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086108DEA10177743C121848D285

Board 1

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 7 6 5

♥ K 10 4 2

♦ K 5 4

♣ 9

♠ Q 3

♥ 9 8 7

♦ 9 8 2

♣ K 8 7 5 4



♠ A 9 8 4

♥ Q 6 5 3

◆ Q7

♣ Q 6 3

♠ J 2

♥ A J

♦ A J 10 6 3

♣ A J 10 2

Shape 5431 4423 2254 2335 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 7 8 7 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♥ 2

 $2\clubsuit^3$

3 ♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♣¹

1 NT

2 ♦

3 NT

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

1 boards f

0A818D5F15D8D079897063EF89CB

Board 2

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

N

W

S

E



♠ Q 8 6 5
♥ Q J 10 9
♦ 10 8 7 3 2
♣ —

♠ A K 7 3
♥ 5 4
♦ J
♣ A K J 8 7 3

Shape 1534 4450 4216 4243 HCP 15 5 16 4 Losers 5 7 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

2 boards f

0949A1A83E4C468C66D20D20D134

Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 3
♥ J 2
♦ J 10 8 5
♣ Q 10 8 4 2

♠ J 5 4 2
♥ A 10 9 8 5
♦ K 6 4 3
♣ —

♠ A 10 9 7
♥ 6 3
♦ 9 7 2
♣ J 9 7 6

♠ K Q 8
♥ K Q 7 4
♦ A Q
♣ A K 5 3

N
W E
S

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

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Exclusion, for !H

5. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

3 boards f

0B4D888D28E1DFF25FC5934456F4

Board 4

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J
♥ A K Q 6 4
♦ 6 4 3 2
♣ 9 7 5

♠ 10 9 8 6 2
♥ 8 2
♦ K J
♣ K J 4 2

♠ A 7 4 3
♥ 9 7 5 3
♦ 10 8 5
♣ 8 3

♠ K Q 5
♥ J 10
♦ A Q 9 7
♣ A Q 10 6

W N E S

Shape 1543 4432 3244 5224 HCP 10 4 18 8 Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

4 boards f

0A86142D97D4080B9666DEC9F0C0

Board 5

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 5 4 3 2

♥ 3

♦ 3 2

♣ K 10 9 3 2

♠ K Q 9 8

♥ A 9 8 4 2

♦ Q 5

♣ J 8

♠ 6

♥ K J 10 7 5

♦ 9 8 4

♣ A 7 6 5

♠ A J 7

♥ Q 6

♦ A K J 10 7 6

♣ Q 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 4522 1534 3262 5125 HCP 12 8 17 3 Losers 7 8 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Down 1 — NS -100

5 boards f

0981ED55720526C4F0F889528090

Board 6

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N
E

W
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 2560 3343 4225 4315 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 6 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Exclusion, for !H
 4. 2 out of 4
- 6 ♥ by North
- Down 3 — NS -150

6 boards f

0BAFB924584EC32311B82858931F

Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ J 10 4

♥ J 7 4 3 2

♦ 9 8 7 3

♣ 10

N
W E
S

♠ A K 6 3

♥ A Q 8 5

♦ A 10 2

♣ K 7

Shape 5215 3541 4432 1255 HCP 8 2 20 10 Losers 7 10 5 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2 NT

3. limit raise or better in !S

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

7 boards f

08B1821F421C040089F79EEEA7FC

Board 8

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J

♥ Q 10 5

♦ Q 10 5 4 2

♣ K J 5 4

N

W E

S

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

Shape 4513 1354 5242 3334 HCP 8 9 19 4 Losers 7 7 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. surplus
 4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 6. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 6 ♠ by South
Down 1 — NS -50

8 boards f

09A80B5D50D7DED5A17493CF2FB1

Board 9

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 8 4

♥ 6 2

♦ Q 9 4 3

♣ A J 6

♠ K 3

♥ K 4

♦ J 7 5 2

♣ K 10 5 4 3

♠ Q J 6

♥ Q J 10 9 8 5

♦ 10 8 6

♣ 9

♠ A 7 5 2

♥ A 7 3

♦ A K

♣ Q 8 7 2

W

N

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Shape 2245 3631 4324 4243 HCP 10 6 17 7 Losers 7 8 6 9

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

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

9 boards f

0BEF2982D6459D95DB79C0CE7806

Board 10

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 7 5 4

♥ 6 3

♦ K 7 6 3

♣ 5 3

♠ K 2

♥ Q 10 5 4 2

♦ J 10 8 2

♣ A 7

♠ 10 6 3

♥ J 9 8 7

♦ Q 5

♣ Q J 4 2

♠ Q 9 8

♥ A K

♦ A 9 4

♣ K 10 9 8 6

W N E S

Shape 2542 3424 3235 5242 HCP 10 6 16 8 Losers 7 10 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

10 boards f

08A59BED2B4BEE7FB4984DD4E94C

Board 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J

♥ 10 5 2

♦ K J 10 6 3

♣ K J 10 8

♠ Q 9 4 3

♥ 8 7

♦ A 7 4

♣ 7 6 4 2

♠ 10 8 5 2

♥ K 6 4

♦ Q 9 8 5 2

♣ 9

♠ A K 7 6

♥ A Q J 9 3

♦ —

♣ A Q 5 3

W

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Shape 1354 4351 4504 4234 HCP 9 5 20 6 Losers 8 8 3 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 0 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

11 boards f

0A9DA0222F1741115C29EBD262F3

Board 12

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 4 2

♥ 2

♦ K Q 9 8 4 3 2

♣ K 7

♠ Q J 10 8 6

♥ 9

♦ A J 7

♣ J 10 5 2

♠ 9 7 3

♥ A 10 8 7 4

♦ 6 5

♣ Q 4 3

♠ A K

♥ K Q J 6 5 3

♦ 10

♣ A 9 8 6

W

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Shape 5134 3523 2614 3172 HCP 9 6 17 8 Losers 8 9 4 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Down 1 — NS -100

12 boards f

0B6C0DC9D9423A2E2B90DC00B667

Board 13

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 8 7 4

♥ K Q 10 4

♦ 3 2

♣ 7 2

♠ Q J 5

♥ 9 3

♦ Q J 9 7

♣ A 6 5 4

♠ A 10 2

♥ J 6 5

♦ 10 6 4

♣ 10 9 8 3

♠ 6 3

♥ A 8 7 2

♦ A K 8 5

♣ K Q J

N

W E

S

Shape 5422 3334 2443 3244 HCP 8 5 17 10 Losers 7 11 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 4 — NS +620

13 boards f

089968C110E0454B2EF6EADE8BBC

Board 14

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2452 3334 3433 5224 HCP 10 8 16 6 Losers 7 10 7 8

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

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

14 boards f

0A96058F78E329CBD4338099D29B

Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8 7 3

♥ J 6

♦ 10 6 5 3

♣ J 7 5

♠ K 9 6

♥ K Q 8 5

♦ Q

♣ Q 10 8 6 2

♠ J

♥ A 7 4 3 2

♦ J 9 8 4 2

♣ A 3

♠ A Q 5 4 2

♥ 10 9

♦ A K 7

♣ K 9 4

W

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Shape 3415 1552 5233 4243 HCP 12 10 16 2 Losers 6 7 6 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

15 boards f

092D71C990CDC2A846D052015DE4

Board 16

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 4

♥ Q 10 9 7 4

♦ K J 9 6 5 4

♣ —

♠ Q 10 9 6 2

♥ K

♦ A 10 3

♣ J 8 6 2

♠ J 8

♥ A 8 2

♦ Q 8

♣ A K Q 10 4 3

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ J 6 5 3

♦ 7 2

♣ 9 7 5

N

W E

S

Shape 2560 4423 2326 5134 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 5 10 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

16 boards f

182022FB90AB52B8F44016162A4D

Board 17

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7

♥ Q 8 7

♦ 7 5 4

♣ A J 8 7 6

♠ A K 5 4 3

♥ 6 2

♦ Q 10 8 3

♣ Q 10

♠ 9 6 2

♥ J 9 5 4

♦ 2

♣ K 9 5 4 3

♠ J 10 8

♥ A K 10 3

♦ A K J 9 6

♣ 2

W N E S

Shape 5242 3415 3451 2335 HCP 11 4 16 9 Losers 7 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 ♦ by South
Made 6 — NS +170

17 boards f

1A2D82A677F24CB27F4FD2E54149

Board 18

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

N

W

S

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

Shape 1543 6115 3334 3451 HCP 12 6 18 4 Losers 7 6 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
 6. King ask by 5 NT
 7. K=1
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1430

18 boards f

198909D2EB039A1ED8452E3E5CBC

Board 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 8 5 4
♥ A K 10 6
♦ Q 10
♣ J 10

♠ Q J 7
♥ 4 2
♦ 8 5 4 3 2
♣ 7 3 2

♠ A 9 2
♥ J 5
♦ A K J 9 7
♣ A K 6

♠ 6 3
♥ Q 9 8 7 3
♦ 6
♣ Q 9 8 5 4

W N E S

Shape 5422 2515 3253 3253 HCP 13 4 20 3 Losers 7 7 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

19 boards f

1B29EBAB86DC9D52C11010097B0C

Board 20

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 10 7

♥ 3

♦ A K Q 4 3

♣ 10 6 5 2

♠ A 6 5 4 2

♥ J 7 4 2

♦ J

♣ K Q 3

♠ Q J 9

♥ A K Q

♦ 10 9 2

♣ A 9 7 4

♠ 8 3

♥ 10 9 8 6 5

♦ 8 7 6 5

♣ J 8

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Shape 5413 2542 3334 3154 HCP 11 1 16 12 Losers 7 10 7 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

20 boards f

1A85FDC67F5CDBBF747522EBCA97

Board 21

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5

♥ A Q 3

♦ K J 10 8

♣ J 9 8 4 2

♠ K Q 9 4 3

♥ K J 8 7 6

♦ 5

♣ 10 7

W N E

S

♠ J 10 7 6

♥ 10 9 2

♦ 9 4 3

♣ Q 5 3

♠ A 8 2

♥ 5 4

♦ A Q 7 6 2

♣ A K 6

Shape 1345 4333 3253 5512 HCP 11 3 17 9 Losers 7 11 6 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 ♣ by South
Made 6 — NS +170

21 boards f

198149ECE3B66A49D0334AB65C30

Board 22

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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	S	

♠ K 9 8 5 3
♥ 7 3
♦ 10 4
♣ 10 9 5 4

♠ A 10 4
♥ Q J 9
♦ K 9 8 5
♣ A K 8

Shape 2452 5224 3343 3424 HCP 13 3 17 7 Losers 7 9 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. no !D queen
 - 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +920

22 boards f

1BA489EB6AA77FD39040DC1784D1

Board 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4

♥ K 6 3

♦ A 10 4 3

♣ Q 10 9 8 4

♠ Q 8 5 2

♥ 9

♦ K Q J

♣ A 7 6 5 3

♠ J 9 6

♥ 8 7 5 4 2

♦ 8 7 6 2

♣ J

♠ A K 10 7 3

♥ A Q J 10

♦ 9 5

♣ K 2

W

N

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Shape 1345 3541 5422 4135 HCP 9 2 17 12 Losers 7 10 5 6

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

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

23 boards f

18A15ACBCF8A7FF66020D57ABAB3

Board 24

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6

♥ Q J 10

♦ K Q 10 4 3

♣ Q J 9 2

♠ Q J 8 5

♥ 9 8 4 3 2

♦ 8 5

♣ 7 6

W N E S

♠ K 9 7 4

♥ K 5

♦ J 9

♣ K 10 8 4 3

♠ A 10 3 2

♥ A 7 6

♦ A 7 6 2

♣ A 5

Shape 1354 4225 4342 4522 HCP 11 10 16 3 Losers 6 7 7 9

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

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

24 boards f

19ABB401BC4540758A523CB3B660

Board 25

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A K J 7 4 3
♥ A 2
♦ A 7
♣ Q 10 8

Shape 2452 5143 6223 0625 HCP 10 3 18 9 Losers 7 9 5 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
 3 N by North
 Made 5 — NS +460

25 boards f

1BAB2DF73A76FB98D18F5296C565

Board 26

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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



Shape 2254 3424 4324 4441 HCP 12 1 17 10 Losers 6 11 6 7

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

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

26 boards f

182029B897EF1ADAADE2364EF726

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 9 5 2
♥ 4
♦ K Q 9 8
♣ J 10 3

♠ 10 8 6 3
♥ Q 5 3
♦ J 5 3 2
♣ A Q

♠ 4
♥ J 9 8
♦ 10 7 4
♣ 9 8 6 5 4 2

♠ Q J 7
♥ A K 10 7 6 2
♦ A 6
♣ K 7

W N E S

Shape 5143 1336 3622 4342 HCP 13 1 17 9 Losers 6 10 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

27 boards f

1AA7FC1527DEFA827F3B25EBF67A

Board 28

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A 8
♥ A J 5 4
♦ A Q J 5 3
♣ Q 5

Shape 4135 2245 2452 5611 HCP 11 2 18 9 Losers 7 10 6 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. limit raise or better in !D

5 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +620

28 boards f

1BA6E66E8F91F60EFF70E440F104

Board 29

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2452 3145 3442 5404 HCP 9 11 17 3 Losers 8 6 6 8

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

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

29 boards f

18A9C8B4A69BDB100D3C10569AED

Board 30

South Deals

None Vul

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

	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	

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

♠ A Q J 10 3
♥ A J 2
♦ 8 5
♣ A 7 2

Shape 4252 1633 5323 3235 HCP 10 1 16 13 Losers 7 10 7 7

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

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

30 boards f

1A87293F27717B346248C8F63669

Board 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 4

♥ Q 10 9 8 4 3

♦ 10 7

♣ 8 6 5

♠ K Q J 8 3

♥ A 6 5

♦ Q

♣ A Q J 9

♠ 10 9 7 6 2

♥ —

♦ K 9 6 5 2

♣ 7 4 3

♠ A

♥ K J 7 2

♦ A J 8 4 3

♣ K 10 2

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Shape 5314 5053 1453 2623 HCP 19 3 16 2 Losers 5 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
6 N by North
Made 7 — NS +1470

31 boards f

198A6A20B5F1E330648C975375F7

Board 32

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 2
♥ J 10 8 3 2
♦ 6
♣ Q 8 7 6

♠ Q 8
♥ A 6
♦ Q 10 9 8 4
♣ 9 5 4 2

♠ K 7 4 3
♥ 5 4
♦ J 7 5 3 2
♣ A K

♠ A J 6 5
♥ K Q 9 7
♦ A K
♣ J 10 3

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Shape 2254 4252 4423 3514 HCP 8 11 18 3 Losers 8 7 6 9

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

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

32 boards f

28214380DE7FA843C026DE36C073

Board 33

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 7 5 3
♥ 10 4 2
♦ 6 4
♣ Q 9 7 3

♠ A 6 4
♥ K Q 8 7 3
♦ 9
♣ K 10 8 2

♠ K 10 8 2
♥ J 5
♦ J 10 5
♣ J 6 5 4

♠ Q 9
♥ A 9 6
♦ A K Q 8 7 3 2
♣ A

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Shape 3514 4234 2371 4324 HCP 12 6 19 3 Losers 6 10 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=1

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

33 boards f

2AA78F935049DEE18443C6C05762

Board 34

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

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

Shape 0625 5413 4342 4063 HCP 15 4 17 4 Losers 3 9 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Exclusion, for !H
 3. 2 out of 4
 4. no !H queen
- 7 ♥× by North
- Down 1 — NS -200

34 boards f

296BA1BE639C9C3F63063627FAF5

Board 35

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3 2

♥ Q 8 5 3 2

♦ Q 10 9 8

♣ 10 9

♠ 8 6 5 4

♥ 6

♦ K J 7

♣ A J 8 7 4

♠ A J 7

♥ 10 9

♦ 6 5 4 2

♣ Q 6 5 3

♠ K Q 10 9

♥ A K J 7 4

♦ A 3

♣ K 2

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Shape 4135 3244 4522 2542 HCP 9 7 20 4 Losers 8 9 4 8

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

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

35 boards f

2B0D8A4DE68D5B201696D840B8E4

Board 36

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

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♣

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

Shape 3541 3424 4333 3145 HCP 14 6 16 4 Losers 6 9 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1430

36 boards f

2A83E586C42B516BDADC33B8EB09

Board 37

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 7 6 3

♥ 5 4

♦ A 9 5

♣ J 6 4

♠ 10 5 2

♥ A Q J 2

♦ 6

♣ A 10 8 5 3

♠ 9 8

♥ 9 7 6

♦ 10 8 7 4 3 2

♣ Q 7

♠ A Q 4

♥ K 10 8 3

♦ K Q J

♣ K 9 2

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Shape 3415 2362 3433 5233 HCP 11 2 18 9 Losers 7 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

37 boards f

29B9C170E49117A07C1B514F6F58

Board 38

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J

♥ A Q 7

♦ 7 4 3

♣ Q J 8 7 2

♠ 9 6

♥ K 4

♦ K Q 10 8 5

♣ 9 6 4 3

♠ A 10 8

♥ J 8 3

♦ A 6 2

♣ A K 10 5

W

N

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♠ Q 7 5 4 3 2

♥ 10 9 6 5 2

♦ J 9

♣ —

Shape 2254 6520 3334 2335 HCP 8 3 16 13 Losers 7 7 8 7

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

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

38 boards f

2B9F9526466088C078BD2412EC36

Board 39

South Deals

Both Vul


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

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

Shape 4351 3334 4432 2326 HCP 13 11 16 0 Losers 6 9 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 5 ♦ by North
 Made 5 — NS +600

39 boards f

2841653FE0B67BBFD0D239861F2F

Board 40

South Deals

None Vul


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

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

Shape 4225 3343 3343 3532 HCP 8 9 16 7 Losers 7 9 8 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 2 N by South
- Made 2 — NS +120

40 boards f

29AA194C837A6774C14CFCA11290

Board 41

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5

♥ 10 8 5

♦ Q 6 5

♣ Q 8 6 5 2

♠ K 3

♥ Q J 7 6

♦ J 7 4 3 2

♣ J 9

♠ Q 10 9 8 6

♥ K 3 2

♦ 9 8

♣ A 10 3

♠ A J 4 2

♥ A 9 4

♦ A K 10

♣ K 7 4

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Shape 2452 5323 4333 2335 HCP 8 9 19 4 Losers 8 8 7 9

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

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

41 boards f

2BED768FA40A15961BF01578A862

Board 42

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ K 4 2
♥ 9 8 7 5
♦ 6 2
♣ K 10 8 2

♠ Q J 8 3
♥ A J 3 2
♦ A Q
♣ A 9 5

Shape 4252 3424 4423 2344 HCP 8 6 18 8 Losers 9 9 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 4 ♠ by South
Made 4 — NS +620

42 boards f

28B1095D173ED3ECEDBB2C7FECBB

Board 43

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 7 3

♥ A 10 6 4 2

♦ J

♣ 8 5 3

♠ K J 10 5

♥ K

♦ K 6 2

♣ J 9 6 4 2

♠ Q 4

♥ Q J 9

♦ Q 10 8 7 5 4 3

♣ 10

♠ A 6 2

♥ 8 7 5 3

♦ A 9

♣ A K Q 7

W

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Shape 4135 2371 3424 4513 HCP 11 7 17 5 Losers 8 7 6 9

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

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

43 boards f

2A8CAB96871C73F3224998F9CAC5

Board 44

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 4 3 2	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center; width: 60px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 9 6
♥ 9 8 4		♥ Q 10 5
♦ 9 8 7		♦ K 6 5 4 3
♣ A 10 5		♣ Q 7 3

♠ A K Q J 5
♥ K 7
♦ Q J 2
♣ 6 4 2

Shape 2524 2353 5233 4333 HCP 13 7 16 4 Losers 7 8 6 11

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

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

44 boards f

2B193D9C65BB32CA6FFF1E47FC53

Board 45

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K 9 5
♥ 8 4
♦ J 4
♣ 10 7 6 4 2

♠ 8 6 3
♥ K 10 9 6 3
♦ A 10 8
♣ Q 3

♠ J 7 4 2
♥ A Q 5 2
♦ 9 2
♣ 9 8 5

♠ Q 10
♥ J 7
♦ K Q 7 6 5 3
♣ A K J

W N E S

Shape 4225 4423 2263 3532 HCP 8 7 16 9 Losers 8 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Down 3 — NS -300

45 boards f

28804130900C684ADAF4CFAC9D6B

Board 46

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 2542 4342 4342 3217 HCP 9 4 18 9 Losers 8 10 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. limit raise or better in !H
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 5 ♥ by North
- Down 1 — NS -50

46 boards f

2A8685951B98C0FC003EEA12E906

Board 47

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A K Q 10
♥ 5 3
♦ A K Q 2
♣ K Q 3

Shape 5521 0445 4243 4234 HCP 9 8 23 0 Losers 7 7 3 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Super acceptance after NT
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
 6. !S queen and !C king
- 6 ♠ by South
 Made 6 — NS +1430

47 boards f

29A08F92A5B0D158CADE404DF507

Board 48

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A K Q J 10
 ♥ A J
 ♦ 8 7
 ♣ J 9 4 3

Shape 1552 3433 5224 4234 HCP 12 5 16 7 Losers 5 10 6 9

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

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

48 boards f

38A341AC848BFB1A5CF44CB7AF52

Board 49

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1435 4342 6331 2335 HCP 8 5 23 4 Losers 8 9 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Blackwood 0314
 4. A=1/4 or 4/4
- 5 ♠ by South
- Made 6 — NS +480

49 boards f

3AA774248DCB9C7FAC9A5FD448F8

Board 50

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 4 2

♥ K 8 2

♦ —

♣ K Q 9 7 4 3 2

♠ Q

♥ J 10 3

♦ J 9 8 7 5

♣ A 10 8 5

♠ K 8 5 3

♥ 9 6 5 4

♦ 10 6 3 2

♣ 6

♠ A J 9 7 6

♥ A Q 7

♦ A K Q 4

♣ J

W

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Shape 1354 4441 5341 3307 HCP 8 3 21 8 Losers 9 9 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♣	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 4 — NS +630			

50 boards f

392919D8FBC8CC620C4B16266094

Board 51

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

Shape 5422 3433 1462 4126 HCP 8 5 21 6 Losers 8 10 3 7

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

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

51 boards f

3B8C6BA79457AA7D1B56DCF04F88

Board 52

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 10 8 6 3
♥ J 10 7 6 5
♦ 4
♣ 9 6

♠ A Q J 9 2
♥ K Q 9
♦ A 8 5 3
♣ 8

Shape 1345 5512 5341 2245 HCP 12 4 16 8 Losers 6 8 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6 ♦ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

52 boards f

3AADD1067615C613DD77DD1C7234

Board 53

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A
♥ A
♦ Q J 10 9 6 2
♣ A K 10 7 5

Shape 5242 3604 1165 4432 HCP 8 7 18 7 Losers 8 7 3 9

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

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

53 boards f

39AE2913F736412F15B5CA7FA4DC

Board 54

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

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

Shape 5224 2353 3424 3442 HCP 10 7 17 6 Losers 7 9 6 10

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

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

54 boards f

3B6FBE97FE069CD3DCC943CC681F

Board 55

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 2
♥ 10 6 5 4
♦ Q 10
♣ A Q 8 5 2

♠ J 8 7 6 4
♥ K J
♦ 6 3
♣ 9 7 4 3

♠ A 5 3
♥ Q 9 8 7 2
♦ 8 5
♣ K J 10

♠ K Q 9
♥ A 3
♦ A K J 9 7 4 2
♣ 6

W N E S

Shape 2425 3523 3271 5224 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 8 8 4 9

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

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

55 boards f

388DBAA0BA02308CF5DA876ACE58

Board 56

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N

W E

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♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 2551 2236 6232 3424 HCP 8 8 18 6 Losers 7 8 5 9

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

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

56 boards f

39A32BD511E8867A3CD1205F627C

Board 57

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ 8 4 3 2
	♥ Q J 6 4
	♦ Q 9
	♣ 9 8 3

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



Shape 4153 4423 2533 3334 HCP 16 5 17 2 Losers 6 10 6 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no !D queen
- 6 ♦ by North
 Made 6 — NS +920

57 boards f

3B25A39C08045EF0B4205DDE3284

Board 58

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 10 6 3
 ♥ J 10 2
 ♦ A 10 7 2
 ♣ K

♠ 8 4
 ♥ 8 7 3
 ♦ J
 ♣ Q J 10 8 7 6 2

♠ 9 5
 ♥ Q 9 5 4
 ♦ K 8 6 3
 ♣ 9 4 3

♠ K Q 7 2
 ♥ A K 6
 ♦ Q 9 5 4
 ♣ A 5

♠ N
 ♥ W E
 ♦ S
 ♣

Shape 5341 2443 4342 2317 HCP 13 5 18 4 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

58 boards f

388229FE91BE372C5BF416DCAB23

Board 59

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ A J 10 3
	♥ K 8 3 2
	♦ A J 2
	♣ K J



Shape 5134 1444 4432 3433 HCP 10 9 17 4 Losers 7 7 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Super acceptance after NT
 4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 5. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 6. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 7. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 5 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +480

59 boards f

3AA709DB363C58DB0461F748A375

Board 60

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 5
♥ J 10 5 2
♦ 6 3
♣ 10 9 7 4

♠ K J 10 7
♥ K 7 4
♦ 10
♣ A Q 8 5 3

♠ 9 6 4 2
♥ Q 9 8
♦ K Q 9 8 4
♣ J

♠ A 3
♥ A 6 3
♦ A J 7 5 2
♣ K 6 2

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Shape 4315 4351 2353 3424 HCP 13 8 16 3 Losers 6 7 7 10

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

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

60 boards f

3B2D1F51136B1290FC38B79CB7C9

Board 61

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ Q 10

♥ K Q J 9 8 4

♦ Q J 9 8

♣ 9

N

W E

S

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

Shape 5125 2641 4243 2434 HCP 12 11 17 0 Losers 6 6 6 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
 6. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 7 — NS +1460

61 boards f

3899216E15973784AB743373DE1C

Board 62

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 3
♥ 9 6 5 4
♦ J 10 9 8 6
♣ 8 6 2

♠ K J 9 5 2
♥ 8
♦ A 7
♣ 10 9 7 5 4

♠ Q 6 4
♥ A J 10 3 2
♦ Q 3 2
♣ Q 3

♠ A 10 8 7
♥ K Q 7
♦ K 5 4
♣ A K J

W N E S

Shape 5125 3532 4333 1453 HCP 8 11 20 1 Losers 7 8 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

62 boards f

3AA9CD4C7D97000AA24AD13671FD

Board 63

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 5 2

♥ J 4 3 2

♦ 9 7 5 3

♣ Q 9

♠ 9 8 4

♥ K Q 9 8 6

♦ K Q J 2

♣ 10

♠ Q J 6 3

♥ 10 5

♦ A 8 6

♣ 8 7 6 4

♠ A 10 7

♥ A 7

♦ 10 4

♣ A K J 5 3 2

W N E S

Shape 3541 4234 3226 3442 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 6 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
2 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +170

63 boards f

39B8A7B3770ECFA9684E94C75840

Board 64

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ J 7 6 3 2

♥ 5 3

♦ K J 5 4

♣ 10 6

N
W E
S

♠ A K Q 8 5
♥ K 8 7
♦ A 8 7 3
♣ 8

Shape 1525 5242 5341 2335 HCP 8 5 16 11 Losers 7 9 5 8

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

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

64 boards f

488DA609DBFEEFDD8671503740C3

Board 65

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 8 2

♥ 10 6 4

♦ K 7 4

♣ 5 3

♠ Q 4

♥ A Q 7 3 2

♦ Q J

♣ J 9 4 2

♠ 6 5 3

♥ J 8 5

♦ A 10 9 8

♣ K 10 7

♠ A K 7

♥ K 9

♦ 6 5 3 2

♣ A Q 8 6

N

W E

S

Shape 2524 3343 3244 5332 HCP 12 8 16 4 Losers 8 10 6 10

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

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

65 boards f

4AA123640A7980041A5A440CBCA0

Board 66

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A 9 3 2
♥ A K Q 2
♦ Q 8 5
♣ A 10

Shape 5521 4243 4432 0247 HCP 8 4 19 9 Losers 8 10 5 5

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. limit raise or better in !S
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

66 boards f


49A1DB3B37F695E4F6879B480D1C

Board 67

South Deals

E-W Vul

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



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

♠ A 9 6 5
♥ A 8
♦ K Q 5 4
♣ A 9 3

Shape 4315 1462 4243 4423 HCP 13 4 17 6 Losers 6 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 5 ♣ by South
- Made 5 — NS +400

67 boards f

4BEF8FB EF84652802DCA4A251138

Board 68

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 9 5
♥ 9 3
♦ 9 8 3
♣ Q 10 9 6 5

♠ K Q 8
♥ A 7 4
♦ A K Q 7
♣ 7 4 3

Shape 4522 3235 3343 3343 HCP 10 2 18 10 Losers 7 10 6 10

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

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

68 boards f

4AE5453E7D3225AC504A101E8D70

Board 69

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

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S

♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 5350 5314 2335 1444 HCP 8 6 19 7 Losers 6 8 6 8

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

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

69 boards f

49691BEB641F1E93F88738129C9C

Board 70

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;"> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; padding: 0 5px;">N</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; padding: 0 5px;">W E</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; padding: 0 5px;">S</div> </div>	♠ A J
♥ 7 5		♥ K 10 9 8 4 3 2
♦ 10 9 3 2		♦ J 6
♣ J 7 5 3 2		♣ 9 4

♠ 8 6 3 2
♥ A Q J
♦ A K Q 7 5
♣ A

Shape 5 1 2 5 2 7 2 2 4 3 5 1 2 2 4 5 HCP 8 9 20 3 Losers 6 7 4 10

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

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

70 boards f

4B3FA10F886A3FCED07E087FB282

Board 71

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 9 5
♥ Q J 8 5 2
♦ —
♣ A Q 9 4

♠ 8 7
♥ A 9 6 4 3
♦ J 10 5
♣ J 7 5

♠ 10 6 4
♥ 7
♦ K 7 3 2
♣ 10 8 6 3 2

♠ K J 3 2
♥ K 10
♦ A Q 9 8 6 4
♣ K

W N E S

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

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

71 boards f

4891285AE9730A52F574C79CC98D

Board 72

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 10 8 6
♥ A Q 8 4
♦ 4 2
♣ Q 9 8

♠ A 4 2
♥ K J
♦ A 10 8
♣ A J 7 3 2

Shape 2452 4423 3235 4333 HCP 9 10 17 4 Losers 7 7 7 11

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

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

72 boards f

4929F13DF35B5C3DA72157576C90

Board 73

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ 10 9 5 4 3
	♥ 10 9 5 4 2
	♦ 7 5 4
	♣ —

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



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

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

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

73 boards f

4BA51EDFFA9CE07F367F017B1C83

Board 74

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 9
♥ J 8 7 6 4
♦ J 4
♣ 10 9 3

♠ K 7 5 3
♥ 5 2
♦ A 7
♣ Q 8 6 4 2

♠ 8 6 4
♥ K Q 10 3
♦ 9 5 2
♣ K J 7

♠ A 10 2
♥ A 9
♦ K Q 10 8 6 3
♣ A 5

W

N
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E

Shape 4225 3433 3262 3523 HCP 9 9 17 5 Losers 7 9 5 10

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

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

74 boards f

48914F8D777FC415A345764821D8

Board 75

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N

W E

S

♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 2524 6331 3235 2353 HCP 9 13 16 2 Losers 7 6 6 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
- 3 ♥ by North
- Made 3 — NS +140

75 boards f

4A8DF4B7939D4A0C4A9C8BF469F2

Board 76

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 1543 3343 6133 3424 HCP 11 1 16 12 Losers 7 12 5 7

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

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

76 boards f

4B8C8560DCFA67C0AD00941756D9

Board 77

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2452 3532 4333 4126 HCP 10 5 17 8 Losers 7 9 7 7

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

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

77 boards f

48A52FDB9E737FC227CDEC39FC2D

Board 78

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 6 5 3	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;"> <div style="display: flex; flex-direction: column; align-items: center;"> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; width: 100%;"> N E </div> W S </div> </div>	♠ 10 9
♥ 10 9 4 3		♥ Q J
♦ A 7		♦ K J 9 6 5 3 2
♣ 5 3		♣ J 8

♠ A J
♥ A K 7 5 2
♦ 10 8
♣ A 6 4 2

Shape 4225 2272 2524 5422 HCP 10 8 16 6 Losers 7 8 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
- 3 ♦ × by East
- Down 2 — NS +300

78 boards f

4AA602B7E76A0F15C316F29A30D1

Board 79

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

N

S

E

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

♠ A Q 4
♥ A J 10
♦ A Q J 8 6
♣ 8 2

Shape 5314 1426 3352 4351 HCP 9 7 18 6 Losers 7 7 6 8

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

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

79 boards f

49390B254D8E588F5C9D3FDC5621

Board 80

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N
E

W
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ J 9 7 3
♥ 9 7 6 4 3
♦ Q 3
♣ 10 3

♠ 10 8 6
♥ Q 2
♦ A K 9
♣ A Q J 6 2

Shape 5413 4522 3235 1273 HCP 16 3 16 5 Losers 5 10 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

80 boards f

58819BB6BD1018752AE33F5FF6BF

Board 81

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

N

E

S

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

Shape 4135 2443 5233 2632 HCP 10 6 19 5 Losers 7 9 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. limit raise or better in !S
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
 5. !S queen no !H king no !C king no !D king
- 7 ♠ by North
- Down 1 — NS -50

81 boards f

5A17A63964870AF367B0C8DB904E

Board 82

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 5 4

♥ Q 8 6

♦ 8 6 3

♣ J 6 5 3

♠ A Q 9

♥ 10 9 5 2

♦ 2

♣ A 10 8 7 4

♠ J 7 2

♥ A 4 3

♦ Q 9 5 4

♣ K 9 2

♠ K 10 6 3

♥ K J 7

♦ A K J 10 7

♣ Q

W N E S

Shape 3415 3343 4351 3334 HCP 10 10 17 3 Losers 7 9 6 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +600

82 boards f

59A04918CC84B117724ACE6DA770

Board 83

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

N

W

S

E

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

Shape 2542 5233 4333 2335 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 8 10 7 9

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

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

83 boards f

5BAE67C0B4C72CD54240BFC89269

Board 84

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9
♥ Q 10 7 6 4
♦ K J 10 8
♣ K 10 5

♠ Q 10 8 4
♥ J 5
♦ 4 2
♣ Q J 9 6 4

♠ K 7 6 2
♥ 8 3
♦ Q 7 6 3
♣ A 7 3

♠ A J 5 3
♥ A K 9 2
♦ A 9 5
♣ 8 2

W N E S

Shape 1543 4243 4432 4225 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 7 8 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

84 boards f

5AA51107330CAE52FED5D992DE20

Board 85

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 8

♥ K 8 6 5 4 3

♦ 5

♣ 9 8 7 4 3

N

W E

S

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

Shape 5242 1615 3334 4252 HCP 11 3 21 5 Losers 8 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 6 N by South
Down 1 — NS -100

85 boards f

59B1B771AB76237ABE1627F07D8F

Board 86

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4

♥ A K Q 10 8 7 4 3

♦ 7 3 2

♣ 4

♠ 9 6 5

♥ 2

♦ A Q 9 4

♣ K J 9 5 2

♠ Q 10 8 3

♥ 6

♦ K 10 6 5

♣ 10 8 7 6

W

N

E

S

♠ A K J 7 2

♥ J 9 5

♦ J 8

♣ A Q 3

Shape 3 1 4 5 4 1 4 4 5 3 2 3 1 8 3 1 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 7 8 7 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♥	Db1	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

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

86 boards f

5B2DA00F1BD80A5ED096AFFBE2E7

Board 87

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 7 4 3 2

♥ 4

♦ J 10 9 4

♣ K 10 7

♠ A Q J 9

♥ Q 9

♦ 6 2

♣ Q J 5 4 2

♠ 8

♥ J 10 8 7 6

♦ K 7 3

♣ 9 8 6 3

♠ K 6 5

♥ A K 5 3 2

♦ A Q 8 5

♣ A

W

N

E

S

Shape 4225 1534 3541 5143 HCP 12 4 20 4 Losers 7 9 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
6 N by North
Made 6 — NS +1440


87 boards f

5891284F50C1FEEB441489D0DAAA

Board 88

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

Shape 2452 3523 3343 5125 HCP 10 10 16 4 Losers 7 9 8 8

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

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

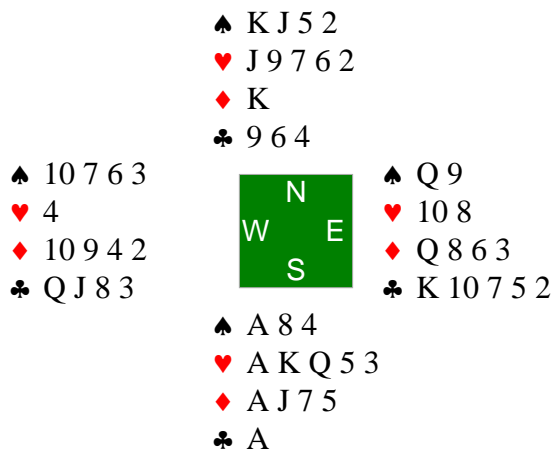
88 boards f

59A9226408DE4F94CAC72ABFE40E

Board 89

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 4513 2245 3541 4144 HCP 8 7 22 3 Losers 9 8 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♥ by North
Made 7 — NS +1010

89 boards f

5B81B90CC923FE27F299BA534FD3

Board 90

South Deals

Both Vul


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

N

W

S

E



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

Shape 3415 2353 4234 4441 HCP 9 4 17 10 Losers 7 10 6 8

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

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

90 boards f

582100D1F27A8E57DABD28349ABB

Board 91

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 9 6 3 2

♥ A 5

♦ A K Q J

♣ A Q 6

N
W E
S

Shape 4252 2425 4243 3523 HCP 10 3 20 7 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +980

91 boards f

5A2097950E6232E3E2E93E9D1C53

Board 92

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 6

♥ 9 5

♦ A 10 9 8 7 2

♣ A 3

♠ A J 9 5 3

♥ J

♦ J 5 4 3

♣ K 8 2

♠ 10 2

♥ K Q 4 3 2

♦ 6

♣ J 10 9 7 5

W

N

E

S

♠ K Q 4

♥ A 10 8 7 6

♦ K Q

♣ Q 6 4

Shape 5143 2515 3523 3262 HCP 10 6 16 8 Losers 8 7 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

92 boards f

5B838EDDA9F010B3C30FE572489B

Board 93

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 6

♥ A K 7 6 3

♦ 5

♣ A 8 7 6 2

♠ Q 10 7 5

♥ 10 8 4

♦ J 3 2

♣ 10 9 3

♠ 4 3

♥ Q 9 2

♦ A 10 9 8 7 4

♣ K 4

♠ A K J 8 2

♥ J 5

♦ K Q 6

♣ Q J 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 2515 2362 5233 4333 HCP 11 9 17 3 Losers 6 7 6 11

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

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

93 boards f

58E982B05FB7178D04D1375C2C12

Board 94

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

N
E
S

E

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

♠ K Q 10 8
♥ A 3
♦ K Q 6 2
♣ A 8 6

Shape 5314 2542 4243 2344 HCP 8 6 18 8 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Super acceptance after NT
- 4 ♠ by South
- Made 5 — NS +450

94 boards f

5AB58BABD5FC9817C9EEC848FF57

Board 95

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 7 6 5 3

♥ A 10 3

♦ —

♣ 10 9 5 4

♠ 8

♥ K 7 5 4

♦ 10 6 3

♣ K Q 8 3 2

♠ 4 2

♥ J 9 8 2

♦ K Q 9 7 5 4

♣ 6

♠ A K Q 9

♥ Q 6

♦ A J 8 2

♣ A J 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 1435 2461 4243 6304 HCP 8 6 21 5 Losers 7 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♠	Db1	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

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

95 boards f

59594941C8210ADC3C196816D3FE

Board 96

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5431 4513 0265 4234 HCP 8 13 17 2 Losers 7 6 3 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

96 boards f

6880808CBA9CCE2EC39B97D0EAFA

Board 97

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8

♥ A K Q 9 7

♦ J 6 3 2

♣ 7 6 5

♠ 9 7 4 3 2

♥ J 2

♦ 5

♣ A K Q 10 4

♠ —

♥ 10 6 5 4

♦ Q 10 9 8

♣ J 9 8 3 2

♠ A K Q J 10 6 5

♥ 8 3

♦ A K 7 4

♣ —

W N E S

Shape 1543 0445 7240 5215 HCP 10 3 17 10 Losers 7 8 3 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Down 3 — NS -150

97 boards f

6A2AE6AD0C8CF96207866CFC5872

Board 98

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 4
♥ 9 4 2
♦ 8 2
♣ J 10 5 4 3

♠ A J 7
♥ J 10 7 6
♦ Q J 10 5 4
♣ 7

♠ 8 5 3 2
♥ 3
♦ A 9 3
♣ A K 8 6 2

♠ Q 10 6
♥ A K Q 8 5
♦ K 7 6
♣ Q 9

W

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Shape 3451 4135 3532 3325 HCP 9 11 16 4 Losers 8 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

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

98 boards f

69817539FD59F7047C0A8B5F4815

Board 99

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

W

N

E

S



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

Shape 4513 5341 2056 2533 HCP 10 6 16 8 Losers 7 8 3 9

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

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

99 boards f

6B866DDD0FB791B8C0947B4A937B

Board 100

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A 10 9 8 6 3
♥ K
♦ K Q J
♣ K Q 9

Shape 1435 4432 6133 2443 HCP 11 9 18 2 Losers 8 8 5 11

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

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

100 boards f

6AED81395E809148F93433160946

Board 101

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 7

♥ Q 7 6 5

♦ K 10 9 5

♣ 10 8 6

♠ Q 6 5 4 3

♥ K 10 8 3 2

♦ A J

♣ 5

♠ J 8 2

♥ J 9 4

♦ Q 8 7 3

♣ J 4 2

♠ K 10 9

♥ A

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A K Q 9 7 3

W N E

S

Shape 5521 3343 3136 2443 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 6 11 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

101 boards f

6939AA2F5D3301E1FEC67DFA5A12

Board 102

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 6 4
♥ A 10 7 5 4
♦ Q J 7 5
♣ —

♠ A Q 10 9 2
♥ 9 6
♦ 10 9 8 2
♣ Q 10

♠ J 5 3
♥ J 3 2
♦ 6
♣ K 7 6 4 3 2

♠ K
♥ K Q 8
♦ A K 4 3
♣ A J 9 8 5

W N E
S

Shape 5242 3316 1345 4540 HCP 8 5 20 7 Losers 8 9 5 7

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

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

102 boards f

6BA13629F6DA0E704F80B520267C

Board 103

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10
♥ K J 8 5 2
♦ Q 10
♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ K Q 9 4 3
♥ 9 7 6
♦ K J 5 3
♣ 7

♠ 8 7 2
♥ 10
♦ A 8 6 4
♣ K J 10 9 3

♠ A 6 5
♥ A Q 4 3
♦ 9 7 2
♣ A Q 5

W N E S

Shape 5341 3145 3433 2524 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 7 8 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

103 boards f

6830A3846B87C589F5EE784E5A9E

Board 104

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 6
♥ A 7 5
♦ Q 10 9 7
♣ A Q 5

♠ A
♥ Q 10 9 8 4
♦ J 8 5 3
♣ K J 10

♠ J 5 4 3
♥ 3 2
♦ 6 4 2
♣ 6 4 3 2

♠ K Q 10 8 2
♥ K J 6
♦ A K
♣ 9 8 7

W

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Shape 1543 4234 5323 3343 HCP 11 1 16 12 Losers 7 11 6 8

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

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

104 boards f

69AF8B9C331F90E05519EFE416E6

Board 105

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A K Q 9

♥ A 8 5 4 2

♦ K 6

♣ 7 6

N
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W
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♠ 7

♥ Q 10 9 7 6 3

♦ 7 4 3 2

♣ 3 2

Shape 4135 1642 4522 4144 HCP 13 2 16 9 Losers 8 8 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
 6. !S queen and !D king
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

105 boards f

6BE54D0C16405F31E0A69C0A78CC

Board 106

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 8 4
♥ K Q 10 4 2
♦ A J 6
♣ 9

♠ A 7 2
♥ 8 3
♦ 4 3
♣ Q 10 7 5 3 2

♠ K 10 9 3
♥ J 9 5
♦ 10 8 7
♣ J 6 4

♠ 6 5
♥ A 7 6
♦ K Q 9 5 2
♣ A K 8

W N E S

Shape 4531 4333 2353 3226 HCP 13 5 16 6 Losers 6 11 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

106 boards f

68A9B1261F46F3708D8E0AD51634

Board 107

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ K 9 8 2

♦ Q 10 4 3 2

♣ 8 2

♠ Q J 5 3 2

♥ 10 7 6 5

♦ A 5

♣ J 9

♠ 10 8

♥ J 4 3

♦ J 7 6

♣ Q 10 6 5 3

W N
 E
 S

♠ A K 7 6

♥ A Q

♦ K 9 8

♣ A K 7 4

Shape 5422 2335 4234 2452 HCP 8 4 23 5 Losers 8 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
 6. !S queen no !C king no !D king no !H king
- 6 ♠ by South
- Made 6 — NS +980

107 boards f

6A81660D545AEAF39CFC04EE222D

Board 108

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

W

N

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

Shape 4351 3325 2533 4234 HCP 10 8 17 5 Losers 6 9 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

108 boards f

6BDDA72771922972E450283B2977

Board 109

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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		♠ J 8 6 2
		♥ A 10 6
		♦ J 10 8 6
		♣ 10 8

♠ K 10
♥ K Q 9 7 5 3
♦ A
♣ A J 9 3

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

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 6 ♣ by South
 Made 6 — NS +1370

109 boards f

682D8EA715DBC232B5009802745C

Board 110

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5422 2434 4243 2344 HCP 10 11 16 3 Losers 8 8 7 10

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

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

110 boards f

6AFCAD250627DAF9E373DB9E5F74

Board 111

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 8 7 5

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ 7 6

♣ A 2

♠ Q J 10

♥ J

♦ A K 4 3

♣ 10 7 6 5 3

♠ 6 3 2

♥ 9 5 4 3

♦ 9 8 5

♣ J 9 4

♠ K 4

♥ K Q 10 7

♦ Q J 10 2

♣ K Q 8

W N E S

Shape 3145 3433 2443 5422 HCP 11 1 16 12 Losers 7 12 5 7

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

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

111 boards f

6989A24C0E4D867E917C61B3D23D

Board 112

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3

♥ 8 6 4 2

♦ Q J 10 8 6 2

♣ Q 6

♠ J 2

♥ A Q J 10 9

♦ K 7 5 4 3

♣ 4

♠ Q 10 8 6 5

♥ 7 3

♦ 9

♣ K J 9 8 3

♠ A K 9 7 4

♥ K 5

♦ A

♣ A 10 7 5 2

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Shape 2551 5215 5215 1462 HCP 11 6 18 5 Losers 6 7 4 8

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

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

112 boards f

78868D63AD471BC543FDF674711A

Board 113

South Deals

None Vul

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

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	S	

♠ Q 10 7 4 3
♥ 9 2
♦ K J 6
♣ A 5 2

♠ A K J
♥ Q J
♦ Q 7 3
♣ K J 8 6 3

Shape 2524 5233 3235 3451 HCP 9 10 17 4 Losers 7 8 7 9

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

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

113 boards f

7A752E217DE8904D1D7A4309B820

Board 114

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10

♥ A J 6 3

♦ Q 9 5 2

♣ 10 9 3 2

♠ K Q 7 4 2

♥ 8 5 4

♦ K J 8 7

♣ 5

♠ A J 8 6 5

♥ 9 7

♦ 10 6 4 3

♣ K 6

♠ 9 3

♥ K Q 10 2

♦ A

♣ A Q J 8 7 4

W N E

S

Shape 5341 5242 2416 1444 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 7 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
2 ♠ by North
Made 3 — NS +140

114 boards f

797BA38BAD5F74730C3EA066DE91

Board 115

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A 10 9 8 4

♥ 10 3 2

♦ 9 4

♣ 6 4 3

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♠ K Q J 5 2
♥ K J 5 4
♦ A Q
♣ J 2

Shape 2245 5323 5422 1453 HCP 14 4 17 5 Losers 6 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
- 5 ♠ by South
 Made 5 — NS +450

115 boards f

7B29212BB303D2E37E748922C968

Board 116

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ J 5

♥ A K Q 8 4 2

♦ 7

♣ A K 5 3

N

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♠ 7 6 2

♥ 9

♦ K J 10 9 8 4

♣ 9 7 4

Shape 5314 3163 2614 3352 HCP 12 4 17 7 Losers 6 9 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430


116 boards f

7AA8278D4EE8E7FFE91C7B7264DE

Board 117

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A Q
♥ A K 10 9 7 3
♦ K 9 3
♣ Q 7

Shape 2254 4243 2632 5314 HCP 12 6 18 4 Losers 7 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

117 boards f

79E983624B68447BF0C6B5EFDF4A

Board 118

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 0535 6133 2452 5323 HCP 13 5 18 4 Losers 5 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Exclusion, for !H
 3. 3 out of 4
 4. !H queen and !S king
- 7 ♠ by North
Down 6 — NS -300

118 boards f

7B55299FA1306EF5404BF33C1B3E

Board 119

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 5
♥ 10 8 5 4 2
♦ K 6 3
♣ 10 7 4

♠ K 10 4 3 2
♥ 7 6
♦ A 8
♣ Q 6 5 3

♠ A 9 7 6
♥ A Q 3
♦ J 10 7 5
♣ 9 2

♠ Q J
♥ K J 9
♦ Q 9 4 2
♣ A K J 8

W N E S

Shape 5224 4342 2344 2533 HCP 9 11 17 3 Losers 7 8 7 10

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

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

119 boards f

781126B13EF5801E90E7134BCCCE

Board 120

South Deals

None Vul


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

W

N

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

Shape 5413 1444 3253 4333 HCP 8 9 17 6 Losers 8 8 5 10

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

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

120 boards f

79D963A7E7584B803FD8F2BC2662

Board 121

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 6 5

♥ 7 5 4

♦ 7 4

♣ 10 8 6 4

W

N

E

S

♠ K 10 9 2

♥ A 10 6

♦ Q J 3

♣ 5 3 2

♠ 7 3

♥ 9 8

♦ K 8 5 2

♣ K Q J 9 7

♠ Q 8 4

♥ K Q J 3 2

♦ A 10 9 6

♣ A

Shape 2245 4333 3541 4324 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 7 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
2 N by North
Made 3 — NS +150

121 boards f

7B65A30E2CE4E8F5465FD358B771

Board 122

South Deals

Both Vul


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

N

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

Shape 2254 5332 2533 4324 HCP 12 9 18 1 Losers 8 9 6 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
- 6 ♦ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

122 boards f

78A84383657641C43E139FDF94E8

Board 123

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A Q 5 3
♥ A J 2
♦ K Q 9 6
♣ J 9

Shape 2425 4432 4342 3244 HCP 14 4 17 5 Losers 5 10 6 10

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

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

123 boards f

7AB52D97FBEF2D5057D200901AD7

Board 124

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A Q 4
♥ K 10 9
♦ A Q 7 2
♣ A K 9

Shape 4135 2722 3343 4243 HCP 9 3 22 6 Losers 7 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 N by South
 Made 6 — NS +690

124 boards f

7B859EE23E79340BB66D9218D424

Board 125

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 3

♥ J 10 9 7

♦ 10 8 4

♣ 9 4 3 2

♠ J 9 8 4 2

♥ A 8

♦ A 9 7 3 2

♣ 8

♠ 10 6

♥ K 5 4 3

♦ Q 5

♣ K Q J 7 5

♠ A K 7 5

♥ Q 6 2

♦ K J 6

♣ A 10 6

W

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Shape 5251 2425 4333 2434 HCP 9 11 17 3 Losers 7 7 7 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

125 boards f

782EA1B91F1DD014F0DF9C19C8BB

Board 126

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 6 3

♥ Q 7 2

♦ 8

♣ 9 8 7 5 3

♠ A J 10 8 4

♥ 3

♦ Q 4 3 2

♣ J 6 2

♠ —

♥ J 10 9 8 6 5 4

♦ A J 10 6 5

♣ A

♠ K Q 5 2

♥ A K

♦ K 9 7

♣ K Q 10 4

W

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Shape 5 1 4 3 0 7 5 1 4 2 3 4 4 3 1 5 HCP 8 10 20 2 Losers 8 5 4 9

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

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

126 boards f

7A852FF2C534D453B742445F8ABA

Board 127

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10

♥ A J 6 5 3

♦ K 4

♣ K 8 7 4

♠ Q J 9

♥ Q 10 7 2

♦ Q 8 6

♣ 10 9 5

♠ A 7 3 2

♥ K

♦ A J 10 9 7 5

♣ A J

♠ 8 6 5 4

♥ 9 8 4

♦ 3 2

♣ Q 6 3 2

W

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Shape 2524 4324 4162 3433 HCP 14 2 17 7 Losers 6 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

127 boards f

79ADB35B52FDDDC81FAD5BD22053

Board 128

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 8 4

♥ K 10

♦ A 10 9 7 6

♣ 8 3

♠ 7 3

♥ 8

♦ K J 4 3 2

♣ K Q 7 5 2

♠ Q J 5 2

♥ Q J 9 7 5 4 2

♦ —

♣ J 4

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♠ A K 6

♥ A 6 3

♦ Q 8 5

♣ A 10 9 6

Shape 2155 4702 3334 4252 HCP 9 7 17 7 Losers 6 6 7 8

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

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

128 boards f

8891881DF875D535669AE32ADE0B

Board 129

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 5 3
♥ J 10 8
♦ 10 9 8 7
♣ K J

♠ Q 8 4 2
♥ K 2
♦ K J 6 4 2
♣ 5 2

♠ 10 7
♥ A Q 9 6 3
♦ Q 3
♣ 7 6 4 3

♠ A K 6
♥ 7 5 4
♦ A 5
♣ A Q 10 9 8

W

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Shape 4252 2524 3325 4342 HCP 9 8 17 6 Losers 7 8 6 10

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

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

129 boards f

8A278EA28802E894F9DC1D6A88CC

Board 130

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

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

♠ K Q J 8 3
♥ A Q 9 4
♦ A 8
♣ 7 5

Shape 3541 1354 5422 4126 HCP 15 6 16 3 Losers 6 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
 4. King ask by 5 NT
 5. K=1
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1460

130 boards f

892BEAB1422B7AF2B0E6781D02D4

Board 131

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

N

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

Shape 4252 3226 2452 4513 HCP 12 5 18 5 Losers 7 9 6 8

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

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

131 boards f

8B89826EB5349B8464275CF248B2

Board 132

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4

♥ J 10 4 2

♦ A 9 3

♣ 10 8 7 5 3

♠ 10 6

♥ A K 8 3

♦ J 10 8 7 6

♣ 9 6

♠ Q 7 5 3

♥ 9 5

♦ K 4 2

♣ K Q 4 2

♠ A K J 9 8 2

♥ Q 7 6

♦ Q 5

♣ A J

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Shape 2452 4234 6322 1435 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 8 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +620

132 boards f

8A84B7D6002A43117C3E61AA1884

Board 133

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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♠ 9 7 5
♥ Q 8 3
♦ 10 4 3
♣ Q 10 6 4

♠ A K 4 2
♥ 10 5 4
♦ A K Q 2
♣ 8 5

Shape 5422 3334 4342 1345 HCP 9 4 16 11 Losers 8 10 6 8

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

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

133 boards f

89AA84D3A3EC1FB7FFD6F6622185

Board 134

South Deals


E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 7 6 5

♥ 8 7 5

♦ 10 9 7

♣ K 10



♠ 9 3

♥ K 2

♦ Q J 4 3

♣ Q J 9 8 7

♠ 4

♥ Q 9 6

♦ K 8 6 5 2

♣ A 6 5 4

♠ A K J 8 2

♥ A J 10 4 3

♦ A

♣ 3 2

Shape 2245 1354 5512 5332 HCP 9 9 17 5 Losers 7 7 5 9

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

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

134 boards f

8BBE8D3B23235562F53FCC60FA1A

Board 135

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 10 6 2
♥ K 5
♦ 9 7
♣ Q J 10 6

♠ 7 5 3
♥ A Q 7 6 3
♦ Q 3 2
♣ 5 4

♠ 9 8 4
♥ 9 2
♦ J 10 8 4
♣ A 8 3 2

♠ A K
♥ J 10 8 4
♦ A K 6 5
♣ K 9 7

W N E S

Shape 5224 3244 2443 3532 HCP 9 5 18 8 Losers 7 10 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

135 boards f

88E9AD395069DF07F56DD35BFF36

Board 136

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 7 5 3

♥ Q 7 3 2

♦ 8 7 2

♣ J

♠ Q 8 2

♥ 8

♦ A Q 10 4

♣ 9 8 5 4 3

♠ J 10 6 4

♥ J 9 5 4

♦ K 9 6 3

♣ 2

♠ K

♥ A K 10 6

♦ J 5

♣ A K Q 10 7 6

W

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Shape 3145 4441 1426 5431 HCP 8 5 20 7 Losers 7 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Splinter
 4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 5. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 6 ♣ by South
Made 6 — NS +920

136 boards f

8991E582041495CEB482204CDDAF

Board 137

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 3

♥ 7

♦ 8 4 3 2

♣ J 10 7 5 4

♠ J 10 5

♥ Q J 8 6 4

♦ A Q 6 5

♣ 2

♠ 4

♥ A 10 9 3

♦ K J 10 9 7

♣ Q 8 6

♠ A Q 9 7 6 2

♥ K 5 2

♦ —

♣ A K 9 3

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Shape 3541 1453 6304 3145 HCP 10 10 16 4 Losers 7 7 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 0 out of 4

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

137 boards f

8B45A9FDD363DEAC450BD3C13873

Board 138

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 3

♥ A 7 6 4

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 6 5 2

♠ Q J 9 5 4

♥ Q 3 2

♦ K 6 3

♣ 8 3

♠ A 10 7 2

♥ J 9 5

♦ J 10 5 4 2

♣ 9

♠ K 8

♥ K 10 8

♦ Q 9 8

♣ A K Q 7 4

W

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Shape 2425 4351 2335 5332 HCP 9 6 17 8 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. strength cue bid
- 3 N by South
- Made 3 — NS +600

138 boards f

88A00E69FECAFA9999D42D05CD77

Board 139

South Deals


None Vul

♠ J 10 9 6 3

♥ J 9 2

♦ 6 4 2

♣ A 6



♠ K 5 4

♥ K 10 4 3

♦ Q 10 9 8 7


♣ 2

♠ A 8 7

♥ A Q 5

♦ A

♣ Q 8 7 5 4 3



♠ Q 2

♥ 8 7 6

♦ K J 5 3

♣ K J 10 9

Shape 3451 2344 3316 5332 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 7 9 5 10

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

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

139 boards f

8AB3852F57136133187811446578

Board 140

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ A 10 9 8 5

♣ 7 6 4 2

♠ Q 10 8 7 5

♥ K 4

♦ Q

♣ A Q J 10 8

♠ J 9 6 4 3 2

♥ J 10 7 5

♦ 7 6 2

♣ —

♠ A K

♥ Q 9 3

♦ K J 4 3

♣ K 9 5 3

W N E

S

Shape 5215 6430 2344 0454 HCP 14 2 16 8 Losers 5 9 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 ♣ by South
Made 5 — NS +150

140 boards f

8B2984B58FD44C7EB3768BF1405E

Board 141

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 4

♥ Q 8 7 6 4

♦ A 5

♣ K 10 9 3

♠ A

♥ K J 9 5 3

♦ K Q 10 6

♣ J 7 5

♠ 9 8 6 3 2

♥ 10 2

♦ 7 4 3

♣ 8 6 2

♠ K Q J 7 5

♥ A

♦ J 9 8 2

♣ A Q 4

W

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Shape 1543 5233 5143 2524 HCP 14 0 17 9 Losers 6 11 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1370

141 boards f

88858D05B8D6333E6D9C40D9284C

Board 142

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 4
♥ J 9 8
♦ A Q 10
♣ J 6 5 3 2

♠ Q 9 8 3
♥ A K Q 5 2
♦ J 4 3
♣ 9

♠ 7 5 2
♥ 10 6 4
♦ K 8 7 6 2
♣ 10 8

♠ A K J 6
♥ 7 3
♦ 9 5
♣ A K Q 7 4

W

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Shape 4531 3352 4225 2335 HCP 12 3 17 8 Losers 6 10 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

142 boards f

8A655DCB27FDEED4521FF1BF96C2

Board 143

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 6
♥ Q 2
♦ K 10 9 6 4
♣ Q J 6 4

♠ Q 10 9 8 5 2
♥ 10 5 4
♦ 7 5 2
♣ 8

♠ A K 7
♥ K 8 7 6 3
♦ Q
♣ 9 7 3 2

♠ 4 3
♥ A J 9
♦ A J 8 3
♣ A K 10 5

W N E S

Shape 2254 3514 2344 6331 HCP 9 12 17 2 Losers 8 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 NT	Pass	1 NT
Pass		Pass	Pass

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

143 boards f

8921E80A52A3BCF6F3152475F22A

Board 144

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 7 3

♥ 9 8 7 4 3

♦ 9

♣ K 9 5

♠ A Q 6 5 2

♥ Q

♦ A J 10 7 3

♣ 10 7

♠ J 4

♥ J 6

♦ 8 6 5 4

♣ Q J 8 3 2

♠ 10 9

♥ A K 10 5 2

♦ K Q 2

♣ A 6 4

W

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Shape 5152 2245 2533 4513 HCP 13 5 16 6 Losers 6 9 6 8

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

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

144 boards f

986A31B96239BE088CDFE81244B6

Board 145

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5

♥ K Q 10 9 2

♦ 3 2

♣ 8 7 5 3

♠ K 10 8 4

♥ 8 7 3

♦ A Q 10 8 5

♣ 6

♠ A J 3

♥ 6 4

♦ 9 7 6

♣ A J 9 4 2

♠ Q 9 7 2

♥ A J 5

♦ K J 4

♣ K Q 10

W

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Shape 4351 3235 4333 2524 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 7 9 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 4 ♠ by South
- Made 4 — NS +420

145 boards f

9A456E879175020A72203604FD72

Board 146

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3

♥ 10 7 5 3 2

♦ J 9 7 6 2

♣ 6 4

♠ 9 8 6 5 4

♥ A Q 9 8 4

♦ K 3

♣ Q

♠ A K 10 7 2

♥ J

♦ 8

♣ K 9 8 7 5 2

W

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♠ Q J

♥ K 6

♦ A Q 10 5 4

♣ A J 10 3

Shape 5521 5116 2254 1552 HCP 11 11 17 1 Losers 6 5 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 4 — NS +620

146 boards f

998BE7095879522B0DE4BF4E4EFE

Board 147

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠

♥

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♦

♣

♠ J 10 9 4 3
♥ J 9
♦ K 6
♣ 9 4 3 2

♠ A 5
♥ K 8 6
♦ A Q J 10 8
♣ Q 10 7

Shape 3514 5224 2353 3352 HCP 15 5 16 4 Losers 5 9 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. surplus
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

147 boards f

9BAFB31160C1B1BFFA4218F71F09

Board 148

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 7 4
♥ K 9 8 7 4
♦ 7 5 2
♣ J 5

♠ Q 5 3 2
♥ 10 6 2
♦ 4
♣ A K 8 4 3

♠ J 6
♥ Q 5 3
♦ K Q J 10 9 6
♣ 7 6

♠ A K 9 8
♥ A J
♦ A 8 3
♣ Q 10 9 2

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Shape 4315 2362 4234 3532 HCP 9 9 18 4 Losers 7 7 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 4 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +680

148 boards f

9A84982D5460CED93062FF196F2D

Board 149

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 5

♥ 7 5

♦ 10 7 6

♣ A K J 10 7

♠ Q 7 4 2

♥ A 9

♦ Q 9 5 3 2

♣ 5 3

♠ J 10 6 3

♥ K J 8 4

♦ K 8 4

♣ 9 6

W

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♠ A K

♥ Q 10 6 3 2

♦ A J

♣ Q 8 4 2

Shape 4252 4432 2524 3235 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by North
Down 1 — NS -100

149 boards f

99E90BD071351BA83C5BC4562EDB

Board 150

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q 5 2

♥ J 10 7

♦ 7 3

♣ Q 8 7 5

♠ K 10 9 7 3

♥ K 5

♦ Q J

♣ K 9 6 2

♠ 8

♥ A 8 3

♦ A K 9 8 6 2

♣ A J 10

♠ J 6 4

♥ Q 9 6 4 2

♦ 10 5 4

♣ 4 3

W

N

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Shape 5224 3532 1363 4324 HCP 12 3 16 9 Losers 7 10 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +920

150 boards f

9BDFBD8108E3B1DDC3702A7A0763

Board 151

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 10 8 7

♥ K 9 6 4

♦ J 5 4

♣ J 6

N
E

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♠ J 5 3

♥ Q J 7 3

♦ 3

♣ A 10 7 3 2

♠ K Q 9

♥ 10 5 2

♦ A K 8

♣ K Q 9 8

♠ 6 4 2

♥ A 8

♦ Q 10 9 7 6 2

♣ 5 4

Shape 3415 3262 3334 4432 HCP 8 6 17 9 Losers 8 8 6 9

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

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

151 boards f

982311BFBE0F577079F6C11BBDF2

Board 152

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K 10 4
♥ 10 5
♦ 7 4
♣ A Q 10 9 4

♠ 6 5 2
♥ Q J 8 7 6 3 2
♦ 9 6
♣ 8

♠ 9 8 7
♥ K 9 4
♦ Q J 10 3
♣ J 6 2

♠ Q J 3
♥ A
♦ A K 8 5 2
♣ K 7 5 3

W N E S

Shape 4225 3343 3154 3721 HCP 13 7 17 3 Losers 6 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♥	Db1	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Made 6 — NS +490

152 boards f

998973A9E7CC5473CBA6C57E2473

Board 153

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A Q 6

♥ Q J 6 3

♦ A Q 7

♣ A Q 5

N
E

W
S

♠ K 9 8 4 2

♥ 9

♦ J 9 6 5 3

♣ 6 4

Shape 1435 5152 3433 4423 HCP 11 4 21 4 Losers 7 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
 6. !H queen no !S king no !C king no !D king
- 6 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

153 boards f

9BA4BD77C35EEB54E926BA881663

Board 154

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 7
♥ K Q 5
♦ 9 7 5 4
♣ A 8 4

♠ 6 3
♥ J 4
♦ A Q 8 6 3
♣ Q J 9 2

♠ Q 10 8 2
♥ 10 8 3
♦ J 2
♣ 10 6 5 3

♠ A K 5 4
♥ A 9 7 6 2
♦ K 10
♣ K 7

W

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Shape 2254 4324 4522 3343 HCP 10 3 17 10 Losers 7 10 5 9

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

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

154 boards f

98B1CA3D257E3044610E72EF4800

Board 155

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 4

♥ A Q 10 9 5

♦ J 8

♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ Q J 9 6 2

♥ K 8 6 3 2

♦ K 3

♣ 4

♠ 10 8 7 5 3

♥ —

♦ Q 10 6 4

♣ K 10 6 5

♠ A

♥ J 7 4

♦ A 9 7 5 2

♣ A Q J 7

W N E S

Shape 5521 5044 1354 2524 HCP 9 5 16 10 Losers 6 7 6 7

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

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


155 boards f

9A8E65D6D54234D2F2AFCC3E1D89

Board 156

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A 6 2
♥ K 6
♦ K Q J 9
♣ K J 3 2

Shape 3451 2416 3244 5332 HCP 8 12 17 3 Losers 8 5 6 10

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

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

156 boards f

9BA7CD26025858904C1EB9293688

Board 157

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W

N

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S

E

♠ 10 9 7
♥ 10 9 8 6
♦ J 8
♣ Q J 6 3

♠ A 8 5 2
♥ A Q 4
♦ K 7 6
♣ K 5 4

Shape 5431 3424 4333 1255 HCP 17 4 16 3 Losers 5 10 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

157 boards f

9883551141BB8EC4861FD1F77558

Board 158

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K J 3 2
♥ K Q 6 5 2
♦ 9 6
♣ 9 7

♠ A 10 9 7
♥ —
♦ A Q J 5
♣ K Q J 5 3

Shape 2524 4522 4045 3352 HCP 11 9 17 3 Losers 8 7 4 10

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

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

158 boards f

9A6D93942413B89A3888354733DE

Board 159

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 2

♥ 9 7 5 3

♦ K 10 3

♣ Q J 9 7 6

♠ J 10 7 5 3

♥ 6 4

♦ A 2

♣ K 10 4 3

♠ A 4

♥ K Q 10 8 2

♦ 9 8 7 6

♣ 8 2

♠ K Q 9 8 6

♥ A J

♦ Q J 5 4

♣ A 5

W N E S

Shape 5224 2542 5242 1435 HCP 8 9 17 6 Losers 8 7 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

159 boards f

99AE2157B8DDF3C8653484804251

Board 160

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 8
♥ J 9 6
♦ A 10
♣ J 8 6 5 4

♠ K 6
♥ 8 5 4 3
♦ K 9 4 3 2
♣ Q 9

♠ Q 7 3 2
♥ Q 10 2
♦ Q 7 6 5
♣ A 3

♠ A J 5 4
♥ A K 7
♦ J 8
♣ K 10 7 2

W N E S

Shape 2452 4342 4324 3325 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 8 7 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 2 N by South
Made 2 — NS +120

160 boards f

A84125BFFF6E3B5C2144F6A72218

Board 161

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 5

♥ Q J 9 5

♦ K 6 5 4

♣ 8 6 2

♠ K 9 7 3 2

♥ A 6

♦ 9 2

♣ Q J 9 4

♠ A 10 8 6

♥ 8 2

♦ Q J 10 8

♣ 10 5 3

♠ Q 4

♥ K 10 7 4 3

♦ A 7 3

♣ A K 7

W

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Shape 5224 4243 2533 2443 HCP 10 7 16 7 Losers 7 9 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

161 boards f

AAAB2BBAA778701F2F2DD8D8F6ED

Board 162

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 4 3 2

♥ Q 10 9 3

♦ 9

♣ 10 9 5 4

♠ K 8 7 6

♥ —

♦ 8 7 6 2

♣ A K J 8 7

♠ 10 9

♥ 8 5 4

♦ A K Q 10 5 4

♣ Q 3

♠ A Q J

♥ A K J 7 6 2

♦ J 3

♣ 6 2

W N E S

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

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

162 boards f


A9A931E000FECACEEE361157616A

Board 163

South Deals

E-W Vul

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



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

Shape 4351 3226 1534 5332 HCP 11 0 21 8 Losers 7 10 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

163 boards f

ABAEF405612E16FE573229E8C1DB

Board 164

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 4 3 2

♥ K 8 6

♦ 5 4 2

♣ K 4

♠ Q 10 9 6 5

♥ Q 3

♦ K Q 9 7

♣ 7 2

♠ J 7

♥ 9 7 2

♦ J 6 3

♣ A 10 9 8 6

♠ A

♥ A J 10 5 4

♦ A 10 8

♣ Q J 5 3

W

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Shape 5242 2335 1534 5332 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 7 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Dbl
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 3 — NS +600			

164 boards f

AA17ADEE9DF13FCA4AC8F6B4CE99

Board 165

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9

♥ 8 7 6 3

♦ K Q J 9 3

♣ A 9

♠ Q 10 8 6 5 3

♥ 10 9 5 4

♦ 10

♣ 6 4

♠ 7

♥ A J 2

♦ 8 7 6 2

♣ Q 8 7 5 3

♠ K J 4 2

♥ K Q

♦ A 5 4

♣ K J 10 2

W

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Shape 2452 1345 4234 6412 HCP 14 7 17 2 Losers 6 8 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1370

165 boards f

A9A355B1FA9AC7F140E065048434

Board 166

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 8 6
♥ Q J 8 2
♦ —
♣ 7 6 4 3 2

♠ 4 2
♥ 9 7 4 3
♦ A Q 8 7 6
♣ A 9

♠ K 7 5
♥ K 10
♦ K 9 5 4 3 2
♣ J 10

♠ A Q 10 3
♥ A 6 5
♦ J 10
♣ K Q 8 5

W

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Shape 2452 3262 4324 4405 HCP 10 10 16 4 Losers 7 7 6 8

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

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

166 boards f

ABAE0D70092D94D25334844A31E8

Board 167

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 2

♥ Q 6 3

♦ J 4 2

♣ Q 9 6 5 2

♠ K J 10 6 3

♥ K J 5 4

♦ 9 6 5

♣ 7

♠ A 9 5

♥ A 10 2

♦ A K 10

♣ K J 10 3

♠ Q 7 4

♥ 9 8 7

♦ Q 8 7 3

♣ A 8 4

W

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Shape 5431 3343 3334 2335 HCP 8 8 19 5 Losers 8 9 7 9

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

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

167 boards f

A8826F80D167F64DF7483C83875D

Board 168

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 10 8 6 2
♥ J 2
♦ K 8 5 2
♣ A 9

♠ A Q 4 3
♥ K 10
♦ A Q J 4
♣ J 8 2

Shape 1615 5242 4243 3343 HCP 9 11 17 3 Losers 5 7 6 11

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

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

168 boards f

A98171BA6C7DC5234D731A45C57C

Board 169

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 3

♥ K Q 10 6 2

♦ J 10 7 2

♣ J 2

W
N
E
S

♠ 8 5

♥ A 9 7 4 3

♦ A K 8 6

♣ 8 6

♠ A Q

♥ J 8

♦ Q 5

♣ A K 10 9 7 4 3

♠ K J 10 7 6 4 2

♥ 5

♦ 9 4 3

♣ Q 5

Shape 2542 7132 2227 2542 HCP 11 6 16 7 Losers 7 8 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 5 ♣ by South
 Made 6 — NS +420

169 boards f

ABAA8F108CC9C680D6F6655911F5

Board 170

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7 6 2

♥ 6 2

♦ A 10 4

♣ Q J 8

♠ Q 3

♥ K J 10 9 8

♦ 9 7 6 5 2

♣ K

♠ 5 4

♥ Q 7 4 3

♦ Q 8 3

♣ A 9 7 6

♠ A K J 8

♥ A 5

♦ K J

♣ 10 5 4 3 2

N

W E

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Shape 2551 2434 4225 5233 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 8 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Down 2 — NS -200

170 boards f

A8809FE11E975255C7EC3BD13833

Board 171

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 7 6 4
♥ 5 3 2
♦ 10 8 7
♣ A 6 3

♠ J 5 3 2
♥ A 7
♦ 5 3
♣ K 10 7 5 2

♠ 9 8
♥ K J 10 9 8 4
♦ K J 6
♣ J 9

♠ A K 10
♥ Q 6
♦ A Q 9 4 2
♣ Q 8 4

W

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Shape 4225 2632 3253 4333 HCP 8 9 17 6 Losers 8 8 6 10

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

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

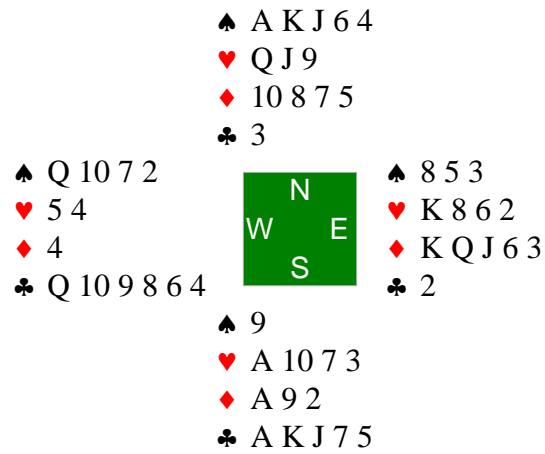
171 boards f

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Board 172

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 5341 3451 1435 4216 HCP 11 9 16 4 Losers 7 7 6 7

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

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

172 boards f

ABABA78CE143D85BCC670EF6905C

Board 173

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 1435 4432 4441 4135 HCP 12 1 20 7 Losers 6 11 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

173 boards f

A869A4EBB612BCFC9411196C1B0F

Board 174

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8
♥ J 9 8
♦ K J 7
♣ K 9 8 7 4

♠ 10 6 5 3 2
♥ 2
♦ A Q 5 3
♣ Q 3 2

♠ A 4
♥ 10 7 6 5 3
♦ 9 8 4 2
♣ J 10

♠ K J 9 7
♥ A K Q 4
♦ 10 6
♣ A 6 5

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Shape 5143 2542 4423 2335 HCP 8 5 17 10 Losers 7 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

174 boards f

AA21B78B3B9BC6269F98A0703E72

Board 175

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 4 2

♥ 10 7 6

♦ Q J 10 6

♣ 9 8 3 2

N

W E

S

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

Shape 4225 2344 6331 1543 HCP 13 3 16 8 Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !S queen and !D king
- 6 ♠ by South
 Made 6 — NS +1430

175 boards f

A98B3D283D424AF2266E8540EAFE

Board 176

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A 5

♥ Q 7 6 3

♦ A Q 9 3

♣ K J 5

N
E

W
S

♠ 10 9 6 4

♥ —

♦ 7 5

♣ 10 9 8 7 6 3 2

Shape 4531 4027 2443 3442 HCP 14 0 16 10 Losers 6 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

176 boards f

B861FD0FC314BF361DC050651769

Board 177

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 6
♥ K 9 8
♦ 10 8 4 3
♣ 10 6 5

♠ Q 10 8 7 3
♥ Q J 6
♦ 2
♣ Q J 9 3

♠ A 5 4 2
♥ 10 7 5 3
♦ K Q 9 7
♣ 8

♠ 9
♥ A 4 2
♦ A J 6 5
♣ A K 7 4 2

W N E
S

Shape 5314 4441 1345 3343 HCP 8 9 16 7 Losers 7 7 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Down 1 — NS -50

177 boards f

BAAD67DA6C109F6CE35711FBAEC0

Board 178

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 5

♥ 2

♦ A J 9 8 3

♣ K 9 7 6 4

♠ Q 7 4 2

♥ 4

♦ 10 7 5 2

♣ J 10 8 2

♠ K J 8 6

♥ Q 10 9 6 5

♦ Q 4

♣ Q 3

♠ A 9 3

♥ A K J 8 7 3

♦ K 6

♣ A 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 2155 4522 3622 4144 HCP 8 10 19 3 Losers 7 8 5 9

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

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

178 boards f

B9B900ED15F273AE708D12195778

Board 179

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10
♥ A 10 9 7 2
♦ Q 8 6
♣ K 7 2

♠ K J 5 4
♥ K 6
♦ K 10 9 7 5
♣ 9 3

♠ 9 7 3 2
♥ J 5 4 3
♦ J 3
♣ 10 8 5

♠ A 8 6
♥ Q 8
♦ A 4 2
♣ A Q J 6 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 4252 4423 3235 2533 HCP 10 2 17 11 Losers 7 11 7 8

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

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

179 boards f

BBAFEB5F7E77C8856D8B32485C1A

Board 180

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ A 8 6
♥ A K 7
♦ A Q J 7 3
♣ 8 7

Shape 2425 6313 3352 2353 HCP 9 6 18 7 Losers 7 8 6 9

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

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

180 boards f

BA84B54F9BAFBB4151DEDCBAC8C1

Board 181

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +620


181 boards f

B9ABA4C7E7F7C40A1BB4446C2A2E

Board 182

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. limit raise or better in !H
 4. Exclusion, for !H
 5. 0 out of 4
 6. !H queen no !C king no !D king
 - 7 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1510

182 boards f

BB0D8D720CA22176CB48F81B5A2D

Board 183

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ Q 8 6 3
♥ 4 3
♦ Q 10 9
♣ Q 10 8 3

♠ K 10
♥ 10 9 2
♦ A K J 2
♣ A K 9 2

Shape 5512 4234 2344 2353 HCP 13 6 18 3 Losers 6 8 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no !H queen
- 6 ♥ by North
 Made 6 — NS +1430

183 boards f

B8A289107CE82758745BE06E7B23

Board 184

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A K
♥ A 10 9 5 4 2
♦ A Q 5 2
♣ K

Shape 3 1 5 4 6 3 2 2 2 6 4 1 2 3 2 6 HCP 8 8 20 4 Losers 8 8 4 9

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

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

184 boards f

B921ED4994CD41C7D15BC2ECDAD2

Board 185

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 8 7 5 4 3 2

♥ —

♦ K 10 4

♣ J 4

♠ A

♥ Q 10 9 8 5

♦ A 9 7 5 2

♣ 8 6

♠ J

♥ A K 4

♦ Q 6 3

♣ A K Q 10 9 7

♠ Q 9 6

♥ J 7 6 3 2

♦ J 8

♣ 5 3 2

W

N

E

S

Shape 1552 3523 1336 8032 HCP 10 4 19 7 Losers 6 10 4 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	4 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
4 N by North			
Made 7 — NS +520			

185 boards f

BB8EBEC20D3D023F93E85AF1346B

Board 186

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N
W S E
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 5413 2245 3253 3532 HCP 8 11 16 5 Losers 8 6 7 9

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

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

186 boards f

B8B8BD21133079F6DD1203BB5C58

Board 187

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7

♥ A K 10 9 8 4

♦ 8

♣ A 10 3 2

♠ Q J 10 6 5

♥ 5

♦ A 9 4 2

♣ J 5 4

♠ 9 3 2

♥ J 7 6 3 2

♦ K 7 3

♣ 8 6

W

N

E

S

♠ A K 4

♥ Q

♦ Q J 10 6 5

♣ K Q 9 7

Shape 5143 3532 3154 2614 HCP 8 4 17 11 Losers 8 10 5 6

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

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

187 boards f

BAA1006761F704F8535211961B8F

Board 188

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8

♥ 10 8

♦ A K J 7 6 5

♣ K 9 8

♠ K 9 5 3

♥ K 9 2

♦ 2

♣ Q 10 7 3 2

♠ Q J 7 6

♥ 7 6 5 4 3

♦ 8 3

♣ 6 4

♠ A 4 2

♥ A Q J

♦ Q 10 9 4

♣ A J 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 4315 4522 3343 2263 HCP 8 3 18 11 Losers 7 9 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 ♣ by South
Made 5 — NS +150

188 boards f

BBBF3C1D1111CE8B2C5FD850FB83

Board 189

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 5305 2641 3163 3334 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 6 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 ♠ by North
 Made 5 — NS +650

189 boards f

B8A3F99A3AEAEF32975F50D3B8F3

Board 190

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 9 4 2

♥ K J 8 3 2

♦ 7

♣ 5 3

♠ J 8

♥ —

♦ K Q J 10 3

♣ A 9 7 6 4 2

♠ 6 5

♥ Q 7 6 5 4

♦ 9 6

♣ Q J 10 8

♠ A Q 7 3

♥ A 10 9

♦ A 8 5 4 2

♣ K

W N E S

Shape 2056 2524 4351 5512 HCP 11 5 17 7 Losers 5 8 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Exclusion, for !D
 4. 2 out of 4
- 7 ♦ by South
- Made 7 — NS +1440

190 boards f

BA676B359A44F58B38FC39321DD7

Board 191

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 2

♥ Q 9 7 6 5 4

♦ 4

♣ 10 7 6

♠ Q 7 5 4 3

♥ 10 8

♦ 6 3

♣ A K 8 2

♠ A K 10

♥ J 3 2

♦ K J 8 7 5

♣ J 4

W

N

E

S

♠ J 8

♥ A K

♦ A Q 10 9 2

♣ Q 9 5 3

Shape 5224 3352 2254 3613 HCP 9 13 16 2 Losers 7 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

191 boards f

B9818FEEE9CAFF155262BFA6C2D0

Board 192

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1453 2326 4423 6241 HCP 14 2 16 8 Losers 6 9 7 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=1

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

192 boards f

C811ABE4021553E4328056EF7C0F

Board 193

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 4
♥ 7 3
♦ Q 10 8 5
♣ Q 8 6 3

♠ A J 10 7 2
♥ J 6 2
♦ K
♣ K 9 4 2

♠ 9 5 3
♥ A 10 9 5
♦ 4 3 2
♣ J 7 5

♠ K 6
♥ K Q 8 4
♦ A J 9 7 6
♣ A 10

W N E S

Shape 5314 3433 2452 3244 HCP 12 5 17 6 Losers 8 11 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +460

193 boards f

CA86A67F10FA3CC59937CAC98019

Board 194

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8 5 4
♥ Q 10 9 6
♦ J 3
♣ J 9 3

♠ J 9 6 2
♥ A 8 5 4 3
♦ Q 9
♣ Q 6

♠ Q
♥ J 7 2
♦ 10 7 5 4 2
♣ A K 10 5

♠ A K 7 3
♥ K
♦ A K 8 6
♣ 8 7 4 2

W

N

E

S

Shape 4522 1354 4144 4423 HCP 9 10 17 4 Losers 9 8 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 4 ♠ by South
Made 4 — NS +620

194 boards f

C9A50DE01DD01482D5E1D43B1950

Board 195

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5251 1741 2326 5125 HCP 9 5 18 8 Losers 6 7 5 6

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

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

195 boards f

CB8D27F94657CFA29A9874EFD3D9

Board 196

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 1345 3523 4333 5242 HCP 15 2 17 6 Losers 7 11 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦ ²
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	4 ♠ ⁴
Pass	4 NT ⁵	Pass	5 ♣ ⁶
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♥ ⁷
Pass	5 NT ⁸	Pass	6 ♦ ⁹
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Cue bid, a !S stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !C
6. A=0/5 or 3/5
7. !C queen and !H king
8. King ask by 5 NT
9. K=1

6 N by North

Made 6 — NS +1440

196 boards f

CA842867112108E342E06A0AE809

Board 197

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 6 3

♥ —

♦ J 10 8 7 6

♣ A K 9 6 3

♠ K J 10 9 4 2

♥ A 9 7 4 2

♦ —

♣ Q 8

♠ Q 7 5

♥ J

♦ K 9 5 4 3 2

♣ 7 5 4

♠ A

♥ K Q 10 8 6 5 3

♦ A Q

♣ J 10 2

W

N

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S

Shape 6502 3163 1723 3055 HCP 10 6 16 8 Losers 6 8 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2 NT

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

197 boards f

C97165A10DD0A4DF7729510E3074

Board 198

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ Q 9
♥ K Q 9 6
♦ 6
♣ A K Q J 6 5

Shape 4252 5341 2416 2434 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 8 7 4 10

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

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

198 boards f

CBA1E41F764434AF1BB69A9039E2

Board 199

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ J 10
♥ Q 7 5 4
♦ A 4 2
♣ J 6 5 2

♠ A 8 6 5 4
♥ A K 8 2
♦ Q 8
♣ A 3

Shape 4153 2434 5422 2434 HCP 8 8 17 7 Losers 7 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650


199 boards f

C899E19A1B88E4325E28C2EDC644

Board 200

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A Q 10
♥ K 9 6 4
♦ K 8 5
♣ A K 4

Shape 3451 2425 3433 5134 HCP 9 9 19 3 Losers 8 7 6 9

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

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


200 boards f

C92DBF85B9D704580A64044C9FE2

Board 201

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4513 3352 4333 2245 HCP 9 2 18 11 Losers 7 10 7 7

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

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

201 boards f

CBA3159FEF94973240C3F6DEFCEC

Board 202

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N
W E
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 2245 1543 4351 6304 HCP 13 9 17 1 Losers 6 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6 ♦ by South
Made 6 — NS +1370

202 boards f


C822C5857D1BED688CBBDDC8548E

Board 203

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 5 4
♥ J 6
♦ K Q 3
♣ 8 7 4 3



♠ A 10
♥ K Q 7 4 2
♦ 10 8 6 4
♣ 10 6

♠ J 8 3
♥ 10 5 3
♦ J 9 7 5 2
♣ A 2

♠ Q 7 6 2
♥ A 9 8
♦ A
♣ K Q J 9 5

Shape 2542 3352 4315 4234 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 5 — NS +450

203 boards f

CA1504ACBFC91614506058C97D01

Board 204

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 4

♥ J 3

♦ 7 6 2

♣ K Q 8 7 6 5

♠ A K 9 8 2

♥ K 10 4 2

♦ Q J 3

♣ J

♠ 7 6 5 3

♥ A 9 8 7 5

♦ 10 5 4

♣ 9

♠ Q J

♥ Q 6

♦ A K 9 8

♣ A 10 4 3 2

W

N

E

S

Shape 5431 4531 2245 2236 HCP 14 4 16 6 Losers 6 9 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

204 boards f

CB99A78CF8777EC2D6B6458223EC

Board 205

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ A K Q 6 4
 ♥ K 3 2
 ♦ Q 9 2
 ♣ A 5

Shape 1453 3235 5332 4423 HCP 8 4 18 10 Losers 7 10 5 9

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

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


205 boards f

C8E983B6AEC84FB45DD629C75345

Board 206

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ K Q J 8
♥ A J 5
♦ K 3
♣ A 7 5 2

Shape 1534 4333 4324 4252 HCP 10 4 18 8 Losers 7 11 6 8

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

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

6 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

206 boards f

CAA783D7C8A9FA8A5E0BF055F18F

Board 207

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A K 10 8 2
♥ A 10
♦ A Q 4
♣ 10 4 3

Shape 1525 2353 5233 5332 HCP 13 3 17 7 Losers 5 10 6 9

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

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

207 boards f

C91991FDD107F19296E3F8DE8F67

Board 208

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 10

♥ 10 3

♦ K J 9 8 6

♣ 10 6 3 2

♠ Q J 9 6 5 4

♥ Q 9 5

♦ Q 4 3

♣ 5

♠ 2

♥ A K J 8 7 4

♦ 10 7 2

♣ 8 7 4

♠ K 8 7 3

♥ 6 2

♦ A 5

♣ A K Q J 9

W

N

E

S

Shape 2254 1633 4225 6331 HCP 8 8 17 7 Losers 8 8 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Down 2 — NS -100

208 boards f

D88F818EA5573DB5741A6B4CB744

Board 209

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

S

N
E
S

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N

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

Shape 2524 5242 6214 0463 HCP 13 8 18 1 Losers 6 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
- 6 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +980

209 boards f


DA8227818553B770EA693A3F42C2

Board 210

South Deals

N-S Vul

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



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

Shape 3514 4135 4333 2461 HCP 13 4 17 6 Losers 6 9 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

5 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

210 boards f

D9A51172931738B3B629FC04B49E

Board 211

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5

♥ Q 9 8 7 5 3

♦ 5 2

♣ 9 5 4 3

W

N

E

S

♠ K 10 9 6 4

♥ 4

♦ K Q J 8

♣ J 10 8

♠ Q

♥ K J 10 2

♦ A 10 7 4 3

♣ Q 7 2

♠ A J 8 7 3 2

♥ A 6

♦ 9 6

♣ A K 6

Shape 5143 1453 6223 1624 HCP 10 12 16 2 Losers 7 7 6 8

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

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

211 boards f

DB6D3F3C12605B633FB8D7BB9915

Board 212

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ 6 4 3

♥ A 10 8

♦ A K Q 7

♣ A 3 2

N

W

E

S

♠ A 10 9 8

♥ J 9 5 3 2

♦ J 10 8

♣ J

Shape 5026 4531 3343 1543 HCP 9 7 17 7 Losers 5 9 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Exclusion, for !S
 4. 2 out of 4
- 6 ♠ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

212 boards f

DA879496DFBC06D15DFFF02A67DB

Board 213

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 6 5 2

♥ 10 6 5

♦ 8 5

♣ K 10 5

♠ 9 4

♥ A 9

♦ J 10 7 6

♣ A J 6 3 2

♠ 7 3

♥ K Q J 8 7 2

♦ 4 2

♣ Q 9 4

♠ A K Q 10

♥ 4 3

♦ A K Q 9 3

♣ 8 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 2245 2623 4252 5323 HCP 10 8 18 4 Losers 8 7 4 10

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

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

213 boards f

D9A50DC175E296D81182FC6C004A

Board 214

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7 3

♥ K Q 6 3 2

♦ Q 10 7 6 3

♣ —

♠ Q 10 8 5

♥ J 5

♦ K 5 4

♣ 8 5 4 3

♠ A 9 6

♥ A 10 4

♦ 8 2

♣ A K Q J 7

♠ J 4 2

♥ 9 8 7

♦ A J 9

♣ 10 9 6 2

W

N

E

S

Shape 3550 3334 3325 4234 HCP 10 6 18 6 Losers 5 11 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

214 boards f

DB2FE143CD036B1DFFF952EE48F6

Board 215

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 7 6 4 2	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center; width: 60px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ Q 9 5 3
♥ 7 6 2		♥ 8 5
♦ 9 6 3		♦ K Q 10 5
♣ 3		♣ 5 4 2

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

Shape 3415 4243 0454 6331 HCP 13 7 16 4 Losers 6 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Exclusion, for !C

4. 1 out of 4

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

7 ♣ by South

Made 7 — NS +2140

215 boards f

D8A900227892265B382464B6537A

Board 216

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N

W E

S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ A 10 4
♥ A Q 9 6 5
♦ K Q 10 3
♣ A

Shape 5152 5305 3541 0445 HCP 13 3 19 5 Losers 6 8 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

216 boards f

D99BAB29EE25273EDAFC1672CF73

Board 217

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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



Shape 5125 2335 2542 4441 HCP 9 5 24 2 Losers 6 10 3 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

217 boards f

DB15AF631F3B9E6160F433E6F4EA

Board 218

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ K 9
♥ K Q 8 7 4 2
♦ K J 9
♣ A 8

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

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 N by North

Down 1 — NS -100

218 boards f

D8236923B2E666C64F9FBF143486

Board 219

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ K 9 7

♥ 6 4

♦ 7 6 5

♣ J 10 9 8 2

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♠ J 6 5 2
♥ A K Q 10 9
♦ A Q J
♣ K

Shape 4315 3235 4531 2362 HCP 15 4 20 1 Losers 6 10 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=1

7 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

219 boards f

DA9DAC27FB5663F3737EF41D0AA6

Board 220

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ 10 9 7 6
♥ A 10 4
♦ J 3
♣ 10 6 3 2

♠ A K 2
♥ K Q 9 2
♦ Q 10 5 2
♣ A 4

Shape 3145 4324 3442 3532 HCP 12 5 18 5 Losers 6 10 5 10

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

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

220 boards f

DB6D3529C245DCA508C2D30DFA50

Board 221

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 5 3

♥ K 3

♦ Q 7 3

♣ 9 7 2

♠ K Q 7 4

♥ J 10 7 6 4

♦ K 10 8

♣ 5

♠ A 10 2

♥ 9 5 2

♦ J 6 5 2

♣ J 6 3

♠ 8

♥ A Q 8

♦ A 9 4

♣ A K Q 10 8 4

W N E S

Shape 4531 3343 1336 5233 HCP 9 6 19 6 Losers 7 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

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

221 boards f

D8679D211BC173FDE8FA5018EA16

Board 222

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 7 6 3
♥ 9 8 6
♦ A 2
♣ 7 5 4

♠ Q J 4 2
♥ 10
♦ J 7 6 4 3
♣ A J 9

♠ A 9 5
♥ K J 5 4 2
♦ K 8
♣ 6 3 2

♠ K
♥ A Q 7 3
♦ Q 10 9 5
♣ K Q 10 8

W

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Shape 4153 3523 1444 5323 HCP 9 11 16 4 Losers 8 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 3 ♦ by North
Made 4 — NS +130

222 boards f

DAA1077F1D5AA035912CF618CC58

Board 223

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

	♠ A 9 7
	♥ A 9 6
	♦ K 8 5
	♣ A J 8 7



Shape 5242 3532 3334 2335 HCP 15 3 16 6 Losers 6 10 8 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +1430

223 boards f

D9A1194D1E313CA2C6E364DD7812

Board 224

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6 4
♥ 10 9 3
♦ Q J 9 4
♣ 9 5 3

♠ K J 10 9 2
♥ Q 7
♦ A 10 8 6 2
♣ 6

♠ Q 5 3
♥ K J 4 2
♦ 7 5
♣ J 8 7 2

♠ A 8
♥ A 8 6 5
♦ K 3
♣ A K Q 10 4

W N E
S

Shape 5251 3424 2425 3343 HCP 10 7 20 3 Losers 7 9 4 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

224 boards f

E89BA366B6A9C9DC5BD63D31FACF

Board 225

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 4

♥ 9 2

♦ A 10 9 7 3

♣ A K 7 2

♠ 9 8 6 3 2

♥ J 5 4 3

♦ Q J 6

♣ 8

♠ Q 7

♥ A 8 7 6

♦ 8 5 2

♣ Q J 6 3

♠ A K J 10

♥ K Q 10

♦ K 4

♣ 10 9 5 4

W

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Shape 2254 2434 4324 5431 HCP 11 9 16 4 Losers 7 9 6 9

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

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


225 boards f

EA86AB221005EE487531E24F4274

Board 226

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A K
♥ K Q 9 5
♦ A 10 7 2
♣ 10 7 6

Shape 4522 5125 2443 2353 HCP 10 10 16 4 Losers 7 6 6 10

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

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

226 boards f

E99138AD728214322EF6F71189E4

Board 227

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 5 2

♥ K J 8 6 5

♦ Q 7

♣ K 9 2

♠ K 9 8 7 4

♥ 10 3

♦ A J 10 8 4

♣ 5

♠ J

♥ A 9 4

♦ 9 6 5 2

♣ J 10 8 7 6

♠ A Q 10 3

♥ Q 7 2

♦ K 3

♣ A Q 4 3

W N E S

Shape 5251 1345 4324 3523 HCP 8 6 17 9 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

227 boards f

EB85A6319935780CE82352C6AAD6

Board 228

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ A K J 3

♥ K 7 6 3

♦ 8

♣ A Q J 10

W
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E

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♠ 9 5

♥ J 5 2

♦ Q 6 5

♣ K 5 4 3 2

Shape 4351 2335 4414 3343 HCP 13 6 18 3 Losers 6 9 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1460

228 boards f

EAAD5EB5FFDD0EE223D22232A89B

Board 229

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 10 8 6

♥ Q J 4

♦ 8 7 6 5 4

♣ 3

♠ 9 7 5 4

♥ 9

♦ A K J 10 9

♣ J 7 2

♠ K

♥ K 10 6 2

♦ 3 2

♣ K 9 8 6 5 4

W N E

S

♠ A Q 3 2

♥ A 8 7 5 3

♦ Q

♣ A Q 10

Shape 4153 1426 4513 4351 HCP 9 9 18 4 Losers 8 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

229 boards f

E99D312AEA9F4537174B2FD4FEAC

Board 230

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 6
♥ A 10 7 4
♦ 9 8 7 4
♣ Q J 3

♠ A 10 2
♥ Q J 5 2
♦ Q J 6
♣ A K 9

Shape 5215 2443 3433 3352 HCP 8 7 17 8 Losers 7 9 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 ♠ by South
 Down 1 — NS -50

230 boards f

EB2115BF195F68F1B3C2B37EC937

Board 231

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ Q 7 5

♥ A 9

♦ Q 10 4

♣ A K J 8 3

N

W E

S

♠ 10 9 4

♥ K J 10

♦ A 8 7 6 5

♣ 6 4

Shape 4225 3352 3235 3631 HCP 13 8 16 3 Losers 6 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 6 ♣ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

231 boards f

E82059AA6654B8A5F74FA87B451F

Board 232

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7

♥ 9 7 4

♦ J 10 8 7 3

♣ A 10 9 5

♠ A 2

♥ 6 3

♦ K Q 9 5 4

♣ 7 6 4 2

♠ K J 10 6 4 3

♥ K 10 2

♦ 6 2

♣ Q J

♠ Q 9 8 5

♥ A Q J 8 5

♦ A

♣ K 8 3

W

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S

Shape 2254 6322 4513 1354 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 7 8 5 9

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

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

232 boards f

E981D5A143CEA4C1B296FDC6CC26

Board 233

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 2
 ♥ A J 10 8 4 3
 ♦ A Q J 8 7
 ♣ J

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

Shape 1651 1255 5305 6232 HCP 13 7 17 3 Losers 5 7 3 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

233 boards f

EBA7258C491091D0043EBCD90852

Board 234

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

N
W E
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ A Q 9 5
♥ A K
♦ Q 6 5
♣ K J 9 4

Shape 5431 2542 4234 2236 HCP 17 1 19 3 Losers 5 10 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

234 boards f

E869A959EE3C3245C404B06F7A19

Board 235

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

N

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S

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

Shape 4351 5233 2425 2434 HCP 9 10 20 1 Losers 7 9 4 11

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

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

235 boards f

EA9781858B80105146F2E91BD313

Board 236

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 4 2
♥ K Q J 10 7
♦ —
♣ A J 4 3 2

♠ 6 5 3
♥ 6
♦ K 10 9 8 6 3 2
♣ 10 9

♠ 8 7
♥ A 9 8 4 3 2
♦ J 5 4
♣ 7 6

♠ A K Q J 10
♥ 5
♦ A Q 7
♣ K Q 8 5

W N E S

Shape 3505 2632 5134 3172 HCP 11 5 21 3 Losers 6 9 3 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 2 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

236 boards f

EBA92E0A8DCAE08EF453D4186645

Board 237

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 9 7 5

♥ 7

♦ A Q 10 4

♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ K Q 4

♥ Q J 10 8 2

♦ 7 5 3 2

♣ 6

♠ 6 3 2

♥ 6 5 4

♦ 9 6

♣ K Q 10 8 3

♠ A J 8

♥ A K 9 3

♦ K J 8

♣ A J 2

W

N

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Shape 3541 3325 3433 4144 HCP 8 5 21 6 Losers 7 9 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

237 boards f

E8B5C1472907D8E2DEFA8C8AD29D

Board 238

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 8 7 6 3

♥ A 6

♦ A Q 10

♣ 9 5

♠ J 10

♥ K Q 10 5 4

♦ J 9 6 4

♣ Q 10

♠ A 5 4 2

♥ J 8

♦ K 8 3

♣ A K J 2

♠ Q

♥ 9 7 3 2

♦ 7 5 2

♣ 8 7 6 4 3

W

N

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S

Shape 2542 1435 4234 6232 HCP 9 2 16 13 Losers 8 10 7 6

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

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

238 boards f

EA2284B55E1C2676D034DF978A3C

Board 239

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 5
♥ Q 8 6 2
♦ A 7
♣ K 10 7 6 2

♠ A 10 9 6 2
♥ K 3
♦ J 10 5 2
♣ 5 4

♠ J 8
♥ J 10 7 5 4
♦ 3
♣ A J 9 8 3

♠ K Q 4 3
♥ A 9
♦ K Q 9 8 6 4
♣ Q

W

N
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S

Shape 5242 2515 4261 2425 HCP 8 7 16 9 Losers 8 8 4 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♠ by North
Made 4 — NS +620


239 boards f

E9A973F154F2AE064BD8C0E50E8A

Board 240

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ A 9 2
♥ A 9 4
♦ A 7 6 2
♣ A Q 4

Shape 2542 3235 3343 5323 HCP 8 6 18 8 Losers 7 10 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. strength cue bid
 3. limit raise or better in !H
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 4 — NS +420

240 boards f

F8220192E2F6C227BC4E18C55700

Board 241

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9 4

♥ 10 7

♦ 10 8 4 3

♣ 7 5 2

♠ A K 8 5 2

♥ K 9 6 4 2

♦ 5

♣ 8 3

♠ 6 3

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 7 6

♣ A Q J 10 9 6

♠ Q 7

♥ A J 8

♦ A K Q J 9 2

♣ K 4

W N E S

Shape 5512 2326 2362 4243 HCP 10 9 20 1 Losers 6 7 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 6 — NS +490

241 boards f

FAE71DB55D08947E9C4E3B10E474

Board 242

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 3

♥ Q 8 5 2

♦ 4

♣ 10 9 7 4 3 2

♠ K 10 5 4

♥ 10 6

♦ K J 8 7 6

♣ A 5

♠ J 8 6 2

♥ K J 9 7 4

♦ 10 5

♣ 8 6

♠ Q 9 7

♥ A 3

♦ A Q 9 3 2

♣ K Q J

W

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Shape 4252 4522 3253 2416 HCP 11 5 18 6 Losers 7 9 5 7

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

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

242 boards f

F9908821BA077D92515138CEC47D

Board 243

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4 3
♥ J 9 5 2
♦ 9 4 2
♣ A K 5 3

♠ Q 10 5
♥ K 10 4 3
♦ A Q 8 7 6
♣ 10

♠ 9 7 6 2
♥ A 8 7 6
♦ 10 3
♣ J 8 4

♠ A K J 8
♥ Q
♦ K J 5
♣ Q 9 7 6 2

W N E S

Shape 3451 4423 4135 2434 HCP 11 5 16 8 Losers 6 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 4 — NS +430

243 boards f

FBA9162E189E77C62A7B14C96CB1

Board 244

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W

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

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

Shape 5242 3415 3433 2353 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 7 7 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 5 — NS +650

244 boards f

FA86ABB2BE9E1CD29C3791477CB3

Board 245

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 4 3

♥ 10 9 8 7 5

♦ K

♣ A Q J 10 8

N

W

E

S

♠ A K Q J 10 7 5 2
♥ K
♦ A 6 4
♣ 5

Shape 2254 2515 8131 1543 HCP 8 10 17 5 Losers 8 7 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. solo suit
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

245 boards f

F9098191E5C4C0125534D421D87D

Board 246

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

N

E

S

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

♠ K Q
♥ J 4
♦ A 3
♣ A K Q J 7 4 2

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

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !C queen and !S king
- 6 ♣ by South
 Made 7 — NS +940

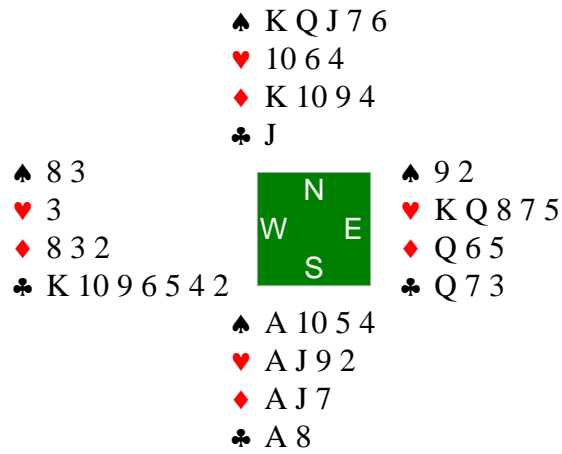
246 boards f

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Board 247

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 5341 2533 4432 2137 HCP 10 9 18 3 Losers 7 7 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Super acceptance after NT
- 4 ♠ by South
- Made 6 — NS +680

247 boards f

F820A79EFFC5C419A5126F97187F

Board 248

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 9
♥ J 2
♦ K 10 9 7 4
♣ A 9 3

♠ A 8 6 3
♥ 10 9
♦ 8 3
♣ K J 5 4 2

♠ 5 2
♥ Q 8 6 4 3
♦ Q J 5 2
♣ Q 6

♠ K Q 7 4
♥ A K 7 5
♦ A 6
♣ 10 8 7

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Shape 4225 2542 4423 3253 HCP 8 7 16 9 Losers 8 8 6 9

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

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

248 boards f

F92991F7C042C4DBA44D36B2B6C9

Board 249

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 5

♥ J 10 9 6 2

♦ K J 10 4

♣ Q 8

♠ Q J 9 8 2

♥ Q 5 4 3

♦ 6

♣ J 9 7

♠ 10 6

♥ K 8

♦ Q 9 7 5 3

♣ 10 5 4 3

W

N

E

S

♠ K 7 4 3

♥ A 7

♦ A 8 2

♣ A K 6 2

Shape 2542 2254 4234 5413 HCP 11 5 18 6 Losers 8 8 6 8

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

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

249 boards f

FB9D1FD4E6152BF051DCB41F36DD

Board 250

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 5053 1822 2254 5314 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 6 5 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 ♥× by East
 Down 1 — NS +200

250 boards f

F8A02B963A7415596839BCC01F51

Board 251

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4
♥ J 10 6 5
♦ Q 10 9
♣ A 10 7 5 4

♠ K J 9 6 3
♥ 4
♦ K J 8 7 6
♣ K 3

♠ 10 8 7 2
♥ Q 9 8 3 2
♦ 5 3
♣ Q J

♠ A Q 5
♥ A K 7
♦ A 4 2
♣ 9 8 6 2

W N E S

Shape 5152 4522 3334 1435 HCP 11 5 17 7 Losers 6 9 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

251 boards f

FA25DDE30A57F1EE6C3D5938748E

Board 252

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 9 8
♥ 9 6 4 3
♦ Q 9
♣ 7 4 3

♠ A J 6 4
♥ J 2
♦ K 8 7 6 2
♣ Q 10

♠ 10 7 5 3
♥ K 10 5
♦ J 5 4
♣ J 8 2

♠ 2
♥ A Q 8 7
♦ A 10 3
♣ A K 9 6 5

W N E
S

Shape 4252 4333 1435 4423 HCP 11 5 17 7 Losers 8 11 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 5 — NS +660

252 boards f

FBA5D10DD9D74274280C607486E1

Board 253

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W

N

E

S

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

♠ A 3
♥ A 7 5 2
♦ Q 6
♣ A K Q J 2

Shape 3451 4342 2425 4225 HCP 8 7 20 5 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -100


253 boards f

F8A082071EFFBFD8E22F768DE786

Board 254

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A K 9 4 2
♥ A 7 6 3
♦ A K 7
♣ 4

Shape 3 4 1 5 1 2 5 5 5 4 3 1 4 3 4 2 HCP 10 6 18 6 Losers 6 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Unusual 2 NT
- 5 ♠ by South
Down 1 — NS -50

254 boards f

FAB53CF6AF61CB12546E5DC19FFB

Board 255

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 8

♥ 9 4

♦ K J 6 5 3

♣ J 9 3 2

♠ Q 9 4 2

♥ A K Q 2

♦ 10 8 4

♣ K 7

♠ 10 7 6 5

♥ 8 7 5 3

♦ 9 2

♣ Q 8 6

♠ A J 3

♥ J 10 6

♦ A Q 7

♣ A 10 5 4

W

N

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S

Shape 2254 4423 3334 4432 HCP 8 2 16 14 Losers 8 10 8 6

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

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

255 boards f

F92591EC63C09A04482C36512478

Board 256

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

♠ K 9

♥ A Q J 6 3

♦ 9 7 2

♣ A K 4



♠ J 7 4 2

♥ K 9 4

♦ A 8 5 3

♣ 9 5

Shape 5341 4342 2533 2227 HCP 9 8 17 6 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

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

256 boards f

0889A74D5F558617F3C1F44E19E0

Board 257

South Deals

None Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ Q J 10 4
♥ J 10 8 3
♦ Q J 4
♣ 9 4

♠ A K 9
♥ K 2
♦ 7 6 2
♣ A Q 10 6 3

Shape 2524 4432 3235 4252 HCP 14 7 16 3 Losers 6 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !C
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

Made 7 — NS +940

257 boards f

0AB1E3AFF75B48893149D845402B

Board 258

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 5

♥ A J 7

♦ A K 7 3

♣ 9 5 3

N

W

E

S

♠ 7 2

♥ 9 8 6 4 3

♦ Q

♣ K Q J 10 2

♠ 10 9 6 4 3

♥ 10 5

♦ 10 9 8 6 5 2

♣ —

♠ A Q 8

♥ K Q 2

♦ J 4

♣ A 8 7 6 4

Shape 2515 5260 3325 3343 HCP 8 0 16 16 Losers 7 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 NT	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♥ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

258 boards f

096A21E332F915B2766833BA7FCE

Board 259

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

S

N
E
S

E

N

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

Shape 4153 4126 2443 3721 HCP 12 9 16 3 Losers 6 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♥	Db1	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
 2 ♥ × by West
 Down 1 — NS +200

259 boards f

0B6C23BE86D662EBF737B19F68D4

Board 260

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8 7 2

♥ Q 7 6 5

♦ 8 3

♣ A 3 2

♠ K 6

♥ J

♦ J 10 7 6 2

♣ K 8 7 6 4

♠ A 9 3

♥ 10 4 2

♦ K 9 5

♣ Q J 10 9

♠ Q J 5 4

♥ A K 9 8 3

♦ A Q 4

♣ 5

W N E S

Shape 2155 3334 4531 4423 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by North
Down 1 — NS -100

260 boards f

0A01E9B7E643547D73AB6F7EF9CE

Board 261

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A

♥ A 10 2

♦ 8 5 4 2

♣ Q 10 7 6 5

♠ K J 3 2

♥ Q 8 7 4 3

♦ A 10 7

♣ 9

♠ 10 9 8 7 5 4

♥ 9

♦ K 6 3

♣ J 4 2

♠ Q 6

♥ K J 6 5

♦ Q J 9

♣ A K 8 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 1345 6133 2434 4531 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 7 9 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 4 — NS +630			

261 boards f

0929BB6632E707C718EDF09F5AD8

Board 262

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 8 6 5 2

♥ K J 5

♦ 6 4

♣ 7 5 2

♠ A J 9 7

♥ 9 8

♦ J 5

♣ K 10 9 8 4

♠ K 4

♥ A Q 10 6

♦ A K 7 3 2

♣ A 6

♠ Q 3

♥ 7 4 3 2

♦ Q 10 9 8

♣ Q J 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 4225 2443 2452 5323 HCP 9 7 20 4 Losers 8 9 4 10

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

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

262 boards f

0B6FA7B411C789B3DECADC70B75E

Board 263

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ A 4 2
♥ J 7 5 2
♦ J 8 4
♣ 7 6 2

♠ K Q 9 8 3
♥ A K
♦ A 7 5 2
♣ J 9

Shape 1345 3433 5242 4423 HCP 13 6 17 4 Losers 6 11 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 5 ♠ by South
Down 1 — NS -100

263 boards f

0869B924B37436114839CE0D62DE

Board 264

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 2
♥ K J 10 9 6
♦ Q 10 9
♣ Q 10 7

♠ Q 9 8 6 4
♥ 7 5 4
♦ A K 7 6
♣ J

♠ A 10 7 3
♥ 8 2
♦ 5 4 2
♣ 9 5 3 2

♠ K J
♥ A Q 3
♦ J 8 3
♣ A K 8 6 4

W N E S

Shape 5341 4234 2335 2533 HCP 10 4 18 8 Losers 7 10 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +170

264 boards f

096B682B17FD71C29EF67EAB223F

Board 265

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 4135 4225 2542 3541 HCP 10 9 18 3 Losers 7 8 4 10

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

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

265 boards f

0B8FBCF5195A92CEA5C204386675

Board 266

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	♠ A K 9 7
	♥ 7 3
	♦ A K 8
	♣ Q J 7 2



Shape 3451 3325 4234 3433 HCP 11 1 17 11 Losers 7 11 6 8

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

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

266 boards f

082324E2686A4BD95323ECB756D4

Board 267

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ 4

♥ A K Q J 10 6 5

♦ A Q 7 6

♣ 8

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 9 7 3

♥ 8 7 3 2

♦ 5

♣ Q 10 3

Shape 3145 5413 1741 4144 HCP 12 3 16 9 Losers 7 9 3 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. !H queen no !S king no !C king no !D king
- 6 ♥ by South
- Made 6 — NS +980

267 boards f

0ABDB5A30C7C57AF617B73DB5EF6

Board 268

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J
♥ J
♦ A J 10 8 3
♣ Q 9 8 6 5 4

♠ 4 2
♥ A K 10 6 5 2
♦ Q 7 5
♣ J 10

♠ 10 9 7 6 5 3
♥ 9 4 3
♦ 6 4
♣ 3 2

♠ A K Q 8
♥ Q 8 7
♦ K 9 2
♣ A K 7

W N E S

Shape 1156 6322 4333 2632 HCP 9 0 21 10 Losers 6 10 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

5 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +620

268 boards f

0B9D8F0332ED8AF0B593964BF2FB

Board 269

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 8 3 2

♥ J 8 7 3 2

♦ 9 4 2

♣ 8

♠ Q J

♥ K Q 9 4

♦ 7 5

♣ K Q 6 4 2

♠ 4

♥ A 6 5

♦ Q J 8 6 3

♣ J 9 5 3

♠ A K 9 7 6 5

♥ 10

♦ A K 10

♣ A 10 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 2425 1354 6133 4531 HCP 13 8 18 1 Losers 6 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣× by South

Made 6 — NS +1540

269 boards f

0822A7436D76F53A527374478503

Board 270

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9

♥ 10 9 8 6 5

♦ K 10 9 5 4 3

♣ 5

♠ A 8 2

♥ Q 4 3 2

♦ 8

♣ K Q 6 4 2

♠ Q J 10 7 6 5 4

♥ 7

♦ J

♣ A 10 8 7

♠ K 3

♥ A K J

♦ A Q 7 6 2

♣ J 9 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 3415 7114 2353 1561 HCP 11 8 18 3 Losers 6 6 6 7

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

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

270 boards f

0AE4818C014F7618486FACB69052

Board 271

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A

♥ 9 4

♦ K J 3 2

♣ A Q 8 7 5 3

♠ J 8

♥ K Q J 10 7

♦ Q 10 6 5

♣ 10 6

♠ 10 9 7 6 2

♥ 8 3 2

♦ 8 7

♣ 9 4 2

♠ K Q 5 4 3

♥ A 6 5

♦ A 9 4

♣ K J

W

N

E

S

Shape 2542 5323 5332 1246 HCP 9 0 17 14 Losers 7 11 6 5

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

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

271 boards f

0962290D9E3B773A8DD679408ECC

Board 272

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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	S	

♠ A 9 5 4
♥ J 6
♦ 9 6
♣ A J 8 6 3

♠ J 7 3
♥ A K
♦ K 10 8 5
♣ K Q 7 5

Shape 4522 4225 3244 2452 HCP 11 10 16 3 Losers 6 8 6 9

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

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

272 boards f

188DA32FCB29D6F3DF51FEDDF8BA

Board 273

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10
♥ A J
♦ J 10 3 2
♣ K Q J 8 7

♠ J 9 8 7 5 4 3
♥ 8 5 3 2
♦ 9
♣ 3

♠ 6
♥ 9 7 6 4
♦ A Q 7 5 4
♣ 9 5 2

♠ A K 2
♥ K Q 10
♦ K 8 6
♣ A 10 6 4

W N E S

Shape 2245 1453 3334 7411 HCP 14 6 19 1 Losers 7 8 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

273 boards f

1AA384117C8943FEAB13B562D34A

Board 274

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3
♥ J 8 5
♦ A Q 9 6 4 3
♣ K J

♠ Q 6
♥ K 10 9 2
♦ J 8
♣ A 9 7 6 3

♠ J 9 4 2
♥ Q 6 3
♦ 10 7 2
♣ 8 4 2

♠ A K 10 7 5
♥ A 7 4
♦ K 5
♣ Q 10 5

W N E S

Shape 2425 4333 5323 2362 HCP 10 3 16 11 Losers 8 11 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2 ♣ by South
Made 5 — NS +150

274 boards f

19A1A80D0E2C2757F23C546F957B

Board 275

South Deals


E-W Vul

♠ 7

♥ 7 6 2

♦ Q J 10 6 4

♣ K 10 6 5



♠ Q J 10 9 6

♥ Q J

♦ A 7

♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ A K 3

♥ A K 10 9 4

♦ K 2

♣ A Q 3

♠ 8 5 4 2

♥ 8 5 3

♦ 9 8 5 3

♣ J 7

Shape 5224 4342 3523 1354 HCP 10 1 23 6 Losers 8 11 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

275 boards f

1BA967B456BB90B3DFB102B37534

Board 276

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7

♥ Q 10 8 6 4 3 2

♦ A 10

♣ Q 9 2

♠ 5 2

♥ 5

♦ K Q J 3 2

♣ K 10 8 7 4

♠ K J 3

♥ J 9 7

♦ 9 8 6 5 4

♣ J 5

♠ A Q 10 9 8 6 4

♥ A K

♦ 7

♣ A 6 3

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Shape 2155 3352 7213 1723 HCP 9 6 17 8 Losers 6 10 4 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 ♠ by South
Made 5 — NS +200

276 boards f

1AADC15F9AB99FE3D018EB6B2C80

Board 277

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 8 7 5

♥ 10

♦ K 8 7 2

♣ 7 6 3 2

♠ 6 3

♥ K 2

♦ A Q 9 3

♣ Q 9 8 5 4

♠ Q 4

♥ Q J 9 7 6

♦ J 10 6 5 4

♣ J

♠ A J 10 9 2

♥ A 8 5 4 3

♦ —

♣ A K 10

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Shape 2245 2551 5503 4144 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 6 8 5 8

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

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

277 boards f

1929D9AF03363ECF5E4CB51F796A

Board 278

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 10 9 4
♥ J 8 6
♦ J
♣ Q J 8 4

♠ K 8
♥ 10 9 5 3
♦ Q 9 8 7 6 4
♣ 6

♠ 7 6 3 2
♥ K 7 4
♦ 10 5
♣ 10 9 7 2

♠ Q 5
♥ A Q 2
♦ A K 3 2
♣ A K 5 3

W N E S

Shape 5314 4324 2344 2461 HCP 10 3 22 5 Losers 8 10 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

278 boards f

1BA46F2175B1C6CCBA4506FAD15B

Board 279

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 2452 4234 3325 4432 HCP 10 6 19 5 Losers 8 9 5 10

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

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

279 boards f

1863B3A85DA3E9FB371E363C507A

Board 280

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 5 4
♥ —
♦ Q 9 8 2
♣ A K 10 8 7

♠ 9 8
♥ K 8 7 5 4 2
♦ 7 5
♣ Q 4 3

♠ A J 3 2
♥ J 6 3
♦ J 6 4
♣ 6 5 2

♠ K Q 10
♥ A Q 10 9
♦ A K 10 3
♣ J 9

W N E S

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

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

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

280 boards f

19BBB9001B19106F9CCC5A157FD5

Board 281

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ 8 5 3

♥ J 10 9 7 5 4 2

♦ 4 2

♣ 5

N

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

Shape 5224 3721 3154 2344 HCP 12 1 18 9 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
 6. !S queen no !C king no !D king no !H king
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 6 — NS +980

281 boards f

1B976DAE56B4683C7BC3FB0A979E

Board 282

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ 6 4
♦ A J 10 3
♣ A 7 6 5 3

♠ 6 5
♥ 10 8 7 5
♦ 9 7 5 4
♣ 10 9 8

♠ K J 9 7
♥ A J 3 2
♦ 6
♣ Q J 4 2

♠ A Q 10 3 2
♥ K Q 9
♦ K Q 8 2
♣ K

Shape 2245 4414 5341 2443 HCP 9 12 19 0 Losers 8 7 4 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
- 6 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

282 boards f

1881E68884341958B158517F6F48

Board 283

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9
♥ A Q J 2
♦ Q 9 8 6 2
♣ 4 3

♠ K
♥ 10 7 4
♦ K J 10
♣ Q J 10 8 6 2

♠ A Q J 7
♥ K 3
♦ A 7 5
♣ A 9 7 5

♠ 8 6 5 4 3 2
♥ 9 8 6 5
♦ 4 3
♣ K

W N E S

Shape 2452 6421 4234 1336 HCP 9 3 18 10 Losers 7 9 6 8

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

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

283 boards f

1A462527704691D1CAFF42E1039B

Board 284

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ 9 2

♥ K Q 4

♦ A K Q 10

♣ K 9 8 4

N

W E

S

♠ A J 10 5

♥ 9 8 2

♦ 7 2

♣ A 10 7 5

Shape 3514 4324 2344 4261 HCP 11 9 17 3 Losers 6 9 5 9

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

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

284 boards f

1B8CB72F3E141BF2FE639FD8AA66

Board 285

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4135 2425 4450 3433 HCP 15 1 16 8 Losers 5 10 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1460

285 boards f

188112C2D9BB5BE79633EFF556D9

Board 286

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 6

♥ A Q

♦ J 10 9 2

♣ 10 9 8 6 5

♠ Q J 8 5 4 2

♥ 10 6 4

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ —

♠ A 10 7

♥ 8 5

♦ A K Q 6

♣ A J 4 2

♠ 9 3

♥ K J 9 7 3 2

♦ 5

♣ K Q 7 3

W

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Shape 2245 2614 3244 6340 HCP 10 9 18 3 Losers 8 6 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♠	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 5 — NS +460			

286 boards f

1A229DB5CC493812CAA5380388D9

Board 287

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5521 1363 4225 3334 HCP 9 7 16 8 Losers 7 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4 ♠ by South
Made 4 — NS +620

287 boards f

1989F32D446BBBD7FE499C5542CF

Board 288

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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Shape 1525 5332 3244 4342 HCP 13 2 16 9 Losers 6 11 7 8

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

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

288 boards f

2801B651E83F95BDC60AC0552ECF

Board 289

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 7 5 2
♥ K 10 8
♦ K 9 7 4
♣ J 5

♠ A 10 6 3
♥ A 7 6 5 2
♦ J 6
♣ 10 2

♠ Q 4
♥ Q 9 4
♦ 10 8 3 2
♣ K 7 6 3

♠ K 9 8
♥ J 3
♦ A Q 5
♣ A Q 9 8 4

W

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Shape 4522 2344 3235 4342 HCP 9 7 16 8 Losers 8 9 6 9

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

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

289 boards f

2A3597354B5EB46C4AFCEE93BD73

Board 290

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ J 10 8 7 2
♥ K 10 4
♦ J 7
♣ 10 7 5

♠ K 9 4 3
♥ 8 5
♦ A K Q 9
♣ A Q 3

Shape 2254 5323 4243 2623 HCP 11 5 18 6 Losers 8 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Rubensohl after 1m
 3. Blackwood 0314
 4. A=1/4 or 4/4
- 5 ♦ by North
- Made 5 — NS +600

290 boards f

29ABB41817EDC4146B919220DE30

Board 291

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5143 1642 4432 3226 HCP 8 7 17 8 Losers 8 7 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +480

291 boards f

2B6ECF6525755BD73854E3F093ED

Board 292

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 5 4 2

♥ 10 7 4

♦ 9 7

♣ 7 6 4

♠ J 7

♥ K

♦ Q J 10 8 6

♣ K 9 8 5 3

♠ A Q 10 9 6

♥ 9 8 6 3

♦ 5 4 3

♣ A

♠ 3

♥ A Q J 5 2

♦ A K 2

♣ Q J 10 2

W

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Shape 2155 5431 1534 5323 HCP 10 10 17 3 Losers 7 7 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by North
Down 2 — NS -200

292 boards f

2AF58D77C3951BA8BEB378C75EDE

Board 293

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 4 2

♥ A Q 7 6 5

♦ J 6

♣ 8 5

♠ 9

♥ K J 4

♦ K 7 3 2

♣ Q J 9 6 4

♠ Q 5 3

♥ 10 9 3 2

♦ 9 8 5

♣ 7 3 2

♠ K 10 8 7 6

♥ 8

♦ A Q 10 4

♣ A K 10

W N E S

Shape 1345 3433 5143 4522 HCP 10 2 16 12 Losers 7 11 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 4 — NS +630			

293 boards f

29491B88FAA3408C50BB5A78DE40

Board 294

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ A 9 7 5 4 2
♥ K 7 5 3
♦ —
♣ J 5 3

♠ Q 10 8 6
♥ 10
♦ A K Q J 6 5 4
♣ A

Shape 1543 6403 4171 2326 HCP 12 8 16 4 Losers 7 7 3 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 5 ♦ by South
- Made 6 — NS +420

294 boards f

2B29B56102BCD9F2B7C4165B212A

Board 295

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 6
♥ K 10 8 7
♦ A 9 4 2
♣ 10 6

♠ A J 5 3 2
♥ J 6
♦ K 7 6 5
♣ 7 4

♠ Q 4
♥ 9 5 4
♦ Q J 8 3
♣ J 8 5 2

♠ K 10 7
♥ A Q 3 2
♦ 10
♣ A K Q 9 3

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Shape 5242 2344 3415 3442 HCP 9 6 18 7 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

295 boards f

2821B8EB7F1A11F008BE355FF16E

Board 296

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 3

♥ K J 8 6 5 3

♦ 5

♣ K 8 7

♠ A 10 9 7 5

♥ 7

♦ K Q 10 7

♣ Q J 4

♠ J 4 2

♥ 10 9 4

♦ J 6 4 2

♣ 10 6 2

♠ K 6

♥ A Q 2

♦ A 9 8 3

♣ A 9 5 3

W N E

S

Shape 5143 3343 2344 3613 HCP 12 2 17 9 Losers 6 12 6 7

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

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

296 boards f

299FA911F75228B6C21EE0DFB39D

Board 297

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 5 4

♥ J 8 3

♦ A 6 4 2

♣ 9 5

♠ Q 9 6

♥ 7

♦ Q 10 7 5 3

♣ A J 4 3

♠ 10

♥ A Q 10 6 4 2

♦ J 8

♣ 10 8 7 6

♠ A K 8 3 2

♥ K 9 5

♦ K 9

♣ K Q 2

W N E S

Shape 3154 1624 5323 4342 HCP 9 7 18 6 Losers 7 7 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 4 ♠ by South
- Made 5 — NS +450

297 boards f

2B81052ED53AC024DC9094991AB6

Board 298

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 7

♥ 10 2

♦ 10 4 3

♣ 9 8 7 6 5

♠ —

♥ J 7 6 5 4 3

♦ A 9 6

♣ Q 10 3 2

♠ K Q 10 8 3

♥ A K 9

♦ K J 8 5 2

♣ —

♠ A 6 5 4 2

♥ Q 8

♦ Q 7

♣ A K J 4

W N E S

Shape 5350 0634 5224 3235 HCP 16 7 16 1 Losers 4 7 7 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

298 boards f

2820E9211297D61BD57B4F7012F0

Board 299

South Deals

None Vul

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

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♠ 6 5 4

♥ J 10 9 8 7 3

♦ 5

♣ J 9 3

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

Shape 5134 3613 1363 4333 HCP 10 2 21 7 Losers 7 10 3 10

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

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

299 boards f

2A2DC53CE5C746526E4AB2D0CFE6

Board 300

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q

♥ K 10 9 6 3

♦ A Q 7 3

♣ 10 3

♠ K J 10 4 3 2

♥ Q 5

♦ 8 5 4

♣ Q 4

♠ 5

♥ A J 7 2

♦ K J 10 9 2

♣ A K J

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ 8 4

♦ 6

♣ 9 8 7 6 5 2

N

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Shape 2542 4216 1453 6232 HCP 15 0 17 8 Losers 6 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by West
Down 3 — NS +150

300 boards f

2BA5D19F77574110EBEAF9B86687

Board 301

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 6 5

♥ J 5 4

♦ 7 6 5 4

♣ 8 4

♠ 8

♥ 9 2

♦ A J 10 3 2

♣ Q J 10 7 2

♠ J 10 9 3

♥ K Q 10 8

♦ K 9 8

♣ 6 3

♠ A Q 4 2

♥ A 7 6 3

♦ Q

♣ A K 9 5

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Shape 1255 4432 4414 4342 HCP 8 9 19 4 Losers 7 8 5 10

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

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

301 boards f

28A506116B4257E1FEE7CE67C449

Board 302

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 6 5 3

♥ 7

♦ A K 9 6 4 3

♣ 3

♠ K Q

♥ K 10 5 3 2

♦ J 2

♣ J 9 6 4

♠ J 10 9 4 2

♥ Q 9

♦ 7 5

♣ K 10 7 5

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♠ A

♥ A J 8 6 4

♦ Q 10 8

♣ A Q 8 2

Shape 2524 5224 1534 5161 HCP 10 6 17 7 Losers 8 9 5 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠× by East
Down 1 — NS +100

302 boards f

2AE5FF8D8D5B6033D649707D994C

Board 303

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K 7

♥ K 8 5 4

♦ 9 8 5

♣ 9 5 2

♠ 8

♥ Q J 6 2

♦ K Q J 4 2

♣ K 10 8

♠ Q J 3

♥ A 9

♦ A 7

♣ A Q J 6 4 3

♠ 10 9 6 5 4 2

♥ 10 7 3

♦ 10 6 3

♣ 7

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Shape 1453 6331 3226 3433 HCP 12 0 18 10 Losers 6 10 5 9

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

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

303 boards f

29A5E7223596FCD28520FC4922D3

Board 304

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 8 5 2

♥ J 9 5

♦ 9 5

♣ 9 6 5

♠ Q J 6 3

♥ 7 4

♦ Q 8 6 3 2

♣ K 2

♠ 4

♥ 10 8 2

♦ A K J 10 7

♣ Q 10 8 3

♠ A 10 7

♥ A K Q 6 3

♦ 4

♣ A J 7 4

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Shape 4252 1354 3514 5323 HCP 8 10 18 4 Losers 7 7 5 10

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

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

304 boards f

38811D45B9F623DCC07F67151206

Board 305

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 7
♥ J 10 6
♦ Q 10 5 4 2
♣ 8 7

♠ K 9 4 3 2
♥ A Q 7 2
♦ J
♣ 9 6 5

♠ Q 6 5
♥ K 8 4 3
♦ K 8 6
♣ 10 3 2

♠ A J
♥ 9 5
♦ A 9 7 3
♣ A K Q J 4

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Shape 5413 3433 2245 3352 HCP 10 8 19 3 Losers 7 9 5 10

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

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

305 boards f

3A64067509C91045FF10D1671640

Board 306

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 7 5

♥ Q 7

♦ 9 6 5 2

♣ A 9 6 2

♠ K J 9 6 3

♥ K J 10 8 2

♦ 7

♣ 7 4

♠ —

♥ A 4

♦ A K Q 8 4 3

♣ Q J 10 8 5

♠ A Q 8 4 2

♥ 9 6 5 3

♦ J 10

♣ K 3

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Shape 5512 5422 0265 3244 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 7 7 3 10

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

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

306 boards f

39895809D73029714CF60A44A43E

Board 307

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6

♥ 10 8 6 2

♦ 7 2

♣ K 10 7 4 3

♠ Q 10 9 5 2

♥ A Q 7 5 4

♦ 10 8

♣ J

♠ K 8 7 4

♥ K J

♦ J 6 4 3

♣ 6 5 2

♠ A 3

♥ 9 3

♦ A K Q 9 5

♣ A Q 9 8

W N E S

Shape 5521 4243 2254 2425 HCP 9 8 19 4 Losers 6 9 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

307 boards f

3BAFEB32F5437B702D5411BCE755

Board 308

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 3

♥ Q J 9 8 4

♦ K 9

♣ 8 6 4

♠ Q 7 5

♥ 10

♦ J 6 3 2

♣ A K 10 9 3

♠ 10 9 8 6 2

♥ 6 5 2

♦ Q 10 8 5

♣ Q

♠ A 4

♥ A K 7 3

♦ A 7 4

♣ J 7 5 2

W N E S

Shape 3145 5341 2434 3523 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 7 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	2 ♣	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♣ by South			
Made 6 — NS +170			

308 boards f

3A66848D0502DE754C62DD20D873

Board 309

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 3
♥ 8 2
♦ 10 6 4 2
♣ K 7 4 3

♠ J 10 4
♥ K Q J 10 7
♦ Q 9 7 5
♣ 2

♠ A 8 7 6 2
♥ 9 5 3
♦ 3
♣ A 10 9 6

♠ K Q
♥ A 6 4
♦ A K J 8
♣ Q J 8 5

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Shape 3541 5314 2344 3244 HCP 9 8 20 3 Losers 7 8 6 10

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

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

309 boards f

393B2598BBC86A414C1A549C0C40

Board 310

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10

♥ A J

♦ 7 4 3

♣ Q 10 7 5 4 3 2

♠ A K 6 3

♥ 10 8 7 3 2

♦ 8 2

♣ A J

♠ 9 8 7 5 2

♥ Q 6 5 4

♦ K 5

♣ 9 6

♠ Q J 4

♥ K 9

♦ A Q J 10 9 6

♣ K 8

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Shape 4522 5422 3262 1237 HCP 12 5 16 7 Losers 7 8 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♥ by North
Down 1 — NS -50

310 boards f

3B0D1EBE49B578C85D015D301B44

Board 311

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ Q 10 9 4

♦ J 9 8 3

♣ 9 8 4 2

♠ A K 6 4 3

♥ A J 8 6 2

♦ 10 2

♣ 3

♠ J 9 7 5 2

♥ K 7 5 3

♦ 6 4

♣ K Q

♠ Q 10

♥ —

♦ A K Q 7 5

♣ A J 10 7 6 5

W N E S

Shape 5521 5422 2056 1444 HCP 12 9 16 3 Losers 6 8 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +680

311 boards f

38B9A877B05F135C2F356BE206BC

Board 312

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4

♥ A Q J 6 2

♦ Q 6 3

♣ K J 8 2

♠ 9 7 6 3

♥ 3

♦ A K 5

♣ Q 10 9 7 5

♠ Q 10 8 5

♥ 10 9 8

♦ 10 8 7 2

♣ 4 3

♠ A K J 2

♥ K 7 5 4

♦ J 9 4

♣ A 6

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Shape 4135 4342 4432 1534 HCP 9 2 16 13 Losers 7 10 7 6

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

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

312 boards f

39A1963B4EDEE390E531BF4AE3F6

Board 313

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 7 3 2

♥ Q 6 5 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ 8

♠ Q 6

♥ J 4

♦ A 9 8 6 3

♣ Q 9 5 3

♠ J 4

♥ K 10 8

♦ K 7 2

♣ K J 10 4 2

♠ A K 8 5

♥ A 9 7 3

♦ Q 4

♣ A 7 6

W N E

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Shape 2254 2335 4423 5431 HCP 9 11 17 3 Losers 8 8 7 9

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

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

313 boards f

3BA1490B6BC37A8813B1FF56EC65

Board 314

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 5 3
♥ 9 6 5
♦ K Q J 9 8
♣ 8 3

♠ Q 7
♥ K Q 10 8
♦ 4 2
♣ Q J 10 7 5

♠ K J 9 4 2
♥ 7 4
♦ A 10 7 6
♣ 9 4

♠ A 8 6
♥ A J 3 2
♦ 5 3
♣ A K 6 2

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Shape 2425 5242 3424 3352 HCP 10 8 16 6 Losers 7 8 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

314 boards f

388B65A534D08EFC4B867F419B50

Board 315

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8

♥ J 8 5

♦ K Q J 6

♣ J 10 8 2

♠ J

♥ A 9 7 6 4

♦ A 7 3

♣ A 7 5 3

♠ K 7 5 4 2

♥ 10 3 2

♦ 9 8 5

♣ 9 6

♠ A Q 9 6 3

♥ K Q

♦ 10 4 2

♣ K Q 4

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Shape 1534 5332 5233 2344 HCP 13 3 16 8 Losers 7 10 6 9

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

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

315 boards f

3A67ACF97B5B93CD47323C6D70A9

Board 316

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8

♥ Q J 6 5 3

♦ 9 6 3

♣ K 5 3

W

N

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♠ A J 10 7 4 3

♥ 10 9

♦ Q J 10 2

♣ 6

♠ 6 5

♥ 8 7

♦ K 8 5 4

♣ A J 10 9 7

♠ K 9 2

♥ A K 4 2

♦ A 7

♣ Q 8 4 2

Shape 2245 6241 3424 2533 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 8 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	2 ♣	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2 ♣ by South
Made 5 — NS +150

316 boards f

3B2EDD45D90E7601356600787DB8

Board 317

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J

♥ 9 7 4 3 2

♦ J 4 2

♣ 5 4 2

♠ A 10 8 7 5

♥ Q 10 8 5

♦ Q 9 7 6

♣ —

♠ 2

♥ A 6

♦ A K 10 3

♣ K Q J 8 7 3

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♠ Q 9 6 4 3

♥ K J

♦ 8 5

♣ A 10 9 6

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

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

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

317 boards f

38AD84093AD2199474036E2490DA

Board 318

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 9 6 4
♥ K Q 6
♦ Q J 9 2
♣ 6

♠ 10 2
♥ J 7
♦ K 8 7 4
♣ K 8 7 4 3

♠ 7 5
♥ 10 9 8 3 2
♦ A 5
♣ J 10 5 2

♠ A K 8 3
♥ A 5 4
♦ 10 6 3
♣ A Q 9

W N E S

Shape 5341 2524 4333 2245 HCP 11 5 17 7 Losers 6 9 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

318 boards f

3AC564371A5502744C220690F9C7

Board 319

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 5512 4324 1273 3334 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 7 10 4 9

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

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

319 boards f

39A1A080CC4BB74AEF1B5DD85E5F

Board 320

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 1435 5512 4342 3154 HCP 12 0 20 8 Losers 6 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 N by South
Made 6 — NS +990

320 boards f

48A10F468BFD34E6AE5D251CCD37

Board 321

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ A J 7
♥ A 8 7 5
♦ A
♣ A 10 6 5 3

Shape 5413 2263 3415 3352 HCP 14 7 17 2 Losers 6 8 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 5. A=1/5 or 4/5
 6. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

321 boards f

4A2790B1F612992F3678FB4FA40A

Board 322

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5

♥ Q J 7 6 5

♦ K Q 10

♣ K 6 3

♠ A 10 8 7 2

♥ 4 2

♦ 8 4

♣ A 8 5 4

♠ 6 4

♥ K 10 9

♦ 9 6 5 2

♣ J 10 7 2

♠ K Q 9 3

♥ A 8 3

♦ A J 7 3

♣ Q 9

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Shape 5224 2344 4342 2533 HCP 8 4 16 12 Losers 8 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♠ by North			
Made 5 — NS +650			

322 boards f

49258BA6B0E39E04D8507AF3E067

Board 323

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8
♥ K 8
♦ J 10 6 4 3
♣ K 10 4 2

♠ 10 7 4 3
♥ J 5 4
♦ 9
♣ J 8 7 6 3

♠ 6 5 2
♥ 9 7 6
♦ A Q 8 2
♣ Q 9 5

♠ K Q J 9
♥ A Q 10 3 2
♦ K 7 5
♣ A

W N E S

Shape 2254 3343 4531 4315 HCP 11 8 19 2 Losers 7 9 4 10

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

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

323 boards f

4BAE8EE406D23446CFA0D8A7D069

Board 324

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9
♥ K J 8 7
♦ Q J 9 8 4
♣ 7 4

♠ Q 10 7 5 3
♥ 9
♦ 5 2
♣ Q 9 6 5 3

♠ 8 2
♥ 10 5 3
♦ 10 6 3
♣ A K J 10 8

♠ A K 6 4
♥ A Q 6 4 2
♦ A K 7
♣ 2

W N E S

Shape 2452 2335 4531 5125 HCP 8 8 20 4 Losers 8 9 4 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

324 boards f

4AA68372EFAC157B3021EA14531B

Board 325

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 6 4 2
♥ K
♦ J 10
♣ K J 8 3 2

♠ J 5
♥ Q 8 7
♦ K Q 7 6 3
♣ 10 7 4

♠ Q 8 3
♥ 9 4 3 2
♦ 8 5 2
♣ A Q 5

♠ A K 10
♥ A J 10 6 5
♦ A 9 4
♣ 9 6

W N E S

Shape 5125 3433 3532 2353 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 8 9 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Support double redouble

4 ♠ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

325 boards f

498182AB400BFA645CC279DD62FE

Board 326

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10
♥ A K J 10 6
♦ A K J 6 3
♣ Q 10

♠ 9 6 4 2
♥ 9 5 2
♦ 7 4 2
♣ J 8 7

♠ J 8 7 5 3
♥ 7 4
♦ 8
♣ K 9 6 3 2

♠ A K Q
♥ Q 8 3
♦ Q 10 9 5
♣ A 5 4

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Shape 1552 5215 3343 4333 HCP 18 4 17 1 Losers 5 8 6 12

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

326 boards f

4BEFA32BE089CFCC466AE246E472

Board 327

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 9 8 5 3

♥ 2

♦ Q 10 6

♣ J 8 3

♠ Q

♥ 10 9 8 7 4

♦ 7 4 3

♣ A K Q 9

♠ 7 6 4 2

♥ —

♦ K J 5 2

♣ 7 6 5 4 2

♠ K 10

♥ A K Q J 6 5 3

♦ A 9 8

♣ 10

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Shape 1534 4045 2731 6133 HCP 11 4 17 8 Losers 7 8 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

327 boards f

4841319846C5E5D33AB2164956C9

Board 328

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 8 2

♥ K 7 6

♦ J 10 9 5 3

♣ Q

♠ K 7 5

♥ A J 10 4 2

♦ Q 7 4 2

♣ 8

♠ A J 4 3

♥ Q 8 5 3

♦ —

♣ J 7 6 5 3

♠ Q 6

♥ 9

♦ A K 8 6

♣ A K 10 9 4 2

W N E S

Shape 3541 4405 2146 4351 HCP 10 8 16 6 Losers 7 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +400

328 boards f

49BA6D01406841E07EEF368A32D5

Board 329

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6 2

♥ A 7 5 3

♦ K 7 6

♣ J 10 8

♠ Q 5 3

♥ Q J 9 4

♦ Q J 9 8 3

♣ 6

♠ K J 10 9 7

♥ 2

♦ 5 2

♣ A 7 5 4 3

♠ A 4

♥ K 10 8 6

♦ A 10 4

♣ K Q 9 2

W N E S

Shape 3451 5125 2434 3433 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 7 7 6 10

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

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

329 boards f

4B8169B3C6F08425DD04D0A35882

Board 330

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 7 5

♥ Q 10

♦ K 3

♣ 10 9 6 5 3

♠ 8 6

♥ A J 9 6 2

♦ J 9 8 6

♣ Q 4

♠ K 3

♥ 7 5 3

♦ A Q 10 5 4 2

♣ J 2

♠ A Q 9 4 2

♥ K 8 4

♦ 7

♣ A K 8 7

W

N

E

S

Shape 2542 2362 5314 4225 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 9 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +620

330 boards f

48699D790474A4B92B673A761D6F

Board 331

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ Q 10 8 5 4

♦ J 10 9 6 4

♣ J 10 9

♠ J 7 5 3

♥ J

♦ A Q 8 7 5

♣ 7 6 2

♠ A Q 10 6 4 2

♥ K 3

♦ K 3 2

♣ 5 4

♠ K 9 8

♥ A 9 7 6 2

♦ —

♣ A K Q 8 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 4153 6232 3505 0553 HCP 8 12 16 4 Losers 8 6 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
5 ♣ by South
Made 6 — NS +420

331 boards f

4A89B7811061C37A23821B09D6D4

Board 332

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 3 2

♥ K 8

♦ Q J 10 9 7 6

♣ J 2

♠ J 7 5 4

♥ A Q 9 6 4

♦ —

♣ K 9 7 5

♠ 10 8

♥ J 5 3 2

♦ A 8 5 4

♣ 8 6 3

♠ A K Q 6

♥ 10 7

♦ K 3 2

♣ A Q 10 4

W N E

S

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

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

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

332 boards f

4B8DFD5B0A1A21E23ED0C1EF354B

Board 333

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 6 5 4

♥ K 7 3

♦ Q J 10 2

♣ 6

♠ J 10 9 7 3

♥ A J 5 2

♦ 3

♣ Q 4 2

♠ Q 2

♥ Q 10 6

♦ 9 8 6 5

♣ J 10 8 7

♠ A

♥ 9 8 4

♦ A K 7 4

♣ A K 9 5 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 5413 2344 1345 5341 HCP 8 5 18 9 Losers 8 10 5 7

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

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

333 boards f

4889FE81A8B4C6DAC803649D4A5D

Board 334

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6

♥ A Q 9 7 6 3

♦ A J 8 7 3

♣ 6

♠ K 9 8 7

♥ K 10

♦ 10 9 5

♣ J 10 7 5

♠ A Q J 10 4

♥ J 5

♦ Q 6

♣ A Q 4 2

♠ 5 3 2

♥ 8 4 2

♦ K 4 2

♣ K 9 8 3

N

W E

S

Shape 1651 3334 5224 4234 HCP 11 6 16 7 Losers 5 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

334 boards f

4AE547A3B054007D45CCD86B5E47

Board 335

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 5
♥ J 8
♦ Q J 9
♣ J 10 9 6 5

♠ 9
♥ K 9 7 6 2
♦ 8 6 3
♣ K Q 4 2

♠ K 10 8 7 4 3 2
♥ 10 5 3
♦ 5 4
♣ 3

♠ Q J
♥ A Q 4
♦ A K 10 7 2
♣ A 8 7

W

N
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Shape 1534 7321 2353 3235 HCP 8 3 20 9 Losers 7 8 6 9

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

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

335 boards f

498B8E2D095542543CAEE06718CC

Board 336

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠

♥

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♠ 10 9 8 4
♥ 10 8 3
♦ 10 8 4
♣ K 9 6

♠ A K 6
♥ Q 6 5 4
♦ A J 3
♣ Q J 10

Shape 4522 4333 3433 2155 HCP 15 3 17 5 Losers 6 11 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

336 boards f

58B197B80AFEC76A7DF3337D615B

Board 337

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 6

♥ A Q 10 7 6 5 4

♦ K 9

♣ Q

♠ J 5

♥ J 9

♦ Q J 8 2

♣ K 9 6 5 2

♠ 8 7 4 3 2

♥ K 2

♦ 10 7 4

♣ J 10 8

W

N

E

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♠ A K Q

♥ 8 3

♦ A 6 5 3

♣ A 7 4 3

Shape 2245 5233 3244 3721 HCP 8 4 17 11 Losers 8 10 6 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♣ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

337 boards f

5A2487C50F0884927CEA1A716260

Board 338

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 10 5
♥ K Q J 10 9
♦ J 7
♣ K J

♠ Q 6
♥ 7 4
♦ 8 4 3 2
♣ A 10 9 7 2

♠ K 9 8
♥ A 6 3 2
♦ A K Q 9
♣ Q 4

♠ 7 4 3 2
♥ 8 5
♦ 10 6 5
♣ 8 6 5 3

W N E S

Shape 4522 4234 3442 2245 HCP 16 0 18 6 Losers 6 11 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

338 boards f

5921826B6AF8CA5CC3A1709F7F5E

Board 339

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

N

W

S

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

Shape 1354 6304 3442 3343 HCP 16 7 17 0 Losers 5 7 6 12

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Crosswood 0314, for !D
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
4. King ask by 5 NT
5. K=1

7 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

339 boards f

5BEDF71E2FF53FD2A0019383FADA

Board 340

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J 9 6
♥ 6 4
♦ K 10
♣ K J 9 5 4

♠ A K 10 8 3 2
♥ K 10 9 3
♦ 3 2
♣ 7

♠ —
♥ Q 8 5 2
♦ 8 7 6 5 4
♣ Q 8 3 2

♠ 7 5 4
♥ A J 7
♦ A Q J 9
♣ A 10 6

W N E S

Shape 4225 0454 3343 6421 HCP 10 4 16 10 Losers 7 7 8 6

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

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

340 boards f

5A0725E380321C46DA7660644D82

Board 341

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

N

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S

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

Shape 4522 5215 2452 2254 HCP 18 0 16 6 Losers 6 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
 4. King ask by 5 NT
 5. K=2
- 7 ♥ by North
 Made 7 — NS +2210

341 boards f

5961A3A7F46E827C1E2B7DE39FD2

Board 342

South Deals


E-W Vul

♠ J 4 2

♥ J 8 5

♦ 10 8 7 5 3

♣ J 8



♠ 7 6

♥ 9

♦ A K 9 4 2

♣ K Q 6 4 3

♠ K Q 9 3

♥ A K Q 10 6 4

♦ 6

♣ A 5

♠ A 10 8 5

♥ 7 3 2

♦ Q J

♣ 10 9 7 2

Shape 2155 4324 4612 3352 HCP 12 7 18 3 Losers 5 10 3 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by North

Made 6 — NS +490

342 boards f

5B6D778A7D6F303A96B0E764F711

Board 343

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5 3

♥ K J 9 8 6 3

♦ Q 8

♣ 9 6 4

♠ 9 8 2

♥ Q

♦ K 7 5 4 3

♣ K 10 5 3

♠ A K J 10 4

♥ 7 2

♦ 9 6 2

♣ Q 8 7

♠ Q 7 6

♥ A 10 5 4

♦ A J 10

♣ A J 2

W

N

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Shape 3154 5233 3433 2623 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 8 8 8 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3 N by South

Down 1 — NS -100

343 boards f

58A51AD92DD0F83D11EF77B81A6A

Board 344

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 9 6

♥ 9 8 5 4

♦ A 5

♣ 10 9 4

♠ K J 8 7 3

♥ —

♦ K Q 9 4 3 2

♣ 6 5

♠ 5 2

♥ K Q 10 7 3

♦ J 8 6

♣ K 3 2

♠ A 4

♥ A J 6 2

♦ 10 7

♣ A Q J 8 7

W N E S

Shape 5062 2533 2425 4423 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 5 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 2 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Down 3 — NS -150

344 boards f

59EB8635E978474BF38A9EFF4F64

Board 345

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 7 4
♥ Q 10 7 4
♦ 5 4 3
♣ 10 2

♠ Q
♥ K 9 8 6 3
♦ 7
♣ A 9 8 7 4 3

♠ 10 9 8 3 2
♥ 5
♦ K Q 9 2
♣ K 6 5

♠ K 6 5
♥ A J 2
♦ A J 10 8 6
♣ Q J

W N E S

Shape 1516 5143 3352 4432 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 6 7 8 9

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

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

345 boards f

5BED6534DF1550E6EA1B31B77982

Board 346

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 8 7
♥ Q 5 4 3
♦ 7 6 3
♣ Q 9

♠ Q 10 6 5
♥ 2
♦ K Q 10 8 4
♣ J 6 4

♠ K 9 3
♥ J 10 9 6
♦ 9 5 2
♣ 8 7 2

♠ 4 2
♥ A K 8 7
♦ A J
♣ A K 10 5 3

W

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Shape 4153 3433 2425 4432 HCP 8 4 19 9 Losers 7 11 5 9

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

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

346 boards f

5801C325BC3E694C10403C05D2BE

Board 347

South Deals

None Vul

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

♠ J 2

♥ Q 9

♦ A K 7 6 3

♣ A Q 9 4

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♠ 9 8 6

♥ 7 3

♦ J 10 8 5 2

♣ 10 3 2

Shape 6511 3253 2254 2425 HCP 16 1 16 7 Losers 4 11 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

347 boards f

5A2D6269B21CB8C71E2ED3A1B27F

Board 348

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 5
♥ J 9 3 2
♦ K J 5 4 3
♣ 10 9

♠ A 10 7 6
♥ 8
♦ A 10 7 6 2
♣ 8 5 2

♠ K Q 2
♥ 10 7 5
♦ Q 9
♣ K J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 4 3
♥ A K Q 6 4
♦ 8
♣ A Q 4

W

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Shape 4153 3325 4513 2452 HCP 8 11 16 5 Losers 8 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

348 boards f

5B8C21B6C1F9607FEA5BC782006F

Board 349

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 7 5

♥ Q 10 8

♦ 10 7 6

♣ A 9 3

♠ K 3

♥ A J 5 4 3

♦ Q 5

♣ 8 6 5 2

♠ 9 8 6 2

♥ 6

♦ K J 9 4 3

♣ Q 7 4

♠ A Q 4

♥ K 9 7 2

♦ A 8 2

♣ K J 10

W

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Shape 2524 4153 3433 4333 HCP 10 6 17 7 Losers 8 8 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

349 boards f

5811E32EE37CA97F36BC0B1C6CC0

Board 350

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 2

♥ 10 8 7 6

♦ 7

♣ 10 6 4 3 2

♠ A Q 7 5 4

♥ 5 2

♦ 9 5

♣ K J 8 5

♠ 10 8 3

♥ A 4

♦ Q 10 8 6 4 3

♣ Q 7

♠ 9 6

♥ K Q J 9 3

♦ A K J 2

♣ A 9

W N E S

Shape 5224 3262 2542 3415 HCP 10 8 18 4 Losers 7 8 5 9

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

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

350 boards f

5AB7B10D708ECA9EE0B99FB95BCE

Board 351

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 2

♥ A K J 6 4

♦ K J 7

♣ J 7

♠ Q

♥ Q 10 9 2

♦ Q 10 8 5 2

♣ A 5 3

♠ J 3

♥ 8 5 3

♦ 9 6 4 3

♣ 10 9 8 2

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♠ A K 10 8 6 5 4

♥ 7

♦ A

♣ K Q 6 4

Shape 1453 2344 7114 3532 HCP 10 1 16 13 Losers 7 11 3 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +680

351 boards f

59AA3180285C28D0784C46260D62

Board 352

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8

♥ K 7

♦ 10 6 3

♣ Q J 10 9 8 7 6

♠ K J 9 4 3

♥ Q 6 5 3

♦ K Q 8 2

♣ —

♠ 10 7 6 5 2

♥ 10 8

♦ 5 4

♣ A 5 4 2

♠ A Q

♥ A J 9 4 2

♦ A J 9 7

♣ K 3

W

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

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

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

352 boards f

68AB251560A23F821C4CD7440EF5

Board 353

South Deals

None Vul

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

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♠ J 6 4
♥ Q 7 5
♦ 9 7 6 3
♣ 10 8 3

♠ A 10 8
♥ A K J 10
♦ J 10 8
♣ K Q 2

Shape 5413 3343 3433 2254 HCP 13 3 18 6 Losers 6 11 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 ♠ by North
 Made 7 — NS +1010

353 boards f

6A25622B9ABCBD8CF874221B3BEE

Board 354

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 5143 2254 4522 2524 HCP 8 11 18 3 Losers 7 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

354 boards f

69AB85526FAE0CF45E33AB3C1798

Board 355

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8

♥ 8 6 4

♦ J 10 9 7 4

♣ 9 8 4 2

W

N

E

S

♠ 9 6 4 3

♥ K 9

♦ Q 6

♣ A J 6 5 3

♠ Q J 7

♥ Q 7 3 2

♦ K 8 3

♣ Q 10 7

♠ A K 10 5 2

♥ A J 10 5

♦ A 5 2

♣ K

Shape 4225 3433 5431 1354 HCP 10 10 19 1 Losers 8 8 6 10

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

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

355 boards f

6B6FAED7342BA33B18F2CE7E76AE

Board 356

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 6 5
♥ J 8 6 4 3
♦ 10 8 7
♣ J 7

♠ J 10 8 7
♥ 5
♦ Q J 3
♣ A Q 10 9 8

♠ A 4 3
♥ Q 7
♦ 9 6
♣ K 6 5 4 3 2

♠ K 9 2
♥ A K 10 9 2
♦ A K 5 4 2
♣ —

W

N
E
S

Shape 4135 3226 3550 3532 HCP 10 9 17 4 Losers 7 8 4 10

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

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

356 boards f

6AE48FE479D0A9766F3DD3CD4F5A

Board 357

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 10 5 4

♥ J 8 6

♦ 10 5

♣ A Q 10

♠ 6

♥ K 4 3

♦ K 7 6 4 3

♣ K 7 5 3

♠ J 8 7 3 2

♥ 10 5 2

♦ J 9 2

♣ 8 2

W

N

E

S

♠ K 9

♥ A Q 9 7

♦ A Q 8

♣ J 9 6 4

Shape 1354 5332 2434 5323 HCP 9 2 16 13 Losers 7 11 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 ♠ by West
Down 2 — NS +100

357 boards f

69392E39F55784BBF857C682B7CB

Board 358

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K Q

♥ 9 5 4 2

♦ 4

♣ 10 8 6 3 2

♠ J 7 5 2

♥ A Q J 8 7 3

♦ K

♣ 9 7

N

W E

S

♠ 10 6

♥ 10 6

♦ J 10 9 6 5 3

♣ K 5 4

♠ 9 8 4 3

♥ K

♦ A Q 8 7 2

♣ A Q J

Shape 3415 2263 4153 4612 HCP 9 4 16 11 Losers 7 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	2 ♣	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2 ♣ by South
Made 5 — NS +150

358 boards f

6B0DBDFF502C78E226D467065C64

Board 359

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ J 9 5 3 2
♥ J 6 3
♦ J 8
♣ 8 7 4

♠ K
♥ 10 8 7 5 2
♦ A K Q 10 3
♣ A K

Shape 4252 5323 1552 3316 HCP 10 3 19 8 Losers 8 11 4 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 7 ♦ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

359 boards f

68EB9299ABC671DBDAFC63D51047

Board 360

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 3
♥ 10 2
♦ A Q J 8 7
♣ A J 8 5 2

♠ A 10 8 7 6 4
♥ 9 6
♦ 10 4 2
♣ 6 3

♠ 9 5 2
♥ K Q 8 7 4 3
♦ 6
♣ K 10 7

♠ K Q J
♥ A J 5
♦ K 9 5 3
♣ Q 9 4

W N E S

Shape 1255 3613 3343 6232 HCP 12 8 16 4 Losers 6 7 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430

360 boards f

69B1AE1B6FCE4B656CC604BB376C

Board 361

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6
♥ A 4 3
♦ K J 10 7 2
♣ 7 5 2

♠ Q 5 3
♥ 10 9 6 5
♦ A
♣ Q J 9 4 3

♠ J 9 8 7 2
♥ Q
♦ 8 6 5 3
♣ K 10 6

♠ A K 4
♥ K J 8 7 2
♦ Q 9 4
♣ A 8

W

N

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Shape 3415 5143 3532 2353 HCP 9 6 17 8 Losers 7 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥
1. 16+ HCP			
4 ♥ by North			
Made 6 — NS +480			

361 boards f

6B8FA83900163D66F551743B52ED

Board 362

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 2

♥ Q 9 7 5 4

♦ K Q 4

♣ K J 5

♠ Q J 10 9 4

♥ A J

♦ 10 8 7 5

♣ A 4

♠ 8 6 5 3

♥ 10 6 3

♦ J 6 3

♣ 10 8 3

W

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♠ A K

♥ K 8 2

♦ A 9 2

♣ Q 9 7 6 2

Shape 5242 4333 2335 2533 HCP 12 1 16 11 Losers 7 12 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Down 1 — NS -100

362 boards f

688398A471EEF89B4DDFC79A87EE

Board 363

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —
♥ A 7 5 3
♦ K 9 8 4
♣ A 8 6 5 3

♠ 10 9 6 5 2
♥ J 9
♦ Q 5 3
♣ K Q 9

♠ J 7
♥ K 8 6 4
♦ 10 7 6 2
♣ 10 4 2

♠ A K Q 8 4 3
♥ Q 10 2
♦ A J
♣ J 7

W N E S

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

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 4 — NS +430

363 boards f

6AC5158101E8577B940BDBD09BC4

Board 364

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 10 5 4 2

♥ 8

♦ Q J 4

♣ 10 7 4 2

♠ K J 6

♥ A Q J 6 2

♦ —

♣ 9 8 6 5 3

♠ 9 8

♥ K 9 7 5 4 3

♦ 10 8 6 5 3

♣ —

♠ Q 7 3

♥ 10

♦ A K 9 7 2

♣ A K Q J

W

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Shape 3505 2650 3154 5134 HCP 11 3 19 7 Losers 6 7 4 8

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

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

364 boards f

6B9FA5635B5A0D67484BF83DC1E0

Board 365

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 4
♥ 9 7 6 3
♦ K 8
♣ A Q J 8 6

♠ 5 3 2
♥ 5 4
♦ J 10 7 6 5
♣ 7 5 2

♠ Q J 10 8 7 6
♥ A J 10
♦ Q 3 2
♣ 10

♠ A K
♥ K Q 8 2
♦ A 9 4
♣ K 9 4 3

W N E S

Shape 2425 6331 2434 3253 HCP 10 10 19 1 Losers 7 7 5 11

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

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

365 boards f

68E9694D04B864DE4E0CBDB9BBCD

Board 366

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 2

♥ 10 5 4 3

♦ J 9

♣ J 10 9 6

♠ J 6

♥ Q J 7 6 2

♦ A K 10 4 3

♣ 3

♠ K Q 9 7

♥ 8

♦ Q 8 7 6 5 2

♣ 8 7

♠ 10 5 4 3

♥ A K 9

♦ —

♣ A K Q 5 4 2

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Shape 2551 4162 4306 3424 HCP 11 7 16 6 Losers 6 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

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

366 boards f

6AAACE68D52E38FD1332F59AAD372

Board 367

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10 8 3

♥ 7 2

♦ J 10 8 7 3 2

♣ A

♠ 7 6

♥ Q 9

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ 10 9 7 6 3

♠ J 5 2

♥ J 8 5 3

♦ 5 4

♣ K J 4 2

W

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♠ A Q 9 4

♥ A K 10 6 4

♦ K

♣ Q 8 5

Shape 2245 3424 4513 4261 HCP 8 6 18 8 Losers 8 10 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +600

367 boards f

6989E0A41414C69243E5E48FC0EA

Board 368

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 6 5 3 2

♥ —

♦ 4

♣ K Q J 10 5 3

♠ J 10

♥ A 9 7 4 3

♦ K 8 7 3

♣ 7 4

♠ 7

♥ J 10 8

♦ Q J 10 9 6 5

♣ 9 8 2

♠ A Q 8 4

♥ K Q 6 5 2

♦ A 2

♣ A 6

W

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Shape 2542 1363 4522 6016 HCP 8 4 19 9 Losers 8 9 4 4

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

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

368 boards f

788D12B8A085C24F7235753C184A

Board 369

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9

♥ Q 7 6 5 4

♦ 10 6 5

♣ Q J 4 3

♠ K 6 4 3

♥ A 10 9 8 2

♦ Q 3 2

♣ 8

♠ 8 7 5 2

♥ K 3

♦ A 8 4

♣ K 9 7 2

♠ A Q J 10

♥ J

♦ K J 9 7

♣ A 10 6 5

W

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Shape 4531 4234 4144 1534 HCP 9 10 16 5 Losers 7 8 6 8

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

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

369 boards f

7AEB25893E4AF7FF9E97DCDCF6D5

Board 370

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 8 5 4 3 2

♥ J 9 8 3

♦ —

♣ 5 4

♠ K J

♥ Q 10

♦ J 8 7 5 4

♣ A 9 8 6

♠ 10

♥ 7 6 5 4 2

♦ A Q 10

♣ J 10 7 3

♠ Q 7 6

♥ A K

♦ K 9 6 3 2

♣ K Q 2

W

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Shape 2254 1534 3253 7402 HCP 11 7 17 5 Losers 8 8 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

370 boards f

79AB86FD91F36C12F08214AB9C57

Board 371

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 7
♥ Q 10 7
♦ Q 9 3
♣ 9 7 5 3

W N E
S

♠ 8 5
♥ K 6
♦ J 10 8 7 6
♣ A 10 4 2

♠ 9 2
♥ J 8 5 3 2
♦ K 5 2
♣ K 8 6

♠ A K J 6 4 3
♥ A 9 4
♦ A 4
♣ Q J

Shape 2254 2533 6322 3334 HCP 8 7 19 6 Losers 8 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

371 boards f

7BDD091D932C22905FC1FBB40840

Board 372

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 6 5

♥ 5 4

♦ K 5 3

♣ 10 8 4 3 2

♠ K Q 10 9 3

♥ K 6 3 2

♦ 4

♣ J 7 5

♠ 7 2

♥ A Q J 8 7

♦ J 9 8 6 2

♣ 9

♠ J 8 4

♥ 10 9

♦ A Q 10 7

♣ A K Q 6

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Shape 5413 2551 3244 3235 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 7 7 6 9

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

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

372 boards f

7A172DA4FB024379726FD231D795

Board 373

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5 3
♥ J 8 7 4
♦ 10 9 7 5 4
♣ Q

♠ A K 10 4
♥ 10 9
♦ K 6
♣ A J 9 6 3

♠ 9 8 7 6
♥ A 5 3 2
♦ J 8
♣ 10 7 5

♠ Q 2
♥ K Q 6
♦ A Q 3 2
♣ K 8 4 2

W

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Shape 4225 4423 2344 3451 HCP 15 5 16 4 Losers 6 10 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

6 N by North

Made 6 — NS +1440

373 boards f

79B5EBC3A2F064105429DB5ACD73

Board 374

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6
♥ Q 3
♦ Q J 10 8 2
♣ K Q 5 2

♠ K Q 10 5 3
♥ A 10 2
♦ 3
♣ 10 9 8 7

♠ 9 7 4 2
♥ 8 7 5 4
♦ A 9 7
♣ J 4

♠ A J
♥ K J 9 6
♦ K 6 5 4
♣ A 6 3

W N E S

Shape 2254 4432 2443 5314 HCP 10 5 16 9 Losers 7 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	2 ♦	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2 ♦ by North
Made 5 — NS +150

374 boards f

7BAD24D43B43DF60E3692FB21A18

Board 375

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 7

♥ J 4

♦ J 6 3 2

♣ K Q 8 2

♠ K J 5 3 2

♥ 10

♦ K Q

♣ J 10 9 7 5

♠ 10 8 6

♥ Q 9 3 2

♦ 10 8 7 4

♣ 4 3

♠ A 4

♥ A K 8 7 6 5

♦ A 9 5

♣ A 6

W

N

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S

Shape 5125 3442 2632 3244 HCP 10 2 19 9 Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

375 boards f

78BD0D60232C2DCA54E7D27FC314

Board 376

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 5 3
♥ A 4
♦ 7 6 2
♣ Q 10 7 2

♠ K J 10 9 2
♥ K 8 3
♦ 8
♣ J 6 4 3

♠ Q 7 4
♥ 7 5 2
♦ A K 10 9 4
♣ 8 5

♠ A
♥ Q J 10 9 6
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ A K 9

W

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Shape 5314 3352 1543 4234 HCP 8 9 17 6 Losers 8 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

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

376 boards f

798A4A95EFFAD1630212B2BCEACC

Board 377

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 9 3 2

♥ 10 5 4

♦ J 4 2

♣ 4 2

♠ 7 6

♥ A K 7 2

♦ 9 8 7 6 5

♣ J 8

♠ K 8

♥ Q 9 6

♦ Q

♣ A K 10 7 6 5 3

♠ A Q 5 4

♥ J 8 3

♦ A K 10 3

♣ Q 9

W

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Shape 2452 2317 4342 5332 HCP 8 14 16 2 Losers 8 5 7 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 ♦ by North
Made 4 — NS +130

377 boards f

7BA60D96FD06F075E2C54A711BEC

Board 378

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 7 6 2

♥ J 9 8 4

♦ 5 3

♣ 9 2

♠ K 10 3

♥ K 10 6 5

♦ A Q 10 8 6

♣ 3

♠ 8 5 4

♥ Q 3

♦ 9 7 4

♣ A Q 10 7 5

♠ A Q

♥ A 7 2

♦ K J 2

♣ K J 8 6 4

W N E S

Shape 3451 3235 2335 5422 HCP 12 8 18 2 Losers 6 9 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

378 boards f

7842E38589745A59C48EBD3FB518

Board 379

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7

♥ 10 5 4 3

♦ Q 10 7 3

♣ 10 7 2

♠ 4 2

♥ A Q J 7 6

♦ J 9 8 2

♣ K 4

♠ A 10 9 8

♥ 9 8 2

♦ 6 5 4

♣ A 9 6

♠ Q J 6 5 3

♥ K

♦ A K

♣ Q J 8 5 3

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Shape 2542 4333 5125 2443 HCP 11 8 16 5 Losers 7 10 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

7A2785B81A105337C6F50256C884

Board 380

South Deals

N-S Vul

379 boards f

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

	♠ 9 4
	♥ J 10 9 4
	♦ Q J 3
	♣ J 7 5 4

	♠ K Q 2
	♥ A
	♦ A K 8 7 6 4 2
	♣ K 6



Shape 5503 2434 3172 3334 HCP 12 5 19 4 Losers 6 10 3 10

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

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

380 boards f

7B21ECCE431CF00D0377B06ECCD1

Board 381

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 9 3 2

♥ 9 6 5

♦ —

♣ K 10 9 5 3

♠ A 10 8 7

♥ Q J 8 7 3

♦ 6

♣ J 7 6

♠ 5

♥ A K 4

♦ K Q 10 8 4 3

♣ A 8 2

♠ J 6 4

♥ 10 2

♦ A J 9 7 5 2

♣ Q 4

W

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Shape 4513 3262 1363 5305 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 8 9 5 6

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Down 1 — NS -100

381 boards f

78298526D8D0BF5E3026C30D4DD0

Board 382

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 10 5 2

♥ 9 7

♦ K Q 6

♣ J 10 7 2

♠ A Q 7 6 4

♥ K 5 4 3

♦ A J

♣ 9 5

♠ 8 3

♥ J 10 8 2

♦ 9 8 4 3

♣ Q 8 6

♠ K 9

♥ A Q 6

♦ 10 7 5 2

♣ A K 4 3

N

W E

S

Shape 5422 2443 2344 4234 HCP 14 3 16 7 Losers 6 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Made 6 — NS +490

382 boards f

7AAF8BA1912279F27E7C6F4FF639

Board 383

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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W		E
	S	

♠ 9 7 6 5 4
♥ J
♦ K 9 2
♣ 10 8 7 3

♠ A K Q J
♥ A Q 10 5
♦ 3
♣ Q J 9 2

Shape 2254 5134 4414 2641 HCP 14 4 19 3 Losers 6 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6 ♦ by North
- Down 2 — NS -200

383 boards f

79297298C717586C484928CD304E

Board 384

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 4
♥ K 3
♦ 8 4 2
♣ Q 9 8 7 5 3

♠ A 10 5 3
♥ J 7 6 4 2
♦ K 3
♣ J 10

♠ K 9 8 7 6 2
♥ Q 10 9
♦ J 10
♣ K 2

♠ Q
♥ A 8 5
♦ A Q 9 7 6 5
♣ A 6 4

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S

Shape 4522 6322 1363 2236 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 8 7 6 8

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

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

384 boards f

882511BEBFFC3AD7CAE1DF2DEB53

Board 385

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 7 6 5 3

♥ Q J 10 9

♦ A 8

♣ 10

♠ A K 9 4

♥ 7

♦ 9 7 3

♣ J 8 5 3 2

♠ 2

♥ K 8 5 2

♦ Q J 10 5 4

♣ Q 9 7

♠ Q J

♥ A 6 4 3

♦ K 6 2

♣ A K 6 4

W

N

E

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Shape 4135 1453 2434 6421 HCP 8 8 17 7 Losers 8 7 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 3 — NS +400			

8AA9E32E6E13E83D277E72F69328

Board 386

South Deals

N-S Vul

385 boards f

♠ K 9 4

♥ 8 6 5 4

♦ K 10 5 3

♣ 9 2

♠ Q 10 8 7 2

♥ —

♦ Q J 8 6

♣ K 10 7 3

♠ J 6 5

♥ 10 3

♦ A 9 2

♣ Q J 6 5 4

♠ A 3

♥ A K Q J 9 7 2

♦ 7 4

♣ A 8

W

N

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S

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

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

- 16+ HCP
 - artificial
- 4 ♥ by North
- Made 4 — NS +620

386 boards f

890DA8F97FCE8522D9F681721052

Board 387

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 3

♥ A 10 9 5

♦ 8 5 4 3 2

♣ J

♠ Q 10 7 6

♥ Q J 6 4

♦ A J 10

♣ K 3

♠ J 4 2

♥ 7 3 2

♦ 9 6

♣ 10 8 6 4 2

♠ K 9 5

♥ K 8

♦ K Q 7

♣ A Q 9 7 5

W N E S

Shape 3451 3325 3235 4432 HCP 9 1 17 13 Losers 8 11 5 7

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

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

387 boards f

8B9DCF2FFE303140CF9C1A40748E

Board 388

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 4 3
♥ A 6 5
♦ 10 9 8 4
♣ J 5 2

♠ A 6 2
♥ Q
♦ A K Q J 7 6 2
♣ A 9

Shape 4513 3343 3172 3415 HCP 10 5 20 5 Losers 6 11 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♥ by North
Down 3 — NS -300

388 boards f

8A86C53711702A41BF82DBEA813A

Board 389

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 5 4

♥ Q 10 7 2

♦ J 10 8 6 3

♣ 10

♠ Q J 9 2

♥ A K 8 6 3

♦ 7

♣ Q 7 5

♠ 10 8

♥ J 5

♦ 9 5 4 2

♣ A 9 6 4 2

♠ A 7 6 3

♥ 9 4

♦ A K Q

♣ K J 8 3

W N E S

Shape 4513 2245 4234 3451 HCP 12 5 17 6 Losers 6 9 6 8

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

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

389 boards f

89AD2198C765E6CA47E7C7F38CF6

Board 390

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 9 8 6 5 4 2

♥ 4 2

♦ A 3

♣ Q 3

♠ K

♥ J 8 7 5 3

♦ K 4

♣ J 7 6 5 4

♠ 10 7

♥ Q

♦ J 10 9 7 6 5 2

♣ 9 8 2

♠ A Q 3

♥ A K 10 9 6

♦ Q 8

♣ A K 10

N

W E

S

Shape 1525 2173 3523 7222 HCP 8 3 22 7 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

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

390 boards f

8BAF1DCB9BF14B9849414F6C1048

Board 391

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10

♥ 10

♦ Q J 9 8 7 2

♣ 8 4 3 2

♠ K 3

♥ Q 9 7 6 5 2

♦ —

♣ A Q J 9 5

♠ 9 7 6 5 4 2

♥ K J 8 3

♦ 10 6 3

♣ —

♠ A J 8

♥ A 4

♦ A K 5 4

♣ K 10 7 6

W

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Shape 2605 6430 3244 2164 HCP 12 4 19 5 Losers 4 8 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South

Down 1 — NS -100

391 boards f

882D9249D37B187AF3A83ED7A471

Board 392

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 9 5
♥ Q
♦ Q 10 9 8 6
♣ J 10 7 4

♠ J 7 4
♥ 10 8 7 5 2
♦ 4 3
♣ 9 6 3

♠ Q 10 8 2
♥ K J 9 4
♦ A 5
♣ K 8 5

♠ K 6 3
♥ A 6 3
♦ K J 7 2
♣ A Q 2

W N E S

Shape 3154 4423 3343 3523 HCP 9 13 17 1 Losers 8 7 7 11

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

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

392 boards f

89691EB3AF9B9FE714372932FC54

Board 393

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 3

♥ Q 6 4 3

♦ K J 9 3

♣ 7 3 2

♠ K 7 6 5 4

♥ —

♦ Q 4

♣ Q J 10 9 8 6

♠ A 2

♥ K 10 9 7 2

♦ 8 7 6 2

♣ K 4

♠ Q J 10 9

♥ A J 8 5

♦ A 10 5

♣ A 5

W N E S

Shape 5026 2542 4432 2443 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 6 7 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Super acceptance after NT
- 4 ♠ by South
- Made 5 — NS +450

393 boards f

8B21AA24F49C355E0EF355DC773E

Board 394

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 6 4

♥ J 9 6 3 2

♦ K

♣ Q J 10 4

♠ A Q 9 7 2

♥ 7

♦ Q J 9 5 3

♣ 6 3

♠ 8 5 3

♥ 10 8 5 4

♦ A 6

♣ K 8 7 2

♠ K 10

♥ A K Q

♦ 10 8 7 4 2

♣ A 9 5

W

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Shape 5152 3424 2353 3514 HCP 9 7 16 8 Losers 6 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

394 boards f

88A8D941BF88627A4C9F7505D8C0

Board 395

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4
♥ Q 10 7 4 2
♦ A K 10 8 3
♣ J 6

♠ K 3 2
♥ J 8 5
♦ 5 4
♣ A 10 7 3 2

♠ Q 9 8 7 5
♥ K 6 3
♦ J 7 6
♣ 9 8

♠ A J 10 6
♥ A 9
♦ Q 9 2
♣ K Q 5 4

W N E S

Shape 1552 5332 4234 3325 HCP 10 6 16 8 Losers 6 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

395 boards f

8A8629A43AF71E223CD3D64963E3

Board 396

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 6 5 2

♥ J 10 7

♦ 8 6 3 2

♣ Q 7

♠ K J 9 8 7

♥ A 4

♦ 9 7

♣ 10 6 3 2

♠ 4 3

♥ 9 6 5

♦ K J 4

♣ A J 9 8 5

♠ A Q

♥ K Q 8 3 2

♦ A Q 10 5

♣ K 4

N

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Shape 5224 2335 2542 4342 HCP 8 9 20 3 Losers 8 9 4 11

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

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

396 boards f

8B2DDC8DCB6B4262352278CECC33

Board 397

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 4 3

♥ 7 5 2

♦ J 10 5

♣ K 5 3

♠ A 7 6 2

♥ Q J 9 4 3

♦ 7

♣ J 10 2

♠ Q

♥ A 10 8 6

♦ A K Q 4 3

♣ A Q 7

♠ 10 9 8 5

♥ K

♦ 9 8 6 2

♣ 9 8 6 4

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Shape 4513 4144 1453 4333 HCP 8 3 21 8 Losers 8 10 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

397 boards f

88219BC8F13EA513B3367C0EDC53

Board 398

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 3
♥ J 10 7 6 5
♦ 9 6
♣ Q 5 3

♠ A 10 8 6 4
♥ Q 4
♦ K Q
♣ K 8 7 2

♠ 5 2
♥ K 8 3 2
♦ 10 5 4 3
♣ 10 6 4

♠ K 9 7
♥ A 9
♦ A J 8 7 2
♣ A J 9

W

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Shape 5224 2443 3253 3523 HCP 14 3 17 6 Losers 7 10 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
 4. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North
Made 6 — NS +980

398 boards f

8A112571BBFF19D17BC9292EDCEB

Board 399

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 8 6 3 2

♥ Q J 10 7

♦ A Q 8

♣ 3

♠ A K 9 5 4

♥ 6

♦ 10 4 3

♣ J 10 7 2

♠ J

♥ K 5 4 2

♦ K

♣ A K Q 9 8 6 5

♠ Q 7

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ J 9 7 6 5 2

♣ 4

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Shape 5134 2461 1417 5431 HCP 8 7 16 9 Losers 8 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♣	Pass	2 ♣
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
5 ♣ by South
Made 5 — NS +600

399 boards f

8989875C91BF54816EAF432CD6FF

Board 400

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4

♥ A K 8 5

♦ J 8 5

♣ K 10 6 5 2

♠ 3 2

♥ 10 2

♦ Q 10 7 6 4 2

♣ Q 9 4

♠ A K J 10 8 6

♥ 7 6 4

♦ A

♣ A J 8

♠ Q 9 7 5

♥ Q J 9 3

♦ K 9 3

♣ 7 3

W

N

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S

Shape 1435 4432 6313 2263 HCP 11 8 17 4 Losers 7 8 6 8

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

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

400 boards f

98AC8384E62259E23E7A18186884

Board 401

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8

♥ 7 6

♦ Q J 2

♣ A Q 5 4 3 2

♠ 10 7 5 4

♥ K Q 2

♦ 9 6 5 4 3

♣ K

♠ 9 6 3

♥ 9 5 4

♦ A 7

♣ J 10 8 7 6

♠ A K Q 2

♥ A J 10 8 3

♦ K 10 8

♣ 9

W

N

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Shape 4351 3325 4531 2236 HCP 8 5 17 10 Losers 8 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

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

401 boards f

9AAD2F9D1E52E47E93AB3718D1F0

Board 402

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠ A Q 7 6
♥ A K 9 6
♦ 9 5
♣ A Q 3

Shape 4054 2623 4423 3343 HCP 17 4 19 0 Losers 4 9 5 12

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

402 boards f

99A709E4E8A7C787D0D4DD5C0A27

Board 403

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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



Shape 3415 1471 3532 6025 HCP 10 6 18 6 Losers 7 6 6 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

403 boards f

9BA6BD4834AB1CD0EF5FE6C153D7

Board 404

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 5 4 2

♥ K J

♦ Q 10

♣ Q J 9 8

♠ J 9

♥ Q 4

♦ A J 5 2

♣ 10 7 6 3 2

♠ A K 10

♥ A 10 7 5

♦ K 9 7 6

♣ K 4

♠ Q 6 3

♥ 9 8 6 3 2

♦ 8 4 3

♣ A 5

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Shape 2245 3532 3442 5224 HCP 8 6 17 9 Losers 9 9 6 8

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

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

404 boards f

9A152CE9D1FE71231B79CA2447BB

Board 405

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 10 5
♥ 10 9 6 2
♦ J 9 8
♣ K 4

♠ A K 8 7 4
♥ 5 3
♦ K 10
♣ 8 7 3 2

♠ 9 6 3
♥ A J 7
♦ Q 7 6 5 2
♣ 10 5

♠ 2
♥ K Q 8 4
♦ A 4 3
♣ A Q J 9 6

W

N

E

S

Shape 5224 3352 1435 4432 HCP 10 7 16 7 Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 ♣ by South
Made 5 — NS +150

405 boards f

9981AD7D579B8B4827D0FC960C4E

Board 406

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 5

♥ Q 5

♦ K Q 5 3 2

♣ 8 6 5 3

♠ 7 3

♥ A 9 8 3 2

♦ A 6

♣ J 10 9 7

♠ A K 10 9 4

♥ K 7

♦ 10 9 8

♣ A K Q

♠ Q J 8 2

♥ J 10 6 4

♦ J 7 4

♣ 4 2

W

N

E

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Shape 2524 4432 5233 2254 HCP 9 5 19 7 Losers 8 10 5 8

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

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

406 boards f

9B8DEBDD3109015ECB68700202BC

Board 407

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 7
♥ J 5 2
♦ K 10 7 6
♣ 6 5 2

W

N

E

S

♠ 8 6 5
♥ Q 8
♦ J 9 5 4 3
♣ 8 4 3

♠ J 10 9 4 3
♥ A 10 9 7 4 3
♦ —
♣ K 7

♠ A 2
♥ K 6
♦ A Q 8 2
♣ A Q J 10 9

Shape 5602 3253 2245 3343 HCP 8 3 20 9 Losers 6 11 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
6 ♥ by North
Made 6 — NS +1430

407 boards f

983163284C2E6412B658A717F8AA

Board 408

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 3

♥ A 7 3

♦ 9 7 5 4

♣ Q J 9 6 3

N

W E

S

♠ A Q 10 8 4

♥ J

♦ Q 6 3 2

♣ K 5 4

♠ K J 9 6

♥ 8 6 4

♦ J 10

♣ 10 8 7 2

♠ 7 5 2

♥ K Q 10 9 5 2

♦ A K 8

♣ A

Shape 5143 4324 3631 1345 HCP 12 5 16 7 Losers 6 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

408 boards f

992851D91B52D97EAF3F31E2904C

Board 409

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 6 5
♥ 2
♦ K 10 5 4 3
♣ J 7 6

♠ Q 9 4
♥ 8 6 5
♦ 8 7 6 2
♣ A 3 2

N
W E
S

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

♠ 7 3
♥ A 7 4
♦ A Q J 9
♣ K Q 9 5

Shape 4153 4603 2344 3343 HCP 9 9 16 6 Losers 8 6 6 10

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

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

409 boards f

9B0D6EA402F84C1EE2FB74E1410F

Board 410

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ K 9 5 3
♥ 8
♦ J 7 4 3
♣ K J 8 7

♠ Q
♥ K Q 7 4
♦ A K 9 8 2
♣ A 4 3

Shape 4522 4144 1453 4324 HCP 12 8 18 2 Losers 8 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 5. A=0/5 or 3/5
 6. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by North
 Made 7 — NS +1460

410 boards f

98F3A210001E04482E4155C1B87C

Board 411

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 4
♥ A 3 2
♦ 9 5
♣ Q J 9 8 3 2

♠ Q J 10 9 7
♥ J 9 8 6 4
♦ 8 3
♣ A

♠ K 3
♥ K 7
♦ A K Q J 6 4
♣ 6 5 4

♠ 8 6 5 2
♥ Q 10 5
♦ 10 7 2
♣ K 10 7

W N E S

Shape 5521 4333 2263 2326 HCP 8 5 16 11 Losers 7 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♣	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♠ by North			
Made 4 — NS +170			

411 boards f

9A87ABBC998AB0FF4B547A438CB1

Board 412

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8

♥ Q 9 8 5 2

♦ 9 4 2

♣ Q 9 6 3

W

N

E

S

♠ 7 6 5 4

♥ J 6

♦ K J 10 7 5

♣ 10 5

♠ —

♥ A 10 7 4 3

♦ Q 8 3

♣ A K 8 7 4

♠ A K Q J 10 9 3 2

♥ K

♦ A 6

♣ J 2

Shape 0535 4252 8122 1534 HCP 13 5 18 4 Losers 5 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

6 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1460

412 boards f

9B8E8D5454B9845C1C0C20F9574A

Board 413

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6 5
♥ A K 9 6 2
♦ Q J 9 3
♣ 3

♠ 4
♥ 10 4
♦ 10 4 2
♣ Q J 9 8 7 6 5

♠ Q J 8 3 2
♥ Q J 8 7 3
♦ 5
♣ A 2

♠ A K 10 9
♥ 5
♦ A K 8 7 6
♣ K 10 4

W N E S

Shape 3541 5512 4153 1237 HCP 10 10 17 3 Losers 7 6 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

6 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

413 boards f

981125AE0660CCE60EB57AC7BF49

Board 414

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 4
♥ 6 5 3
♦ K J 8 6 4
♣ 10 9

♠ A K J 7
♥ J 9 7 4 2
♦ 5 2
♣ 4 3

♠ 10 5 2
♥ A
♦ Q 9 7 3
♣ Q J 8 7 5

♠ Q 6 3
♥ K Q 10 8
♦ A 10
♣ A K 6 2

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Shape 4522 3145 3424 3352 HCP 9 9 18 4 Losers 8 7 5 10

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

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

414 boards f

9A2DA2052674774C6A004611C8D0

Board 415

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

♠

♥

♦

♣

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♠

♥

♦

♣

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

Shape 5521 5224 1453 2245 HCP 13 4 20 3 Losers 5 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=0

7 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

415 boards f

9945E9494075D2E8FD825E084130

Board 416

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4 2

♥ A Q J 6 4 3

♦ J 9 6 3 2

♣ —

♠ K 9 8 7

♥ 10 7 2

♦ 7 5

♣ J 8 4 2

♠ A Q J 10 5 3

♥ 9 5

♦ A 10

♣ 9 6 5

♠ 6

♥ K 8

♦ K Q 8 4

♣ A K Q 10 7 3

N

W E

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Shape 2650 6223 1246 4324 HCP 8 11 17 4 Losers 6 7 3 10

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

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

416 boards f

A81221E527FE9EF8889E2EBBD937

Board 417

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A K J 5 2

♥ 7

♦ 8 7 4 3

♣ J 4 2

♠ Q 10 8 3

♥ 10 8 4 2

♦ Q J 2

♣ 8 7

♠ —

♥ A 9 6 3

♦ 10 9 6 5

♣ A 10 9 6 5

♠ 9 7 6 4

♥ K Q J 5

♦ A K

♣ K Q 3

W N E

S

Shape 5143 0445 4423 4432 HCP 9 8 18 5 Losers 8 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

417 boards f

AA2794D3661B50FF0410B9622BB7

Board 418

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

W

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

Shape 5116 3532 3451 2344 HCP 10 7 16 7 Losers 5 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♣ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

418 boards f

A9A47B812C3796CEE48BC7376EEA

Board 419

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 5 2

♥ K 10 4

♦ J 8 3

♣ A J 7

♠ J 10 4

♥ Q 8 6 5

♦ Q

♣ K 10 6 5 4

♠ K 3

♥ 9

♦ A 10 9 7 5 4

♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ A Q 9 6

♥ A J 7 3 2

♦ K 6 2

♣ Q

W

N

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S

Shape 3415 2164 4531 4333 HCP 8 7 16 9 Losers 8 7 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♥ by North
Made 4 — NS +420

419 boards f

AB0D6D41F59616FB5474B1A36BFB

Board 420

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 2

♥ J 8 6 5 2

♦ 8 3 2

♣ 7 6

♠ A 9

♥ A Q

♦ J 10 9 7 6

♣ 8 4 3 2

♠ K Q 7 6 3

♥ 10 9 7

♦ Q 5 4

♣ 10 9

♠ 10 5 4

♥ K 4 3

♦ A K

♣ A K Q J 5

W N E S

Shape 2254 5332 3325 3532 HCP 11 7 20 2 Losers 8 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
- Made 6 — NS +690

420 boards f

AA64EFB754BE7F9C518BEC7EB82B

Board 421

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 2
♥ 6
♦ K 10 9 8 5 4
♣ K Q 9 6 2

♠ K 5
♥ Q 10 9 4 3
♦ 7
♣ A J 8 5 3

♠ A J 9 7 4
♥ J 8 7
♦ 6 3 2
♣ 10 4

♠ Q 10 8 6 3
♥ A K 5 2
♦ A Q J
♣ 7

W N E S

Shape 1165 5332 5431 2515 HCP 8 6 16 10 Losers 5 10 5 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	2 ♦	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 ♦

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♦ by North

Made 5 — NS +150

421 boards f

A9AB8E6394384C0C41BC1E99861E

Board 422

South Deals

E-W Vul


♠ —		♠ 10 8 5 2
♥ 10 6		♥ K 9 8 7 3
♦ K 9 8 6 5 2		♦ Q 7
♣ J 10 9 8 6		♣ A Q

W

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♠ A K J 6 4 3	♠ Q 9 7
♥ A Q	♥ J 5 4 2
♦ A 10 4	♦ J 3
♣ 7 4	♣ K 5 3 2

Shape 4522 3424 6232 0265 HCP 11 7 18 4 Losers 8 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♦ ³
Pass	4 ♥ ⁴	Pass	4 NT ⁵
Pass	5 ♦ ⁶	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ ⁷	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 6. A=1/5 or 4/5
 7. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by South
Made 6 — NS +980

422 boards f

AB4D8A2EB30A891ABB5919047ED9

Board 423

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 2

♥ J 7 3

♦ K 10 9 8 7 6 5 2

♣ 4

♠ Q 10 8 5 4

♥ A K 10 9 4

♦ 4

♣ J 7

♠ A 6 3

♥ 8 6 5 2

♦ J

♣ K Q 10 8 3

♠ K J 9 7

♥ Q

♦ A Q 3

♣ A 9 6 5 2

W N E

S

Shape 5512 3415 4135 1381 HCP 10 10 16 4 Losers 6 7 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♦	3 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

423 boards f

A8E1417B18052658EEF2CA809645

Board 424

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 7 6 5
♥ Q 6
♦ 10 9 3 2
♣ J 8 4

♠ J 10 9
♥ K 10 5 4 2
♦ Q J 8 5
♣ Q

♠ K Q 8 2
♥ J 8 3
♦ 7
♣ 9 7 6 5 3

♠ 4 3
♥ A 9 7
♦ A K 6 4
♣ A K 10 2

W

N

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Shape 3541 4315 2344 4243 HCP 9 6 18 7 Losers 8 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +420

424 boards f

A9209919EA00BF72636ED22CDEDB

Board 425

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 5 3 2

♥ 9 8

♦ 9 6 4 3

♣ A 10 4

♠ A Q 10 4

♥ 10

♦ A 10 8 7 5

♣ 9 7 2

♠ K 9

♥ A J 7 6 4

♦ K Q J 2

♣ K Q

♠ 8 7 6

♥ K Q 5 3 2

♦ —

♣ J 8 6 5 3

W

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Shape 4153 3505 2542 4243 HCP 10 6 19 5 Losers 7 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

425 boards f

ABAD3F02E0F822B33ADCC50E554E

Board 426

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 6 5

♥ K 10 8 7

♦ 10 7

♣ J 10 6

♠ K Q 9 7 4

♥ Q 5 4 2

♦ 5 3

♣ K 8

♠ 3 2

♥ 6 3

♦ Q J 9 8

♣ Q 9 7 4 2

♠ A 8

♥ A J 9

♦ A K 6 4 2

♣ A 5 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 5422 2245 2353 4423 HCP 10 5 20 5 Losers 6 8 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

426 boards f

A82385C783549346EDDFCCC29C10

Board 427

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 2

♥ K Q J 8 5 4

♦ —

♣ A Q J 9 6

♠ Q 7 6 5 4

♥ —

♦ K Q 10 8

♣ 10 5 3 2

♠ 10 8

♥ 10 9 6 3 2

♦ 7 6 5 3

♣ 8 4

♠ K J 9 3

♥ A 7

♦ A J 9 4 2

♣ K 7

N

W E

S

Shape 2605 2542 4252 5044 HCP 17 0 16 7 Losers 3 10 6 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 NT ⁴	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen no !S king no !C king no !D king

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

427 boards f

AA9D31A13C1FBE5115FEA24348EA

Board 428

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6 2

♥ K J 9 6

♦ K Q 8 5 4

♣ J 3

♠ K J 10 7

♥ 4 3

♦ A J 10 9 6

♣ 10 4

♠ 8 4 3

♥ A 10 8 7

♦ 3 2

♣ 9 6 5 2

♠ A Q 9 5

♥ Q 5 2

♦ 7

♣ A K Q 8 7

W

N

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Shape 4252 3424 4315 2452 HCP 9 4 17 10 Losers 8 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
1 ♥	1 ♠	Pass	Dbl
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

428 boards f

AB29B0CD45CF9612FE483139A043

Board 429

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10 7
♥ K 7 5 4
♦ A 6 4
♣ K 6 3

♠ A 8 5 4
♥ Q J 10 6 2
♦ J 9
♣ 10 2

♠ J 6 2
♥ 9 8
♦ K 8 5 3 2
♣ 9 8 7

♠ K 9 3
♥ A 3
♦ Q 10 7
♣ A Q J 5 4

W

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Shape 4522 3253 3235 3433 HCP 8 4 16 12 Losers 8 10 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Dbl	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

429 boards f

A8AD8304D27537111E7FC12CE8DF

Board 430

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 5 3 2

♥ 10 9 6

♦ Q 10 9

♣ Q 4 3

♠ Q 9 8 7 4

♥ K Q 5

♦ 3

♣ K 9 6 2

♠ 10 6

♥ J 8 7 2

♦ A 7 6 4 2

♣ J 7

♠ A K

♥ A 4 3

♦ K J 8 5

♣ A 10 8 5

W N E S

Shape 5314 2452 2344 4333 HCP 10 6 19 5 Losers 6 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430

430 boards f

AAA0990D0838DAC2E82D84001666

Board 431

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 7	<div style="display: inline-block; width: 40px; height: 40px; background-color: green; text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;"> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; padding: 0 5px;"> N E </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; padding: 0 5px;"> W S </div> </div>	♠ 2
♥ 10		♥ K 9 3
♦ A 8 4		♦ K J 10 9 7
♣ A J 10 7 5 4		♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ A K 5
♥ A 7 6 2
♦ 5 3 2
♣ K Q 6

Shape 6520 1354 3433 3136 HCP 8 7 16 9 Losers 6 8 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	1 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Texas
- 4 ♠ by South
 Made 4 — NS +620

431 boards f

A9F36969246B1BBF707D07F65E08

Board 432

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 4

♥ A 8 7 6 4

♦ 8 6 3

♣ J 7 2

♠ J 9 5 2

♥ 5 2

♦ A 7

♣ A 10 9 8 5

♠ 8

♥ K Q J 10

♦ K Q 10 9 2

♣ K Q 6

♠ K Q 10 7 6 3

♥ 9 3

♦ J 5 4

♣ 4 3

N

W E

S

Shape 4225 6232 1453 2533 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♥	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

432 boards f

B841D931E5687609C87C9FD08B5D

Board 433

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 7 4

♥ Q 9 6

♦ J 9

♣ 10 7 6 4

♠ Q 8

♥ A 8 7 3

♦ K 10 8 7 3

♣ 5 3

♠ A 10 9 6 2

♥ K 5 4 2

♦ 6 5 2

♣ 9

♠ 5 3

♥ J 10

♦ A Q 4

♣ A K Q J 8 2

W N E S

Shape 2452 5431 2236 4324 HCP 9 7 17 7 Losers 8 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by North
Down 1 — NS -50

433 boards f

BAED6E89A2FDC8C646C7F2DAEF2B

Board 434

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 10 9 8 6 5 4 3

♥ 10 5

♦ J 5

♣ 9

♠ 2

♥ Q 9 8 7 6

♦ A K 10 3

♣ 6 3 2

♠ K 7

♥ 4

♦ Q 9 4 2

♣ K J 8 7 5 4

W

N

E

S

♠ Q J

♥ A K J 3 2

♦ 8 7 6

♣ A Q 10

Shape 1543 2146 2533 8221 HCP 9 9 17 5 Losers 7 6 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
4 ♠	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠× by West
Down 1 — NS +100

434 boards f

B9B1AF93DDF75329169D6F70D36C

Board 435

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 3		♠ 8 7
♥ A 10 4		♥ —
♦ K J 6 5 2		♦ A Q 9 4 3
♣ 4 2		♣ K Q 10 9 5 3

W

N

E

S

♠ 9 5 4 2

♥ Q J 9 7 6 3

♦ 10 7

♣ 7

♠ A K Q 6
♥ K 8 5 2
♦ 8
♣ A J 8 6

Shape 2056 4621 4414 3352 HCP 11 3 17 9 Losers 4 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦ ²	Pass	Dbl
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	7 ♣	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
 2. strength cue bid
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0
- 7 ♣ by South
 Made 7 — NS +1440

435 boards f

BBA521B7D02851F0EF03F2B6B75F

Board 436

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 7 5		♠ 9 2
♥ Q 8 5 4 3		♥ J 9 2
♦ 10		♦ K J 9 8 6 5
♣ J 10 8		♣ 5 4

♠ K 10 6	♠ A Q 4 3
♥ 6	♥ A K 10 7
♦ A Q 4 3	♦ 7 2
♣ Q 7 6 3 2	♣ A K 9

Shape 3145 2362 4423 4513 HCP 11 5 20 4 Losers 6 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3 N by South
 Made 6 — NS +690

436 boards f

BAE19FA77FDC367B734568D14CAE

Board 437

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 10 4

♥ J 9 8 7

♦ A 7 4

♣ 10 5 3

♠ 9

♥ 6 3

♦ K J 10 3 2

♣ K Q J 8 7

♠ J 8 7 6 5 3

♥ K 10 4

♦ 8 5

♣ 9 2

♠ K Q 2

♥ A Q 5 2

♦ Q 9 6

♣ A 6 4

W N E S

Shape 1255 6322 3433 3433 HCP 10 4 17 9 Losers 6 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	2 ♠	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

437 boards f

B98069D9C787354BF15F46ACB4F7

Board 438

South Deals


E-W Vul

♠ Q J 7 2

♥ 9 7 3 2

♦ 6 4

♣ A 4 3



♠ 9

♥ A J 10 8 5

♦ A 7


♣ J 10 8 6 2

♠ A 10 4 3

♥ K 4

♦ K Q 8

♣ K Q 9 7



♠ K 8 6 5

♥ Q 6

♦ J 10 9 5 3 2

♣ 5

Shape 1525 4261 4234 4423 HCP 10 6 17 7 Losers 7 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	1 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 - 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430

438 boards f

BB8F6729625A35B0E33BAB76E45C

Board 439

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 3		♠ Q 9 6
♥ 9 8 6 4		♥ A
♦ Q 10 6 5		♦ K 9 4 3
♣ 8 3 2		♣ A K 7 6 5

	♠ K J 10 4 2
	♥ 10 2
	♦ J 8 7
	♣ J 10 4

	♠ A 8 5
	♥ K Q J 7 5 3
	♦ A 2
	♣ Q 9

Shape 3145 5233 3622 2443 HCP 16 6 16 2 Losers 5 10 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 NT ⁴
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen no !S king no !C king no !D king

6 N by North

Made 6 — NS +1440

439 boards f

B8B3993D6EF5ACEBEB5FC88EF812

Board 440

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8 7 5 3

♥ A Q 10 3

♦ 10

♣ 9 5 3

♠ Q 2

♥ 5 4

♦ K 8 7 5 3

♣ A 8 7 6

♠ J 6

♥ K 6 2

♦ Q J 9 6 4

♣ J 4 2

♠ A K 9 4

♥ J 9 8 7

♦ A 2

♣ K Q 10

W N E S

Shape 2254 2353 4423 5413 HCP 9 8 17 6 Losers 8 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	1 NT
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

440 boards f

B942AAB97D034578D04DD334D960

Board 441

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 3

♥ Q J 8 4

♦ J 6

♣ 8 7 4 2

♠ 10 4

♥ A 10 9 6

♦ A 10 7 5 2

♣ 10 5

♠ A J 9 8 6 2

♥ 7 5 3

♦ 9 4

♣ A K

♠ K Q

♥ K 2

♦ K Q 8 3

♣ Q J 9 6 3

W N E S

Shape 2452 6322 2245 3424 HCP 8 12 16 4 Losers 8 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	1 ♠	1 ♣ ¹
2 ♠	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣
3 ♠	Dbl	Pass	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♣

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♣ by South
Down 1 — NS -50

441 boards f

BBB5BE02A36C97EBFAC743CC90B2

Board 442

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 6 4

♥ A K 7 2

♦ 8 7

♣ 10 4 3

♠ Q

♥ Q 6 5 4

♦ A 9 6

♣ J 9 8 6 5

♠ 10 5

♥ 9 3

♦ Q J 5 3 2

♣ K Q 7 2

♠ A K J 9 3 2

♥ J 10 8

♦ K 10 4

♣ A

W N E S

Shape 1435 2254 6331 4423 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 8 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 3 — NS +600

442 boards f

B8AB8DAD9E5C4620CCFBC7C1B67B

Board 443

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 5 4		♠ 8
♥ 6 3 2		♥ K 9 7 5 4
♦ 9 5 3		♦ A 6 2
♣ 10 8 7		♣ A 6 5 2

W

N

E

S

	♠ 10 9 2
	♥ J 10
	♦ K Q J 10 7
	♣ J 9 3

♠ A K Q J 3
♥ A Q 8
♦ 8 4
♣ K Q 4

Shape 1534 3253 5323 4333 HCP 11 8 21 0 Losers 7 9 4 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=1
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1010

443 boards f

BAB79613B7C11A630C4AC4B0C59A

Board 444

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 5 3		♠ Q 9 7
♥ A J 4		♥ 10 7 6 5 3
♦ Q 10 8 4		♦ 7
♣ 7 5 4		♣ A Q J 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 6		♠ A K J 4 2
♥ K Q 9 2		♥ 8
♦ 9 6 2		♦ A K J 5 3
♣ K 9 6 2		♣ 10 3

Shape 3514 2434 5152 3343 HCP 9 8 16 7 Losers 7 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 ♠ by South
 Made 6 — NS +680

444 boards f

BBBF4DD7A7F493EAC03241CEE3AA

Board 445

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6
♥ K 7 5 4
♦ Q J 10
♣ A Q J 9 3

♠ Q 10 8 7 4 3
♥ A 10 6
♦ 8 2
♣ 10 7

♠ K 5
♥ Q 9
♦ 9 7 6 5 3
♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ A J 9 2
♥ J 8 3 2
♦ A K 4
♣ K 5

W N E S

Shape 1435 2254 4432 6322 HCP 13 5 16 6 Losers 6 9 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
2 ♠	Dbl	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

445 boards f

B8E38DBEFAF7D5D93F91924B7318

Board 446

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 10 9 8
♥ Q J 10 7 3
♦ 10 9
♣ 2

♠ 7 2
♥ K 4
♦ J 8 4 2
♣ A 10 7 4 3

♠ 4 3
♥ 9 8 6 5 2
♦ K Q 7
♣ Q J 5

♠ K Q 6 5
♥ A
♦ A 6 5 3
♣ K 9 8 6

W

N
E
S

Shape 2245 2533 4144 5521 HCP 8 8 16 8 Losers 8 8 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	2 ♣	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
2 ♣ by South			
Made 3 — NS +110			

446 boards f

BA84ABF6CC4FAA27F396039A7271

Board 447

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 7
♥ Q 7 3 2
♦ 7 5 3 2
♣ A J

♠ 8 5
♥ A J 10 5
♦ J 10
♣ K 10 8 7 5

♠ 10 3 2
♥ 6 4
♦ K 9 4
♣ Q 9 6 4 3

♠ A K 9 6 4
♥ K 9 8
♦ A Q 8 6
♣ 2

W

N

E

S

Shape 2425 3235 5341 3442 HCP 9 5 16 10 Losers 8 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 4 — NS +620

447 boards f

B9AB28DC4D45D6D0BD3AC3876F86

Board 448

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 6		♠ J 10 3
♥ J 10 5 4 2		♥ Q 9 8
♦ 8 5		♦ 10 9 4 2
♣ A 5 4 3		♣ 9 6 2
♠ Q 9 8 5		
♥ 7 6		
♦ Q J 7 3		
♣ K Q 8		
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	
♠ A 7 4 2		
♥ A K 3		
♦ A K 6		
♣ J 10 7		

Shape 2524 3343 4333 4243 HCP 8 3 19 10 Losers 8 11 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 4 ♥ by North
 Made 5 — NS +450

448 boards f

C8A10FDFBCECBF03CC277D32ED7A

Board 449

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 7 3

♥ J 9 5 4 2

♦ 6

♣ J 10 7

♠ K 8 6 4

♥ K 8 7

♦ 2

♣ K Q 9 8 6

♠ 5 2

♥ Q

♦ K Q J 10 9 7 5 3

♣ 4 2

♠ A J 9

♥ A 10 6 3

♦ A 8 4

♣ A 5 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 4315 2182 3433 4513 HCP 11 8 17 4 Losers 6 6 8 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	5 ♦	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	Dbl

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ × by East

Down 4 — NS +800

449 boards f


CAA86DCD058BC898A2DA3F7CC451

Board 450

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5		
♥ Q J 10 9 3		
♦ K Q 5 4		
♣ 10 5		
♠ Q 9 6 3		♠ K 4 2
♥ 5 4		♥ 8 6 2
♦ 7 2		♦ A 10 9 8 6
♣ A 9 8 4 3		♣ 7 6



♠ A 10 8 7	
♥ A K 7	
♦ J 3	
♣ K Q J 2	

Shape 2542 3352 4324 4225 HCP 9 7 18 6 Losers 7 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Dbl	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT ³	Pass	4 ♣ ⁴
Dbl	Pass ⁵	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !S stopper
5. denies a !C stopper

4 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

450 boards f

C9E9B34AD7E45C2D663B2F1D7231

Board 451

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 10
♥ K 6 3 2
♦ 9 8 5 4
♣ 10 9

♠ 8 6 5 4 2
♥ Q
♦ K 3 2
♣ K J 6 5

♠ Q 9 7 3
♥ J 9 4
♦ J 10 7
♣ Q 7 3

♠ K
♥ A 10 8 7 5
♦ A Q 6
♣ A 8 4 2

W N E
S

Shape 5134 4333 1534 3442 HCP 9 6 17 8 Losers 8 10 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Down 2 — NS -100

451 boards f

CBAC3719BF4BBA125AE865176FDC

Board 452

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 2

♥ K J 9

♦ Q 10 9 7 6

♣ A 6 2

♠ K Q 8 4

♥ 10

♦ K 5 4

♣ K J 10 4 3

♠ 10 7 5 3

♥ Q 8 7 4 2

♦ 8

♣ 9 8 7

W

N

E

S

♠ A J 9

♥ A 6 5 3

♦ A J 3 2

♣ Q 5

Shape 4135 4513 3442 2353 HCP 12 2 16 10 Losers 6 9 8 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	1 NT
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +630

452 boards f

CAAC24D11D58AED77E0D28F2B21D

Board 453

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 4		♠ K J 6 5 2
♥ 7 4 3		♥ 6
♦ Q 4 3		♦ A J 9 7 6 2
♣ A K 10 5		♣ 8

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 7
♥ Q J 10 8 2
♦ 10 5
♣ 9 7 4 3

♠ A 9 3
♥ A K 9 5
♦ K 8
♣ Q J 6 2

Shape 5161 2524 3424 3334 HCP 9 3 17 11 Losers 6 9 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

453 boards f

C923A5E86FF7BC143582377A9620

Board 454

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10		♠ A 8 7 5 2
♥ 10 9 7 5 4		♥ 6
♦ J 9		♦ A 6 2
♣ Q 9 8 2		♣ A J 10 5

♠

♥

♦

♣

N
W E
S

♠

♥

♦

♣

♠ K 9 6 3
♥ A K Q J 2
♦ Q 4
♣ K 7

Shape 5134 2263 4522 2524 HCP 13 4 18 5 Losers 7 9 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

454 boards f

CBA7B5FB95DADA8B76F19E128F8B

Board 455

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4		♠ 7
♥ 8 3 2		♥ J 10 9 5 4
♦ A K J 7		♦ 6 4
♣ A Q 8 3 2		♣ 10 9 7 5 4
♠ Q 10 9 6	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center; width: 60px;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 7
♥ K Q 7 6		♥ J 10 9 5 4
♦ Q 10 9 8 2		♦ 6 4
♣ —		♣ 10 9 7 5 4
		♠ A K J 8 5 3 2
		♥ A
		♦ 5 3
		♣ K J 6

Shape 1345 1525 7123 4450 HCP 14 1 16 9 Losers 6 9 5 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
1 ♦	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ ⁴
Pass	5 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no !S queen
- 5 N by North
- Made 6 — NS +690

455 boards f

C820AA852FFDCB6F5458E6AF749B

Board 456

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A J
♥ Q 9
♦ K 9 6 2
♣ J 9 8 4 2

♠ 10 9 5
♥ 10 3
♦ Q 7 5 3
♣ A 7 6 3

♠ 8 7 6 3
♥ 7 6 2
♦ J 10 8 4
♣ K 5

♠ K Q 4 2
♥ A K J 8 5 4
♦ A
♣ Q 10

W N E S

Shape 2245 4342 4612 3244 HCP 11 4 19 6 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +450

456 boards f

C989CB3EABB6FB415FA0DAF7D244

Board 457

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q	
	♥ A K 8 2	
	♦ 8 6 3	
	♣ K J 9 7 4	
♠ K 9 5 4 3		♠ 8 7 2
♥ Q 10 9 4		♥ 7 5 3
♦ Q 7		♦ 10 4 2
♣ 6 2		♣ Q 10 5 3

	♠ A J 10 6	
	♥ J 6	
	♦ A K J 9 5	
	♣ A 8	

Shape 1435 3334 4252 5422 HCP 13 2 18 7 Losers 7 11 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♠ ²
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♦ ⁴
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	6 ♦ ⁵
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 4. A=1/5 or 4/5
 5. no !D queen
- 6 ♦ by South
- Made 6 — NS +920

457 boards f

CB6F63EE3FA2E8610A091B7AC3C9

Board 458

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 3 2

♥ J 4

♦ 9 7 6 5 4 2

♣ 9

♠ J 7 6 5

♥ 7 6 3 2

♦ —

♣ A K J 5 3

♠ A K 8 4

♥ 5

♦ K 10 8 3

♣ Q 10 7 4

♠ 10

♥ A K Q 10 9 8

♦ A Q J

♣ 8 6 2

W

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Shape 4405 4144 1633 4261 HCP 9 12 16 3 Losers 7 6 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	2 ♥
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

458 boards f

C829BCE0EC186318A45262487B0C

Board 459

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J

♥ K 3

♦ 7

♣ K Q J 10 8 7 4 2

♠ A 10 8 2

♥ 4 2

♦ A 10 8 4 3

♣ 9 3

♠ K 7

♥ A Q J 9 7 5

♦ Q 9 6 5

♣ A

♠ 9 6 5 4 3

♥ 10 8 6

♦ K J 2

♣ 6 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 4252 5332 2641 2218 HCP 8 4 16 12 Losers 8 10 4 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
2 ♣	Dbl	Pass	2 ♥
3 ♣	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

459 boards f

CAB64D6D06744385BC9EF3D9FA7F

Board 460

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 4 3

♥ A 10 7 5 3 2

♦ 9 5

♣ 10 7

♠ J

♥ K J 9 8

♦ K Q 7 6 2

♣ 9 5 2

♠ K Q 10 9 2

♥ 6 4

♦ 4 3

♣ A J 6 3

W

N

E

S

♠ A 8 7 6

♥ Q

♦ A J 10 8

♣ K Q 8 4

Shape 1453 5224 4144 3622 HCP 10 10 16 4 Losers 7 7 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♥	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +630

460 boards f

CB9D1494B146691F74CAC9DD241A

Board 461

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 5 4
♥ J 7
♦ 9 6 5 2
♣ K Q 7 3

♠ K 8 3 2
♥ 10 6 5
♦ K Q 10 7 3
♣ 8

♠ 10 9 7
♥ A K Q 8 4 2
♦ J
♣ 10 6 2

♠ A Q J
♥ 9 3
♦ A 8 4
♣ A J 9 5 4

W

N

E

S

Shape 4351 3613 3235 3244 HCP 8 10 16 6 Losers 7 7 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♣ ³	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 2 N by South
Made 3 — NS +150

461 boards f

C89362275D37BA5CFAF1BDBB6B38

Board 462

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6

♥ 10 9 7 6 5 4 2

♦ Q 10

♣ 8 2

♠ Q 10 2

♥ —

♦ 9 7 4 3 2

♣ A Q 10 4 3

♠ K J 8 3

♥ A J 8

♦ J 8 5

♣ K 9 7

♠ A 9 5 4

♥ K Q 3

♦ A K 6

♣ J 6 5

W N E

S

Shape 3055 4333 4333 2722 HCP 8 13 17 2 Losers 6 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 NT	Pass	1 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

462 boards f

CAAD0902F4FC4A64205D8C774A75

Board 463

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q 7
♥ K Q 9 5 3
♦ A 10 6 5
♣ 4

♠ J 10
♥ J 10 4 2
♦ Q 7
♣ J 10 8 7 5

♠ 9 8 6 4 3 2
♥ 6
♦ K 9 3
♣ Q 9 3

♠ A 5
♥ A 8 7
♦ J 8 4 2
♣ A K 6 2

W N E S

Shape 3541 6133 2344 2425 HCP 14 5 16 5 Losers 5 8 7 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

463 boards f

C99B9AC9E35D47A6BFFC82433CE6

Board 464

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 6 2

♥ 7 6 3

♦ 10 7 6 3

♣ 6 3

W

N

E

S

♠ 10 9 4

♥ A K 10

♦ 9 8 2

♣ K 8 5 2

♠ 3

♥ Q 9 5 4

♦ J 5 4

♣ A J 9 7 4

♠ A K 8 7 5

♥ J 8 2

♦ A K Q

♣ Q 10

Shape 1435 3334 5332 4342 HCP 8 10 19 3 Losers 8 9 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	1 NT	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +430

464 boards f

D8410120F87FB5E70D532416664E

Board 465

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8		♠ K Q 7 5 4
♥ J 10 9		♥ A K 7 2
♦ 9 8 5 4 3		♦ J
♣ Q J 5		♣ 10 8 6

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ A 10 6 3 2
♥ 6 4
♦ 10 7 2
♣ 4 3 2

♠ 9
♥ Q 8 5 3
♦ A K Q 6
♣ A K 9 7

Shape 5413 5233 1444 2353 HCP 13 4 18 5 Losers 6 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♥ ³	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

465 boards f

DA87B42831359153DA2B5B01D7FE

Board 466

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 3 2		♠ Q J 10 6 4
♥ K J 10 2		♥ A 4
♦ J 9 8 4		♦ 2
♣ K Q		♣ A 8 6 5 3

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 8 5
♥ 9 8 7 5 3
♦ Q 7 6 5
♣ 7 2

♠ A K 9
♥ Q 6
♦ A K 10 3
♣ J 10 9 4

Shape 5215 2542 3244 3442 HCP 11 2 17 10 Losers 6 9 7 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♣ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

466 boards f

D9098BC84AEBFA3E1C117738D6A6

Board 467

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 9 3

♥ 9 8 5 4

♦ 8 7

♣ Q 7 4

♠ A 8 7 6 4

♥ A K Q J

♦ 6

♣ K 10 5

♠ J 5

♥ 7 6 3

♦ 5 3 2

♣ J 9 8 3 2

♠ K 2

♥ 10 2

♦ A K Q J 10 9 4

♣ A 6

W N E S

Shape 5413 2335 2272 4423 HCP 17 2 17 4 Losers 5 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	5 NT	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
6 N by North
Made 7 — NS +1020

467 boards f

DBBF6F03AC3472B0D3D817952EFE

Board 468

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6 2		♠ Q 10 5 3
♥ A 10 9 8 2		♥ Q
♦ 6		♦ 10 5 4
♣ J 10 8 6		♣ A K Q 7 5

	♠ K 9
	♥ 7 6 5 4
	♦ Q 9 8 7
	♣ 9 3 2

	♠ A J 8 4
	♥ K J 3
	♦ A K J 3 2
	♣ 4



Shape 4135 2443 4351 3514 HCP 13 5 17 5 Losers 6 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 5 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

468 boards f

DA656FC45D42346457B9EE304ECC

Board 469

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ Q 10 3 2

♦ K J 5 3 2

♣ K 7

♠ Q 5 2

♥ 9 6 4

♦ 10 4

♣ Q 9 8 4 2

♠ 6

♥ A K 8 5

♦ A Q 9 8 7

♣ A J 6

♠ A K J 10 8 7 3

♥ J 7

♦ 6

♣ 10 5 3

N

W

E

S

Shape 2452 7213 1453 3325 HCP 9 9 18 4 Losers 7 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	3 ♠	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Dbl
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
6 ♦ by North
Made 6 — NS +1370

469 boards f

D9198B8CAF4C9E5E918D7222C0D4

Board 470

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3 2

♥ 5

♦ Q J 10 9 8 6

♣ Q 10 3 2

♠ 10 8 5

♥ A 9 8 7 2

♦ 2

♣ 9 8 5 4

♠ K Q J 9 7 6

♥ J 4

♦ A K

♣ A 7 6

Shape 2542 3514 6223 2164 HCP 13 4 18 5 Losers 6 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♣ ³
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

470 boards f

DBD52DE96B99A21C40031AF401CA

Board 471

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 4 2

♥ 4

♦ Q J 10 5 2

♣ 8 7 4

♠ K 8 6 5 3

♥ 7 6 3 2

♦ A 4

♣ J 6

♠ J 7

♥ A 10 8 5

♦ 9 7 6 3

♣ 9 5 2

♠ 10 9

♥ K Q J 9

♦ K 8

♣ A K Q 10 3

W N E

S

Shape 5422 2443 2425 4153 HCP 8 5 18 9 Losers 8 10 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♥ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

471 boards f

D821F76073E617C350920ED3EA18

Board 472

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 8 4 3

♥ K J

♦ K 10 9

♣ Q 7 2

♠ A 9 5 2

♥ 8 5

♦ 3 2

♣ K J 9 8 4

♠ 6

♥ A Q 10 3

♦ A Q J 8 7 6 4

♣ A

♠ Q J 7

♥ 9 7 6 4 2

♦ 5

♣ 10 6 5 3

W

N

E

S

Shape 4225 3514 1471 5233 HCP 8 3 17 12 Losers 8 9 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass
1. 16+ HCP			
3 N by North			
Made 3 — NS +400			

472 boards f

D94B9986EE2EB776178CC0B1CB78

Board 473

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 5 3
♥ 9 8 4 2
♦ J 10 6
♣ 6 5 2

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 2
♥ K 7
♦ Q 9 8 7
♣ Q J 10 8

♠ K Q 9 6 4
♥ J 10
♦ A K 3 2
♣ K 4

Shape 2524 3244 5242 3433 HCP 10 12 16 2 Losers 7 7 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

473 boards f

DB6D3FC180038AE1592BF17E4BF6

Board 474

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 5 2

♥ K 5 4 2

♦ 9 7 6 3

♣ J

♠ K 10 6

♥ Q J 10 9 3

♦ 2

♣ K 10 6 3

♠ A 7 4 3

♥ 7

♦ Q J 10 8 5

♣ 9 4 2

♠ J 9

♥ A 8 6

♦ A K 4

♣ A Q 8 7 5

W N E S

Shape 3514 4153 2335 4441 HCP 9 7 18 6 Losers 7 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

474 boards f

D829B0FC93DC8ACAC6A2F21B994C

Board 475

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 4

♥ 9 8 7 2

♦ A 9 8 4 3

♣ J 4

♠ Q 10 8 7 5

♥ K Q 5

♦ 7

♣ K Q 10 2

♠ K J 9 6 3

♥ A 6

♦ K J 6 5

♣ A 3

♠ 2

♥ J 10 4 3

♦ Q 10 2

♣ 9 8 7 6 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 2452 1435 5242 5314 HCP 9 3 16 12 Losers 8 9 6 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	Dbl	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	1 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +400

475 boards f

DAB7E70DD3BDE952D1ED1E4E53E8

Board 476

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 9 7 6 2

♥ A 10

♦ J 8 7 3

♣ 2

♠ Q 5

♥ Q 4

♦ Q 10 6 5 4

♣ A K J 3

♠ 8 4 3

♥ J 8 7 5 3

♦ 9 2

♣ 8 5 4

W

N

E

S

♠ A 10

♥ K 9 6 2

♦ A K

♣ Q 10 9 7 6

Shape 2254 3523 2425 6241 HCP 14 1 16 9 Losers 7 11 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♠	3 ♠ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

476 boards f

DBAF94933C415CC8C1037D328BDC

Board 477

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 2

♥ J 5 4

♦ 8 3

♣ K J 9 8 2

♠ J 6 4

♥ 10 8 7 6 3

♦ K

♣ A Q 6 3

♠ 10 9 5

♥ K Q 9 2

♦ Q 10 7 6 4

♣ 4

♠ A K Q 3

♥ A

♦ A J 9 5 2

♣ 10 7 5

W

N

E

S

Shape 3514 3451 4153 3325 HCP 10 7 18 5 Losers 8 7 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +630

477 boards f

D82821ACD310469E572BE4945B30

Board 478

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 5		♠ A K 10 6 2
♥ 2		♥ 9
♦ 9 7 5 4		♦ A 6 3
♣ A Q 10 5 4 2		♣ J 7 6 3
	<div style="display: inline-block; background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> N W E S </div>	♠ 9 7 3
		♥ J 10 8 7 4 3
		♦ Q 8
		♣ 9 8
		♠ Q 8 4
		♥ A K Q 6 5
		♦ K J 10 2
		♣ K

Shape 5134 3622 3541 2146 HCP 12 3 18 7 Losers 7 10 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ ²	Pass	4 ♥ ³
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♣ ⁵	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

478 boards f

DA9785C9D5F8681F6AEA8FCCCC60

Board 479

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8		
♥ K Q 5 4 3		
♦ 8 5 4 3		
♣ A 8 5		
♠ Q J 10 6 4 3		♠ 9 7 2
♥ 10		♥ A J 8
♦ 2		♦ Q 10 9 7 6
♣ 10 9 4 3 2		♣ 7 6

♠ A K 5		
♥ 9 7 6 2		
♦ A K J		
♣ K Q J		

Shape 1543 3352 3433 6115 HCP 9 7 21 3 Losers 7 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
2 ♠	Dbl	3 ♠	4 ♥
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♥ ³
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

479 boards f

D9E98139571F703FE461642236E4

Board 480

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 7 2

♥ Q 9 8 3

♦ 10 8

♣ 9 7 5 2

♠ Q 10 8 4 3

♥ K

♦ K 9 6 4

♣ J 10 8

♠ J 9 6 5

♥ J 10

♦ J 7 5 3 2

♣ 4 3

W

N

E

S

♠ K

♥ A 7 6 5 4 2

♦ A Q

♣ A K Q 6

Shape 5143 4252 1624 3424 HCP 9 3 22 6 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by North

Made 5 — NS +460

480 boards f

E8B08397506048702706838E5C14

Board 481

South Deals

None Vul

♠ —

♥ A 8

♦ Q 7 6 2

♣ A J 10 9 8 3 2

♠ 7 6 2

♥ K 9 6 5 4

♦ 9

♣ K Q 7 5

♠ J 10 9 8 3

♥ Q J 3 2

♦ 4 3

♣ 6 4

♠ A K Q 5 4

♥ 10 7

♦ A K J 10 8 5

♣ —

W

N

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Shape 3514 5422 5260 0247 HCP 8 4 17 11 Losers 7 9 3 5

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
2 ♣	Dbl	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +400

481 boards f

EA15D567AF90155C30FF98DF523D

Board 482

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 6 4

♥ 7 6 2

♦ 10 7 3

♣ 10 8 7 5

♠ A 9 7 2

♥ —

♦ J 8 6 4 2

♣ Q J 6 4

♠ Q 8 3

♥ A K 10 9 8 5 4 3

♦ 5

♣ 3

♠ J 10 5

♥ Q J

♦ A K Q 9

♣ A K 9 2

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Shape 4054 3811 3244 3334 HCP 8 9 20 3 Losers 7 5 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	4 ♥	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass		Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
4 ♥ by East
Down 2 — NS +100

482 boards f

E9A1BE31C296628E2F3C843A6E18

Board 483

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J

♥ K Q 6 4

♦ K 8 7 6 3

♣ 6 5 2

♠ Q 7 6 4 2

♥ J 8 5

♦ A Q J 9

♣ 7

♠ 9 3

♥ 10 2

♦ 10 5

♣ K J 10 9 8 4 3

♠ A K 10 8 5

♥ A 9 7 3

♦ 4 2

♣ A Q

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Shape 5341 2227 5422 1453 HCP 10 4 17 9 Losers 7 8 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♦	1 ♠	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	4 ♣ ²	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +480

483 boards f

EB4D843DCE83DC9A7FF57A41DF33

Board 484

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 6 3		♠ Q 2
♥ Q 7 6 5 2		♥ A K J 10 4
♦ 8 5		♦ K 6
♣ K 9		♣ 10 7 3 2

	♠ A 7 5 4
	♥ 9 8 3
	♦ 10 4 2
	♣ J 8 5

	♠ K 10 8
	♥ —
	♦ A Q J 9 7 3
	♣ A Q 6 4



Shape 2524 4333 3064 4522 HCP 13 5 16 6 Losers 7 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT ²	Pass	5 ♠ ³
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
- 6 ♦ by South
Made 6 — NS +1370

484 boards f

EA255947D4801332ABED7A67733C

Board 485

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 8 2
♥ Q 10
♦ 6 2
♣ Q 9 7 4 3

♠ J 6
♥ 8 5 3 2
♦ 10 9 8 3
♣ J 10 2

♠ K Q 5 4 3
♥ K J 9
♦ K 7 5
♣ 8 5

♠ 10 7
♥ A 7 6 4
♦ A Q J 4
♣ A K 6

W N E S

Shape 4225 5332 2443 2443 HCP 8 12 18 2 Losers 8 7 6 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ ³	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial
 3. Stayman
- 3 N by South
Made 3 — NS +600

485 boards f

E925BBB0CAEC55DB9BF1D3163463

Board 486

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 4 3
♥ J
♦ Q 6 5 2
♣ K 8 7 5 2

♠ J 10 8 6 5
♥ K Q 6 3
♦ 10
♣ Q 10 3

♠ 9 2
♥ 9 8 7 5 4
♦ A 9 4 3
♣ J 4

♠ K Q 7
♥ A 10 2
♦ K J 8 7
♣ A 9 6

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Shape 3145 2542 3343 5413 HCP 10 5 17 8 Losers 7 9 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 NT	Pass	1 NT
Pass		Pass	Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

486 boards f

EBAC864AAC1B895BDD75DF18C24B

Board 487

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 5 3

♥ 6

♦ Q 10 9 8 4 2

♣ A J 4

♠ 10 4

♥ K Q 9 3 2

♦ K 6

♣ 10 8 5 2

♠ A K J 9

♥ A J

♦ A J 7 5

♣ 9 7 6

♠ Q 8 6 2

♥ 10 8 7 5 4

♦ 3

♣ K Q 3

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Shape 2524 4513 4243 3163 HCP 8 7 18 7 Losers 7 7 7 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♦	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +600

487 boards f

E8EB11AD3B7DBBFBC253F66E75BA

Board 488

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 7 5

♥ J 10 9 8 5 3 2

♦ 5 3

♣ —

♠ K J

♥ 7

♦ A J 9 8 2

♣ A J 9 8 6

♠ 10 6 4 3

♥ K 6

♦ Q 10 4

♣ 7 5 4 2

♠ Q 9 2

♥ A Q 4

♦ K 7 6

♣ K Q 10 3

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Shape 2155 4234 3334 4720 HCP 14 5 16 5 Losers 6 9 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♥	Pass	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
1. 16+ HCP			
3 ♥ by West			
Down 2 — NS +100			

488 boards f

E919EC8162001890CD2A347D5066

Board 489

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7

♥ 5 4

♦ K 7 4

♣ K 10 9 8 5 3

♠ A 10 9 6 5

♥ Q 10 7

♦ Q J 10 8 3

♣ —

♠ J 4 3 2

♥ A 9 8 3

♦ 5 2

♣ J 6 2

♠ Q 8

♥ K J 6 2

♦ A 9 6

♣ A Q 7 4

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Shape 5350 4423 2434 2236 HCP 9 6 16 9 Losers 6 10 7 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

489 boards f

EBAE3146B47F4A91381CB93E5537

Board 490

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ —

♥ K J 10 7 5 4 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ J 7 6

♠ K 7 6 4 2

♥ Q 9

♦ Q J 3 2

♣ 10 2

♠ A J 8 5

♥ A

♦ A 10 6 4

♣ K 8 5 3

♠ Q 10 9 3

♥ 8 6 3

♦ K 8

♣ A Q 9 4

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Shape 5242 4324 4144 0733 HCP 8 11 16 5 Losers 8 7 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
3 ♥	3 ♠	4 ♥	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP
4 ♠ by North
Made 5 — NS +650

490 boards f

E883202CD71619855D14844650E3

Board 491

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 2		♠ K Q 10 9 6
♥ —		♥ A 8 5 4
♦ J 10 8 6 5 4		♦ 9
♣ K Q 6 5 3		♣ A J 2

♠ A 8 5

♥ K Q 2

♦ A K 3 2

♣ 9 8 7

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♠ 7 4 3

♥ J 10 9 7 6 3

♦ Q 7

♣ 10 4

Shape 5413 3622 3343 2065 HCP 14 3 16 7 Losers 6 10 7 6

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
2 NT ²	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4 NT ³	Pass	5 ♥ ⁴
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Unusual 2 NT
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

491 boards f

EAA FED618324B65CDFBB3C42DA76

Board 492

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 7 3		♠ 10 5
♥ 9 6 5 2		♥ J 4
♦ Q J 4		♦ A K 8 7 5
♣ 10 8 5		♣ A J 7 6

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	♠ A J 9 6	♠ Q 8 4 2
	♥ A K Q 10	♥ 8 7 3
	♦ 10 9 2	♦ 6 3
	♣ K Q	♣ 9 4 3 2

Shape 2254 4324 4432 3433 HCP 13 2 19 6 Losers 7 10 6 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♣ ³	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♦ ⁴	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
 3. A=0/5 or 3/5
 4. no !D queen
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1370

492 boards f

EB8FBDC566DBA77A94DB69104B59

Board 493

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4		♠ J 8 5 3 2
♥ A Q 3		♥ 10 7 6 4 2
♦ Q J 9 7		♦ 4
♣ A 10 9 6 3		♣ J 8
♠ Q 10 6		
♥ K 8		
♦ 10 8 6 5 3 2		
♣ 7 4		

♠ A K 9 7		
♥ J 9 5		
♦ A K		
♣ K Q 5 2		

Shape 1345 5512 4324 3262 HCP 13 2 20 5 Losers 6 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦ ²
Pass	4 ♥ ³	Pass	4 NT ⁴
Pass	5 ♥ ⁵	Pass	5 NT ⁶
Pass	6 ♣ ⁷	Pass	7 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
 3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
 4. Blackwood 0314, for !C
 5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0
 6. King ask by 5 NT
 7. K=0
- 7 ♣ by South
- Down 1 — NS -100

493 boards f

E8638DA0106878D6B8468388577A

Board 494

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J
♥ K 6 5 4
♦ 10 9 7 4 2
♣ A 5 3

♠ 8
♥ 9 7 2
♦ 8 6 3
♣ Q J 10 9 7 4

♠ A 10 9 6 3 2
♥ J 8 3
♦ K
♣ 8 6 2

♠ K Q 7 5 4
♥ A Q 10
♦ A Q J 5
♣ K

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Shape 1453 6313 5341 1336 HCP 8 8 21 3 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	1 ♥ ²	2 ♠	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3 N by South
Made 4 — NS +430

494 boards f

EA2587B79A23D3D878D5E302361B

Board 495

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 6 5

♥ Q 7 3

♦ 10 9 5 4

♣ 8 7

♠ A 10 4 3 2

♥ K 4

♦ —

♣ K Q 10 9 5 2

♠ 7

♥ J 9 8 6 2

♦ J 8 7 2

♣ J 4 3

♠ K Q J

♥ A 10 5

♦ A K Q 6 3

♣ A 6

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Shape 5206 1543 3352 4342 HCP 12 3 23 2 Losers 4 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	5 ♦ ²	Pass	6 ♣ ³
Pass	6 ♦	Pass	6 NT ⁴
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 3 out of 4

4. !S queen no !H king

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

495 boards f

E9219A31C920387C49E05448524E

Board 496

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6

♥ Q 9 8

♦ 8 2

♣ 10 9 8 6 5 4

♠ A Q 10 9

♥ J 7 4 2

♦ A Q 10 6 3


♣ —

♠ 8 7 5 4 3 2

♥ K 5 3

♦ 5

♣ K 3 2



♠ K

♥ A 10 6

♦ K J 9 7 4

♣ A Q J 7

Shape 4450 6313 1354 2326 HCP 13 6 18 3 Losers 5 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	5 ♠ ³	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

6 ♦ by North

Made 7 — NS +940

496 boards f

F8AA0DA0FC791A4090DF9314353A

Board 497

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 4 3 2
♥ K 8
♦ A 10 9 2
♣ 6 5

♠ J 6
♥ J 10 3 2
♦ 4 3
♣ Q J 8 7 4

♠ 10 8
♥ 9 7 6 5 4
♦ K J 6
♣ A 9 2

♠ A Q 7 5
♥ A Q
♦ Q 8 7 5
♣ K 10 3

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Shape 5242 2533 4243 2425 HCP 10 8 17 5 Losers 7 9 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠ ³
Pass	4 ♦ ⁴	Pass	4 ♥ ⁵
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

497 boards f

FAE505C24728B9C2D02B4ED41C66

Board 498

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 4

♥ 9

♦ Q 8 7

♣ 10 7 4 3

♠ K 10 6 3

♥ K Q J 8 5

♦ 5 3

♣ J 6

♠ J 5 2

♥ 7 4 3

♦ 10 9 6

♣ Q 8 5 2

♠ 9

♥ A 10 6 2

♦ A K J 4 2

♣ A K 9

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Shape 4522 3334 1453 5134 HCP 10 3 19 8 Losers 7 11 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
1 ♠	3 ♥	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass	5 ♦ ³	Pass	4 NT ²
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

498 boards f

F9B99137A02E3EF89486052253

Board 499

South Deals

E-W Vul


♠ 8 7		♠ Q 10 9 4 3
♥ A Q 9 8 7		♥ 5 4
♦ 10 9 8		♦ K J 3 2
♣ J 7 6		♣ Q 2

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♠ A K J 6 5	♠ 2
♥ J 10 3	♥ K 6 2
♦ A 7	♦ Q 6 5 4
♣ A K 4	♣ 10 9 8 5 3

Shape 5242 1345 5323 2533 HCP 8 5 20 7 Losers 8 8 6 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♣ ¹
Pass	1 ♥ ²	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 NT ³
Pass	3 ♦ ⁴	Pass	3 ♥ ⁵
Dbl	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. surplus
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

499 boards f

FBA56BD3AAAFAB1BAEA57071B1D94

Board 500

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10 7

♥ 10 9 8

♦ K J 10 8 7 4

♣ 2

♠ 5 4 3

♥ 5

♦ A 6 5 2

♣ K Q 6 5 4

♠ K 6

♥ Q 6 4 3 2

♦ Q 9

♣ J 10 8 7

♠ A J 9 8 2

♥ A K J 7

♦ 3

♣ A 9 3

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Shape 3 1 4 5 2 5 2 4 5 4 1 3 3 3 6 1 HCP 9 8 17 6 Losers 7 8 6 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
2 ♦	3 NT	Pass	1 ♣ ¹
Pass			Pass

1. 16+ HCP
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +600