

## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 1**      ♠ 73      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ 3      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ J85      East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
 HCP: 8+3      ♣ AKT8432

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**Board: 2**      ♠ T83      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ QT9654      West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ AJT6      East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.  
 HCP: 7+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 3**      ♠ KJ63      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 5      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ K63  
 HCP: 13+1      ♣ KQJ98

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**Board: 4**      ♠ T53      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ AQ94      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ AJT5  
 HCP: 14      ♣ K6

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**Board: 5**      ♠ KQJT95      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ J      West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ 652      East (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 HCP: 10+2      ♣ KT9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 1

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ 73

♥ 3

♦ J85

♣ AKT8432

South:

♠ KQ92

♥ A

♦ A6432

♣ 975

W N E S

1♥ 3♣ 3♥ 4♣

All Pass

### Board: 2

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ T83

♥ QT9654

♦ AJT6

♣ -

South:

♠ KQ97

♥ 2

♦ K984

♣ AJ85

W N E S

2♣ 2♦ 2♥ 3♦

All Pass

### Board: 3

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ KJ63

♥ 5

♦ K63

♣ KQJ98

South:

♠ T75

♥ AJT643

♦ A972

♣ -

W N E S

1♣ 1♠ 2♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 4

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ T53

♥ AQ94

♦ AJT5

♣ K6

South:

♠ A84

♥ T3

♦ 43

♣ AJ9852

W N E S

1♦ 1♠ 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

All Pass

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

### Board: 5

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQJT95

♥ J

♦ 652

♣ KT9

South:

♠ A6

♥ KQ84

♦ KJ8743

♣ J

W N E S

2♣ 2♠<sup>1</sup> 3♣ 3♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

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

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 1**      ♠ KQ92      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ A      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ A6432      East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
 HCP: 13+1      ♣ 975

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**Board: 2**      ♠ KQ97      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ 2      West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ K984      East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.  
 HCP: 13      ♣ AJ85

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**Board: 3**      ♠ T75      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ AJT643      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ A972  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ -

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**Board: 4**      ♠ A84      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ T3      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ 43  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ AJ9852

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**Board: 5**      ♠ A6      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ KQ84      West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KJ8743      East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 HCP: 14+2      ♣ J

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 1

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♣ South

North:

♠ 73

♥ 3

♦ J85

♣ AKT8432

South:

♠ KQ92

♥ A

♦ A6432

♣ 975

W N E S

1♥ 3♣ 3♥ 4♣

All Pass

### Board: 2

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ T83

♥ QT9654

♦ AJT6

♣ -

South:

♠ KQ97

♥ 2

♦ K984

♣ AJ85

W N E S

2♣ 2♦ 2♥ 3♦

All Pass

### Board: 3

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ KJ63

♥ 5

♦ K63

♣ KQJ98

South:

♠ T75

♥ AJT643

♦ A972

♣ -

W N E S

1♣ 1♠ 2♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 4

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ T53

♥ AQ94

♦ AJT5

♣ K6

South:

♠ A84

♥ T3

♦ 43

♣ AJ9852

W N E S

1♦ 1♠ 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

All Pass

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

### Board: 5

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQJT95

♥ J

♦ 652

♣ KT9

South:

♠ A6

♥ KQ84

♦ KJ8743

♣ J

W N E S

2♣ 2♠<sup>1</sup> 3♣ 3♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

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

# North hands

# Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 6**      ♠ J62      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQJ952      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AJ4      East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 12+2      ♣ 4

**Board: 7**      ♠ T954      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 9      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQT742

HCP: 9+2      ♣ K9

**Board: 8**      ♠ KJ876      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ -      East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ K

HCP: 13+4      ♣ AQT9632

**Board: 9**      ♠ 6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ KQJT4      West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.

Vul: None      ♦ Q843      East (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.

HCP: 8+1      ♣ 962

**Board: 10**      ♠ T984      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ K3      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ A

HCP: 7+2      ♣ T86543

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 6

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ J62

♥ KQJ952

♦ AJ4

♣ 4

South:

♠ T85

♥ T

♦ K65

♣ AKJT65

W	N	E	S
	1♥	1♠	2♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2♥	2♠	3♣
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All Pass

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

### Board: 7

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ T954

♥ 9

♦ AQT742

♣ K9

South:

♠ A6

♥ AT86

♦ 63

♣ A8632

W	N	E	S
			1♣

1♠	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	All Pass	
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 8

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+4

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ KJ876

♥ -

♦ K

♣ AQT9632

South:

♠ T

♥ K96

♦ AJT8753

♣ 54

W	N	E	S
	1♣	1♥	3♦

All Pass

### Board: 9

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQJT4

♦ Q843

♣ 962

South:

♠ AT7532

♥ A73

♦ AJ6

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
			1♠

2♣	2♥ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	4♥
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All Pass

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

### Board: 10

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ T984

♥ K3

♦ A

♣ T86543

South:

♠ 73

♥ AQJ7

♦ 754

♣ AJ72

W	N	E	S
			1♣

1♠	3♣	All Pass	
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## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 6**      ♠ T85      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ T      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ K65      East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
 HCP: 11+2      ♣ AKJT65

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**Board: 7**      ♠ A6      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ AT86      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ 63  
 HCP: 12+1      ♣ A8632

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**Board: 8**      ♠ T      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ K96      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ AJT8753  
 HCP: 8+3      ♣ 54

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**Board: 9**      ♠ AT7532      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ A73      West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ AJ6      East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 HCP: 13+2      ♣ 8

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**Board: 10**      ♠ 73      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ AQJ7      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ 754  
 HCP: 12      ♣ AJ72

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 6

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ J62

♥ KQJ952

♦ AJ4

♣ 4

South:

♠ T85

♥ T

♦ K65

♣ AKJT65

W	N	E	S
	1♥	1♠	2♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2♥	2♠	3♣
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All Pass

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

### Board: 7

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ T954

♥ 9

♦ AQT742

♣ K9

South:

♠ A6

♥ AT86

♦ 63

♣ A8632

W	N	E	S
			1♣

1♠	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	All Pass	
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 8

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+4

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ KJ876

♥ -

♦ K

♣ AQT9632

South:

♠ T

♥ K96

♦ AJT8753

♣ 54

W	N	E	S
	1♣	1♥	3♦

All Pass

### Board: 9

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQJT4

♦ Q843

♣ 962

South:

♠ AT7532

♥ A73

♦ AJ6

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
			1♠

2♣	2♥ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	4♥
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All Pass

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

### Board: 10

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ T984

♥ K3

♦ A

♣ T86543

South:

♠ 73

♥ AQJ7

♦ 754

♣ AJ72

W	N	E	S
			1♣

1♠	3♣	All Pass	
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## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 11**      ♠ KQJT52      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ 6      West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ KT84  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ 43

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**Board: 12**      ♠ AQT96      RHO opens the bidding 1 ♣.  
 Dealer: West      ♥ 84      You bid next.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KT5      East (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 HCP: 11+1      ♣ Q62

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**Board: 13**      ♠ AQJ9872      LHO opens the bidding 1 ♦.  
 Dealer: East      ♥ 94      Partner bids next.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ -      West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
 HCP: 9+3      ♣ Q963

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**Board: 14**      ♠ QJ5      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ J3      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ AJ94  
 HCP: 13      ♣ AT42

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**Board: 15**      ♠ AJT9      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ KJ      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ 53  
 HCP: 13+1      ♣ A9753

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 11

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQJT52

♥ 6

♦ KT84

♣ 43

South:

♠ 93

♥ KQT942

♦ 62

♣ AK7

W N E S

1 ♥

2 ♦ 2 ♠<sup>1</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

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

### Board: 12

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+4

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AQT96

♥ 84

♦ KT5

♣ Q62

South:

♠ -

♥ KQT9763

♦ AQ962

♣ T

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠ 3 ♣ 4 ♥

All Pass

### Board: 13

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ9872

♥ 94

♦ -

♣ Q963

South:

♠ T65

♥ AQJ72

♦ T86

♣ A8

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♥

2 ♦ 4 ♠ All Pass

### Board: 14

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♥ North

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ J3

♦ AJ94

♣ AT42

South:

♠ T2

♥ AK9754

♦ T32

♣ J3

W N E S

1 ♦<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♥ All Pass

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

### Board: 15

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ AJT9

♥ KJ

♦ 53

♣ A9753

South:

♠ 762

♥ AQT764

♦ K982

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠ 2 ♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 11**      ♠ 93      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ KQT942      West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ 62  
 HCP: 12+2      ♣ AK7

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**Board: 12**      ♠ -      LHO opens the bidding 1♣.  
 Dealer: West      ♥ KQT9763      Partner bids next.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ AQ962      East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.  
 HCP: 11+4      ♣ T

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**Board: 13**      ♠ T65      RHO opens the bidding 1♦.  
 Dealer: East      ♥ AQJ72      You bid next.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ T86      West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.  
 HCP: 11+1      ♣ A8

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**Board: 14**      ♠ T2      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ AK9754      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ T32  
 HCP: 8+2      ♣ J3

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**Board: 15**      ♠ 762      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ AQT764      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ K982  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 11

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQJT52

♥ 6

♦ KT84

♣ 43

South:

♠ 93

♥ KQT942

♦ 62

♣ AK7

W N E S

1 ♥

2 ♦ 2 ♠<sup>1</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

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

### Board: 12

Dealer: West

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 11+4

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AQT96

♥ 84

♦ KT5

♣ Q62

South:

♠ -

♥ KQT9763

♦ AQ962

♣ T

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠ 3 ♣ 4 ♥

All Pass

### Board: 13

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ9872

♥ 94

♦ -

♣ Q963

South:

♠ T65

♥ AQJ72

♦ T86

♣ A8

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♥

2 ♦ 4 ♠ All Pass

### Board: 14

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♥ North

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ J3

♦ AJ94

♣ AT42

South:

♠ T2

♥ AK9754

♦ T32

♣ J3

W N E S

1 ♦<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♥ All Pass

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

### Board: 15

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ AJT9

♥ KJ

♦ 53

♣ A9753

South:

♠ 762

♥ AQT764

♦ K982

♣ -

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠ 2 ♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 16**      ♠ K93      LHO opens the bidding 1 ♦.

Dealer: East      ♥ 3      Partner bids next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 9853      West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 6+1      ♣ QJ975      East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 4 ♥ if possible.

East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

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**Board: 17**      ♠ T74      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ -      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ KJ72      East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 9+2      ♣ AJ9842      West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♣ if possible.

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**Board: 18**      ♠ Q643      LHO opens the bidding 1 ♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ A943      Partner bids next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ 53      West (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.

HCP: 10      ♣ A72

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**Board: 19**      ♠ AQJ3      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ QJ965      East (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ Q7

HCP: 12+1      ♣ 86

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 16

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4 ♠ X North

North:

♠ K93

♥ 3

♦ 9853

♣ QJ975

South:

♠ AQT854

♥ QT5

♦ AQ4

♣ 6

W

N

E

S

1 ♦ 1 ♠

2 ♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 3 ♥ 3 ♠

4 ♥ 4 ♠ X All Pass

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

### Board: 17

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5 ♣ X North

North:

♠ T74

♥ -

♦ KJ72

♣ AJ9842

South:

♠ A652

♥ Q842

♦ A63

♣ K7

W

N

E

S

1 ♦

1 ♥ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ Pass

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♣ Pass Pass

X All Pass

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

### Board: 18

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q643

♥ A943

♦ 53

♣ A72

South:

♠ AK952

♥ JT6

♦ A97

♣ 94

W

N

E

S

1 ♣ 1 ♠

3 ♦ 3 ♠ All Pass

### Board: 19

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ AQJ3

♥ QJ965

♦ Q7

♣ 86

South:

♠ T42

♥ T8

♦ AKJ32

♣ J95

W

N

E

S

1 ♥ 2 ♣ 2 ♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ All Pass

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

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 16**      ♠ AQT854      RHO opens the bidding 1♦.

Dealer: East      ♥ QT5      You bid next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ4      West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 14+2      ♣ 6      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

West (LHO) bids 4♥ if possible.

East (RHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

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**Board: 17**      ♠ A652      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ Q842      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: Both      ♦ A63      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 13      ♣ K7      West (LHO) Doubles 5♣ if possible.

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**Board: 18**      ♠ AK952      RHO opens the bidding 1♣.

Dealer: East      ♥ JT6      You bid next.

Vul: E-W      ♦ A97      West (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

HCP: 12+1      ♣ 94

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**Board: 19**      ♠ T42      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ T8      East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AKJ32

HCP: 9+1      ♣ J95

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 16

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 6+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 4 ♠ X North

North:

♠ K93

♥ 3

♦ 9853

♣ QJ975

South:

♠ AQT854

♥ QT5

♦ AQ4

♣ 6

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♠

2 ♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 3 ♥ 3 ♠

4 ♥ 4 ♠ X All Pass

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

### Board: 17

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5 ♣ X North

North:

♠ T74

♥ -

♦ KJ72

♣ AJ9842

South:

♠ A652

♥ Q842

♦ A63

♣ K7

W N E S

1 ♦

1 ♥ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ Pass

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 5 ♣ Pass Pass

X All Pass

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

### Board: 18

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q643

♥ A943

♦ 53

♣ A72

South:

♠ AK952

♥ JT6

♦ A97

♣ 94

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠

3 ♦ 3 ♠ All Pass

### Board: 19

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♥ North

North:

♠ AQJ3

♥ QJ965

♦ Q7

♣ 86

South:

♠ T42

♥ T8

♦ AKJ32

♣ J95

W N E S

1 ♥ 2 ♣ 2 ♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ All Pass

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



## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 20**      ♠ K5      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 2      East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KT75      West (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
 HCP: 13+2      ♣ AQJ632

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**Board: 21**      ♠ T8      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ T8      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ K84  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ KQJ873

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**Board: 22**      ♠ KQJ542      RHO opens the bidding 1 ♣.  
 Dealer: West      ♥ T      You bid next.  
 Vul: None      ♦ KJ8      East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.  
 HCP: 13+2      ♣ K86

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**Board: 23**      ♠ A43      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ J4      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ KT8743  
 HCP: 8+2      ♣ 87

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**Board: 24**      ♠ T853      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ -      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ JT2  
 HCP: 10+2      ♣ AKQ654

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 20

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ K5

♥ 2

♦ KT75

♣ AQJ632

South:

♠ QJT

♥ 74

♦ AQJ9843

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣	1 ♥	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>

3 ♥	5 ♦	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 21

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ T8

♥ T8

♦ K84

♣ KQJ873

South:

♠ J753

♥ KQJ4

♦ AQ7

♣ T2

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦

1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3 ♣	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 22

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+4

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQJ542

♥ T

♦ KJ8

♣ K86

South:

♠ 7

♥ AKJ98763

♦ Q

♣ T32

W	N	E	S
1 ♣	1 ♠	3 ♦	4 ♥

All Pass

### Board: 23

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ A43

♥ J4

♦ KT8743

♣ 87

South:

♠ Q7

♥ Q862

♦ Q62

♣ AQ54

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣

1 ♥	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
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All Pass

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

### Board: 24

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T853

♥ -

♦ JT2

♣ AKQ654

South:

♠ K2

♥ AK72

♦ Q93

♣ T832

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣

1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. limit raise or better in !C

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 20**      ♠ QJT      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 74      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ AQJ9843      West (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
 HCP: 10+3      ♣ 4

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**Board: 21**      ♠ J753      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ KQJ4      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ AQ7  
 HCP: 13      ♣ T2

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**Board: 22**      ♠ 7      LHO opens the bidding 1 ♣.  
 Dealer: West      ♥ AKJ98763      Partner bids next.  
 Vul: None      ♦ Q      East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.  
 HCP: 10+4      ♣ T32

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**Board: 23**      ♠ Q7      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ Q862      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ Q62  
 HCP: 12      ♣ AQ54

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**Board: 24**      ♠ K2      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ AK72      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ Q93  
 HCP: 12      ♣ T832

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 20

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ K5

♥ 2

♦ KT75

♣ AQJ632

South:

♠ QJT

♥ 74

♦ AQJ9843

♣ 4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣	1 ♥	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
3 ♥	5 ♦	All Pass	

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

### Board: 21

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ T8

♥ T8

♦ K84

♣ KQJ873

South:

♠ J753

♥ KQJ4

♦ AQ7

♣ T2

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦
1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♣	All Pass	

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

### Board: 22

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+4

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQJ542

♥ T

♦ KJ8

♣ K86

South:

♠ 7

♥ AKJ98763

♦ Q

♣ T32

W	N	E	S
1 ♣	1 ♠	3 ♦	4 ♥
All Pass			

### Board: 23

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ A43

♥ J4

♦ KT8743

♣ 87

South:

♠ Q7

♥ Q862

♦ Q62

♣ AQ54

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
1 ♥	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
All Pass			

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

### Board: 24

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T853

♥ -

♦ JT2

♣ AKQ654

South:

♠ K2

♥ AK72

♦ Q93

♣ T832

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
1 ♠	2 ♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
All Pass			

1. limit raise or better in !C

## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

<b>Board: 25</b>	♠ 5	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ9753	East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ7	West (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 12+3	♣ 76	
<b>Board: 26</b>	♠ T73	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ4	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A3	West (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 12+1	♣ K7532	East (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
<b>Board: 27</b>	♠ 8	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ AT9872	West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A32	
HCP: 9+2	♣ J52	
<b>Board: 28</b>	♠ J965	You bid first.
Dealer: North	♥ 97	East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ K	
HCP: 13+2	♣ AKQ873	
<b>Board: 29</b>	♠ 764	Partner bids first.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ	West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ8754	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 25

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 5

♥ AQJ9753

♦ KQ7

♣ 76

South:

♠ AKJ762

♥ T

♦ T963

♣ T4

W	N	E	S
	1♥	2♣	2♠ <sup>1</sup>

3♣	4♥	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 26

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 7+2

Contract: 4♥X North

North:

♠ T73

♥ AJ4

♦ A3

♣ K7532

South:

♠ 9

♥ KQT986

♦ 8754

♣ Q9

W	N	E	S
	1♣	1♠	3♥
3♠	4♥	X	All Pass

### Board: 27

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AT9872

♦ A32

♣ J52

South:

♠ KT75

♥ QJ5

♦ QJT4

♣ K7

W	N	E	S
			1♦

1♠	2♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥
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All Pass

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

### Board: 28

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ J965

♥ 97

♦ K

♣ AKQ873

South:

♠ K4

♥ 862

♦ AJ8763

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
	1♣	1♥	2♦ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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All Pass

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

### Board: 29

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ 764

♥ KJ

♦ KJ8754

♣ T7

South:

♠ T95

♥ AT97

♦ AT9

♣ KQ6

W	N	E	S
			1♣

1♠	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

<b>Board: 25</b>	♠ AKJ762	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ T	East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ T963	West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ T4	
<b>Board: 26</b>	♠ 9	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ KQT986	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 8754	West (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
HCP: 7+2	♣ Q9	East (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.
<b>Board: 27</b>	♠ KT75	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ5	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJT4	
HCP: 12	♣ K7	
<b>Board: 28</b>	♠ K4	Partner bids first.
Dealer: North	♥ 862	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ8763	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 92	
<b>Board: 29</b>	♠ T95	You bid first.
Dealer: South	♥ AT97	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AT9	
HCP: 13	♣ KQ6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 25

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 5

♥ AQJ9753

♦ KQ7

♣ 76

South:

♠ AKJ762

♥ T

♦ T963

♣ T4

W	N	E	S
	1♥	2♣	2♠ <sup>1</sup>

3♣	4♥	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 26

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 7+2

Contract: 4♥X North

North:

♠ T73

♥ AJ4

♦ A3

♣ K7532

South:

♠ 9

♥ KQT986

♦ 8754

♣ Q9

W	N	E	S
	1♣	1♠	3♥
3♠	4♥	X	All Pass

### Board: 27

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AT9872

♦ A32

♣ J52

South:

♠ KT75

♥ QJ5

♦ QJT4

♣ K7

W	N	E	S
			1♦

1♠	2♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥
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All Pass

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

### Board: 28

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ J965

♥ 97

♦ K

♣ AKQ873

South:

♠ K4

♥ 862

♦ AJ8763

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
	1♣	1♥	2♦ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
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All Pass

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

### Board: 29

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3♦ North

North:

♠ 764

♥ KJ

♦ KJ8754

♣ T7

South:

♠ T95

♥ AT97

♦ AT9

♣ KQ6

W	N	E	S
			1♣

1♠	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing



## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 30**      ♠ JT542      LHO opens the bidding 1 ♦.

Dealer: East      ♥ KT986      Partner bids next.

Vul: N-S      ♦ T      West (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.

HCP: 6+2      ♣ Q8      West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.

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**Board: 31**      ♠ T6      Partner bids first.

Dealer: South      ♥ J92      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ AQT754      East (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 9+2      ♣ Q2

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**Board: 32**      ♠ J3      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ AQ983      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ Q72      West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 12+1      ♣ KT6      East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

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**Board: 33**      ♠ KJ6      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ K7      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ KQJ832

HCP: 14+2      ♣ J6

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**Board: 34**      ♠ 9      You bid first.

Dealer: North      ♥ A42      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KT9754

HCP: 14+2      ♣ AK8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 30

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 6+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ X North

North:

♠ JT542

♥ KT986

♦ T

♣ Q8

South:

♠ AK986

♥ J5

♦ A62

♣ J53

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

### Board: 31

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ T6

♥ J92

♦ AQT754

♣ Q2

South:

♠ AK83

♥ 5

♦ KJ2

♣ K9853

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
1 ♥	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♦
All Pass			

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

### Board: 32

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AQ983

♦ Q72

♣ KT6

South:

♠ 865

♥ 6

♦ AKT9543

♣ Q2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	3 ♦	3 ♠	4 ♦
All Pass			

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

### Board: 33

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ KJ6

♥ K7

♦ KQJ832

♣ J6

South:

♠ 83

♥ 62

♦ A75

♣ KQ8542

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
All Pass			

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

### Board: 34

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ 9

♥ A42

♦ KT9754

♣ AK8

South:

♠ KT82

♥ KQ9

♦ -

♣ T76543

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	All Pass	

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

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 30**      ♠ AK986      RHO opens the bidding 1♦.

Dealer: East      ♥ J5      You bid next.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A62      West (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

HCP: 13+1      ♣ J53      West (LHO) Doubles 4♠ if possible.

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**Board: 31**      ♠ AK83      You bid first.

Dealer: South      ♥ 5      West (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ2      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

HCP: 14+1      ♣ K9853

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**Board: 32**      ♠ 865      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 6      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ AKT9543      West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

HCP: 9+3      ♣ Q2      East (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

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**Board: 33**      ♠ 83      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ 62      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S      ♦ A75

HCP: 9+2      ♣ KQ8542

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**Board: 34**      ♠ KT82      Partner bids first.

Dealer: North      ♥ KQ9      East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W      ♦ -

HCP: 8+2      ♣ T76543

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 30

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 6+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4 ♠ X North

North:

♠ JT542

♥ KT986

♦ T

♣ Q8

South:

♠ AK986

♥ J5

♦ A62

♣ J53

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

### Board: 31

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ T6

♥ J92

♦ AQT754

♣ Q2

South:

♠ AK83

♥ 5

♦ KJ2

♣ K9853

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣
1 ♥	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	3 ♦
All Pass			

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

### Board: 32

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 4 ♦ South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AQ983

♦ Q72

♣ KT6

South:

♠ 865

♥ 6

♦ AKT9543

♣ Q2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♦ <sup>1</sup>
2 ♠	3 ♦	3 ♠	4 ♦
All Pass			

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

### Board: 33

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ KJ6

♥ K7

♦ KQJ832

♣ J6

South:

♠ 83

♥ 62

♦ A75

♣ KQ8542

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
All Pass			

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

### Board: 34

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ 9

♥ A42

♦ KT9754

♣ AK8

South:

♠ KT82

♥ KQ9

♦ -

♣ T76543

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	All Pass	

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

## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 35**

♠ Q95

Partner bids first.

Dealer: South

♥ J42

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 5

HCP: 10+2

♣ AQJ765

**Board: 36**

♠ K62

You bid first.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT7

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ J

HCP: 12+1

♣ JT742

**Board: 37**

♠ 53

Partner bids first.

Dealer: South

♥ T62

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KT

HCP: 9+2

♣ AQ9874

**Board: 38**

♠ A

You bid first.

Dealer: North

♥ A3

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ QT7632

HCP: 13+2

♣ K752

**Board: 39**

♠ A93

Partner bids first.

Dealer: South

♥ 542

West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJT9872

HCP: 8+3

♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 35

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ Q95

♥ J42

♦ 5

♣ AQJ765

South:

♠ AKJ3

♥ 9876

♦ AJ2

♣ T4

W N E S

1 ♦

1 ♥ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 36

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K62

♥ AKT7

♦ J

♣ JT742

South:

♠ J53

♥ QJ9654

♦ A53

♣ 5

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠ 2 ♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

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

### Board: 37

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ 53

♥ T62

♦ KT

♣ AQ9874

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ KQ83

♦ AJ98

♣ T5

W N E S

1 ♦

1 ♠ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 38

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ A

♥ A3

♦ QT7632

♣ K752

South:

♠ Q8

♥ JT96

♦ 5

♣ AQJ643

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♥ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 39

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ A93

♥ 542

♦ KJT9872

♣ -

South:

♠ KJ

♥ J96

♦ A54

♣ AJT76

W N E S

1 ♣

1 ♥ 3 ♦ All Pass

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 35**      ♠ AKJ3      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ 9876      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ AJ2  
 HCP: 13      ♣ T4

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**Board: 36**      ♠ J53      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ QJ9654      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ A53  
 HCP: 8+2      ♣ 5

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**Board: 37**      ♠ KJ6      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ KQ83      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ AJ98  
 HCP: 14      ♣ T5

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**Board: 38**      ♠ Q8      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ JT96      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ 5  
 HCP: 10+2      ♣ AQJ643

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**Board: 39**      ♠ KJ      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ J96      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ A54  
 HCP: 14+1      ♣ AJT76

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 35

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ Q95

♥ J42

♦ 5

♣ AQJ765

South:

♠ AKJ3

♥ 9876

♦ AJ2

♣ T4

W N E S

1 ♦

1 ♥ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 36

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K62

♥ AKT7

♦ J

♣ JT742

South:

♠ J53

♥ QJ9654

♦ A53

♣ 5

W N E S

1 ♣ 1 ♠ 2 ♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

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

### Board: 37

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ 53

♥ T62

♦ KT

♣ AQ9874

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ KQ83

♦ AJ98

♣ T5

W N E S

1 ♦

1 ♠ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 38

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ A

♥ A3

♦ QT7632

♣ K752

South:

♠ Q8

♥ JT96

♦ 5

♣ AQJ643

W N E S

1 ♦ 1 ♥ 2 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

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

### Board: 39

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3 ♦ North

North:

♠ A93

♥ 542

♦ KJT9872

♣ -

South:

♠ KJ

♥ J96

♦ A54

♣ AJT76

W N E S

1 ♣

1 ♥ 3 ♦ All Pass



## North hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 40**      ♠ AQ7      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ J765      East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ AJ973  
 HCP: 12+1      ♣ 2

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**Board: 41**      ♠ 932      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ T6      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ A6  
 HCP: 11+2      ♣ AQJT93

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**Board: 42**      ♠ AJ7642      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ AJT42      East (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ A  
 HCP: 14+3      ♣ 9

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**Board: 43**      ♠ T954      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ J      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ 83  
 HCP: 8+2      ♣ AQJ876

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**Board: 44**      ♠ A764      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ K63      East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ AJ72  
 HCP: 12      ♣ 53

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 40

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ AQ7

♥ J765

♦ AJ973

♣ 2

South:

♠ 9642

♥ 3

♦ 8

♣ AKJT754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♥	3 ♣

All Pass

### Board: 41

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ 932

♥ T6

♦ A6

♣ AQJT93

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ 95

♦ KJ753

♣ K75

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦

1 ♥	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
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All Pass

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

### Board: 42

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+3

South HCP: 6+3

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ AJ7642

♥ AJT42

♦ A

♣ 9

South:

♠ 8

♥ 98

♦ QJT7654

♣ K53

W	N	E	S
	1 ♠	2 ♣	3 ♦

All Pass

### Board: 43

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ T954

♥ J

♦ 83

♣ AQJ876

South:

♠ 873

♥ AK742

♦ AK5

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
			1 ♥

1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣	All Pass	
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

2. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 44

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ A764

♥ K63

♦ AJ72

♣ 53

South:

♠ Q5

♥ 952

♦ T6

♣ AQT982

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♥	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
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All Pass

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

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 40**      ♠ 9642      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 3      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ 8  
 HCP: 8+3      ♣ AKJT754

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**Board: 41**      ♠ KQ4      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ 95      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KJ753  
 HCP: 12+1      ♣ K75

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**Board: 42**      ♠ 8      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 98      East (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ QJT7654  
 HCP: 6+3      ♣ K53

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**Board: 43**      ♠ 873      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ AK742      West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ AK5  
 HCP: 14+1      ♣ 95

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**Board: 44**      ♠ Q5      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 952      East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ T6  
 HCP: 8+2      ♣ AQT982

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 40

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 8+3

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ AQ7

♥ J765

♦ AJ973

♣ 2

South:

♠ 9642

♥ 3

♦ 8

♣ AKJT754

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♥	3 ♣

All Pass

### Board: 41

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ 932

♥ T6

♦ A6

♣ AQJT93

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ 95

♦ KJ753

♣ K75

W	N	E	S
			1 ♦

1 ♥	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3 ♣
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All Pass

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

### Board: 42

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 14+3

South HCP: 6+3

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ AJ7642

♥ AJT42

♦ A

♣ 9

South:

♠ 8

♥ 98

♦ QJT7654

♣ K53

W	N	E	S
	1 ♠	2 ♣	3 ♦

All Pass

### Board: 43

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4 ♣ North

North:

♠ T954

♥ J

♦ 83

♣ AQJ876

South:

♠ 873

♥ AK742

♦ AK5

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
			1 ♥

1 ♠	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣	All Pass	
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

2. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 44

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ A764

♥ K63

♦ AJ72

♣ 53

South:

♠ Q5

♥ 952

♦ T6

♣ AQT982

W	N	E	S
	1 ♦	1 ♥	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
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All Pass

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

# North hands

# Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 45**      ♠ J2      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ98542      East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ J6  
 HCP: 13+4      ♣ K

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**Board: 46**      ♠ KQT5      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ J4      East (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ KT96  
 HCP: 12      ♣ K74

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**Board: 47**      ♠ K      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ QJ2      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ T6  
 HCP: 7+3      ♣ JT87532

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**Board: 48**      ♠ 97      You bid first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ A532      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ A864  
 HCP: 14      ♣ AQT

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**Board: 49**      ♠ 73      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ985      West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ 62      East (LHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ 874

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 45

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+4

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ AKJ98542

♦ J6

♣ K

South:

♠ AKT854

♥ -

♦ 732

♣ J632

W	N	E	S
	1♥	2♦	2♠ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	4♥	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 46

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ KQT5

♥ J4

♦ KT96

♣ K74

South:

♠ AJ9632

♥ K53

♦ 2

♣ 983

W	N	E	S
	1♦	2♣	2♠ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	3♠	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 47

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+3

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ K

♥ QJ2

♦ T6

♣ JT87532

South:

♠ A97

♥ 983

♦ KJ92

♣ AQ4

W	N	E	S
			1♦

1♥	3♣	All Pass
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### Board: 48

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 97

♥ A532

♦ A864

♣ AQT

South:

♠ JT52

♥ KQJT86

♦ 2

♣ 62

W	N	E	S
	1♦	1♠	3♥

Pass	4♥	All Pass
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### Board: 49

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 73

♥ AKQ985

♦ 62

♣ 874

South:

♠ AKQT5

♥ J62

♦ A94

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
			1♠

2♣	2♥ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	4♥
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All Pass

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

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 45**      ♠ AKT854      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ -      East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ 732  
 HCP: 8+2      ♣ J632

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**Board: 46**      ♠ AJ9632      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ K53      East (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ 2  
 HCP: 8+2      ♣ 983

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**Board: 47**      ♠ A97      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ 983      West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KJ92  
 HCP: 14      ♣ AQ4

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**Board: 48**      ♠ JT52      Partner bids first.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ KQJT86      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ 2  
 HCP: 7+2      ♣ 62

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**Board: 49**      ♠ AKQT5      You bid first.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ J62      West (LHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.  
 Vul: None      ♦ A94      East (RHO) bids 3 ♣ if possible.  
 HCP: 14+1      ♣ 63

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 45

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+4

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J2

♥ AKJ98542

♦ J6

♣ K

South:

♠ AKT854

♥ -

♦ 732

♣ J632

W	N	E	S
	1♥	2♦	2♠ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	4♥	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 46

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ KQT5

♥ J4

♦ KT96

♣ K74

South:

♠ AJ9632

♥ K53

♦ 2

♣ 983

W	N	E	S
	1♦	2♣	2♠ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	3♠	All Pass
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1. 1X-(Y)-2Z forcing

### Board: 47

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 7+3

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3♣ North

North:

♠ K

♥ QJ2

♦ T6

♣ JT87532

South:

♠ A97

♥ 983

♦ KJ92

♣ AQ4

W	N	E	S
			1♦

1♥	3♣	All Pass
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### Board: 48

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 97

♥ A532

♦ A864

♣ AQT

South:

♠ JT52

♥ KQJT86

♦ 2

♣ 62

W	N	E	S
	1♦	1♠	3♥

Pass	4♥	All Pass
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### Board: 49

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 73

♥ AKQ985

♦ 62

♣ 874

South:

♠ AKQT5

♥ J62

♦ A94

♣ 63

W	N	E	S
			1♠

2♣	2♥ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	4♥
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All Pass

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



**Board: 50**

♠ 93

You bid first.

Dealer: North

♥ KT754

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K7

HCP: 12+1

♣ AQ92

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 50**

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 3♣ South

**North:**

♠ 93

♥ KT754

♦ K7

♣ AQ92

**South:**

♠ JT7

♥ 8

♦ Q2

♣ KJT7653

**W**

**N**

**E**

**S**

1♥

1♠

3♣

All Pass

## South hands

## Negative\_Free\_Bid

**Board: 50**

♠ JT7

Partner bids first.

Dealer: North

♥ 8

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q2

HCP: 7+3

♣ KJT7653

## Both hands (Answers Page)

**Board: 50**

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 3 ♣ South

**North:**

♠ 93

♥ KT754

♦ K7

♣ AQ92

**South:**

♠ JT7

♥ 8

♦ Q2

♣ KJT7653

**W**

**N**

**E**

**S**

1 ♥

1 ♠

3 ♣

All Pass