JT82 East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ 5
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ K83

Board: 459 ♠ Q762 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ T8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AQ854
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ Q8

Board: 460 ♠ K7 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AT3 West (RHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ QJ972
 HCP: 13+1 ♣ K84

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 456

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ Q8

♥ QJ654

♦ KJ642

♣ 3

South:

♠ A9

♥ A982

♦ A75

♣ K854

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠ ¹
X	XX	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 457

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT872

♥ T74

♦ J

♣ T4

South:

♠ 54

♥ QJ96

♦ KQ982

♣ K6

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	3♠	All Pass	

Board: 458

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ KQJT4

♥ JT82

♦ 5

♣ K83

South:

♠ 62

♥ Q5

♦ KQJ7642

♣ J9

W	N	E	S
	1♠	X	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
All Pass			

Board: 459

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ Q762

♥ T8

♦ AQ854

♣ Q8

South:

♠ A

♥ K542

♦ J97

♣ AK542

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
All Pass			

Board: 460

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ K7

♥ AT3

♦ QJ972

♣ K84

South:

♠ 5432

♥ KQ64

♦ 4

♣ QJT6

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1♠	X	Pass	2♥
All Pass			

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 456 ♠ A9 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ A982 West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ A75
 HCP: 15 ♣ K854

Board: 457 ♠ 54 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QJ96 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ KQ982
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ K6

Board: 458 ♠ 62 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ Q5 East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ KQJ7642
 HCP: 9+3 ♣ J9

Board: 459 ♠ A Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ K542 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ J97
 HCP: 15+1 ♣ AK542

Board: 460 ♠ 5432 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KQ64 West (LHO) opens 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 4
 HCP: 8 ♣ QJT6

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 456

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ Q8

♥ QJ654

♦ KJ642

♣ 3

South:

♠ A9

♥ A982

♦ A75

♣ K854

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠ ¹
X	XX	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. Extended acceptance after NT

Board: 457

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT872

♥ T74

♦ J

♣ T4

South:

♠ 54

♥ QJ96

♦ KQ982

♣ K6

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	3♠	All Pass	

Board: 458

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ KQJT4

♥ JT82

♦ 5

♣ K83

South:

♠ 62

♥ Q5

♦ KQJ7642

♣ J9

W	N	E	S
	1♠	X	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
All Pass			

Board: 459

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ Q762

♥ T8

♦ AQ854

♣ Q8

South:

♠ A

♥ K542

♦ J97

♣ AK542

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
All Pass			

Board: 460

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ K7

♥ AT3

♦ QJ972

♣ K84

South:

♠ 5432

♥ KQ64

♦ 4

♣ QJT6

W	N	E	S
			Pass
1♠	X	Pass	2♥
All Pass			

Losing Trick Count

♣ AT932

♣ AK8764

♣ Q7

♣ AK82

East (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 461

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ QT

♥ 6

♦ AJ832

♣ AT932

South:

♠ 9

♥ KT42

♦ KQ965

♣ K87

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♦	1 ♥	2 ♦
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Pass	Pass	2 ♥	3 ♠ ¹
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Pass	4 ♦	All Pass	
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1. Splinter

Board: 462

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A76

♥ K4

♦ 87

♣ AK8764

South:

♠ QJ42

♥ A98

♦ AT63

♣ Q5

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3NT
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All Pass			
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Board: 463

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1 ♥ North

North:

♠ J54

♥ KJ987

♦ Q86

♣ Q7

South:

♠ AQ3

♥ A54

♦ A97

♣ 6542

W	N	E	S
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Pass	Pass	Pass	1 ♣
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Pass	1 ♥	All Pass	
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Board: 464

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ 8

♥ AT654

♦ T63

♣ AK82

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ J2

♦ QJ98754

♣ T

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1 ♥	1 ♠	3 ♦
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3 ♠	4 ♦	All Pass	
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Board: 465

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ J532

♥ K87

♦ A96

♣ QJ4

South:

♠ AK9

♥ Q642

♦ T5

♣ AT73

W	N	E	S
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1 ♦	Pass	1 ♠	X
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2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦	Pass
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Pass	2NT	All Pass	
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Losing Trick Count

Board: 465	♠ AK9	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ Q642	West (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T5	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 13	♣ AT73	West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
		East (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 461

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♦ North

North:

♠ QT

♥ 6

♦ AJ832

♣ AT932

South:

♠ 9

♥ KT42

♦ KQ965

♣ K87

W	N	E	S
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	1♦	1♥	2♦
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Pass	Pass	2♥	3♠ ¹
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Pass	4♦	All Pass	
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1. Splinter

Board: 462

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A76

♥ K4

♦ 87

♣ AK8764

South:

♠ QJ42

♥ A98

♦ AT63

♣ Q5

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
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All Pass			
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Board: 463

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1♥ North

North:

♠ J54

♥ KJ987

♦ Q86

♣ Q7

South:

♠ AQ3

♥ A54

♦ A97

♣ 6542

W	N	E	S
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Pass	Pass	Pass	1♣
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Pass	1♥	All Pass	
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Board: 464

Dealer: West

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 4♦ North

North:

♠ 8

♥ AT654

♦ T63

♣ AK82

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ J2

♦ QJ98754

♣ T

W	N	E	S
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Pass	1♥	1♠	3♦
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3♠	4♦	All Pass	
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Board: 465

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ J532

♥ K87

♦ A96

♣ QJ4

South:

♠ AK9

♥ Q642

♦ T5

♣ AT73

W	N	E	S
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1♦	Pass	1♠	X
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2♣	Pass	2♦	Pass
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Pass	2NT	All Pass	
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North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 466 ♠ AJ8 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 852 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ 962
 HCP: 9 ♣ A965

Board: 467 ♠ 64 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KJT8654 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 73
 HCP: 8+3 ♣ A2

Board: 468 ♠ QJ542 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ QJ5 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ A943
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 6

Board: 469 ♠ KQJT Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 97643 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ KJT2
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ -

Board: 470 ♠ T54 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ QJ87 West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AT9
 HCP: 11 ♣ A94

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 466

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ8	♠ QT964				1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ 852	♥ J9	Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 9	♦ 962	♦ AJ75				
South HCP: 11+1	♣ A965	♣ K7				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 467

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 64	♠ QJ92				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ KJT8654	♥ 3	Pass	3 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 8+3	♦ 73	♦ QT				
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A2	♣ KJT753				
Contract: 3 ♥ North						

Board: 468

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ542	♠ T86				1 ♥
Vul: Both	♥ QJ5	♥ KT963	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 10+1	♦ A943	♦ Q	Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+1	♣ 6	♣ KQT5				
Contract: 2 ♥ North						

Board: 469

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQJT	♠ 742				1 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ 97643	♥ K8	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 10+1	♦ KJT2	♦ Q3	Pass	2 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+2	♣ -	♣ AQ9432				
Contract: 2 ♦ North						

Board: 470

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ T54	♠ KJ73			Pass	1 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ QJ87	♥ T9	1 ♠	X	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AT9	♦ K7532	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ A94	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2NT North						

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 466 ♠ QT964 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ J9 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ AJ75
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ K7

Board: 467 ♠ QJ92 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 3 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ QT
 HCP: 9+2 ♣ KJT753

Board: 468 ♠ T86 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KT963 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ Q
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ KQT5

Board: 469 ♠ 742 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ K8 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ Q3
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ AQ9432

Board: 470 ♠ KJ73 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ T9 West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K7532
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ KJ

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 466

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ AJ8	♠ QT964				1 ♠
Vul: N-S	♥ 852	♥ J9	Pass	2 ♠	All Pass	
North HCP: 9	♦ 962	♦ AJ75				
South HCP: 11+1	♣ A965	♣ K7				
Contract: 2 ♠ North						

Board: 467

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ 64	♠ QJ92				Pass
Vul: E-W	♥ KJT8654	♥ 3	Pass	3 ♥	All Pass	
North HCP: 8+3	♦ 73	♦ QT				
South HCP: 9+2	♣ A2	♣ KJT753				
Contract: 3 ♥ North						

Board: 468

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ QJ542	♠ T86				1 ♥
Vul: Both	♥ QJ5	♥ KT963	Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 10+1	♦ A943	♦ Q	Pass	2 ♥	All Pass	
South HCP: 10+1	♣ 6	♣ KQT5				
Contract: 2 ♥ North						

Board: 469

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: South	♠ KQJT	♠ 742				1 ♣
Vul: N-S	♥ 97643	♥ K8	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
North HCP: 10+1	♦ KJT2	♦ Q3	Pass	2 ♦	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+2	♣ -	♣ AQ9432				
Contract: 2 ♦ North						

Board: 470

	North:	South:	W	N	E	S
Dealer: East	♠ T54	♠ KJ73			Pass	1 ♦
Vul: N-S	♥ QJ87	♥ T9	1 ♠	X	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ AT9	♦ K7532	Pass	2NT	All Pass	
South HCP: 11+1	♣ A94	♣ KJ				
Contract: 2NT North						

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 471 ♠ KJT9 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 32 East (LHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ QJ4 East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 9 ♣ Q942

Board: 472 ♠ 7632 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ QT96 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ K95
 HCP: 5 ♣ 63

Board: 473 ♠ AT32 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AKJ654 East (LHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ J
 HCP: 13+2 ♣ 92

Board: 474 ♠ QT74 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ 5 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ QJ94
 HCP: 8 ♣ K854

Board: 475 ♠ Q4 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ Q76 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AJ9
 HCP: 12+1 ♣ KT986

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 471

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJT9

♥ 32

♦ QJ4

♣ Q942

South:

♠ Q872

♥ KT954

♦ K98

♣ 3

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	Pass	1 ♦	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	X	2 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 472

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7632

♥ QT96

♦ K95

♣ 63

South:

♠ AKJ

♥ AK2

♦ AQT62

♣ T2

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ ¹	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	
1. Stayman			

Board: 473

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AT32

♥ AKJ654

♦ J

♣ 92

South:

♠ Q954

♥ 932

♦ 54

♣ AKQ3

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	X	XX
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
1. Reverse drury			
2. artificial			

Board: 474

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ QT74

♥ 5

♦ QJ94

♣ K854

South:

♠ J

♥ QJ762

♦ AT

♣ A7632

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	3 ♣	All Pass	

Board: 475

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q4

♥ Q76

♦ AJ9

♣ KT986

South:

♠ 97

♥ KT54

♦ KT763

♣ AJ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 471 ♠ Q872 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KT954 East (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ K98 East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♠ if possible.
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ 3

Board: 472 ♠ AKJ LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ AK2 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ AQT62
 HCP: 21+1 ♣ T2

Board: 473 ♠ Q954 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 932 East (RHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: E-W ♦ 54
 HCP: 11 ♣ AKQ3

Board: 474 ♠ J Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ QJ762 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: Both ♦ AT
 HCP: 12+2 ♣ A7632

Board: 475 ♠ 97 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KT54 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ KT763
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ AJ

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 471

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJT9

♥ 32

♦ QJ4

♣ Q942

South:

♠ Q872

♥ KT954

♦ K98

♣ 3

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	Pass	1 ♦	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	X	2 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 472

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7632

♥ QT96

♦ K95

♣ 63

South:

♠ AKJ

♥ AK2

♦ AQT62

♣ T2

W	N	E	S
Pass	Pass	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ ¹	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

1. Stayman

Board: 473

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AT32

♥ AKJ654

♦ J

♣ 92

South:

♠ Q954

♥ 932

♦ 54

♣ AKQ3

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	X	XX
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. Reverse drury
2. artificial

Board: 474

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ QT74

♥ 5

♦ QJ94

♣ K854

South:

♠ J

♥ QJ762

♦ AT

♣ A7632

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	3 ♣	All Pass	

Board: 475

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ Q4

♥ Q76

♦ AJ9

♣ KT986

South:

♠ 97

♥ KT54

♦ KT763

♣ AJ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦
Pass	2NT	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 476	♠ A982	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT962	
HCP: 8+1	♣ J98	
Board: 477	♠ J2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QT7	
HCP: 9+2	♣ KT7653	
Board: 478	♠ JT97	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ T97	West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J96	East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 5	♣ K74	
Board: 479	♠ AK43	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AQT964	West (RHO) opens 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 87	West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 13+2	♣ 5	
Board: 480	♠ 9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ54	
HCP: 10+1	♣ J8654	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 476

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ A982

♥ J

♦ QT962

♣ J98

South:

♠ J65

♥ AK987

♦ 5

♣ Q643

W N E S

Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

All Pass

Board: 477

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ K4

♦ QT7

♣ KT7653

South:

♠ T984

♥ AQ532

♦ A952

♣ -

W N E S

Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 478

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 5+3

Contract: 4♥X North

North:

♠ JT97

♥ T97

♦ J96

♣ K74

South:

♠ 2

♥ AJ65432

♦ 743

♣ 85

W N E S

Pass 3♥

X 4♥ X All Pass

Board: 479

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK43

♥ AQT964

♦ 87

♣ 5

South:

♠ T9

♥ KJ

♦ KT543

♣ AQ42

W N E S

1♦ 1♥ Pass 1NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♦¹

X Pass² Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. denies a !D stopper

Board: 480

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 22

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 9

♥ A93

♦ KQ54

♣ J8654

South:

♠ KQ

♥ KQJ2

♦ AJ82

♣ AQ3

W N E S

Pass Pass 2♣¹

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. strong

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 476	♠ J65	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK987	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	
HCP: 10+1	♣ Q643	
Board: 477	♠ T984	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A952	
HCP: 10+1	♣ -	
Board: 478	♠ 2	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AJ65432	West (LHO) Doubles 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 743	East (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
HCP: 5+3	♣ 85	
Board: 479	♠ T9	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ KJ	West (LHO) opens 1♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT543	West (LHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.
HCP: 13+1	♣ AQ42	
Board: 480	♠ KQ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ82	
HCP: 22	♣ AQ3	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 476

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 2♣ South

North:

♠ A982

♥ J

♦ QT962

♣ J98

South:

♠ J65

♥ AK987

♦ 5

♣ Q643

W N E S

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

All Pass

Board: 477

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ K4

♦ QT7

♣ KT7653

South:

♠ T984

♥ AQ532

♦ A952

♣ -

W N E S

1♥

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 478

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5

South HCP: 5+3

Contract: 4♥X North

North:

♠ JT97

♥ T97

♦ J96

♣ K74

South:

♠ 2

♥ AJ65432

♦ 743

♣ 85

W N E S

Pass 3♥

X 4♥ X All Pass

Board: 479

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK43

♥ AQT964

♦ 87

♣ 5

South:

♠ T9

♥ KJ

♦ KT543

♣ AQ42

W N E S

1♦ 1♥ Pass 1NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♦¹

X Pass² Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !H

2. denies a !D stopper

Board: 480

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 22

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 9

♥ A93

♦ KQ54

♣ J8654

South:

♠ KQ

♥ KQJ2

♦ AJ82

♣ AQ3

W N E S

Pass Pass 2♣¹

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. strong

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 481 ♠ AT32 Partner is dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ 73 East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ 54 East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
 HCP: 11+1 ♣ AK862

Board: 482 ♠ KQ86 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ K32 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ QJ64
 HCP: 11 ♣ T4

Board: 483 ♠ AQ874 You are dealer.
 Dealer: North ♥ T The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ K9764
 HCP: 10+2 ♣ J9

Board: 484 ♠ 432 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: East ♥ 43 West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ K9853
 HCP: 6+1 ♣ K93

Board: 485 ♠ KJ4 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: West ♥ AQ5 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: E-W ♦ Q8
 HCP: 15+1 ♣ KT532

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 481

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT32

♥ 73

♦ 54

♣ AK862

South:

♠ QJ85

♥ Q6542

♦ K76

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	X
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♦	3 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 482

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQ86

♥ K32

♦ QJ64

♣ T4

South:

♠ 43

♥ AQT865

♦ KT5

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 483

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ874

♥ T

♦ K9764

♣ J9

South:

♠ 932

♥ A7

♦ T853

♣ A853

W	N	E	S
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 484

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ 432

♥ 43

♦ K9853

♣ K93

South:

♠ AK

♥ KQJ

♦ J6

♣ AQ7654

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♣
2 ♥	Pass	Pass	3 ♣
All Pass			

Board: 485

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ4

♥ AQ5

♦ Q8

♣ KT532

South:

♠ T83

♥ KJT92

♦ AJ32

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 481	♠ QJ85	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q6542	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K76	East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 8+1	♣ T	

Board: 482	♠ 43	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT865	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT5	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 95	

Board: 483	♠ 932	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T853	
HCP: 8	♣ A853	

Board: 484	♠ AK	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ KQJ	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J6	
HCP: 20+2	♣ AQ7654	

Board: 485	♠ T83	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ KJT92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ32	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 8	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 481

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT32

♥ 73

♦ 54

♣ AK862

South:

♠ QJ85

♥ Q6542

♦ K76

♣ T

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♣	1 ♦	X
Pass	2 ♠	3 ♦	3 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 482

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 2 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQ86

♥ K32

♦ QJ64

♣ T4

South:

♠ 43

♥ AQT865

♦ KT5

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	2 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 483

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ874

♥ T

♦ K9764

♣ J9

South:

♠ 932

♥ A7

♦ T853

♣ A853

W	N	E	S
	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 484

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ 432

♥ 43

♦ K9853

♣ K93

South:

♠ AK

♥ KQJ

♦ J6

♣ AQ7654

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♣
2 ♥	Pass	Pass	3 ♣
All Pass			

Board: 485

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ4

♥ AQ5

♦ Q8

♣ KT532

South:

♠ T83

♥ KJT92

♦ AJ32

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 486

♠ J2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K7532

HCP: 11+1

♣ AT92

Board: 487

♠ 96

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AQJT864

East (LHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K

HCP: 15+3

♣ AJ7

Board: 488

♠ Q92

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J32

West (RHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKT2

East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

HCP: 12

♣ Q94

Board: 489

♠ KJ95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT92

West (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ QT4

East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

HCP: 9

♣ 93

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

East (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 486

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ KT

♦ K7532

♣ AT92

South:

♠ Q76

♥ AQ9754

♦ AJ84

♣ -

W N E S

1♦ Pass 1♥

2♣ Pass¹ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. max 2 !H

Board: 487

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 96

♥ AQJT864

♦ K

♣ AJ7

South:

♠ KQJ4

♥ 97

♦ Q9865

♣ 98

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ X 1♠

Pass 4♥ All Pass

Board: 488

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ Q92

♥ J32

♦ AKT2

♣ Q94

South:

♠ KT83

♥ A9864

♦ 53

♣ K5

W N E S

1♥

X XX 2♣ Pass

Pass 3♥ All Pass

Board: 489

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥X South

North:

♠ KJ95

♥ KT92

♦ QT4

♣ 93

South:

♠ 7

♥ QJ83

♦ AJ82

♣ K754

W N E S

Pass

1♣ Pass 1♠ X¹

2♠ 3♥ Pass Pass

3♠ Pass Pass 4♥

Pass Pass X All Pass

1. Two suit takeout double

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 486	♠ Q76	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ9754	West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ84	
HCP: 13+2	♣ -	
Board: 487	♠ KQJ4	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 97	East (RHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ Q9865	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 98	
Board: 488	♠ KT83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A9864	West (LHO) Doubles 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 53	East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ K5	
Board: 489	♠ 7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ83	West (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ82	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
HCP: 11	♣ K754	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
		West (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
		East (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 486

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ KT

♦ K7532

♣ AT92

South:

♠ Q76

♥ AQ9754

♦ AJ84

♣ -

W N E S

1♦ Pass 1♥

2♣ Pass¹ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. max 2 !H

Board: 487

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 96

♥ AQJT864

♦ K

♣ AJ7

South:

♠ KQJ4

♥ 97

♦ Q9865

♣ 98

W N E S

Pass Pass

Pass 1♥ X 1♠

Pass 4♥ All Pass

Board: 488

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ Q92

♥ J32

♦ AKT2

♣ Q94

South:

♠ KT83

♥ A9864

♦ 53

♣ K5

W N E S

1♥

X XX 2♣ Pass

Pass 3♥ All Pass

Board: 489

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥X South

North:

♠ KJ95

♥ KT92

♦ QT4

♣ 93

South:

♠ 7

♥ QJ83

♦ AJ82

♣ K754

W N E S

Pass

1♣ Pass 1♠ X¹

2♠ 3♥ Pass Pass

3♠ Pass Pass 4♥

Pass Pass X All Pass

1. Two suit takeout double

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 490	♠ T8653	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 96	East (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ5	
HCP: 6+1	♣ 53	
Board: 491	♠ A9	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ AKQT63	East (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A63	West (RHO) bids 4♠ if possible.
HCP: 17+2	♣ 65	East (LHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.
Board: 492	♠ AJ3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J52	
HCP: 11+1	♣ AJT93	
Board: 493	♠ AQ83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A763	West (RHO) opens 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ8	
HCP: 15	♣ 82	
Board: 494	♠ A82	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ T7543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 75	
HCP: 5+1	♣ J94	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 490

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ T8653

♥ 96

♦ KQJ5

♣ 53

South:

♠ 7

♥ AKJT54

♦ T6

♣ K984

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ 1NT¹ 2♥

All Pass

1. Unusual 1NT

Board: 491

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 3+1

Contract: 5♥X South

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKQT63

♦ A63

♣ 65

South:

♠ J6

♥ 87542

♦ 742

♣ Q84

W N E S

Pass 1♥ 3♠ Pass

Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

4♠ Pass Pass 5♥

Pass Pass X All Pass

Board: 492

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AJ3

♥ 63

♦ J52

♣ AJT93

South:

♠ K8652

♥ AT42

♦ K9

♣ 72

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 493

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AQ83

♥ A763

♦ KQ8

♣ 82

South:

♠ 62

♥ KT94

♦ 74

♣ KQT94

W N E S

Pass Pass

2♠ 2NT All Pass

Board: 494

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A82

♥ T7543

♦ 75

♣ J94

South:

♠ KJ976

♥ AQ2

♦ K2

♣ AK5

W N E S

Pass Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 490 ♠ 7 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AKJT54 East (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ T6
 HCP: 11+2 ♣ K984

Board: 491 ♠ J6 LHO is dealer.
 Dealer: West ♥ 87542 East (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
 Vul: None ♦ 742 West (LHO) bids 4♠ if possible.
 HCP: 3+1 ♣ Q84 East (RHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.

Board: 492 ♠ K8652 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ AT42 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: N-S ♦ K9
 HCP: 10+1 ♣ 72

Board: 493 ♠ 62 You are dealer.
 Dealer: South ♥ KT94 West (LHO) opens 2♠ if possible.
 Vul: Both ♦ 74
 HCP: 8+1 ♣ KQT94

Board: 494 ♠ KJ976 RHO is dealer. You bid second.
 Dealer: East ♥ AQ2 The opponents are silent.
 Vul: None ♦ K2
 HCP: 20+1 ♣ AK5

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 490

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♥ South

North:

♠ T8653

♥ 96

♦ KQJ5

♣ 53

South:

♠ 7

♥ AKJT54

♦ T6

♣ K984

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ 1NT¹ 2♥

All Pass

1. Unusual 1NT

Board: 491

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 3+1

Contract: 5♥X South

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKQT63

♦ A63

♣ 65

South:

♠ J6

♥ 87542

♦ 742

♣ Q84

W N E S

Pass 1♥ 3♠ Pass

Pass 4♥ Pass Pass

4♠ Pass Pass 5♥

Pass Pass X All Pass

Board: 492

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AJ3

♥ 63

♦ J52

♣ AJT93

South:

♠ K8652

♥ AT42

♦ K9

♣ 72

W N E S

Pass Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. forcing 1NT

Board: 493

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AQ83

♥ A763

♦ KQ8

♣ 82

South:

♠ 62

♥ KT94

♦ 74

♣ KQT94

W N E S

Pass Pass

2♠ 2NT All Pass

Board: 494

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A82

♥ T7543

♦ 75

♣ J94

South:

♠ KJ976

♥ AQ2

♦ K2

♣ AK5

W N E S

Pass Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 495	♠ A63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK	East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT6	
HCP: 19+1	♣ KQ987	
Board: 496	♠ QJ7	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ943	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 753	
Board: 497	♠ JT87432	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T98	
HCP: 5+3	♣ AT3	
Board: 498	♠ T	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ KJT98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ74	
HCP: 12+2	♣ 97	
Board: 499	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ82	East (LHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 8642	
HCP: 10+1	♣ AJ732	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 495

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A63

♥ AK

♦ KT6

♣ KQ987

South:

♠ K5

♥ Q8765

♦ 42

♣ AT42

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♣	2 ♦	2 ♥
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 496

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7+2

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ QJ7

♥ KT

♦ KQ943

♣ 753

South:

♠ T53

♥ A87432

♦ 6

♣ K96

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	3 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 497

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ JT87432

♥ -

♦ T98

♣ AT3

South:

♠ K

♥ AKQ842

♦ AJ7

♣ 976

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
Pass	2 ♠ ¹	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. Weak Jump Shifts 2

Board: 498

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ T

♥ KJT98

♦ AKJ74

♣ 97

South:

♠ K87642

♥ 53

♦ Q952

♣ K

W	N	E	S
		Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 499

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2 ♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ KQ82

♦ 8642

♣ AJ732

South:

♠ AQJ5

♥ 74

♦ KJ95

♣ K96

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♥	X
Pass	2 ♣	All Pass	

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 495	♠ K5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q8765	East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 42	
HCP: 9+1	♣ AT42	
Board: 496	♠ T53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A87432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 6	
HCP: 7+2	♣ K96	
Board: 497	♠ K	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AKQ842	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ7	
HCP: 17+2	♣ 976	
Board: 498	♠ K87642	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ 53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q952	
HCP: 8+2	♣ K	
Board: 499	♠ AQJ5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 74	East (RHO) opens 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ95	
HCP: 14	♣ K96	

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 495

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A63

♥ AK

♦ KT6

♣ KQ987

South:

♠ K5

♥ Q8765

♦ 42

♣ AT42

W	N	E	S
			Pass
Pass	1 ♣	2 ♦	2 ♥
Pass	3NT	All Pass	

Board: 496

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 7+2

Contract: 3 ♥ South

North:

♠ QJ7

♥ KT

♦ KQ943

♣ 753

South:

♠ T53

♥ A87432

♦ 6

♣ K96

W	N	E	S
	Pass	Pass	3 ♥
All Pass			

Board: 497

Dealer: East

Vul: None

North HCP: 5+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ JT87432

♥ -

♦ T98

♣ AT3

South:

♠ K

♥ AKQ842

♦ AJ7

♣ 976

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♥
Pass	2 ♠ ¹	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. Weak Jump Shifts 2

Board: 498

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ T

♥ KJT98

♦ AKJ74

♣ 97

South:

♠ K87642

♥ 53

♦ Q952

♣ K

W	N	E	S
		Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

Board: 499

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2 ♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ KQ82

♦ 8642

♣ AJ732

South:

♠ AQJ5

♥ 74

♦ KJ95

♣ K96

W	N	E	S
	Pass	1 ♥	X
Pass	2 ♣	All Pass	

North hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 500

♠ A

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ AJ8754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ JT432

HCP: 10+3

♣ 7

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 500

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ A

♥ AJ8754

♦ JT432

♣ 7

South:

♠ KQT742

♥ -

♦ KQ9

♣ AJT8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

1. forcing 1NT

South hands

Losing Trick Count

Board: 500

♠ KQT742

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ9

HCP: 15+2

♣ AJT8

Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 500

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ A

♥ AJ8754

♦ JT432

♣ 7

South:

♠ KQT742

♥ -

♦ KQ9

♣ AJT8

W	N	E	S
		Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1NT ¹	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
All Pass			

1. forcing 1NT