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**Board 1**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3703 2263 3343 5134 HCP 5 1 26 8 Losers 8 10 4 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 2**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3424 4144 3442 3433 HCP 6 9 25 0 Losers 9 7 4 12

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 3**

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

N

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

Shape 2245 5422 3433 3343 HCP 9 2 25 4 Losers 7 9 5 12

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

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  4. A=0/5 or 3/5
  5. !C queen no !H king no !S king
- 7 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1520

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**Board 4**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3523 3253 3433 4234 HCP 6 7 25 2 Losers 9 8 5 11

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 5**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4261 5314 2353 2515 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 7 10 3 7

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 6**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4423 4333 4252 1435 HCP 6 6 24 4 Losers 10 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 7**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5413 1462 3334 4234 HCP 5 9 25 1 Losers 9 7 4 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 8**

South Deals

None Vul


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

N

W

S

E



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

Shape 5332 3352 3325 2434 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 10 9 4 10

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

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 6 — NS +490



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**Board 9**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

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

♠ A 4 3  
♥ A K Q 2  
♦ A K 5  
♣ A K 4

W N E S

Shape 2452 2344 3433 6214 HCP 7 3 27 3 Losers 9 10 4 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020

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**Board 10**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 1624 3244 3352 6223 HCP 10 1 25 4 Losers 6 11 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, surplus
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  4. A=1/5 or 4/5
  5. !H queen no !C king no !D king
- 7 ♥ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 11**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3514 2263 4243 4423 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 8 10 4 10

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

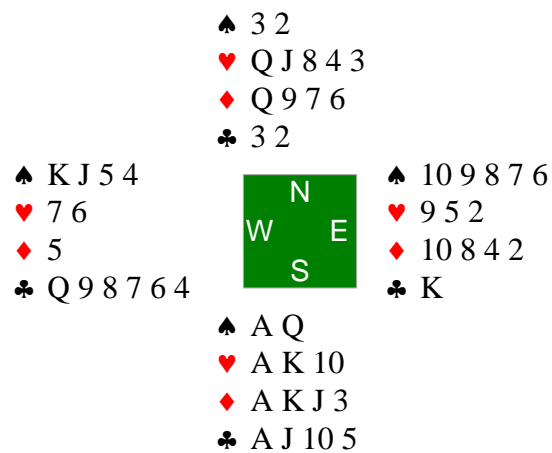
1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 12**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 2542 5341 2344 4216 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 8 10 5 7

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

- 1. strong
  - 2. waiting
  - 3 N by South
- Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 13**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4324 2335 2443 5341 HCP 12 0 25 3 Losers 8 11 4 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +2220

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**Board 14**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
♠ W		♠ E
	♠ S	

Shape 2362 2047 3424 6610 HCP 7 2 25 6 Losers 8 8 3 6

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 15**

South Deals

N-S Vul


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

W

N

S

E



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

Shape 6331 4135 2443 1534 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 9 9 3 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 16**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A K 8 2
♥ A K 6 5
♦ A 3
♣ A K 10



Shape 3244 3361 4423 3415 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 9 8 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460



None Vul

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

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

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

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

Shape 2263 3514 3244 5422 HCP 7 8 25 0 Losers 8 8 4 10

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

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 18**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4225 4540 2434 3244 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 9 8 4 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3 N by South  
 Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 19**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4162 3433 3334 3514 HCP 6 0 25 9 Losers 7 12 5 7

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=3 out of 4

4 N by South

Made 6 — NS +490

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**Board 20**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5224 3532 2344 3343 HCP 8 3 27 2 Losers 8 10 4 12

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

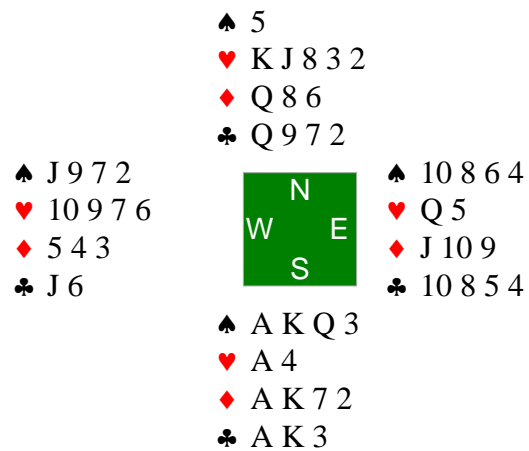
Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 21**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 1534 4234 4243 4432 HCP 8 3 27 2 Losers 7 11 3 11

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

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1470

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**Board 22**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 0814 7060 3343 3226 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 5 5 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4
5. King ask
6. K=1

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 23**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4342 2632 4225 3244 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 9 9 3 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S
6. A=0/5 or 3/5
7. King ask by 5 NT
8. K=1

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 24**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1534 7222 3343 2344 HCP 5 4 26 5 Losers 9 8 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 25**

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

W

N

E

S



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

♠ K Q 2
♥ K J 9
♦ A K Q J 10
♣ A J

Shape 7321 2506 3352 1264 HCP 5 9 24 2 Losers 8 5 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 26**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5332 3253 2434 3424 HCP 5 1 26 8 Losers 9 11 4 8

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 27**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

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



Shape 5044 4513 3433 1453 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 7 9 5 8

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +490

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**Board 28**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2524 5143 4333 2443 HCP 5 8 25 2 Losers 8 7 5 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 29**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 6322 4252 2344 1525 HCP 7 0 27 6 Losers 8 10 4 7

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 30**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3442 4414 3244 3343 HCP 5 6 26 3 Losers 9 9 3 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 31**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 1354 2623 3343 7123 HCP 7 2 27 4 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 3433 6313 2254 2443 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 10 10 3 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990



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**Board 33**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3433 4432 4333 2245 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 10 9 5 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
- Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 34**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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



Shape 3343 4441 2425 4234 HCP 6 5 24 5 Losers 10 8 3 10

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 35**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 2344 6232 3433 2434 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 9 8 5 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 36**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2425 6250 3334 2434 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 8 6 5 11

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

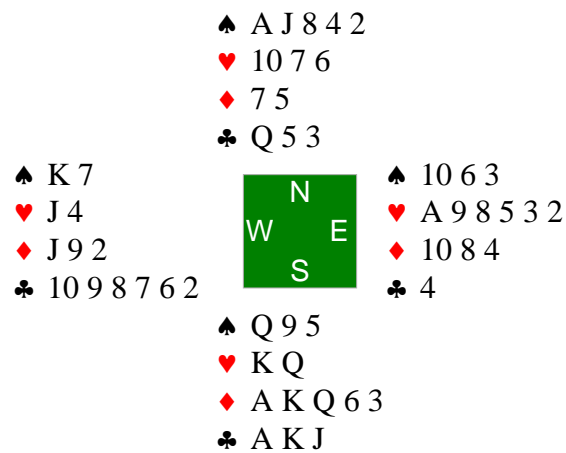
1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 37**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 5323 3631 3253 2236 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1
- 5 ♠ by North  
Made 5 — NS +650

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**Board 38**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5152 4342 3424 1525 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 8 10 4 7

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

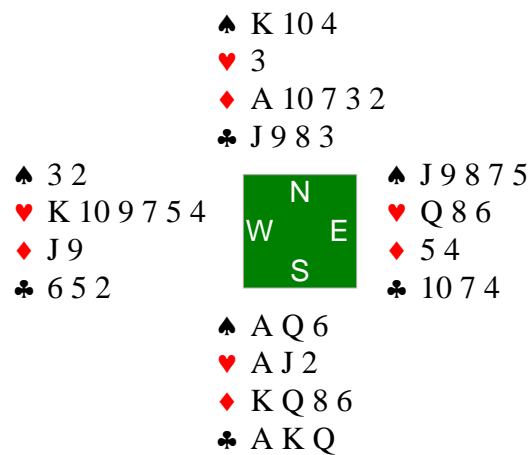
1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 39**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 3154 5323 3343 2623 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !D queen and !C king
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1390

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**Board 40**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3343 2452 3343 5305 HCP 6 0 26 8 Losers 10 10 4 7

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

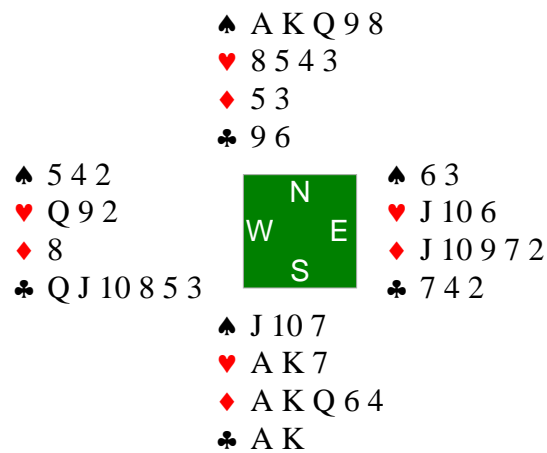


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**Board 41**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5422 2353 3352 3316 HCP 9 2 24 5 Losers 7 11 4 8

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=3
- 7 ♠ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1510

**Board 42**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

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

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



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

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

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

1. strong
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1390

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**Board 43**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 7 6
♥ 9 8 6 5
♦ Q 8 7
♣ 9 8 7 6

♠ A Q 4
♥ K Q 4
♦ A K
♣ A K J 10 3

Shape 4252 2434 3325 4432 HCP 10 2 26 2 Losers 8 10 3 11

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=2
- 6 N by North
- Made 7 — NS +1020

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**Board 44**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4432 2533 4243 3235 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 8 9 4 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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### Board 45

## South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

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

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

Shape 2443 3442 3334 5224 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 9 10 5 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 46**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ A 5 3
♥ A 3
♦ A K J
♣ A K J 5 3



Shape 5422 1444 3235 4342 HCP 10 1 24 5 Losers 7 10 5 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !S queen no !C king no !D king no !H king
- 7 ♠ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 47**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4126 3433 3352 3532 HCP 5 4 26 5 Losers 8 11 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♣ by South

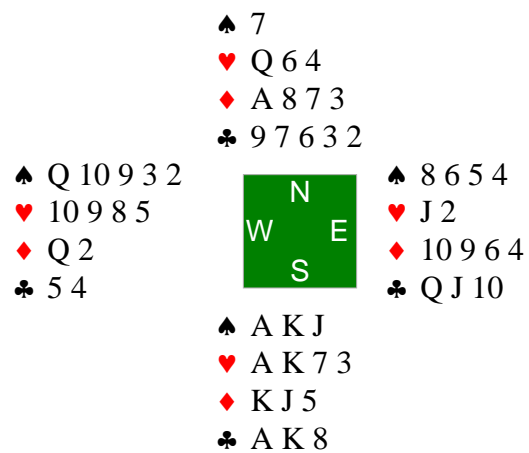
Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 48**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 1345 4243 3433 5422 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 8 10 5 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +490



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**Board 49**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5044 2434 4333 2632 HCP 5 4 26 5 Losers 8 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 50**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 1615 5251 3343 4234 HCP 7 0 27 6 Losers 6 9 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +1460

3929ED39AA50164FC887BCDF5047

**Board 51**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3424 4432 3343 3244 HCP 6 1 25 8 Losers 9 11 5 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 52**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4243 3523 3253 3424 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

3AADA96AED1E3ADCF73ECFF680D6

**Board 53**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3262 1336 3433 6412 HCP 5 9 25 1 Losers 9 7 5 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♦ × by North

Made 6 — NS +1540

398949692C8C80045FD63A315E34

**Board 54**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5521 4333 3244 1345 HCP 8 5 25 2 Losers 7 10 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 55**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5332 3244 3235 2632 HCP 5 1 25 9 Losers 9 11 4 8

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

7 ♠× by North


Down 1 — NS -200

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**Board 56**

## South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2425 3352 3433 5233 HCP 11 1 26 2 Losers 7 11 5 10

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

1. strong
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. !C queen and !H king

7 N by North

Made 7 — NS +1520



3969B93B81FE7B5F6E13B2D5C27F

**Board 57**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ K J 5
♥ A 7
♦ A K Q 9
♣ A K J 4

Shape 2245 5314 3244 3640 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 9 4 7

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 58**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4315 3424 3352 3352 HCP 5 4 24 7 Losers 10 10 5 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 59**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3352 4423 3253 3415 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 10 9 3 9

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

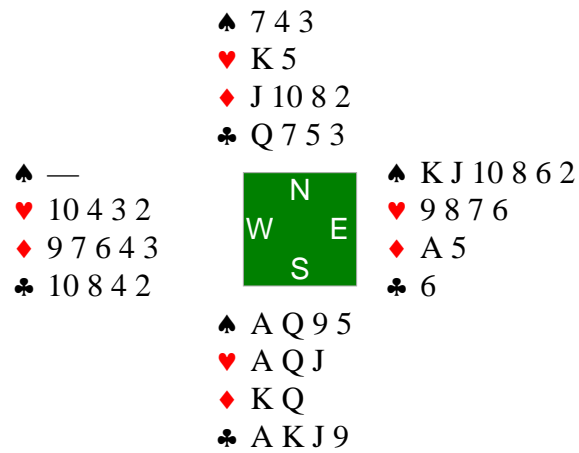
1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 60**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3244 6421 4324 0454 HCP 6 8 26 0 Losers 9 7 4 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Quantitative 4 NT  
 4 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +690

### *Board 61*

Both Vul

♠ A Q 6  
 ♥ K Q 6  
 ♦ A Q J 8  
 ♣ A K 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

Made 6 — NS +1440

38A9E3A29114DB4878C31C7DFFDA

**Board 62**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2254 3532 3343 5314 HCP 7 3 27 3 Losers 8 11 4 9

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

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 63**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A Q 8 7
♥ A J 7 4
♦ A K
♣ A K 7

Shape 4441 1345 4423 4234 HCP 9 3 25 3 Losers 7 9 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 64**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3442 5413 3253 2335 HCP 6 8 24 2 Losers 9 7 4 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 65**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4234 1633 4342 4234 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 66**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3325 5332 2434 3352 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 10 9 3 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 67**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4522 5422 3352 1147 HCP 6 2 26 6 Losers 8 9 4 7

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !H queen no !C king no !D king

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 68**

South Deals

Both Vul

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



Shape 3343 5242 2443 3415 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 7 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 69**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2434 4342 4333 3334 HCP 6 7 25 2 Losers 10 9 4 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

49AAE94BEB41FE0C64C51E701790

**Board 70**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3433 4333 2443 4234 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 10 10 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 71**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3352 3433 3235 4423 HCP 5 5 24 6 Losers 9 11 4 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

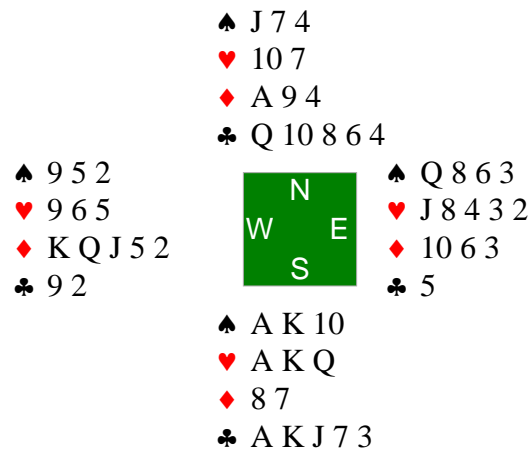
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 72**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 3235 4531 3325 3352 HCP 7 3 24 6 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +920



49AB99F9D3A2106CD7E2FB57123C

**Board 73**

South Deals

E-W Vul


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

W

N

S

E



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

♠ A K 10
♥ A 10 8 6
♦ A K Q 5
♣ K Q

Shape 3055 2623 3442 5323 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 8 9 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
- Made 7 — NS +520

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**Board 74**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4324 4315 3253 2551 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 9 9 3 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

48A197A85147766174178A7A4408

**Board 75**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2443 7303 4333 0364 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 9 8 5 7

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

**Board 76**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

Shape 1525 5233 4243 3442 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 7 9 4 10

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440

4B2DAF215041D80A7F34F548418A

**Board 77**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4522 5242 2335 2344 HCP 9 5 25 1 Losers 7 9 3 11

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=1
- 7 ♥ by North  
Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 78**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3424 5224 3352 2443 HCP 10 6 24 0 Losers 8 8 5 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

4AA5951F79E0900F15D2CBF47E1E

**Board 79**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4243 2623 3244 4333 HCP 6 7 26 1 Losers 8 8 4 12

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
6 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1470

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**Board 80**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4324 3424 2452 4243 HCP 6 5 24 5 Losers 9 10 3 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430



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**Board 81**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
W		E
	♠ S	

Shape 4342 2434 2335 5332 HCP 6 1 25 8 Losers 9 11 3 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
- Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 82**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4135 4333 4324 1651 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 8 11 4 7

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

59A9198CB7CDDF50552A3FCB57CE

**Board 83**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3415 3532 3244 4252 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 84**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3415 3433 3352 4243 HCP 8 2 24 6 Losers 7 12 5 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

5AADE921A4D83CCB0A31DA444EBE

**Board 85**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4441 2254 3424 4324 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 8 9 4 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

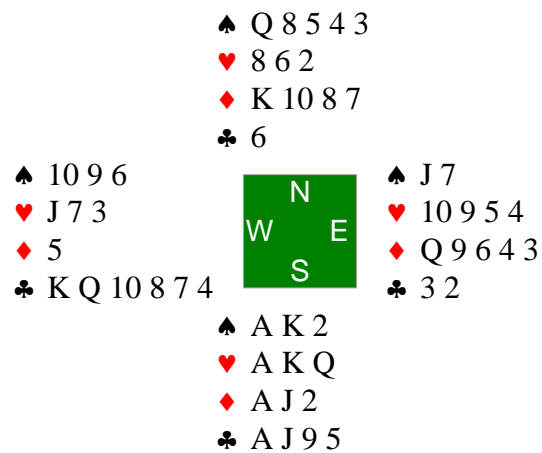
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 86**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 5341 2452 3334 3316 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

5BA98C9DCF50376B66DD7814F657

**Board 87**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2254 5512 3343 3334 HCP 5 2 25 8 Losers 9 8 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 88**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3334 2236 4342 4531 HCP 9 4 25 2 Losers 10 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990



59ABA879CC1219357A66CF1EC0C2

**Board 89**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4432 3325 2353 4333 HCP 5 2 25 8 Losers 10 10 3 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 90**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5314 3352 3343 2434 HCP 8 5 25 2 Losers 9 10 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +1430

5881E135AF54930AD6CE57D7AF37

**Board 91**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3316 2533 4333 4261 HCP 7 1 25 7 Losers 8 11 5 7

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !C queen no !S king
- 6 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +920

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**Board 92**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5215 3532 3352 2344 HCP 8 0 25 7 Losers 6 11 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  5. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♠× by North
- Down 1 — NS -200

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**Board 93**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2452 3433 3334 5224 HCP 6 4 27 3 Losers 9 11 4 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Down 1 — NS -100

58A9A1D05F0B161C1264D9FCB728

**Board 94**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5143 2632 3433 3235 HCP 5 5 26 4 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

5AA63529A6DA5D6FFC5FFC3B3831

**Board 95**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5053 3343 2434 3613 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 7 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 96**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5215 3451 3334 2443 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +520



68A1E13BBFDC4353DAF98635C65A

**Board 97**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2344 3424 3244 5431 HCP 7 1 26 6 Losers 9 11 4 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

6A05A5AB9FEB1ED6F3FEBEE2F20A

**Board 98**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3244 0337 4432 6430 HCP 12 3 25 0 Losers 8 8 3 9

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

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by North

Made 7 — NS +1470

69E1A9FB9D0C4E1096533DE0550E

**Board 99**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4342 3523 3325 3253 HCP 6 1 24 9 Losers 10 11 5 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

6BBDEFAA0DC31A1F704CA0F65B33

**Board 100**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4315 3343 3352 3433 HCP 5 2 24 9 Losers 9 11 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

**Board 101**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A K J 6  
 ♥ A Q J  
 ♦ A K 6  
 ♣ A 6 4

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440

69A9B0E90EA4F41140135EDB623E

**Board 102**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4252 3424 3433 3334 HCP 5 1 25 9 Losers 9 11 4 9

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

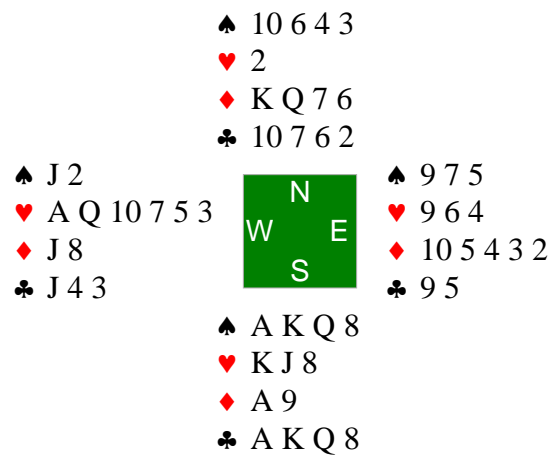
1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 103**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4144 3352 4324 2623 HCP 5 0 26 9 Losers 8 11 3 8

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

1. strong

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

68A1C1227FFF3317147786B6539F

**Board 104**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4207 3433 4252 2551 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 6 11 3 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♣ by South

Made 7 — NS +940



69A961603973D772D51B9B3ECCC4

**Board 105**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3244 4432 2344 4423 HCP 6 5 26 3 Losers 9 9 4 10

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

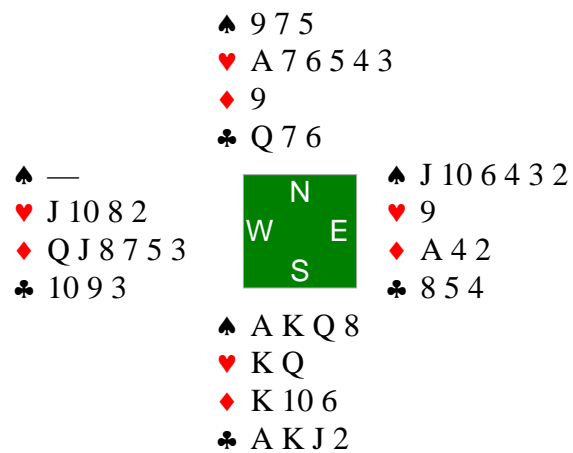
1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 106**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 3613 6133 4234 0463 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 8 9 4 8

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +1430

6881A320BB794CEAFF58EF7F7AD5

**Board 107**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W
N
E

♠ 10 9 6 4 3
♥ 6 2
♦ 9 7 5 4
♣ 8 3

♠ A K J
♥ K Q 8 5
♦ A K Q
♣ A 10 2

Shape 1255 5242 3433 4513 HCP 11 0 26 3 Losers 7 10 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !D queen and !S king
  5. King ask by 5 NT
  6. K=2
- 7 N by North
- Made 7 — NS +1520

6AA535904FCB79176296F0CB1237

**Board 108**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 4315 3433 3253 3442 HCP 6 3 24 7 Losers 9 11 4 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 4 — NS +630

6BBD8D09CE45063A987A62295B48

**Board 109**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A K 7
♥ 5 4
♦ A K J
♣ A K Q 10 4



Shape 4621 5215 3235 1372 HCP 8 1 24 7 Losers 6 9 4 7

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 6 — NS +1430

68A163B44F7D09503ADE22C4C3CC

**Board 110**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3523 4243 2353 4324 HCP 5 5 24 6 Losers 10 10 5 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

**Board 111**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

♣ 10 4 2

♣ Q 8 5

♣ A K J 9

♣ 7 6 3

*EPBot3*

 $4 \text{ NT}^2$ 

Made 6 — NS +1430

69A9A780011178E65F3FC6BCD76E

**Board 112**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3334 3343 4423 3343 HCP 10 3 25 2 Losers 9 11 4 11

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

1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990



7899A029E1CC0817FC7EE51E3E19

**Board 113**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ A K
♥ K Q J 5
♦ K J
♣ A Q J 5 2

Shape 6241 1453 2425 4324 HCP 8 4 24 4 Losers 6 9 3 10

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

7A9585C7A01351D2730EBE6C5740

**Board 114**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

S

N

E

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

Shape 2434 5503 4243 2263 HCP 7 4 25 4 Losers 8 8 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

79A9580BAA73127C47053C58F7AC

**Board 115**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A J 2
♥ A J 2
♦ A K Q J 4
♣ A 6

Shape 4324 5332 3352 1435 HCP 6 7 24 3 Losers 8 9 5 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460

7B8D2DE5534AD03310CDDF3049B4

**Board 116**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4423 3451 2245 4324 HCP 10 3 25 2 Losers 9 10 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

7AA5352396E35AFF4BD3DDEB807B

**Board 117**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2227 3442 3433 5341 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 7 11 5 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

796B8989EB1E127F367EEF157CE3

**Board 118**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4225 4324 2443 3451 HCP 10 4 25 1 Losers 8 10 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=2 out of 4

4 N by South

Made 6 — NS +490

7BA6AD6DC08C3BF210C2F62A4B83

**Board 119**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3523 2155 4432 4333 HCP 5 7 26 2 Losers 10 8 3 12

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

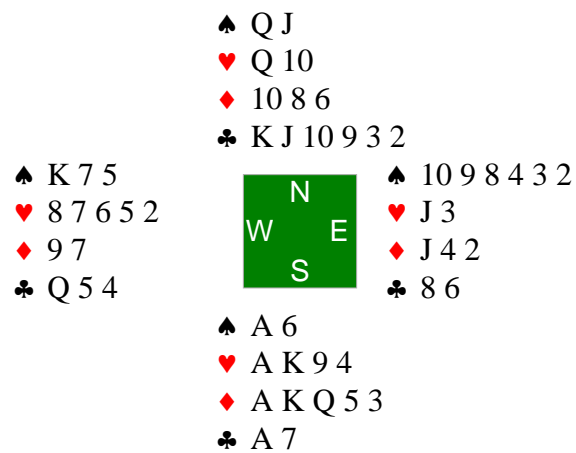
1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

78A1E3001F4B677AF5BAF06C537F

**Board 120**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 2236 6232 2452 3523 HCP 9 2 24 5 Losers 9 10 3 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

7 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50



79A92B96E284F63ADF075DDCCBE3

**Board 121**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A Q 10
♥ A K J 2
♦ A K 8 3
♣ A 5



Shape 3325 1444 3442 6232 HCP 7 7 25 1 Losers 9 7 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. no !C queen
- 6 ♣× by South  
 Made 6 — NS +1090

7BAD6B2D02E81A31DDFB70479B43

**Board 122**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	♠ K 5 4 2
	♥ 9 7 3
	♦ J 8 5 2
	♣ J 9

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



Shape 4315 4342 2434 3352 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 10 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

7821B2A3FAA41418415713167A14

**Board 123**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 6133 3604 3352 1354 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 8 8 3 9

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

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

7A852965C6D30E057683D21072FB

**Board 124**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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



Shape 4513 3325 2254 4351 HCP 8 6 25 1 Losers 8 9 3 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
- 6 N by South  
 Made 7 — NS +1470

7B2D8E2DA64A14781D704A34EB4A

**Board 125**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5431 5215 2443 1354 HCP 10 4 26 0 Losers 7 8 3 10

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=0

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

78A1C360F3CE2ABA1E593778EAD0

**Board 126**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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



Shape 3253 3325 2452 5413 HCP 7 2 24 7 Losers 9 10 3 8

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=2
- 7 ♦ by South
- Down 1 — NS -50

7AE5A70D24CF9E33F24ABAB8797E

**Board 127**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3343 3145 4333 3622 HCP 10 0 25 5 Losers 8 10 5 9

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

1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +1440

79A1A9FB0EE14E0FF25115F64478

**Board 128**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 6 3 2
♥ 6 5
♦ 5 4 3
♣ J 9 7 4

♠ A K
♥ A K 10
♦ K Q 2
♣ A K 10 6 5

Shape 3442 4234 2335 4432 HCP 8 1 26 5 Losers 10 11 3 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020



88C1A1416B8576D61B70542B3856

**Board 129**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

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



Shape 3343 6403 2344 2353 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 10 8 3 10

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

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by North

Made 6 — NS +490


8AA7A720A20E91024472DA484CC1

**Board 130**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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



♠ A K J 9
♥ A K Q J
♦ A K 7
♣ 9 2

Shape 3622 4225 4432 2164 HCP 9 1 25 5 Losers 7 10 4 7

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

1. strong
  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. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1460

89A96827C87E507A0F3EB186178C

**Board 131**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4423 4234 4342 1444 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

8BBDAF2175146BC0CE92583A87CA

**Board 132**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3433 3334 4333 3343 HCP 6 3 26 5 Losers 10 11 4 11

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

8AA5050D344257DAEC52EEBFE232

**Board 133**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4342 3316 2443 4342 HCP 13 0 25 2 Losers 6 10 4 11

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +2220

89A9B5158356E3F7E41F49D3FA3C

**Board 134**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A K J	
♥ A 9 7	
♦ A 5 3	
♣ A K Q 5	



Shape 3235 2452 3334 5422 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 10 7 5 9

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

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430

**Board 135**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

♥ K

♣ 9 8 4

♥ Q 10 7

♣ 7 6 5



♥ 9 8 5 4 3 2

♣ J 3 2

♥ A J 6

♣ A K Q 10

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

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

#### 4. !S queen and !H king

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

8881AD3D2749360CEA5615CCE6C2

**Board 136**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
♠ W		♠ E
	♠ S	

Shape 5521 2245 2425 4252 HCP 8 5 24 3 Losers 7 8 3 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. no !H queen
- 7 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1520



8929AAEB0E7BF3FD6647BF445E0D

**Board 137**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 7 6 4 3
♥ 3
♦ 7 6 4
♣ K J 7 3

♠ K 5
♥ A K Q 7
♦ A K Q 10
♣ A 8 2

Shape 3415 5134 2443 3451 HCP 8 4 25 3 Losers 8 9 3 9

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

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

8BAD29CC6626D27C8BBE3610F413

**Board 138**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5242 2335 3442 3424 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 9 11 4 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

88A199F3D34907D77CE4BDD20E0E

**Board 139**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3424 2443 3244 5332 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

8AADA9A0C315EA1F1AD6463230FF

**Board 140**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5233 1435 3433 4342 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 10 9 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South
- Made 6 — NS +690

8BAD1DD14779B60AD03D5BF0372E

**Board 141**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5233 3433 2245 3532 HCP 6 8 24 2 Losers 10 9 3 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

8891A96984EC0B553F7AF24C9F34

**Board 142**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3343 4342 4324 2434 HCP 6 6 26 2 Losers 10 9 3 11

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Quantitative 4 NT  
 6 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 143**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4432 2416 4252 3343 HCP 5 1 24 10 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 4 — NS +620

89ADAB7A811E30020D1E79B672DC

**Board 144**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

♠ Q 5 3

♥ 10 6 2

♦ 4

♣ Q 10 8 6 4 3

N  
W     E  
S

♠ A K J 4
♥ A K
♦ K Q 5
♣ A J 7 5

Shape 5341 3316 4234 1552 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 10 8 4 7

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

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +430



98E961A17F081A3E4A7EF8F7F9A2

**Board 145**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3262 4135 2434 4612 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 9 9 3 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=2 out of 4

4 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

9A95A76E2FD6F8F6137A24533DFF

**Board 146**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

Shape 4045 3424 2452 4522 HCP 8 8 24 0 Losers 7 8 3 10

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣× by South

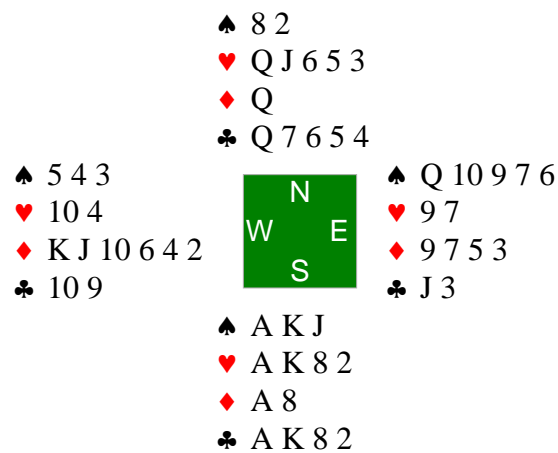
Made 6 — NS +1540

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**Board 147**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 2515 5242 3424 3262 HCP 7 3 26 4 Losers 7 9 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020

9BAFAD5A6BE50746005F7C79FA74

**Board 148**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2344 7213 2443 2443 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 10 7 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

9AA7A5F88D1AF00FEE7D3A19B23A

**Board 149**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A K J 3
♥ A K 7
♦ A K
♣ K J 6 4



Shape 5242 1255 4324 3622 HCP 6 2 26 6 Losers 9 8 4 8

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +690

99A98E85F948D6E40FD00A1A32F2

**Board 150**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4531 1336 3253 5323 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 8 8 4 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

9BAD95A4C4FB73577A2A737F11A4

**Board 151**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2155 5332 4423 2533 HCP 7 3 26 4 Losers 7 10 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

9821A104F45D5CBB80424A53F77B

**Board 152**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2434 6322 3253 2434 HCP 8 0 24 8 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490



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**Board 153**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5314 3343 2344 3442 HCP 7 6 26 1 Losers 8 10 4 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

9BEDA5F5DD30A69AD53800165416

**Board 154**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5170 1624 3325 4324 HCP 5 1 25 9 Losers 5 9 4 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 155**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 0355 5224 4432 4432 HCP 5 8 27 0 Losers 8 8 3 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

**Board 156**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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



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

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

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

1. strong  
2. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

9BED65A534D6FB9112DD4B17BB58

**Board 157**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3154 3622 3325 4342 HCP 7 3 24 6 Losers 8 9 3 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

**Board 158**  
South Deals  
None Vul

Shape 0454 7312 3433 3244 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 7 8 4 10

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

9AA5874CADD3DA7105D7021AF2D3

**Board 159**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3424 2524 3244 5251 HCP 11 2 25 2 Losers 8 10 5 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +2220

992969A43A1DB43712DC461C0DB3

**Board 160**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 7222 2443 3334 1444 HCP 5 6 26 3 Losers 8 9 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980



A829A120BAFAD6D05B33321C3FDD

**Board 161**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 6043 1534 2353 4513 HCP 11 1 25 3 Losers 6 10 3 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

AA8526A4743F3F1A5FB179726EF3

**Board 162**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4144 5224 3343 1732 HCP 7 4 25 4 Losers 8 9 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

A9A1C8A9A8854E74C2CE3E7753C7

**Board 163**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1633 4144 4333 4333 HCP 7 0 26 7 Losers 8 10 4 10

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

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5
6. !H queen and !D king

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

ABADCD9AC51F38D104DD00DA4220

**Board 164**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5521 1543 2245 5134 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 8 8 4 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +650

AA85A4D5CD1C52FE237D62FA0E41

**Board 165**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 3451 4315 2335 4342 HCP 6 2 26 6 Losers 9 9 3 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 166**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4333 4522 2425 3163 HCP 6 6 24 4 Losers 10 8 3 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460

AB2DED8E707E4131D81B2884461B

**Board 167**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5422 4333 2344 2344 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 8 11 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 168**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2263 2713 3244 6223 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 8 8 4 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490



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**Board 169**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3334 3316 3352 4441 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 11 8 3 9

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

1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 170**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3343 2344 3424 5332 HCP 6 2 26 6 Losers 10 11 4 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

**Board 171**  
South Deals  
None Vul

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

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



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

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

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

1. strong  
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C  
3. A=1/5 or 4/5  
4. !C queen no !S king  
6 ♣ by South  
Made 7 — NS +940

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**Board 172**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2245 5323 3352 3523 HCP 9 0 24 7 Losers 8 11 5 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 173**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3325 4252 3352 3514 HCP 9 0 25 6 Losers 9 10 4 7

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

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by North

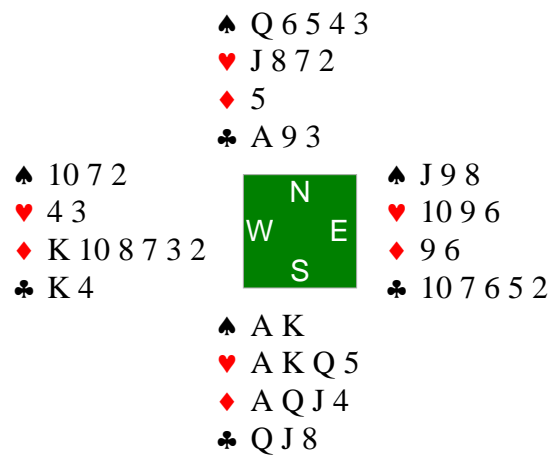
Made 7 — NS +1470

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**Board 174**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 5413 3325 2443 3262 HCP 7 1 26 6 Losers 8 11 3 8

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=0

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 175**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3235 3253 3334 4621 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 9 10 4 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 176**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3442 2434 3235 5332 HCP 5 0 26 9 Losers 10 11 3 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 177**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1552 2254 4333 6304 HCP 7 5 27 1 Losers 7 8 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020

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**Board 178**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2335 3442 4225 4441 HCP 5 2 24 9 Losers 10 11 3 7

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 179**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4342 1615 4234 4252 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 9 7 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

BBADB9674C37228CEA720A447AB6

**Board 180**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3442 5026 4432 1543 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 10 7 4 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 181**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3433 3433 4243 3334 HCP 7 1 26 6 Losers 10 12 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 182**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5143 1723 2434 5143 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 8 3 9

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

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990

**Board 183**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

♣ 6

♣ 7 2

♣ A K 5 3

♣ Q J 10 9 8 4

*EPBot3*

6 ♠

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. King ask by 5 NT
6. K=0

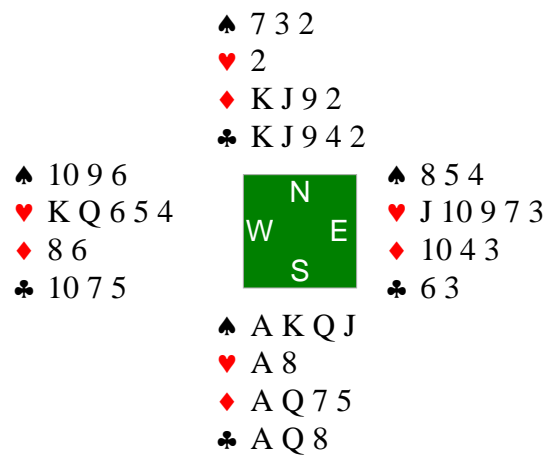
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 184**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 3145 3532 4243 3523 HCP 8 1 26 5 Losers 8 11 3 9

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

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1520



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**Board 185**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3424 3532 4324 3163 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 10 9 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

BBACA52CFC7CF62E42155A0B0A54

**Board 186**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5341 4315 2452 2335 HCP 5 0 26 9 Losers 8 10 2 9

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

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by North

Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 187**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4333 3442 3253 3415 HCP 8 5 26 1 Losers 9 10 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020

BAA59F2522FE2348CA90BC58D10E

**Board 188**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4342 2434 4423 3244 HCP 9 4 26 1 Losers 8 10 4 11

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 189**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4432 3343 3325 3343 HCP 9 5 25 1 Losers 8 10 4 12

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N× by South

Down 1 — NS -200

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**Board 190**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4234 5323 2344 2542 HCP 9 4 27 0 Losers 8 10 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

BA652425C453E2F0DBCE928A4F4D

**Board 191**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2533 4324 2443 5143 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 10 10 3 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

B999AB59D3D03428925C00FB10B6

**Board 192**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4153 2722 4252 3316 HCP 5 9 25 1 Losers 9 7 3 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430



C881AD20382E10794FD4484F64BC

**Board 193**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4432 5251 3433 1327 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 9 8 4 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

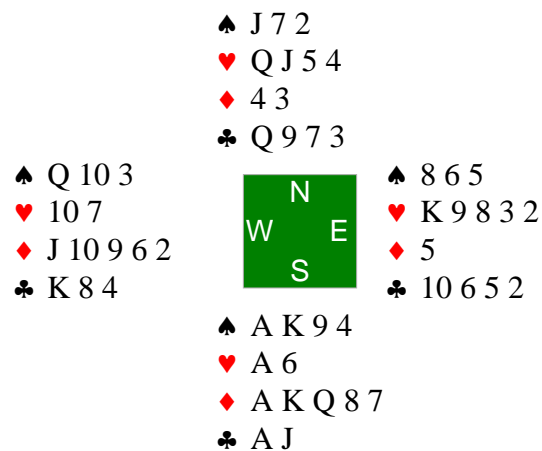
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 194**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3424 3514 4252 3253 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 9 9 3 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Quantitative 4 NT  
 7 N× by South  
 Down 2 — NS -500

C9A9ADC206F6D507CE74CF8E6FAB

**Board 195**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ A K 4 2	
	♥ A K 3 2	
	♦ A 2	
	♣ A K 9	

Shape 2614 2155 4423 5251 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 8 8 4 7

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

1. strong

2. waiting

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

CB3D9DADEB34F2BA07537BA610D6

**Board 196**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4144 2434 4333 3532 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 9 10 3 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

CAA58015F13401C95A3247CB5BEE

**Board 197**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4513 3343 2245 4342 HCP 5 2 24 9 Losers 8 11 3 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

3 N by South

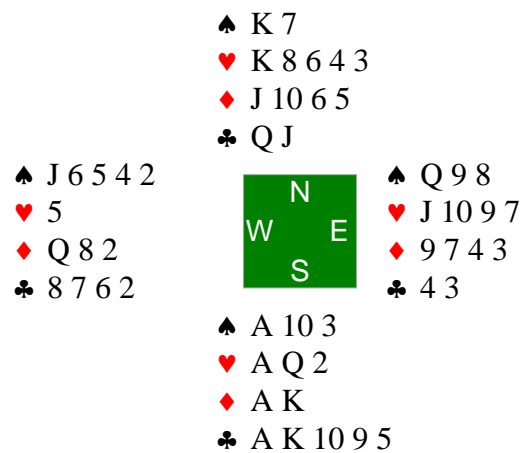
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 198**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 2542 3442 3325 5134 HCP 10 3 24 3 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♥ by North

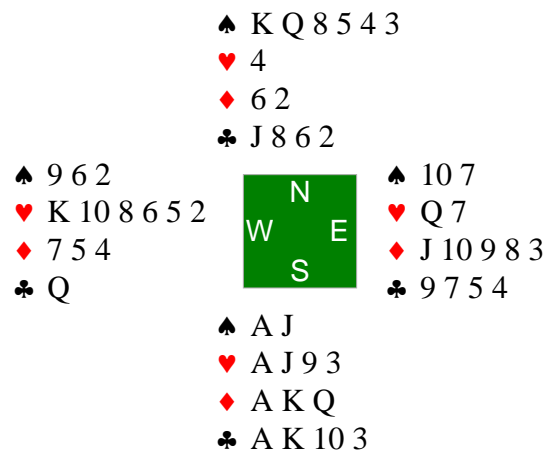
Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 199**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 6124 2254 2434 3631 HCP 6 3 26 5 Losers 7 10 4 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1460

C8A1AAA42B055009F84C52C65AFC

**Board 200**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3451 4324 3433 3235 HCP 6 3 27 4 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990



C989ADAF4B74D4355C42C1A35C04

**Board 201**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 2533 5341 4324 2245 HCP 8 1 26 5 Losers 9 10 3 8

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

CBAD8F5C48A27ACBB7D204593F3E

**Board 202**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3424 4324 4252 2443 HCP 7 5 24 4 Losers 9 9 3 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

C8E1A14B8C9FCCF37D14E3C75C0E

**Board 203**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2515 3361 3343 5224 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

CAA5498722489211DF411AF383F1

**Board 204**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3514 3433 4225 3271 HCP 8 7 24 1 Losers 7 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440

CBAD414DBAB67058CF3433C345E1

**Board 205**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2533 5152 3235 3523 HCP 5 9 24 2 Losers 9 6 4 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

C821E961844FB2CABF7E58FC8FC8

**Board 206**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 1543 4153 4333 4414 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 8 9 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
  3. Cue bid, surplus
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  5. A=1/5 or 4/5
  6. !H queen and !C king
- 7 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1510

CAA5A40A1A13EF78C2CCF59AFB05

**Board 207**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4423 1354 3343 5323 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 9 8 5 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

C9A989C34245C5EB7CF03651729C

**Board 208**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A K 2	
♥ A 8	
♦ A K 8	
♣ A K 10 9 4	



Shape 1552 5233 3235 4423 HCP 11 2 25 2 Losers 6 11 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. !D queen no !S king no !C king
- 7 N by South  
 Made 7 — NS +1520



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**Board 209**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3235 3442 4243 3523 HCP 7 5 26 2 Losers 9 10 3 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

DAA795E9C90763474CD0705317D2

**Board 210**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2416 5521 2353 4153 HCP 5 6 26 3 Losers 8 8 3 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

D9A99563191A7E4CDFDE8C73C08B

**Board 211**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 2434 4513 4243 3253 HCP 5 9 26 0 Losers 9 8 5 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

**Board 212**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

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

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

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

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. !H queen and !S king
- 7 ♥ by North  
Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 213**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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



Shape 6232 1615 2245 4351 HCP 7 8 25 0 Losers 8 6 3 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !S queen no !C king no !D king no !H king
- 7 ♠ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 214**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3433 5332 2344 3334 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 9 9 4 12

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

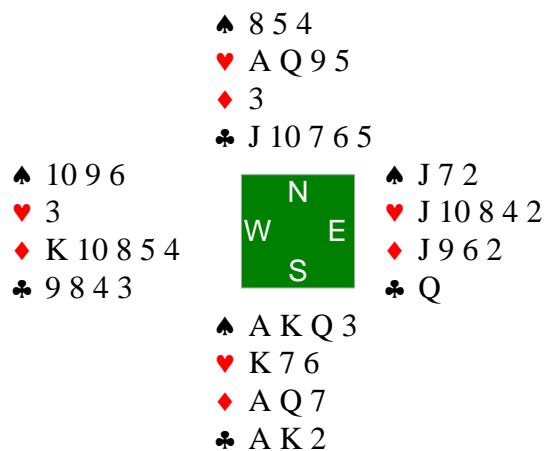
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 215**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 3415 3541 4333 3154 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !C queen

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 216**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5413 3172 3325 2533 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 8 8 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490



**Board 217**  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

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

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



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

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

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 218**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

Shape 3244 5224 3442 2533 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 9 10 3 10

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 219**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3622 4036 3442 3343 HCP 10 3 26 1 Losers 8 8 3 12

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 220**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2524 3433 4243 4243 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 11 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
6 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 221**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3433 4153 2344 4513 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 10 9 4 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

D8A2A1025AFB3F1F40F6873C7CE1

**Board 222**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4324 3244 3352 3523 HCP 5 9 26 0 Losers 9 9 3 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490

DAA567B68E08C2F1C6514B5CF28F

**Board 223**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 1633 4225 4243 4342 HCP 5 6 27 2 Losers 9 8 3 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

D9E94939AC52C207C647B2B5F1FE

**Board 224**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 2542 3145 3235 5521 HCP 5 3 24 8 Losers 9 9 4 7

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 225**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3352 4513 3343 3235 HCP 7 4 26 3 Losers 9 9 5 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 226**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3316 5242 3343 2542 HCP 6 7 27 0 Losers 8 8 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 ♣ by South

Down 1 — NS -100

E969C9A805DC073735BE577FD1CA

**Board 227**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4414 3352 2245 4432 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 9 10 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 228**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4234 5323 2353 2533 HCP 10 0 25 5 Losers 8 11 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

EAA5AFDD79F4CB3F421B513AA0BE

**Board 229**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3244 3343 4324 3532 HCP 8 4 25 3 Losers 8 11 4 10

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

1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 230**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4513 5341 4252 0337 HCP 7 6 24 3 Losers 7 8 3 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

6. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠× by South

Made 6 — NS +1210

EB4DAD6D1AB4C37FCB17E82032D2

**Board 231**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4324 3343 2443 4333 HCP 5 8 26 1 Losers 10 10 2 12

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

E821E15212DB540CBDAAC8463038

**Board 232**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5341 3424 2353 3325 HCP 5 8 24 3 Losers 9 8 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430



E9C9A9AC0DFA0E50934D573BD4D7

**Board 233**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3424 3532 3244 4243 HCP 6 0 25 9 Losers 10 11 4 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

EB2DAD50202702F197FB1BF17A7F

**Board 234**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5125 3352 2434 3532 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 8 8 4 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

E8A193E3DB24427278154A441D34

**Board 235**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4333 5413 2353 2344 HCP 7 4 26 3 Losers 10 9 3 11

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 7 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

EAA5AD13DC5EC0DAF2BD0C5D6147

**Board 236**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 10 4 3 2
♥ Q J 10 8 4
♦ 8
♣ 10 8 7

♠ A K 6
♥ A K 3
♦ A 2
♣ A K 6 4 3

Shape 2362 4513 3325 4243 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 9 9 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. no !D queen
- 6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440

EB2DEDA5FA8A223202180A09FE10

**Board 237**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 8410 0247 2434 3352 HCP 6 1 27 6 Losers 6 8 3 10

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 238**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4315 3433 2353 4342 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 9 10 4 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 7 — NS +520

**Board 239**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

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

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



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

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

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 240**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3325 3343 2353 5422 HCP 5 0 24 11 Losers 10 12 4 7

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +430



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**Board 241**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4252 3235 2443 4513 HCP 11 2 25 2 Losers 8 10 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. no !D queen
- 7 ♦ by North  
Made 7 — NS +1440

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**Board 242**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

Shape 2524 5134 2254 4531 HCP 5 4 24 7 Losers 8 10 3 8

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3 N by South  
 Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 243**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3433 3442 2254 5314 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 10 10 3 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 244**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3442 2344 4324 4333 HCP 7 5 26 2 Losers 9 10 3 12

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 245**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 246**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4423 1246 3352 5422 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 9 9 3 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020

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**Board 247**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3334 5332 3433 2344 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 10 9 5 10

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 248**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2362 4414 3244 4423 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 8 8 3 11

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. !D queen and !C king
- 6 ♦ by North  
Made 7 — NS +940



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**Board 249**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

E

S

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

♠ A K 6 3
♥ A 4
♦ A Q J 10 3
♣ A Q

Shape 4153 4324 4252 1714 HCP 8 5 24 3 Losers 8 10 4 7

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !D queen and !S king
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +920

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**Board 250**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

	♠ N	
♠ W		♠ E
	♠ S	

Shape 3262 2533 4225 4423 HCP 9 4 24 3 Losers 7 10 3 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !D queen no !S king no !C king
- 7 N by South  
 Made 7 — NS +2220

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**Board 251**

South Deals

None Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

E

W

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

Shape 3343 3334 3433 4333 HCP 7 5 26 2 Losers 9 11 4 12

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 252**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2434 4441 4234 3334 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 10 9 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 253**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3352 2254 4423 4414 HCP 10 2 25 3 Losers 8 10 3 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=1
- 7 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +2220

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**Board 254**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2344 6232 2434 3433 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 9 9 4 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 255**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	♠ A K 9 5	
	♥ A K J 9	
	♦ K 8	
	♣ A K 3	

Shape 3325 1174 4423 5521 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 9 7 4 8

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

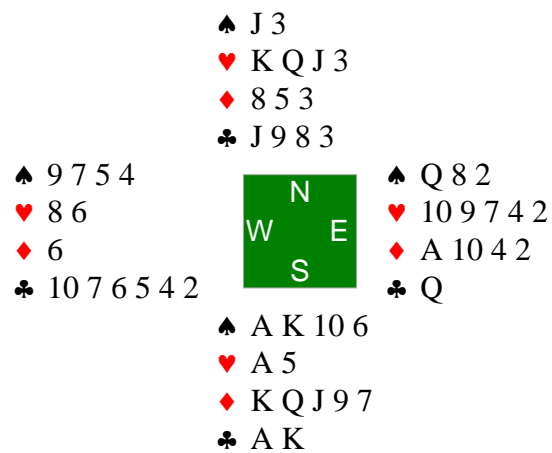
- 1. strong
  - 2. waiting
  - 3. both majors
- 5 ♣ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +620

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**Board 256**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 2434 3541 4252 4216 HCP 8 8 24 0 Losers 9 8 3 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

3 N by South

Made 6 — NS +490



08A2A332421DFAF7F92E9657CBF3

**Board 257**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3235 2326 3352 5530 HCP 6 8 24 2 Losers 9 8 4 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

0AA7E185371A5F58706C0EEC82D1

**Board 258**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3343 4423 3433 3244 HCP 8 0 25 7 Losers 10 11 4 9

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

1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +1440

09A90968C2F79CF04C978B544E22

**Board 259**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 2533 4333 4342 3235 HCP 8 3 26 3 Losers 9 11 3 10

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

0BAD22DD860AC938900461F01943

**Board 260**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5521 2353 3325 3244 HCP 5 9 24 2 Losers 8 8 5 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

0AA5A329C306317FCA1DD09BD898

**Board 261**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4324 1552 4324 4243 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 9 8 3 10

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Quantitative 4 NT  
 6 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +1440

09A9A431C1BAD0FF761486E35011

**Board 262**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3 2 6 2 2 4 4 3 4 3 2 4 4 4 1 4 HCP 6 3 2 5 6 Losers 8 10 4 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

0B2D6DDD0F58F2CBEBBF73C24482

**Board 263**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2515 4243 2353 5332 HCP 7 5 26 2 Losers 8 10 3 10

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

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

08A199C5F52E5C38D44E2B1322D7

**Board 264**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5233 2533 2434 4243 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 10 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430




09892931A27C4E509C54F045036D

**Board 265**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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



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

♠ A J 7
♥ K J 2
♦ A K
♣ A K Q 4 2

Shape 3451 6322 3325 1345 HCP 12 1 25 2 Losers 6 10 4 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !C queen no !S king

5. King ask by available bid

6. K=2

6 N by North

Made 7 — NS +1020

0BADCC1DC94071D3D6B4476379B7

**Board 266**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 1444 5341 3235 4423 HCP 6 2 24 8 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +660

08A38155F0420D1D36443F5BEFF5

**Board 267**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4414 4342 2245 3442 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 8 9 3 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

0AADA518DD7A49E2FBC51FFC93CE

**Board 268**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2353 2443 3325 6322 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 10 9 4 10

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

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440

0BAD1FA5DB58D300362EF38AF1C1

**Board 269**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4324 1453 3334 5332 HCP 9 4 25 2 Losers 9 9 4 11

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

08A139D1154EFEC7B5F28F2B144E

**Board 270**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4423 2344 3235 4441 HCP 7 3 24 6 Losers 9 10 4 8

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460

0A65A58FDEDB547BC14C91DFC3D4

**Board 271**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 0445 4621 3244 6133 HCP 7 6 26 1 Losers 6 8 3 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

092959A883C2FD401EFC04544AA2

**Board 272**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3541 4324 3343 3235 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 9 9 4 10

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

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +980



**Board 273**  
South Deals  
None Vul

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

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

Shape 3343 2425 3352 5323 HCP 7 3 24 6 Losers 10 9 4 9

- 1. strong
- 2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
- 3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 4. !D queen no !S king no !C king

♦ by South

Hand 6 — NS +920

1AB5A50A7D1C4324E83F12389158

**Board 274**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 6232 3442 3334 1435 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 9 10 5 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

19A9B932CA44D73A9083FE64301A

**Board 275**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4342 2335 4252 3514 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 9 10 3 8

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 6 — NS +490

1BAD0D26B9C8131496D3613AD9C0

**Board 276**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

	♠ 5
	♥ 9 8 7 6 3
	♦ 9 6 5 2
	♣ Q 7 4

♠ A J 7
♥ A Q 5
♦ A K
♣ A K J 5 3



Shape 5332 1543 3325 4243 HCP 10 2 26 2 Losers 7 9 4 11

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !S queen and !H king
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +1460

1AE5AD2918F432CB4C079C72826A

**Board 277**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4432 3244 3433 3334 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 10 4 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

19A93D281AEF0AC716C6BB76708C

**Board 278**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5413 2245 3352 3433 HCP 6 2 24 8 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

1BAC2F0D0D5213499AF4CAFC7B93

**Board 279**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4414 3433 3253 3343 HCP 12 0 24 4 Losers 6 12 4 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440

18B1A103C442F76D48DF0846905C

**Board 280**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2623 5332 3253 3235 HCP 7 0 26 7 Losers 8 11 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

5 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +480



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**Board 281**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 2434 3271 4324 4414 HCP 12 1 25 2 Losers 7 9 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1520

1B2D8F8D3914F0F6474C68603E52

**Board 282**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4432 5233 2353 2425 HCP 13 0 25 2 Losers 7 11 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

7 N by South

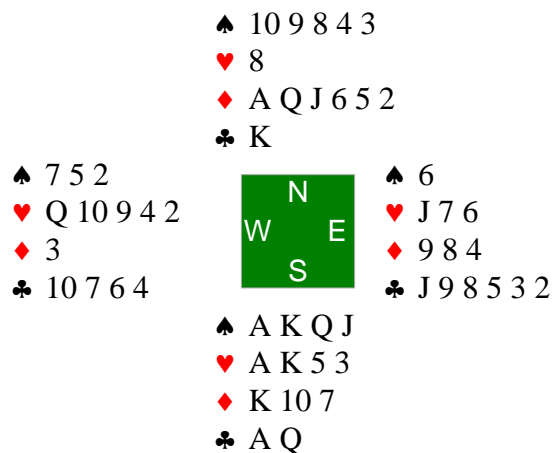
Made 7 — NS +2220

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**Board 283**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 5161 1336 4432 3514 HCP 10 2 26 2 Losers 6 10 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=1
- 7 ♠ by North  
Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 284**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2551 4216 4234 3442 HCP 9 3 25 3 Losers 6 9 3 11

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +2220

1BAD6D3303A1DD3ADB403B3312F9

**Board 285**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A 10
♥ A K 10
♦ A K 9
♣ A K 10 9 2



Shape 6205 2362 2335 3541 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 6 8 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

18A9B1A83ADF6EF230C758113E18

**Board 286**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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



Shape 5152 2434 3343 3514 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 7 11 4 8

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

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  3. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  5. A=1/5 or 4/5
  6. !S queen and !C king
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 287**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 6322 1444 2335 4342 HCP 11 3 25 1 Losers 7 9 4 11

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=1

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

**Board 288**  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

♣ A K Q

Down 1 — NS -100



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**Board 289**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3325 2551 3325 5242 HCP 5 10 25 0 Losers 10 6 3 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 290**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3253 2515 3253 5422 HCP 6 5 26 3 Losers 9 7 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

2989EBA148C9FF521822F076D772

**Board 291**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

	♠ J 8 4 2
	♥ 8 7 3
	♦ 4 3
	♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ A Q
♥ K Q 6
♦ A K J 10 7
♣ A Q 10



Shape 2353 4324 2353 5413 HCP 10 1 25 4 Losers 8 11 4 9

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

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +920

2BA52DE96A4CDA32F7CB974A8E73

**Board 292**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2434 4225 3433 4351 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 9 10 4 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

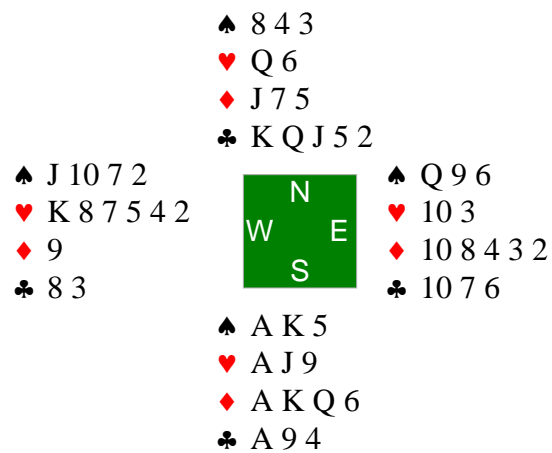
Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 293**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3235 3253 3343 4612 HCP 9 2 25 4 Losers 9 10 5 8

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

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +1440

29A9218CD34153D494DC894C157F

**Board 294**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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



Shape 2443 4630 4225 3145 HCP 10 1 24 5 Losers 8 9 3 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Stayman
4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

2B958DA5EE68F79B0276181BF01E

**Board 295**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4243 2524 4333 3343 HCP 9 5 25 1 Losers 8 9 4 12

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=2 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 296**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4333 4342 2344 3424 HCP 5 6 27 2 Losers 10 9 3 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460



29A98F28A98DDCD45E125C07D332

**Board 297**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4333 2623 4333 3154 HCP 8 0 27 5 Losers 9 10 5 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

2BBDAFEE13301466DA44FD065BEC

**Board 298**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4243 3424 2452 4324 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 10 10 2 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

28A51120A9689B42FEDF7736C81C

**Board 299**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4243 3433 3433 3334 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 9 11 5 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

2AA7A6C1AC5B79FF7F0BDA51E037

**Board 300**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

	♠ 10 9 7 4
	♥ 10 5 4
	♦ 10 9 6 5
	♣ K 5

♠ A K J	
♥ A K J 3	
♦ A K 2	
♣ Q 9 4	



Shape 2236 4342 3433 4432 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 9 10 5 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +620

2BBDAFE44CC31069DB1304FE665C

**Board 301**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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

♠ A K
♥ K Q 8 3
♦ A K J 4 2
♣ A 8



Shape 3334 4432 2452 4225 HCP 6 1 24 9 Losers 10 11 3 7

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +660

28A1891353523AC6CDDFB4663504

**Board 302**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4423 3424 3244 3352 HCP 11 4 25 0 Losers 7 10 4 11

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1520

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**Board 303**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3334 4423 4243 2443 HCP 6 5 26 3 Losers 10 10 3 10

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 304**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4126 3442 4333 2542 HCP 7 7 25 1 Losers 7 9 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +920

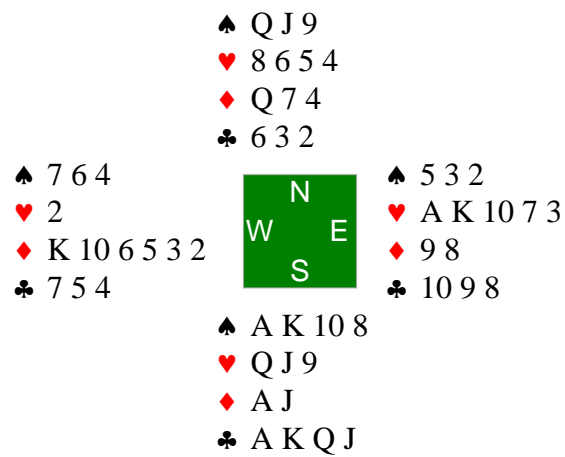


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**Board 305**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 3433 3523 4324 3163 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 10 9 4 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

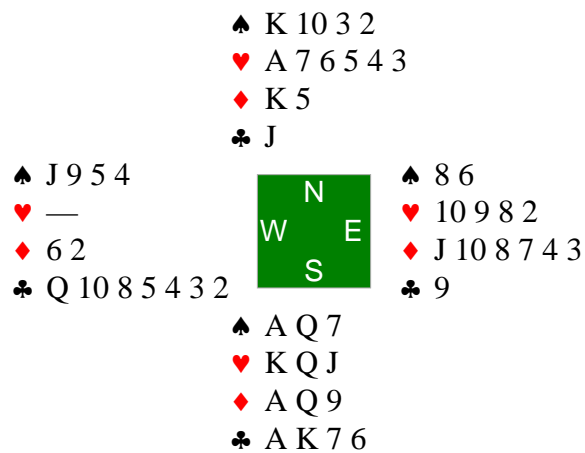
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 306**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 4621 2461 3334 4027 HCP 11 1 25 3 Losers 6 9 4 7

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !H queen and !C king
- 7 ♥ by North
- Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 307**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3523 3442 4243 3235 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 9 10 5 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490

3BADBDC71BA262FA1FF719394856

**Board 308**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4234 3424 3334 3451 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 9 11 5 8

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

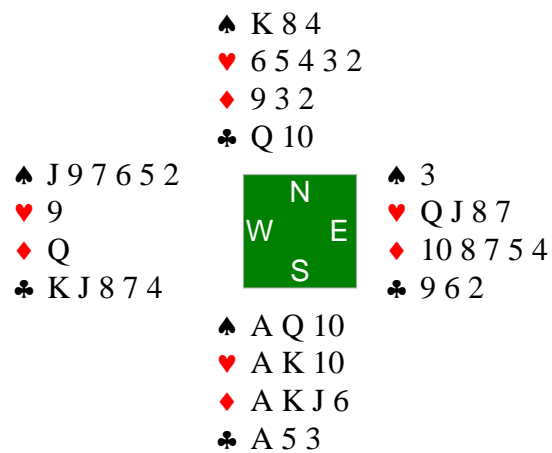
1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 309**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3532 1453 3343 6115 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 10 9 5 7

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

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

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**Board 310**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

Shape 3532 3244 3235 4432 HCP 10 2 25 3 Losers 7 11 4 10

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

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

7 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

3BADE5B3645B9062DCB2C7093A37

**Board 311**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3244 3343 4423 3433 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 9 11 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 312**

South Deals

None Vul

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

	N	
W		E
	S	

♠ 9 3
♥ 6 2
♦ 9 8 3 2
♣ Q 10 8 6 2

♠ A K 8
♥ A K 9 3
♦ A K 6 4
♣ A 5

Shape 4612 2245 3442 4144 HCP 7 2 25 6 Losers 7 9 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010



**Board 313**  
South Deals  
E-W Vul

Shape 1633 3127 3352 6331 HCP 5 1 26 8 Losers 8 9 4 7

1. strong  
2. waiting  
7 ♥× by North  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 314**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4333 2443 3343 4324 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 11 10 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

38A17119DFD7985344D227D23827

**Board 315**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4135 3712 2353 4243 HCP 5 7 24 4 Losers 8 7 4 10

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

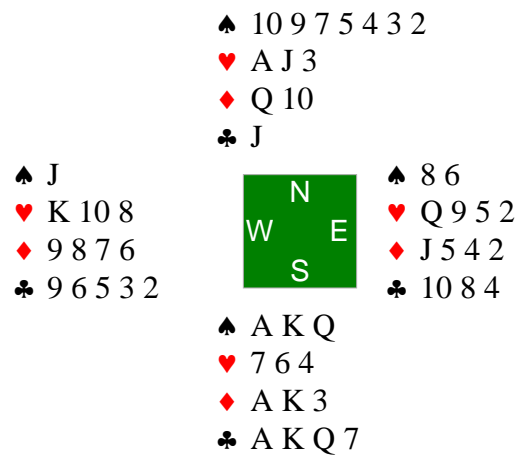
1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 316**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 7321 2443 3334 1345 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 8 10 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♠ by North  
Made 7 — NS +2210

3B6DAF0D8B64544CF91893D442DB

**Board 317**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2434 5521 3343 3145 HCP 9 4 26 1 Losers 9 8 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 318**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2533 3343 4333 4234 HCP 8 6 25 1 Losers 8 10 5 11

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

1. strong
  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. no !H queen
- 6 ♥ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 319**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

S

N

E

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

Shape 5431 3424 2335 3253 HCP 7 4 26 3 Losers 7 10 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

39A96A0AF1C7C6CFE8D7A477F793

**Board 320**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 1426 2263 3442 7312 HCP 5 8 25 2 Losers 8 7 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430




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**Board 321**

South Deals

None Vul

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



	♠ K Q 4	
	♥ A K Q J	
	♦ A 4 2	
	♣ A K 4	

Shape 2056 4531 3433 4423 HCP 13 1 26 0 Losers 4 10 4 11

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 N by North

Made 7 — NS +1520

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**Board 322**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 4333 4333 4342 1435 HCP 5 6 26 3 Losers 11 10 3 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

49A89901FAC27EC2FBAD574F701A

**Board 323**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

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

♠ A K 6
♥ A 6
♦ A K J 7 2
♣ K Q 6



Shape 2443 4315 3253 4432 HCP 6 4 24 6 Losers 9 9 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Stayman
- 3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

4B258DAAEDC698574639D4485A31

**Board 324**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

E

S

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

Shape 3451 4414 3325 3253 HCP 11 2 24 3 Losers 7 9 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1370

4AA7A51900DFF346AE5800D0D54B

**Board 325**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3424 3532 3343 4144 HCP 8 4 26 2 Losers 9 9 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

49A97BABF584726412255CF2300F

**Board 326**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4243 4243 3433 2524 HCP 5 4 26 5 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 327**

South Deals

Both Vul


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

W

N

S

E



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

Shape 2362 2524 4333 5224 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 8 9 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 328**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4342 2335 4333 3433 HCP 8 4 26 2 Losers 8 10 5 11

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990



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**Board 329**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 4333 3235 4342 2533 HCP 9 3 25 3 Losers 9 10 4 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

4B8DAD2479465897990658D4C02A

**Board 330**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3451 4513 4324 2155 HCP 8 1 27 4 Losers 7 10 3 8

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !D queen no !S king no !C king

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +2220

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**Board 331**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

Shape 2551 0436 4333 7123 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 8 7 4 9

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

1. strong
  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. !H queen and !D king
- 6 ♥ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +1010

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**Board 332**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2425 3622 3253 5143 HCP 6 5 26 3 Losers 8 9 3 9

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

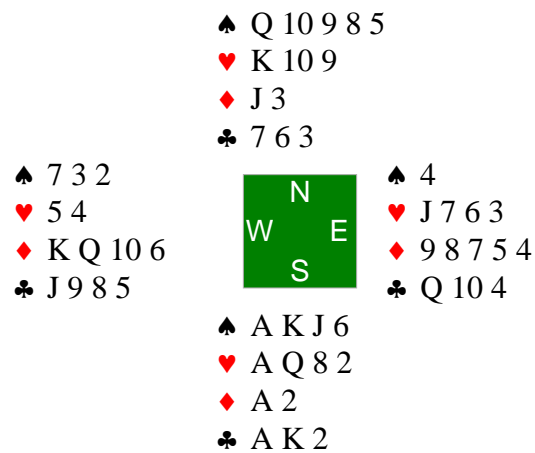
1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
6 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1470

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**Board 333**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 5323 1453 4423 3244 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 334**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3334 2146 4432 4531 HCP 5 4 26 5 Losers 10 9 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 335**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2443 5044 4333 2623 HCP 7 3 25 5 Losers 10 8 5 8

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 336**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5242 2335 2353 4513 HCP 5 9 24 2 Losers 8 8 4 10

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 337**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4243 5332 2434 2434 HCP 6 7 27 0 Losers 10 8 4 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 338**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2461 6223 2434 3325 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 8 8 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 339**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 6052 4432 2434 1525 HCP 7 3 26 4 Losers 6 10 3 8

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !S queen

5. King ask by available bid

6. K=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 340**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 4333 4333 3433 2344 HCP 7 5 27 1 Losers 9 11 4 11

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 341**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

♠ A K
♥ A K J
♦ A K J 10 4
♣ J 10 3

Shape 5413 1354 2353 5323 HCP 8 6 24 2 Losers 7 8 5 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=2
- 7 ♥ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 342**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3343 2344 4234 4522 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 10 10 3 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

**Board 343**  
South Deals  
Both Vul



♣ K 9 5 4 3

♥ Q 9 6

♣ 8 6 2

♠ A K Q 6

◆ K J 5

♣ A Q

♥ J 10 8 4 3 2

♣ J 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>

 $4 \text{ NT}^2$ 

5 NT<sup>4</sup>

7 ♠

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

#### 4. King ask by 5 NT

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 344**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ Q J
♥ A Q 10 7
♦ A K
♣ A K Q 9 2



Shape 5233 1363 2425 5422 HCP 5 2 25 8 Losers 10 9 3 8

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

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 345**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 2236 5422 4333 2452 HCP 5 1 26 8 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490

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**Board 346**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 5431 2425 3253 3334 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 9 9 3 10

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 347**

South Deals

None Vul


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

W

N

E

S



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

♠ K Q 3
♥ A 6
♦ A K Q 6
♣ A K 6 3

Shape 5413 3433 3244 2353 HCP 9 1 25 5 Losers 7 12 3 10

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

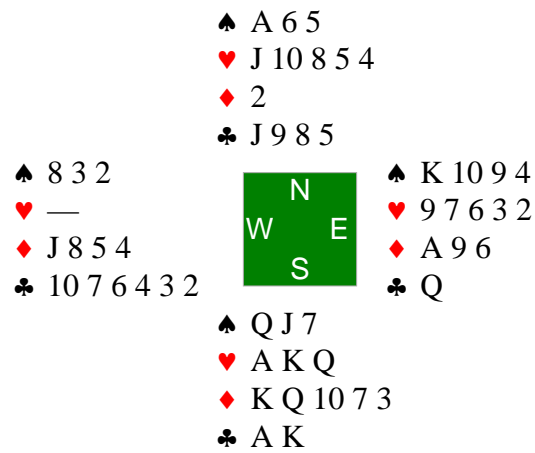
1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♠ by North  
Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 348**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3514 4531 3352 3046 HCP 6 9 24 1 Losers 9 8 3 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

4 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

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**Board 349**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2443 7123 2353 2524 HCP 5 1 25 9 Losers 10 9 4 7

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 350**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 5323 4432 4333 0355 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 10 10 4 8

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

5AA7AB85A8580272420C7560FE0C

**Board 351**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 3532 5134 4432 1345 HCP 9 4 26 1 Losers 8 9 4 10

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

1. strong
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. King ask by 5 NT
7. K=1

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

5929ABD19E617D07B7147C0D325C

**Board 352**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5233 4432 3325 1453 HCP 9 4 24 3 Losers 8 10 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
  3. Cue bid, surplus
  4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  5. A=1/5 or 4/5
  6. no !S queen
- 6 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980



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**Board 353**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2524 5242 4333 2344 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 8 9 5 9

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=3 out of 4

4 N by South

Made 6 — NS +490

6A85E576632BDC4B96033AFEF428

**Board 354**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

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



Shape 4324 3244 2452 4423 HCP 5 5 24 6 Losers 10 9 3 9

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 355**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5323 2461 2254 4405 HCP 9 4 24 3 Losers 8 8 3 8

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

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1020

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**Board 356**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 2452 3325 4333 4333 HCP 6 1 25 8 Losers 8 11 5 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 357**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 1336 4333 3442 5332 HCP 11 1 25 3 Losers 6 12 4 10

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !C queen no !S king

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

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**Board 358**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

E

N

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

Shape 3460 4234 3235 3514 HCP 8 5 25 2 Losers 6 9 4 10

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +940


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**Board 359**

South Deals

Both Vul

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



♠ A K Q
♥ A J 8
♦ Q J 3
♣ A K Q 10

Shape 3460 3433 3334 4216 HCP 7 7 26 0 Losers 7 10 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
- 6 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1390

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**Board 360**

South Deals

None Vul

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

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

♠ A K
♥ A K Q 3
♦ K 8
♣ A K 9 6 5



Shape 4243 5242 2425 2533 HCP 7 1 26 6 Losers 9 10 2 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990



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**Board 361**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3334 4333 3343 3433 HCP 5 5 25 5 Losers 10 10 5 11

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 362**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

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



Shape 4324 1534 4243 4342 HCP 5 8 25 2 Losers 9 8 4 11

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

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 363**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 3226 3442 2443 5332 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 8 11 3 9

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

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. !C queen no !S king
6. King ask by available bid
7. K=0

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1020

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**Board 364**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

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

Shape 1534 3244 3424 6241 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 8 11 4 7

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

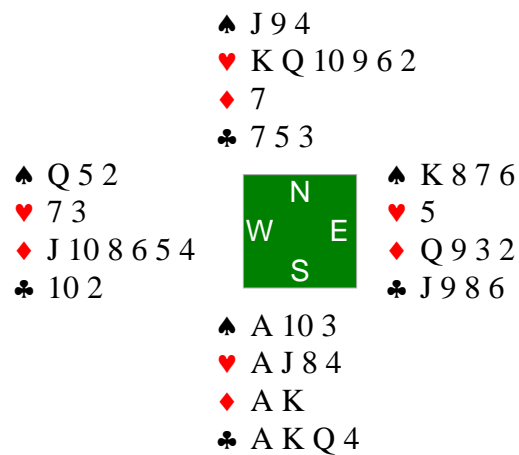
1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♥ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 365**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 3613 4144 3424 3262 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 8 8 4 9

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

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♥ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 366**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 4243 2533 4333 3334 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 10 5 10

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

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 367**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

W

S

N  
E  
S

N

E

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

♠ A Q 9
♥ A K Q 7
♦ K Q 9
♣ A J 5

Shape 4234 3424 3433 3352 HCP 7 0 25 8 Losers 9 11 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

69AA8159F90CCAE51E3D06FE7713

**Board 368**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 5422 2335 2245 4441 HCP 6 8 24 2 Losers 8 9 3 10

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

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Stayman  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 369**

South Deals

None Vul

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

Shape 2335 4333 4333 3442 HCP 9 4 26 1 Losers 8 11 4 11

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

1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 7 — NS +1020

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**Board 370**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 5341 3325 4252 1525 HCP 7 6 24 3 Losers 8 9 4 8

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

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 371**

South Deals

E-W Vul

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

Shape 3325 2434 4342 4342 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

7B8D29AF8833F46276FE425B05BA

**Board 372**

South Deals

Both Vul

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

Shape 3433 4135 4333 2542 HCP 10 0 25 5 Losers 9 10 4 9

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

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

7AA7A9C4D7D14F75017ADB3ED740

**Board 373**

South Deals

N-S Vul

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

Shape 2425 4432 2254 5332 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 8 10 3 10

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !C queen

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370

792DA96D8A960C5F1AFCC3381016

**Board 374**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ A 9 7 4 3 2	
	♥ J 9 5	
	♦ 5 3	
	♣ 8 5	
♠ 6 5		♠ Q 8
♥ 6 4		♥ 10 8 7 3 2
♦ A Q 9 8 6		♦ 10 2
♣ 9 6 4 3		♣ J 10 7 2
	♠ K J 10	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ K J 7 4	
	♣ A K Q	

Shape 6322 2524 3343 2254 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 9 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 6 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980

7B8DA9BD1A02137C64D0100BFFB6

**Board 375**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 3		♠ J 10 9 5 4									
♥ Q 8 3 2		♥ A 10 4									
♦ K J 4		♦ 7 2									
♣ 8 7 6 5		♣ 9 4 3									
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		♠ 8 7									
		♥ J 9 6 5									
		♦ 10 9 6 5									
		♣ J 10 2									
		♠ A K Q 2									
		♥ K 7									
		♦ A Q 8 3									
		♣ A K Q									

Shape 5323 2443 4243 2434 HCP 5 2 27 6 Losers 10 11 2 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

78218141783E8A2EFA3A9116F478

**Board 376**

South Deals

None Vul

		♠ A 10 8 6 4	
		♥ K Q 9	
		♦ J 9 7 6 2	
		♣ —	
♠ 7 3			♠ Q J 2
♥ J 10 7 6 3 2			♥ 5 4
♦ 4 3			♦ 10 8
♣ J 3 2			♣ 10 9 8 7 6 4
		♠ K 9 5	
		♥ A 8	
		♦ A K Q 5	
		♣ A K Q 5	

Shape 5350 3226 3244 2623 HCP 10 3 25 2 Losers 6 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !S queen

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1520



79A98818061A6CE42A53C4353FF7

**Board 377**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q J 10 7 4 3	
	♥ K J 5	
	♦ 6	
	♣ 6 3 2	
♠ 8 5 2		♠ 9 6
♥ 4 3 2		♥ Q 10 6
♦ 9 3		♦ J 8 5 4 2
♣ K Q 9 8 5		♣ J 10 7
	♠ A K	
	♥ A 9 8 7	
	♦ A K Q 10 7	
	♣ A 4	

Shape 6313 2353 2452 3325 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 8 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	7 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

7 ♠ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

7BA12D4D5B4A3646A917F8BC7A0A

**Board 378**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5		♠ K 9 6 2
♥ 9 5 4 3		♥ Q 10 8 2
♦ J 10 7 5 3 2		♦ 9 8 6
♣ 5 4		♣ J 6

	♠ Q J 10 8 3
	♥ J 6
	♦ A
	♣ 10 9 8 3 2

	♠ A 7 4
	♥ A K 7
	♦ K Q 4
	♣ A K Q 7



Shape 4432 5215 3334 1462 HCP 6 8 25 1 Losers 9 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +660

78A185C0795B357C424E377B7DE3

**Board 379**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 2		♠ 9 5
♥ J 9 8 5 4 3		♥ K Q 7 6
♦ K 9 5		♦ J 10 4
♣ Q 8		♣ 10 5 4 2

	♠ J 10 8 7 6 4 3
	♥ 10
	♦ 8 6 3
	♣ 7 6

♠ A K	
♥ A 2	
♦ A Q 7 2	
♣ A K J 9 3	



Shape 2434 7132 2245 2632 HCP 6 1 25 8 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

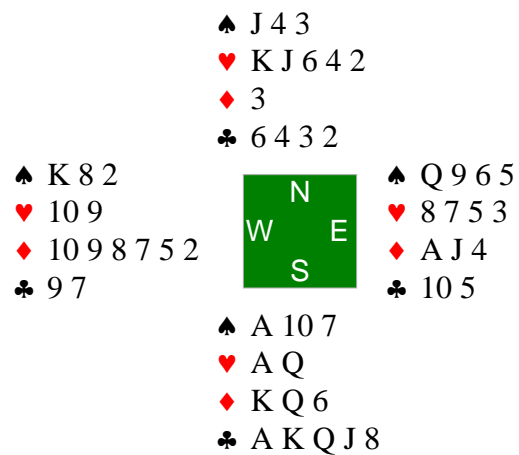
1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 6 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 380**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 3514 4432 3235 3262 HCP 5 7 25 3 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +660

7BAD1CA6C53E053A3ED85ED7D288

**Board 381**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 6 4 3		♠ K 10 9 8 7
♥ 10 8 7		♥ J 9 2
♦ 8 6 2		♦ Q J 9 4
♣ K 6 2		♣ 4
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		♥ K 6 5 4 3
		♦ 3
		♣ Q 10 8 7 5 3
		♠ A Q 2
		♥ A Q
		♦ A K 10 7 5
		♣ A J 9

Shape 5341 1516 3253 4333 HCP 7 5 24 4 Losers 8 6 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. King ask by 5 NT

6. K=0

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

7891A331F74D07B65450876C1C0F

**Board 382**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J		♠ Q 9 3 2									
♥ Q J 8		♥ 10 9 5 2									
♦ J 9 8 7 5		♦ —									
♣ 7 6 4 3		♣ K J 9 5 2									
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		♠ 10 7 6 4									
		♥ A 7 6 3									
		♦ 10 4 3 2									
		♣ 8									
		♠ A K 8 5									
		♥ K 4									
		♦ A K Q 6									
		♣ A Q 10									

Shape 4405 4441 4243 1354 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 7 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

7AA5451EB1F81F0D6A29D8C37082

**Board 383**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 9 8 6		
	♥ K 8 4 2		
	♦ Q 9 8		
	♣ 9 4		
♠ 10 5 4		♠ K 7 3	
♥ J 10 3		♥ Q 9 5	
♦ J 4 3 2		♦ 10 7 6 5	
♣ 10 5 3		♣ Q 7 2	
	♠ A J 2		
	♥ A 7 6		
	♦ A K		
	♣ A K J 8 6		

Shape 4432 3343 3325 3343 HCP 7 7 24 2 Losers 8 9 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

79A8A1156BFD72334CD51F559FCF

**Board 384**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6 2		♠ Q 8 5
♥ 10 9 8		♥ 7 2
♦ 10 7 5 3 2		♦ K 9 8
♣ A 7		♣ J 8 5 3 2

	♠ J 9 7 4
	♥ Q 6 5 4 3
	♦ Q 6 4
	♣ 9

♠ A K 3	
♥ A K J	
♦ A J	
♣ K Q 10 6 4	



Shape 3235 4531 3325 3352 HCP 6 5 25 4 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 385**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 10 9 2	
	♥ K	
	♦ Q 7 5 4	
	♣ Q 8 7 5	
♠ 6 5 4		♠ 8 3
♥ 9 5 4 3		♥ J 10 7 6
♦ 9 6		♦ K J 10 8
♣ J 10 9 4		♣ 6 3 2
	♠ A K J 7	
	♥ A Q 8 2	
	♦ A 3 2	
	♣ A K	

Shape 4144 2443 4432 3424 HCP 9 5 25 1 Losers 7 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

8A65AD75CFA2D9FC43DF8A7BEB2

**Board 386**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ —		♠ A Q 7 4
♥ J 7 5 2		♥ 9 6
♦ K J 8 6		♦ 9 5 4 3
♣ J 7 6 4 3		♣ 10 5 2
♠ J 9 8 6 3 2	♠ N	
♥ Q 8 4	W S E	
♦ 10 7 2		
♣ 8		
♠ K 10 5		
♥ A K 10 3		
♦ A Q		
♣ A K Q 9		

Shape 0445 4243 3424 6331 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 8 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

89E98925AC52BE3D47E04F541FD3

**Board 387**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 6 2		♠ Q 8 3
♥ 9 8		♥ K 7 5
♦ J 9 8 5 3		♦ 10 6 2
♣ J 6 4		♣ 7 5 3 2

	♠ 10 7 5 4
	♥ 10 4 3 2
	♦ Q 7 4
	♣ 10 9

	♠ K J 9
	♥ A Q J 6
	♦ A K
	♣ A K Q 8



Shape 3334 4432 3424 3253 HCP 5 2 27 6 Losers 10 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

- 1. strong
  - 2. waiting
  - 3 N by South
- Made 5 — NS +460

8BAD29DCCFEB55C8D43E12D28516

**Board 388**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K 6 5 2		
	♥ J 8 3		
	♦ 9 7 3 2		
	♣ J 10		
♠ Q J 10 8 7 4			♠ 9
♥ 6			♥ Q 9 7 5 4 2
♦ K 10 8			♦ 5 4
♣ Q 8 7			♣ 6 5 4 2
	♠ A 3		
	♥ A K 10		
	♦ A Q J 6		
	♣ A K 9 3		

Shape 4342 1624 2344 6133 HCP 5 2 25 8 Losers 10 8 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

8AA5F1AFF7947318D90352091C5D

**Board 389**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 8 6 4 3	
	♥ 6 4	
	♦ Q 3 2	
	♣ Q J 9 6	
♠ K J 7		♠ 9 5 2
♥ K J 9		♥ 10 8 7 5 3 2
♦ K 9 6 5		♦ 8 7 4
♣ 10 8 3		♣ 5
	♠ A Q 10	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ A J 10	
	♣ A K 7 4 2	

Shape 4234 3631 3235 3343 HCP 5 0 24 11 Losers 9 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 3 — NS +600

892AA9B142FC5F059C3542CEED42

**Board 390**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ A 8 6		
	♥ J 8 5 4 2		
	♦ Q J 5 2		
	♣ 9		
♠ 10 4 3		♠ J 9 5 2	
♥ Q 10 6		♥ 9 7	
♦ 10 9 7 4 3		♦ 8 6	
♣ 10 7		♣ A J 5 4 2	
	♠ K Q 7		
	♥ A K 3		
	♦ A K		
	♣ K Q 8 6 3		

Shape 3541 4225 3325 3352 HCP 8 6 24 2 Losers 8 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Dbl	4 NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, a !C stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !H
6. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

**Board 391**  
South Deals  
Both Vul

♠ K 5 4  
♥ 9 3  
♦ J 5 4 2  
♣ A 9 4 3

♠ J 8 7 6  
♥ 8 6 2  
♦ 10 9 6  
♣ 6 5 2



♠ 10 9 3 2  
♥ A 10 7 4  
♦ Q 8 7 3  
♣ 8

♠ A Q  
 ♥ K Q J 5  
 ♦ A K  
 ♣ K Q J 10 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 NT	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !C
5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1370

88A1B106CD076AC7D2B6496FD44C

**Board 392**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 10	
	♥ Q J 10 8 5 2	
	♦ 9 5	
	♣ 10 8 4	
♠ J 8 7 3		♠ 9 5 4 2
♥ K 6		♥ 7 3
♦ Q 10 8 6 3		♦ J 4 2
♣ 3 2		♣ Q 9 7 6
	♠ A K 6	
	♥ A 9 4	
	♦ A K 7	
	♣ A K J 5	

Shape 2623 4234 3334 4252 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

7 ♥ by North

Down 1 — NS -50



89A0A9D93BD536E0041CF5365783

**Board 393**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 10 8 5		♠ J 9 7 6 4
♥ J 9 5 4		♥ 7 2
♦ 6		♦ A 8 2
♣ A 8 7 6		♣ J 3 2

W

S

N  
E  
S

N

E

	♠ 3
	♥ Q 10 6 3
	♦ 10 9 7 5 4 3
	♣ 9 4

♠ A K 2
♥ A K 8
♦ K Q J
♣ K Q 10 5

Shape 5233 1462 3334 4414 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 10 8 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=2 out of 4

6 ♠ by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

8BAD8935E01AD9D258173E27D495

**Board 394**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 3		♠ Q 10 6 5 4									
♥ Q 5		♥ K									
♦ K 10 9 7		♦ Q 6 4 3 2									
♣ J 7 3		♣ 6 4									
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		♦ A 5									
		♣ A K Q 9 2									

Shape 5152 1723 3325 4243 HCP 7 1 25 7 Losers 7 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

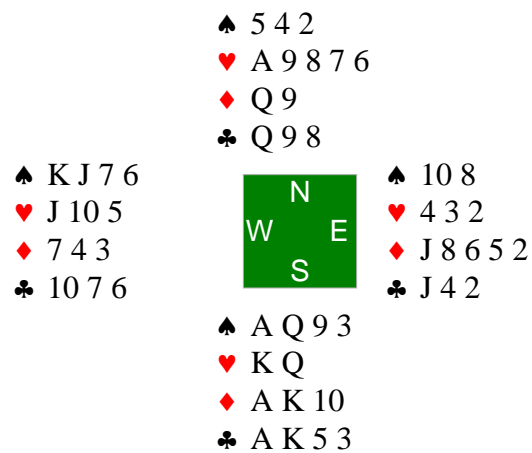
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**Board 395**

South Deals

None Vul



Shape 3523 2353 4234 4333 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 9 11 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1020

8AA5859B7E30DC42CD20977B5E31

**Board 396**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7		♠ 10 6 2
♥ J 10 4 2		♥ K 8 7
♦ 10 8 6 2		♦ J 9 7 3
♣ 10 9 6		♣ Q 5 4

	♠ J 8 4 3
	♥ Q 9 5 3
	♦ Q 4
	♣ J 8 3

	♠ A K Q 5
	♥ A 6
	♦ A K 5
	♣ A K 7 2



Shape 3343 4423 4234 2443 HCP 6 6 27 1 Losers 10 10 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

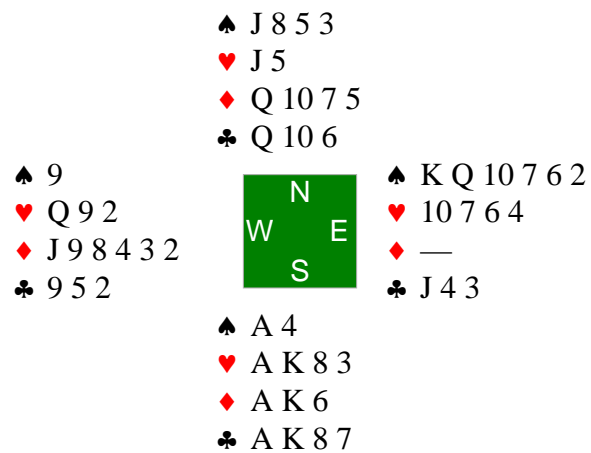
1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 7 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 397**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 4243 6403 2434 1363 HCP 6 6 25 3 Losers 9 7 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

88AD22A943DC5DFFDB787AC4B3C9

**Board 398**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ K	
	♥ J 4 2	
	♦ Q 7 6 5 2	
	♣ J 8 7 3	
♠ 10 8 7 4 2		♠ J 9 6 5
♥ 8 6 5 3		♥ 10 9 7
♦ 4		♦ A 10 9 8
♣ 10 6 4		♣ K 5

	♠ A Q 3	
	♥ A K Q	
	♦ K J 3	
	♣ A Q 9 2	

Shape 1354 4342 3334 5413 HCP 7 8 25 0 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Gerber
  4. A=3 out of 4
- 4 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +490

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**Board 399**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K 10 5 3		
	♥ 10 9 3 2		
	♦ A J 10 3		
	♣ 4		
♠ Q J 9 8 2		♠ 6 4	
♥ K J 4		♥ 8 7 6 5	
♦ 2		♦ 9 8 7 5	
♣ J 9 6 2		♣ 7 5 3	
	♠ A 7		
	♥ A Q		
	♦ K Q 6 4		
	♣ A K Q 10 8		

Shape 4441 2443 2245 5314 HCP 8 0 24 8 Losers 8 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

898BAA699004D2CC73D751D9F804

**Board 400**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 2		
	♥ A 10 8 2		
	♦ J 9 7 5		
	♣ A 7 6		
♠ 9 8 6 4 3			♠ Q 7 5
♥ 7 3			♥ J 9 6 5 4
♦ 8			♦ 10 6 2
♣ J 10 8 3 2			♣ K 9
	♠ A K J		
	♥ K Q		
	♦ A K Q 4 3		
	♣ Q 5 4		

Shape 2443 3532 3253 5215 HCP 9 6 24 1 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990



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**Board 401**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 9 6 3	
	♥ Q J 6	
	♦ J 6 3 2	
	♣ 10 6	
♠ 7 5 2		♠ 10 8 4
♥ 10 5 4		♥ 9 8 7 3
♦ A Q 10 4		♦ K 9 5
♣ 9 7 5		♣ Q 8 3
	♠ A K Q	
	♥ A K 2	
	♦ 8 7	
	♣ A K J 4 2	

Shape 4342 3433 3325 3343 HCP 5 5 24 6 Losers 10 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 402**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5 3		♠ 6 4
♥ 4 3		♥ K Q J 9 7 6
♦ K 9 4 3		♦ —
♣ 8 6 5 4		♣ Q J 10 9 3

	♠ 9 8 7 2
	♥ 10
	♦ J 10 8 7 6 5 2
	♣ 2

♠ A K Q 10
♥ A 8 5 2
♦ A Q
♣ A K 7

Shape 2605 4171 4423 3244 HCP 9 1 26 4 Losers 5 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	7 ♥	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♥ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 403**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ A 6 5 4	
	♥ 8 6 4	
	♦ Q 10 8	
	♣ J 10 4	
♠ 8 7		♠ 10 9 3
♥ Q 10		♥ J 7 5 3 2
♦ 7 5 4 3		♦ J 2
♣ K 9 8 7 3		♣ 6 5 2
	♠ K Q J 2	
	♥ A K 9	
	♦ A K 9 6	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 4333 3523 4342 2245 HCP 7 2 26 5 Losers 10 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

9BAFAF29597ADA87C2D1C9863036

**Board 404**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ Q 3 2		
	♥ 8 7 5 4		
	♦ 8 4 2		
	♣ A K 8		
♠ 9 7 6 5		♠ J 10	
♥ 10 3 2		♥ J 9 6	
♦ Q J 10 9 5		♦ 7 6 3	
♣ 3		♣ 10 9 7 4 2	
	♠ A K 8 4		
	♥ A K Q		
	♦ A K		
	♣ Q J 6 5		

Shape 3433 2335 4324 4351 HCP 9 2 26 3 Losers 9 11 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

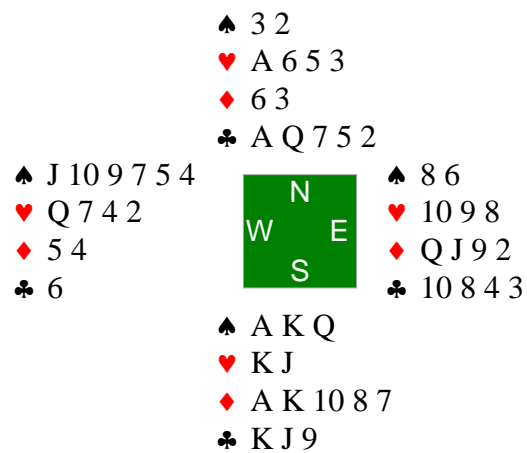
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**Board 405**

South Deals

N-S Vul



Shape 2425 2344 3253 6421 HCP 10 3 24 3 Losers 7 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5 NT

5. K=3

7 N by North

Down 1 — NS -100

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**Board 406**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6		♠ 10 9 8 4
♥ K 9 6 2		♥ Q 10 3
♦ 9 3 2		♦ K Q 10
♣ K 8 7 3 2		♣ 10 6 4
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		♠ J 7 5 3 2
		♥ 8 7 4
		♦ J 8 6 5
		♣ 5
		♠ A K Q
		♥ A J 5
		♦ A 7 4
		♣ A Q J 9

Shape 4333 5341 3334 1435 HCP 7 2 25 6 Losers 9 10 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 NT	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

9BADDD454BE14B587724359054DC

**Board 407**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 10 2		♠ 6 5									
♥ 7 5		♥ Q J 9									
♦ J 9 8		♦ Q 7 6 5 3									
♣ 8 6 4 3 2		♣ J 9 7									
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	S										
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		♥ K 8 4 3 2									
		♦ 10 4									
		♣ —									
		♠ A 4									
		♥ A 10 6									
		♦ A K 2									
		♣ A K Q 10 5									

Shape 2353 6520 2335 3235 HCP 6 6 24 4 Losers 9 6 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 6 — NS +690

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**Board 408**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ A 10 9 7 3	
	♥ —	
	♦ Q 9 5 2	
	♣ 10 9 4 2	
♠ 8 6		♠ J 5 4
♥ 8 7 6 3 2		♥ A J 10 5 4
♦ 6 4 3		♦ 10 7
♣ Q 6 3		♣ J 8 5

	♠ K Q 2	
	♥ K Q 9	
	♦ A K J 8	
	♣ A K 7	

Shape 5044 3523 3343 2533 HCP 6 7 25 2 Losers 7 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=2 out of 4

6 ♠ by South  
Made 7 — NS +1010



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**Board 409**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 4		♠ K Q 9 8									
♥ 10 6 4		♥ 9 8 5 2									
♦ Q 9 8 6 2		♦ J 5									
♣ 9 8		♣ 10 3 2									
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		♦ 3									
		♣ K J 7 5 4									
		♠ A 7									
		♥ A K 3									
		♦ A K 10 7 4									
		♣ A Q 6									

Shape 4423 4315 2353 3352 HCP 6 7 24 3 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Dbl	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

9BAD0E11EDFA4EC37CBAF136D703

**Board 410**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K Q 4 2	
	♥ K 9 8 2	
	♦ 4 3	
	♣ 8 3 2	
♠ J 10 8 5 3		♠ 9 7
♥ 10 7 6 5 4		♥ Q 3
♦ 10 6		♦ Q 8 5 2
♣ 7		♣ K 10 9 6 4
	♠ A 6	
	♥ A J	
	♦ A K J 9 7	
	♣ A Q J 5	

Shape 4423 2245 2254 5521 HCP 8 7 24 1 Losers 8 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +690

98A2A329B670CA141FE6CA78DD13

**Board 411**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 8 7 2	
	♥ 9 5	
	♦ Q 9 5 4	
	♣ K 7 2	
♠ 9 6 5 3		♠ 10 4
♥ J 10 4		♥ 8 7 3 2
♦ J 8 6		♦ 7 3
♣ 10 8 4		♣ A J 9 6 5
	♠ A K J	
	♥ A K Q 6	
	♦ A K 10 2	
	♣ Q 3	

Shape 4243 2425 3442 4333 HCP 7 5 26 2 Losers 8 9 4 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Dbl	4 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

9A85A44225183F29D4730C5AFEF6

**Board 412**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 10 9 8 5	
	♥ A Q 5	
	♦ 9 5 3	
	♣ 9 6	
♠ 7 3 2		♠ Q 6 4
♥ 9 6 3 2		♥ 10 7 4
♦ Q 6		♦ 10 8 4
♣ K 10 7 5		♣ Q 4 3 2
	♠ A K	
	♥ K J 8	
	♦ A K J 7 2	
	♣ A J 8	

Shape 5332 3334 2353 3424 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 9 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

9BA9A5D52C149A87D6FB5C417000

**Board 413**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7 6		♠ J 10 2									
♥ 6 3		♥ 8 4 2									
♦ A 9 6		♦ K Q 10 8 7									
♣ J 10 5 3 2		♣ 8 6									
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		♥ Q 10 9 7 5									
		♦ 4 3 2									
		♣ 9 7									
		♠ A K 9 8									
		♥ A K J									
		♦ J 5									
		♣ A K Q 4									

Shape 3352 3532 4324 3235 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

98AD82A905D66A4396CEE8FAC7FF

**Board 414**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J  
♥ K J 8 6 3  
♦ Q 9 5 4  
♣ 8 3 2

♠ 10 6 5 4 3 2  
♥ 4 2  
♦ J 10 7 3  
♣ 5

♠ 9 8  
♥ 10 7  
♦ A 6 2  
♣ K 10 9 7 6 4

♠ A K Q 7  
♥ A Q 9 5  
♦ K 8  
♣ A Q J

W N E S

Shape 1543 2236 4423 6241 HCP 7 7 25 1 Losers 8 8 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 NT	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

9A95A7817213FE14435B720DC1A8

**Board 415**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 3		♠ 10 8 4
♥ J 9 5		♥ Q 7 4 3
♦ Q J 10 7 5 3		♦ 9 4
♣ 8 2		♣ K 10 7 6

	♠ J 7 6 5
	♥ A 10 8 6
	♦ 6 2
	♣ J 9 5

	♠ A K Q 2
	♥ K 2
	♦ A K 8
	♣ A Q 4 3



Shape 3424 4423 4234 2362 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 9 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

- 1. strong
- 2. waiting
- 3 N by South
- Made 4 — NS +630


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**Board 416**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 7	
	♥ J 8 6 2	
	♦ A 6 5 3 2	
	♣ J 8	
♠ J 6 4 2		♠ 8 5 3
♥ 7 5		♥ K 10 9 4
♦ 10 9		♦ Q 8 7 4
♣ 10 9 7 4 2		♣ K 6



	♠ A K Q 10	
	♥ A Q 3	
	♦ K J	
	♣ A Q 5 3	

Shape 2452 3442 4324 4225 HCP 6 8 25 1 Losers 9 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 417**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 10 5		♠ J 6									
♥ J 10 6 2		♥ Q 9 8 3									
♦ 10 9 5 3 2		♦ Q									
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		♥ 7 5 4									
		♦ A J 7 6									
		♣ 5									
		♠ A K 8									
		♥ A K									
		♦ K 8 4									
		♣ A K 10 9 7									

Shape 2416 5341 3235 3451 HCP 8 5 24 3 Losers 7 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
6 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +920

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**Board 418**

South Deals

N-S Vul

		♠ Q 8 4 3 2	
		♥ 4 3	
		♦ A Q 10 7 3	
		♣ 2	
♠ 7 6 5			♠ J 9
♥ K J 8			♥ 10 7 6 5 2
♦ J 8 4			♦ 6 5
♣ 7 6 5 4			♣ J 10 8 3
		♠ A K 10	
		♥ A Q 9	
		♦ K 9 2	
		♣ A K Q 9	

Shape 5251 2524 3334 3334 HCP 8 2 25 5 Losers 6 10 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !S queen no !C king no !D king no !H king

5. King ask by available bid

6. K=0

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1460

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**Board 419**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 6		♠ 9 4
♥ 8 7 6 4 3		♥ K 10 9 2
♦ 9 7 2		♦ 8 4
♣ 8 4		♣ K J 9 7 5

♠ A 7		♠ Q J 8 5 3 2
♥ A J		♥ Q 5
♦ A K Q 10		♦ J 6 5 3
♣ A Q 10 6 2		♣ 3



Shape 2425 6241 2245 3532 HCP 7 6 24 3 Losers 8 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 N by South

Down 2 — NS -100

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**Board 420**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K 10 4	
	♥ J 2	
	♦ Q 9 7 3 2	
	♣ 10 6 4	
♠ 7 3		♠ J 8 6 5
♥ 6 5 3		♥ 9 8 7 4
♦ K 6 4		♦ J 8 5
♣ K J 9 8 2		♣ 5 3
	♠ A Q 9 2	
	♥ A K Q 10	
	♦ A 10	
	♣ A Q 7	

Shape 3253 4432 4423 2335 HCP 6 2 25 7 Losers 9 11 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Dbl	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
3 N by North  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 421**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 8	
	♥ K 3	
	♦ K J 8 6 2	
	♣ K 10 7 6	
♠ 9 7 6 2		♠ Q 10 5 4 3
♥ 8 7 5 2		♥ J 10 6 4
♦ 10 7		♦ 9 5 4
♣ J 8 5		♣ 3
	♠ A K	
	♥ A Q 9	
	♦ A Q 3	
	♣ A Q 9 4 2	

Shape 2254 5431 2335 4423 HCP 11 3 25 1 Losers 7 9 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	7 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !D queen and !S king
  5. King ask by 5 NT
  6. K=1
  - 7 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +2140

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**Board 422**

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ Q 10 3	
		♥ 9 7 2	
		♦ K 9 8 7	
		♣ J 4 2	
♠ 9 7 5			♠ 8 4 2
♥ 6 4 3			♥ A Q 10 8
♦ 10 5 4			♦ J 3 2
♣ 10 6 5 3			♣ Q 9 8
		♠ A K J 6	
		♥ K J 5	
		♦ A Q 6	
		♣ A K 7	

Shape 3343 3433 4333 3334 HCP 6 9 25 0 Losers 10 9 5 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 423**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ A 10 8 4		
	♥ Q 8 5		
	♦ Q J 7 6		
	♣ 10 4		
♠ 6 5 3 2		♠ 9 7	
♥ J 9 7 3		♥ K 6 4 2	
♦ 8 3		♦ 10 5 4	
♣ Q 7 5		♣ 9 6 3 2	
	♠ K Q J		
	♥ A 10		
	♦ A K 9 2		
	♣ A K J 8		

Shape 4342 2434 3244 4423 HCP 9 3 25 3 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 424**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ K J 10 7	
	♥ J 5 3	
	♦ 10 2	
	♣ 7 6 5 2	
♠ Q 4		♠ 9 6 5 3 2
♥ 10 6 2		♥ 8 7 4
♦ K Q J 9 8 6		♦ 5 4 3
♣ K 4		♣ 10 3
	♠ A 8	
	♥ A K Q 9	
	♦ A 7	
	♣ A Q J 9 8	

Shape 4324 5332 2425 2362 HCP 5 0 24 11 Losers 10 11 3 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
2 ♦	Dbl	3 ♦	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430



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**Board 425**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 8 4		♠ 5 2									
♥ J 9 7 3 2		♥ Q 6 5									
♦ 10 7		♦ Q J 4									
♣ Q 8		♣ J 10 9 6 5									
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		♥ 10 8									
		♦ 9 3 2									
		♣ A 7 4 2									
		♠ A K Q									
		♥ A K 4									
		♦ A K 8 6 5									
		♣ K 3									

Shape 2335 4234 3352 4522 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 9 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 6 — NS +490

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**Board 426**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K 9 8 7 4 2	
	♥ Q	
	♦ 9 8 3	
	♣ 8 6 5	
♠ Q J 10 5		♠ 6
♥ J 9 4		♥ 10 8 5 3 2
♦ 5 2		♦ K J 10 6 4
♣ J 10 4 3		♣ 9 2
	♠ A 3	
	♥ A K 7 6	
	♦ A Q 7	
	♣ A K Q 7	

Shape 6133 1552 2434 4324 HCP 5 4 26 5 Losers 9 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	Pass	Pass
Dbl	Pass	Pass	Pass

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 ♠× by North

Down 1 — NS -200

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**Board 427**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ K 9 7	
	♥ 8 7 5 3 2	
	♦ 3	
	♣ Q J 3 2	
♠ J 10 8 3		♠ 6 5 4 2
♥ Q 4		♥ 9 6
♦ K Q 9 2		♦ 7 6 5
♣ 10 7 4		♣ 9 8 6 5
	♠ A Q	
	♥ A K J 10	
	♦ A J 10 8 4	
	♣ A K	

Shape 3514 4234 2452 4243 HCP 6 0 26 8 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 6 N by South  
Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 428**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 3		♠ Q 10 9 7 6 4
♥ Q 8 6 5		♥ J 4 2
♦ J 9 8 4		♦ A 6 5
♣ 7 4 3		♣ 6
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		♠ 8 5
		♥ 10 9 7
		♦ 10 3 2
		♣ J 10 9 8 2
		♠ K J 2
		♥ A K 3
		♦ K Q 7
		♣ A K Q 5

Shape 6331 2335 3334 2443 HCP 7 1 25 7 Losers 8 11 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Blackwood 0314, for !S
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

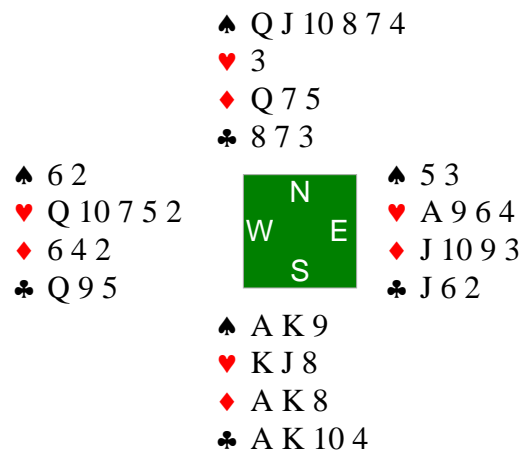
Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 429**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 6133 2443 3334 2533 HCP 5 6 25 4 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 430**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 10 5 3 2	
	♥ Q 10 9 8	
	♦ 10 6	
	♣ K 10 2	
♠ A 9 7 6		♠ 8
♥ K 4 3		♥ J 7 6 5
♦ Q 9 4 2		♦ J 8 7 5 3
♣ 9 5		♣ 7 6 4
	♠ K Q J 4	
	♥ A 2	
	♦ A K	
	♣ A Q J 8 3	

Shape 4423 1453 4225 4342 HCP 5 2 24 9 Losers 9 10 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +480

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**Board 431**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 10	
	♥ A J 10 8 5 3	
	♦ J 10 6 2	
	♣ 10 3	
♠ Q 9 4 3		♠ 8 7 6 5 2
♥ 9 6 4		♥ 7 2
♦ 8 4		♦ 9 5 3
♣ Q 9 7 4		♣ A 8 5
	♠ A K J	
	♥ K Q	
	♦ A K Q 7	
	♣ K J 6 2	

Shape 1642 5233 3244 4324 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 8 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♥

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 432**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 8 5 3 2		
	♥ K 6		
	♦ 8 6 4		
	♣ Q 10 6 2		
♠ 9 7 4		♠ Q J 10	
♥ J 9 8 5		♥ 10 4 3 2	
♦ 9		♦ J 7 5 3 2	
♣ K 8 7 5 4		♣ 3	
	♠ A K 6		
	♥ A Q 7		
	♦ A K Q 10		
	♣ A J 9		

Shape 4234 3451 3343 3415 HCP 5 4 27 4 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490



**Board 433**

None Vul

♥ 10 6

♦ J 4

♣ 10 7 2

♠ 2

♥ 8 7 5 4

♦ 10 9 8 2

♣ 9 5 4 3



♠ J 10 8 7

♥ J 9 2

♦ 7 6 3

♣ Q J 8

♠ Q 9

♥ A K Q 3

♦ A K Q 5

♣ A K 6

West

North

East

South

*EPBot4*

*EPBot1*

*EPBot2*

*EPBot3*

 $2\clubsuit^1$ 

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 NT

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

4 NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass

5 ♥ 3

Pass

7 ♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3.  $A=2/5$  or  $5/5$ ,  $Q(S)=0$

7 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

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**Board 434**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 5 4		♠ 10 6 3 2									
♥ 8 7 6		♥ 10 3									
♦ 7 6		♦ Q 5									
♣ K 7 4 3		♣ Q J 9 8 5									
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		♦ 10 9 8 3									
		♣ 10 6									
		♠ A 9									
		♥ A K J 9									
		♦ A K J 4 2									
		♣ A 2									

Shape 4225 3442 2452 4324 HCP 5 7 24 4 Losers 9 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 435**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 8 7 5	
	♥ Q 9 7 3	
	♦ J 4	
	♣ K 6 3	
♠ 10 4 3		♠ J 6
♥ 5 4 2		♥ 10 8
♦ 8 7 2		♦ 10 9 6 5 3
♣ J 10 4 2		♣ A Q 8 5
	♠ A K Q 2	
	♥ A K J 6	
	♦ A K Q	
	♣ 9 7	

Shape 4423 2254 4432 3334 HCP 6 7 26 1 Losers 9 8 3 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460

BBAD91E777F60B4C7591F2B1580B

**Board 436**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 2	
	♥ 9 8 2	
	♦ Q J 10 7	
	♣ Q J 9 2	
♠ Q 10 5		♠ J 8 7 3
♥ J 10 7 5 4		♥ K 6 3
♦ 9 3 2		♦ K 6 5 4
♣ 8 3		♣ 10 5
	♠ A K 6 4	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ A 8	
	♣ A K 7 6 4	

Shape 2344 4342 4225 3532 HCP 6 7 24 3 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 4 — NS +630

BAA5B02DD73B8BDB84C877404256

**Board 437**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 10	
	♥ 9 7 6 4 3	
	♦ Q	
	♣ J 10 9 8 5	
♠ J 8 6		♠ 5 4 3 2
♥ K 10 5		♥ J 8 2
♦ K 4 3		♦ 10 9 8 6
♣ K 7 6 4		♣ 3 2
	♠ A K 9 7	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ A J 7 5 2	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 2515 4342 4252 3334 HCP 5 1 24 10 Losers 9 11 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

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**Board 438**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ K 10 2	
	♥ Q J 6 3	
	♦ Q J	
	♣ K Q 7 4	
♠ 7 6 4		♠ J 9 3
♥ 7 4 2		♥ 8 5
♦ 10 8 7 6 5		♦ 9 4 2
♣ 10 3		♣ 9 8 6 5 2
	♠ A Q 8 5	
	♥ A K 10 9	
	♦ A K 3	
	♣ A J	

Shape 3424 3235 4432 3352 HCP 14 1 25 0 Losers 7 11 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1520

BB8DA0A1C3D5B70936F8F21E0952

**Board 439**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 8 7 4 3		
	♥ A J 8 3		
	♦ 10 9 7		
	♣ J 9		
♠ J 10 6 5			♠ 2
♥ 9 7 6 5			♥ 10 4 2
♦ 8 6 3			♦ K Q J 5 2
♣ K 6			♣ 7 5 4 2
	♠ A K Q 9		
	♥ K Q		
	♦ A 4		
	♣ A Q 10 8 3		

Shape 4432 1354 4225 4432 HCP 6 6 24 4 Losers 10 8 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
4 ♠ by South  
Made 6 — NS +680

B8A1AF204E3DF656B448603DCB0F

**Board 440**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ Q 10 4 2	
	♥ J 6 3 2	
	♦ 6 3	
	♣ K 3 2	
♠ 9 3		♠ J 8 6 5
♥ 10 9 7 4		♥ 8
♦ 9 8 7		♦ K J 10 4 2
♣ Q 7 6 5		♣ J 9 8
	♠ A K 7	
	♥ A K Q 5	
	♦ A Q 5	
	♣ A 10 4	

Shape 4423 4153 3433 2434 HCP 6 6 26 2 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990



B9A5299133F6F2C518C9F2C66E4F

**Board 441**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 8 6 5 4		♠ 3 2
♥ J 10 9 5		♥ Q 7
♦ 3 2		♦ A 10 8 4
♣ 7		♣ 10 9 5 4 3

♠ A Q
♥ A K 3
♦ K 7 6
♣ A K Q 8 6

Shape 3442 2245 2335 6421 HCP 8 6 25 1 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass			Pass

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +490

BBAE8DA54873AF16D64068C77830

**Board 442**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 8 2		
	♥ K J 6 4		
	♦ Q 8 7 4		
	♣ 10 9 4		
♠ 7 4		♠ J 10 6 5 3	
♥ 10 3 2		♥ 8 7	
♦ J 5 3		♦ 10 6 2	
♣ J 6 5 3 2		♣ A 8 7	
	♠ A K Q 9		
	♥ A Q 9 5		
	♦ A K 9		
	♣ K Q		

Shape 2443 5233 4432 2335 HCP 6 5 27 2 Losers 9 10 3 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

B8A1B1CBDB37D4D1DC2F454F6E8C

**Board 443**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 7		♠ 10 6
♥ K 10		♥ Q 5 4 2
♦ 10 9 5		♦ Q J
♣ 9 7 2		♣ Q J 10 6 4
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W S E</div> </div>	♠ 5 4 3
		♥ J 9 8 7
		♦ 7 6 4 3 2
		♣ 3
		♠ A K 2
		♥ A 6 3
		♦ A K 8
		♣ A K 8 5

Shape 2425 3451 3334 5233 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 8 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3. Quantitative 4 NT  
 4 N by South  
 Made 6 — NS +490

BAE5AD39AE36C642E239D8CE0BC2

**Board 444**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 9 7 5 4 2		♠ Q 10 6 3
♥ Q 10 6		♥ 9 8 4 3 2
♦ 8 7 2		♦ K J 4
♣ 5		♣ 3

♠ 8

♥ 5

♦ Q 6 5 3

♣ J 10 9 8 7 4 2

♠ K J
♥ A K J 7
♦ A 10 9
♣ A K Q 6

Shape 4531 1147 2434 6331 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 8 7 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	3 ♣	3 NT
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

5 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

BBADB52102E194184952F23C373B

**Board 445**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ Q J 8 4 3 2	
	♥ J 7	
	♦ K 9 3	
	♣ 3 2	
♠ 10 5		♠ 7 6
♥ K 5 4 3 2		♥ 9 8 6
♦ 8 7 2		♦ Q J 10 6 5
♣ 9 8 4		♣ J 6 5
	♠ A K 9	
	♥ A Q 10	
	♦ A 4	
	♣ A K Q 10 7	

Shape 6232 2353 3325 2533 HCP 7 4 26 3 Losers 8 10 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♠ by North

Made 7 — NS +1460

B8E189A891FECAD503590C5EFAC4

**Board 446**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 10 9 8 3 2		♠ 7 5
♥ 10 3		♥ K 9 7 5 2
♦ 8 2		♦ K Q 9 6 3
♣ Q 5 2		♣ 7
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W      E</div> <div>S</div> </div>	
		♠ 6 4
		♥ J 8 6 4
		♦ 10 5 4
		♣ 10 9 4 3
		♠ K Q J
		♥ A Q
		♦ A J 7
		♣ A K J 8 6

Shape 2551 2434 3235 6223 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 6 11 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 NT
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

BA25AD9BACFAD1D35F7710FA9D0C

**Board 447**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 9 8 4		♠ A 5 2
♥ 10 6 4		♥ 2
♦ 9 8 5		♦ K J 7 3 2
♣ J 5 2		♣ Q 8 7 6

♠ 7 6		♠ K Q J 3
♥ Q 9 8 7 5 3		♥ A K J
♦ Q 10 4		♦ A 6
♣ 10 4		♣ A K 9 3

	♠ N	
W		E
	♠ S	

Shape 3154 2632 4324 4333 HCP 10 4 25 1 Losers 7 8 4 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=0
  4. King ask by 5 NT
  5. K=0
- 6 N by South  
Made 7 — NS +1470

B9ABEBA573E71DF2463D5D317E1F

**Board 448**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 8		♠ 9 6 4 2
♥ J 8 6 4 3		♥ 7
♦ 9 6 5 3 2		♦ J 8 4
♣ —		♣ A K J 10 2

	♠ J 7 5 3
	♥ 9 5 2
	♦ Q 10 7
	♣ 8 7 3

♠ A Q
♥ A K Q 10
♦ A K
♣ Q 9 6 5 4

Shape 4135 4333 2425 3550 HCP 9 3 24 4 Losers 8 11 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♣	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
  3. A=0/5 or 3/5
  4. !C queen and !H king
- 6 ♣ by South  
 Made 6 — NS +920



C8B16139A746CB4B627D1C2457F6

**Board 449**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 2		♠ Q 5 4
♥ A Q 6 2		♥ 10 9 8
♦ J 10 4 3 2		♦ Q 9 8
♣ 5 4		♣ J 9 8 3

	♠ K 10 8 7 6 3
	♥ 5 3
	♦ 6 5
	♣ 10 7 2

	♠ A J
	♥ K J 7 4
	♦ A K 7
	♣ A K Q 6



Shape 3334 6223 2434 2452 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 10 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
 2. waiting  
 3 N by South  
 Made 4 — NS +430

CAA52A65CEF3821C53171BC09064

**Board 450**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ K 8 6 5	
	♥ J 9 4	
	♦ J 8	
	♣ 10 7 6 5	
♠ J 10 4		♠ Q 7 2
♥ 10		♥ 8 7 6 5 3
♦ 10 9 7 4 3		♦ K 5
♣ 8 4 3 2		♣ K J 9
	♠ A 9 3	
	♥ A K Q 2	
	♦ A Q 6 2	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 4324 3523 3442 3154 HCP 5 9 25 1 Losers 10 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

C989AAE22BF4F4F7365408C72917

**Board 451**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ J 7 5 3 2	
	♥ A 5 4	
	♦ Q	
	♣ J 8 4 2	
♠ Q 10 9 8 4	<div>W<div>N S</div>E</div>	♠ 6
♥ 10 9 8 7		♥ 6 2
♦ —		♦ 10 9 8 7 6 4 2
♣ 10 9 6 5		♣ K Q 7
	♠ A K	
	♥ K Q J 3	
	♦ A K J 5 3	
	♣ A 3	

Shape 5314 1273 2452 5404 HCP 8 5 25 2 Losers 9 7 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

1. strong  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990

CBAD65DE833D378E43D070F4281A

**Board 452**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 10 9 3 2	
	♥ J 8 7	
	♦ K 9 4	
	♣ J 9 7	
♠ Q 6 4		♠ K 7 5
♥ 10 9 5 4		♥ Q 6 2
♦ 3 2		♦ J 7 6 5
♣ 6 5 4 3		♣ Q 8 2
	♠ A J 8	
	♥ A K 3	
	♦ A Q 10 8	
	♣ A K 10	

Shape 4333 3343 3343 3424 HCP 5 8 25 2 Losers 11 9 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

CAA52771F73FB85ADE3022176319

**Board 453**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7		♠ K 10 6 5 4 2
♥ Q J 10 9 6		♥ —
♦ Q 6 5 3		♦ 10 7
♣ 9 6		♣ K J 10 4 3

	♠ Q 8 3
	♥ 8 7 4 2
	♦ 9 8 2
	♣ 8 7 5

	♠ A 9
	♥ A K 5 3
	♦ A K J 4
	♣ A Q 2



Shape 6025 3433 2443 2542 HCP 7 2 25 6 Losers 6 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	2 NT
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. no !S queen
  5. King ask by available bid
  6. K=1
- 6 ♠ by North  
 Made 6 — NS +1430

C9A8A1A306F335EB74155C523C1D

**Board 454**

South Deals

E-W Vul

		♠ J 9 6 3 2	
		♥ J	
		♦ K Q 10 4	
		♣ Q 10 8	
♠ 10 8			♠ 7 5 4
♥ 10 9 7 3			♥ 6 5 4 2
♦ 5 3 2			♦ J 9 7 6
♣ A 7 5 3			♣ J 4
		♠ A K Q	
		♥ A K Q 8	
		♦ A 8	
		♣ K 9 6 2	

Shape 5143 3442 3424 2434 HCP 9 2 25 4 Losers 7 11 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

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

CB9D2D614FF1740FCAAF19AD6F30B

**Board 455**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K 8 2		
	♥ J 8 7 2		
	♦ 9 4		
	♣ J 8 3 2		
♠ 10 7 6 4 3		♠ Q J 9	
♥ 10 9 6 3		♥ A 5 4	
♦ 7 5 2		♦ Q 10 6 3	
♣ 9		♣ 7 5 4	
	♠ A 5		
	♥ K Q		
	♦ A K J 8		
	♣ A K Q 10 6		

Shape 3424 3343 2245 5431 HCP 5 9 26 0 Losers 10 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

C8A3E2A3AFC648B9CA5AFB7E7CF9

**Board 456**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 10 7 5 2	<div style="display: inline-block; text-align: center; width: 60px;"> <div style="background-color: green; color: white; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> N W S E S </div> </div>	♠ 9 6 4 3
♥ 8 5 4 3 2		♥ 6
♦ 10		♦ J 4 3
♣ 9 3		♣ K 10 7 6 4

♠ A Q J 8	
♥ A K Q J	
♦ A K Q	
♣ 8 2	

Shape 0364 4135 4432 5512 HCP 7 4 26 3 Losers 7 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50



C9A9D1B16843124ECECF357ADFB5

**Board 457**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 9 5	
	♥ 10 8 7 6	
	♦ K Q 10 9	
	♣ 10 6 3	
♠ K 7 6 3		♠ J 10 8 4
♥ Q 5 4 2		♥ K 9 3
♦ 8 7 6 3		♦ 5 2
♣ J		♣ 9 8 7 4
	♠ A Q 2	
	♥ A J	
	♦ A J 4	
	♣ A K Q 5 2	

Shape 2443 4324 3235 4441 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 9 10 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

CB6DA39D26CB7412B8DF1AB6CC36

**Board 458**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 8 5 2	
	♥ 10 3	
	♦ J 9 4 2	
	♣ K 10 6	
♠ 10 6 3		♠ A 9
♥ 9 7 4 2		♥ Q 8 6 5
♦ 10 7 5		♦ K 8
♣ 9 7 3		♣ J 8 5 4 2
	♠ K Q 7 4	
	♥ A K J	
	♦ A Q 6 3	
	♣ A Q	

Shape 4243 2425 4342 3433 HCP 5 10 25 0 Losers 10 7 4 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +630

C8A1C16BCEC56D049AC6CC73D759

**Board 459**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8		
♥ K J 10 8 6 5		
♦ Q 7 2		
♣ Q 4 3		
♠ K J 10 6 5 3		♠ Q 9 4 2
♥ 4		♥ 7 3 2
♦ 10 8 6 3		♦ J 9 5
♣ 8 5		♣ J 7 6
	♠ A 7	
	♥ A Q 9	
	♦ A K 4	
	♣ A K 10 9 2	

Shape 1633 4333 2335 6142 HCP 8 4 24 4 Losers 7 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♥

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1510

CAA5E7DDDB5E66004BA734F30850

**Board 460**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J 4		♠ 8 5 3
♥ 5 4		♥ 8 7 3
♦ 8 4 2		♦ Q 10
♣ 8 5 3 2		♣ K J 7 6 4
	<div> <div>N</div> <div>W S E</div> </div>	♠ 10 9 7 2
		♥ Q J 10 2
		♦ J 7 3
		♣ 10 9
		♠ A 6
		♥ A K 9 6
		♦ A K 9 6 5
		♣ A Q

Shape 3325 4432 2452 4234 HCP 6 4 24 6 Losers 10 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 7 — NS +720

CB2D9D5D499A238606FA00C3F9FA

**Board 461**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 4 3 2		♠ A 9 7 5									
♥ 6 3 2		♥ J 8 7 5 4									
♦ J 10 6 3 2		♦ 8 7									
♣ 5		♣ 9 4									
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	S										
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		♥ K Q 10									
		♦ 9 5 4									
		♣ 10 8 7 6 2									
		♠ K 10 8									
		♥ A 9									
		♦ A K Q									
		♣ A K Q J 3									

Shape 4522 2335 3235 4351 HCP 5 8 26 1 Losers 9 9 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

C8A1AA2F7217C6DB7B84B0D67959

**Board 462**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 4		♠ Q 10									
♥ J 7 5 3		♥ 9 6									
♦ 10 9 6 4		♦ K 8 7 3 2									
♣ 6 5		♣ Q 10 8 7									
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		♥ 10 8 4 2									
		♦ Q									
		♣ K J 9 4									
		♠ A K 6 5									
		♥ A K Q									
		♦ A J 5									
		♣ A 3 2									

Shape 2254 4414 4333 3442 HCP 7 7 25 1 Losers 8 9 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 NT	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 N× by South

Down 1 — NS -100

**Board 463**  
South Deals  
N-S Vul

Shape 2335 4252 3235 4621 HCP 7 5 24 4 Losers 9 9 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !C
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♣ by South  
Made 6 — NS +1370

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**Board 464**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10			
♥ Q 9 8 7 4 2			
♦ 8 7 5			
♣ Q 4			
♠ Q 9 8 5			♠ J 7 6 4 2
♥ 5			♥ J 10 6 3
♦ J 6 4 2			♦ K 9
♣ 10 7 6 3			♣ 5 2
♠ A 3			
♥ A K			
♦ A Q 10 3			
♣ A K J 9 8			

Shape 2632 5422 2245 4144 HCP 7 5 25 3 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +1010



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**Board 465**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 5 2		♠ Q 9 4
♥ 10 9 7		♥ Q J 8 6 5 3
♦ 10 6 4 2		♦ 5 3
♣ 9 5		♣ A 8

W
N
E

♠ J 10 3

♥ 4 2

♦ K 7

♣ Q 10 7 6 4 3

♠ A K 6
♥ A K
♦ A Q J 9 8
♣ K J 2

Shape 3622 3226 3253 4342 HCP 9 6 25 0 Losers 7 8 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	5 NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
  4. !H queen no !C king no !D king
  5. King ask by available bid
  6. K=0
- 6 ♥ by North
- Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 466**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J		
♥ Q 10 9 7 2		
♦ 9 8		
♣ Q J 7 6 5		
♠ A Q 9 3 2		♠ 10 7 6 5
♥ J 8 3		♥ 6 5
♦ 10 3		♦ 7 5 4 2
♣ K 10 8		♣ 9 3 2

W

N

E

S

♠ K 8 4
♥ A K 4
♦ A K Q J 6
♣ A 4

Shape 1525 4243 3352 5323 HCP 6 0 24 10 Losers 7 11 4 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 NT	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 467**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6 4		♠ 9 7 2									
♥ 9 7 3 2		♥ A K 6									
♦ A 10 4 3		♦ 6 5 2									
♣ 10 8		♣ J 9 6 5									
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		♦ J 9 8 7									
		♣ 7 3 2									
		♠ A K Q 8									
		♥ Q 8 4									
		♦ K Q									
		♣ A K Q 4									

Shape 3334 3343 4324 3442 HCP 8 3 25 4 Losers 10 12 3 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 NT	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 NT

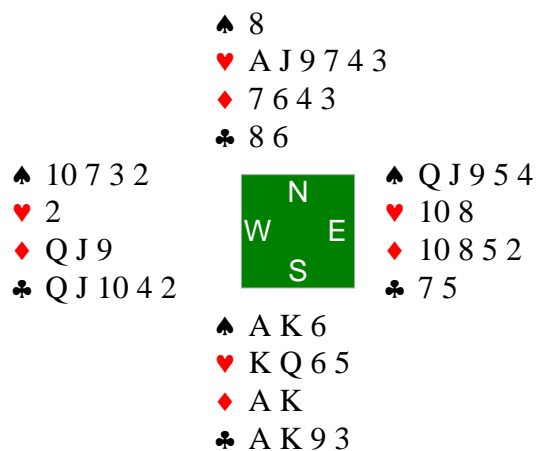
1. strong  
6 N by North  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 468**

South Deals

Both Vul



Shape 1642 5242 3424 4135 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 8 9 3 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♥

1. strong
  2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  3. A=1/5 or 4/5
- 7 ♥ by North  
 Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 469**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 8 5 4 3		
	♥ Q 6 3		
	♦ J 4 3		
	♣ K 7 3		
♠ 6			♠ Q J 10 7 2
♥ 10 8 5 4			♥ K 9 7
♦ 10 7 6 5 2			♦ 9 8
♣ 10 8 5			♣ Q 9 4
	♠ A K 9		
	♥ A J 2		
	♦ A K Q		
	♣ A J 6 2		

Shape 4333 5323 3334 1453 HCP 6 8 26 0 Losers 10 8 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 470**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 7 6 3 2		♠ Q 9									
♥ 9 2		♥ 10 8 7									
♦ Q 10		♦ J 6 3									
♣ 6 4 3		♣ Q 10 9 8 2									
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		♥ A J 5 4 3									
		♦ 9 8 7 5 2									
		♣ —									
		♠ A 10									
		♥ K Q 6									
		♦ A K 4									
		♣ A K J 7 5									

Shape 2335 3550 2335 6223 HCP 5 5 24 6 Losers 10 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +400

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**Board 471**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 10 8 7 6		♠ Q 5 4									
♥ 7 5 4 3 2		♥ J 9 6									
♦ 9 2		♦ J 10 3									
♣ 7		♣ Q 9 3 2									
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		♥ K 10									
		♦ Q 7 6 5 4									
		♣ J 6 5									
		♠ A 3									
		♥ A Q 8									
		♦ A K 8									
		♣ A K 10 8 4									

Shape 3334 3253 2335 5521 HCP 6 9 24 1 Losers 10 8 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 472**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 2		♠ K 8 7 6 4									
♥ 10 8 5 2		♥ J 7 6 4									
♦ J 9 8		♦ Q									
♣ Q J 10 6		♣ 9 8 2									
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		♥ Q 9									
		♦ 10 7 6 5 2									
		♣ 7 5 4									
		♠ A 10 9									
		♥ A K 3									
		♦ A K 4 3									
		♣ A K 3									

Shape 5413 3253 3343 2434 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 10 5 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +460



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**Board 473**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 5 2		♠ 7 6 3									
♥ K 9 7		♥ J 10 6 4 2									
♦ 7 6		♦ Q J 9									
♣ Q 10 8 5		♣ J 3									
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		♥ Q 8 3									
		♦ 10 8 4 3 2									
		♣ 9 7 2									
		♠ A K 9 8									
		♥ A 5									
		♦ A K 5									
		♣ A K 6 4									

Shape 3532 2353 4234 4324 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 10 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 474**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ 9 6 4 3	
	♥ J 8 5	
	♦ J 10	
	♣ K 10 7 6	
♠ 2		♠ J 10 8 5
♥ 9 7 4 3		♥ K 10 6 2
♦ Q 9 7 4		♦ K 8 6
♣ 9 8 5 4		♣ 3 2
	♠ A K Q 7	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ A 5 3 2	
	♣ A Q J	

Shape 4324 4432 4243 1444 HCP 5 7 26 2 Losers 10 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 475**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ 10 4	
	♥ K J 6 3	
	♦ J 10 7 4	
	♣ Q 10 9	
♠ Q 8 7 3		♠ 9 6 2
♥ 9 5		♥ 10 7 4
♦ 9 6 3		♦ K Q 5 2
♣ 8 7 6 2		♣ J 4 3
	♠ A K J 5	
	♥ A Q 8 2	
	♦ A 8	
	♣ A K 5	

Shape 2443 3343 4423 4234 HCP 7 6 25 2 Losers 9 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
  2. waiting
  3. Quantitative 4 NT
- 4 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 476**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 9 7 5 4		♠ 8									
♥ 9 5 2		♥ Q 10 8 7 4									
♦ 9 7 6 5		♦ J									
♣ 9		♣ K 10 8 7 6 2									
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		♥ K J									
		♦ 8 4 2									
		♣ Q 5 4 3									
		♠ A K 6									
		♥ A 6 3									
		♦ A K Q 10 3									
		♣ A J									

Shape 1516 4234 3352 5341 HCP 6 9 25 0 Losers 6 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 ♥ by North

Made 6 — NS +1430

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**Board 477**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 4  
♥ A Q 10 9 7 5  
♦ 10  
♣ K Q 8 5

♠ Q 10 8 5 2  
♥ 8 6  
♦ 9 6 5 2  
♣ 7 3

♠ 9 3  
♥ J 4  
♦ 8 7 4 3  
♣ J 10 6 4 2

♠ A K J 6  
♥ K 3 2  
♦ A K Q J  
♣ A 9

W N E S

Shape 2614 2245 4342 5242 HCP 11 2 25 2 Losers 5 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	6 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♥

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !H queen and !C king

7 ♥ by North

Made 7 — NS +2210

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**Board 478**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 8 3		♠ 6 5 4 2									
♥ J 4		♥ A 10 7 6									
♦ J 10 8 5		♦ 9 3									
♣ 10 7 5		♣ Q 6 3									
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		♦ 4 2									
		♣ J 9 8 4									
		♠ A 9 7									
		♥ K Q									
		♦ A K Q 7 6									
		♣ A K 2									

Shape 4423 2524 3253 4243 HCP 6 4 25 5 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
6 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 479**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ Q 7 2	
	♥ J 10 2	
	♦ Q J 10 2	
	♣ 7 6 4	
♠ 6 5		♠ K 10 8 3
♥ Q 9 8 7 3	W N E	♥ 5
♦ 9 8 3	S	♦ K 7 6 4
♣ 9 3 2		♣ J 10 8 5
	♠ A J 9 4	
	♥ A K 6 4	
	♦ A 5	
	♣ A K Q	

Shape 3343 4144 4423 2533 HCP 6 7 25 2 Losers 10 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 480**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 6 3 2		♠ A J 9 7 5									
♥ Q 8 5		♥ K 2									
♦ 9 8 4		♦ 5 2									
♣ Q J 6		♣ 10 8 4 3									
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		♦ Q 10 6									
		♣ 9 7 5 2									
		♠ K Q									
		♥ A 10 9 7									
		♦ A K J 7 3									
		♣ A K									

Shape 5224 2434 2452 4333 HCP 8 3 24 5 Losers 8 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3 NT	Pass	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>

1. strong

2. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

Made 7 — NS +520



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**Board 481**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 3		
	♥ 9 7 6 2		
	♦ Q 9 5 4 2		
	♣ Q 8		
♠ 10 8 7 5 2		♠ K 9 4	
♥ —		♥ K Q 10 8 3	
♦ 10 8 7 3		♦ J	
♣ J 10 7 4		♣ 6 5 3 2	
	♠ A Q 6		
	♥ A J 5 4		
	♦ A K 6		
	♣ A K 9		

Shape 2452 3514 3433 5044 HCP 5 9 25 1 Losers 9 7 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 4 — NS +430

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**Board 482**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 8 5		
	♥ K 9 6 3		
	♦ K 8 4 3		
	♣ 10 8 6		
♠ A J 10 3		♠ 7 6 4 2	
♥ 7 4		♥ 10 8 5 2	
♦ 7 6		♦ Q 5	
♣ J 9 4 3 2		♣ Q 7 5	
	♠ K Q 9		
	♥ A Q J		
	♦ A J 10 9 2		
	♣ A K		

Shape 2443 4423 3352 4225 HCP 6 4 24 6 Losers 9 10 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 483**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 2		♠ J 10 9 8 7	
♥ 9 5 4 2		♥ Q J 6	
♦ J 9 8 4 3		♦ Q 10 7	
♣ 9 8		♣ Q 5	
	<div>W N E S</div>		
		♠ Q 4	
		♥ 10 8 3	
		♦ K 6 5	
		♣ J 10 4 3 2	
		♠ A K 6 3	
		♥ A K 7	
		♦ A 2	
		♣ A K 7 6	

Shape 5332 2335 4324 2452 HCP 8 6 25 1 Losers 9 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Quantitative 4 NT  
4 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490

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**Board 484**

South Deals

Both Vul

		♠ K 9 8 7 4	
		♥ Q 6 4 3	
		♦ 10 3	
		♣ 10 7	
♠ 5			♠ J 10 6 3
♥ 9 8 7 5			♥ K J 10
♦ 8 7 2			♦ 9 5 4
♣ 9 8 4 3 2			♣ A Q 6
		♠ A Q 2	
		♥ A 2	
		♦ A K Q J 6	
		♣ K J 5	

Shape 5422 4333 3253 1435 HCP 5 11 24 0 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Dbl	Pass
Pass	Pass		

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠× by North

Made 6 — NS +1660

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**Board 485**

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 4		♠ 7 2									
♥ A 10		♥ Q J 9 7									
♦ 9 8 6 5 4		♦ J 2									
♣ 10 4 3		♣ J 9 7 6 2									
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	N										
W		E									
	S										
		♠ J 10 9 6 5 3									
		♥ 8 6 5 4									
		♦ 3									
		♣ Q 5									
		♠ A K									
		♥ K 3 2									
		♦ A K Q 10 7									
		♣ A K 8									

Shape 2425 6412 2353 3253 HCP 5 3 26 6 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	3 NT

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 486**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ 10 9 6 5		
	♥ 9		
	♦ J 10 9 4		
	♣ A 10 6 4		
♠ J 7 4 3		♠ K 8	
♥ Q 10 8 3		♥ 7 6 5 4 2	
♦ Q 8 7		♦ 5 3 2	
♣ Q 7		♣ 9 3 2	
	♠ A Q 2		
	♥ A K J		
	♦ A K 6		
	♣ K J 8 5		

Shape 4144 2533 3334 4432 HCP 5 3 25 7 Losers 9 10 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 487**

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 8 3 2		♠ 5 4
♥ 6		♥ K Q 10 8 2
♦ Q 7 6 5 2		♦ K 4
♣ K 8		♣ 10 9 5 2

	♠ 10 7 6
	♥ 9 7 5
	♦ 10 9 8 3
	♣ J 4 3

♠ A K Q
♥ A J 4 3
♦ A J
♣ A Q 7 6

Shape 2524 3343 3424 5152 HCP 8 1 25 6 Losers 7 12 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	7 ♥

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
  4. A=1/5 or 4/5
  5. !H queen and !D king
- 7 ♥ by North
- Down 1 — NS -100


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**Board 488**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 8 7 6 4 3		♠ 5
♥ Q 8		♥ K 10 5 4
♦ 7 6 5 2		♦ Q 10 9 8 4
♣ 7		♣ Q J 9



	♠ A K 10	♠ Q 9 2
	♥ A J 6	♥ 9 7 3 2
	♦ A K J 3	♦ —
	♣ A K 10	♣ 8 6 5 4 3 2

Shape 1453 3406 3343 6241 HCP 8 2 27 3 Losers 7 8 5 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	5 NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♥ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	7 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
  2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
  3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
  4. A=0/5 or 3/5
  5. !D queen no !S king no !C king
  6. King ask by available bid
  7. K=1
- 7 ♦ by North
- Made 7 — NS +1440



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**Board 489**

South Deals

E-W Vul

	♠ Q 4		
	♥ 9 3		
	♦ K Q 9 8 6 2		
	♣ 7 5 3		
♠ K 10 8 7 6 2		♠ 9	
♥ J 8 7 5		♥ K 10 6 4 2	
♦ 7 5		♦ 3	
♣ 4		♣ J 10 9 8 6 2	
	♠ A J 5 3		
	♥ A Q		
	♦ A J 10 4		
	♣ A K Q		

Shape 2263 1516 4243 6421 HCP 7 4 25 4 Losers 8 7 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Down 1 — NS -50

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**Board 490**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ J 8 7 6 5	
	♥ 7	
	♦ K Q 8 7 6 4 2	
	♣ —	
♠ Q 2		♠ 10 9
♥ 10 6 4 2		♥ J 9 5 3
♦ 9 5		♦ J 10
♣ K 10 6 3 2		♣ J 9 8 7 5
	♠ A K 4 3	
	♥ A K Q 8	
	♦ A 3	
	♣ A Q 4	

Shape 5170 2425 4423 2425 HCP 6 3 26 5 Losers 5 10 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7 ♦	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Gerber

4. A=0/4 or 4/4

7 ♦ by North

Made 7 — NS +2140

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**Board 491**

South Deals

None Vul

	♠ J 7 6 3	
	♥ 5 3	
	♦ J 10 7	
	♣ A Q 10 3	
♠ 10 5 4		♠ 9 8
♥ 6 2		♥ J 10 9 8 4
♦ Q 8 5 4 3 2		♦ K 6
♣ 9 6		♣ 8 7 5 4
	♠ A K Q 2	
	♥ A K Q 7	
	♦ A 9	
	♣ K J 2	

Shape 4234 2524 4423 3262 HCP 8 4 26 2 Losers 9 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

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**Board 492**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ 6 5 2		
	♥ K J 8 2		
	♦ Q J 8 5		
	♣ Q 9		
♠ 8 7 4 3			♠ Q 9
♥ 6 4 3			♥ 10 9 7 5
♦ 9 7 4 2			♦ 3
♣ J 8			♣ K 7 6 5 4 2
	♠ A K J 10		
	♥ A Q		
	♦ A K 10 6		
	♣ A 10 3		

Shape 3442 2416 4243 4342 HCP 9 5 25 1 Losers 9 8 5 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	6 NT	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass			Pass

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=0/4 or 4/4

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 493**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ Q 6 5	
	♥ J 4 2	
	♦ Q 9 6 2	
	♣ Q J 3	
♠ 8 7 4 2		♠ 10 3
♥ Q 10 8 7		♥ 9 6 5
♦ 8 7 4		♦ K J 5 3
♣ 9 5		♣ 8 7 4 2
	♠ A K J 9	
	♥ A K 3	
	♦ A 10	
	♣ A K 10 6	

Shape 3343 2344 4324 4432 HCP 8 4 26 2 Losers 9 10 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +1440

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**Board 494**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 3 2  
♥ J 10 7 6  
♦ K Q 10 5 4  
♣ J 8

♠ J 8 4  
♥ 9 5 4  
♦ J 7 3 2  
♣ K 7 4

♠ Q 9 7 6 5  
♥ Q 8 3  
♦ 9 8  
♣ 6 5 2

♠ A K 10  
♥ A K 2  
♦ A 6  
♣ A Q 10 9 3

W N E S

Shape 2452 5323 3325 3343 HCP 7 4 24 5 Losers 8 9 4 11

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 6 — NS +490

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**Board 495**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ J 10 7 4	
	♥ K 9 8 6	
	♦ J 9	
	♣ J 9 7	
♠ K 9 8 6		♠ 5 2
♥ J 7		♥ 10 5 4 3 2
♦ 10 7 4 2		♦ Q 8 5 3
♣ 10 8 2		♣ Q 3
	♠ A Q 3	
	♥ A Q	
	♦ A K 6	
	♣ A K 6 5 4	

Shape 4423 2542 3235 4243 HCP 6 4 26 4 Losers 10 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong

2. waiting

3. Quantitative 4 NT

4 N by South

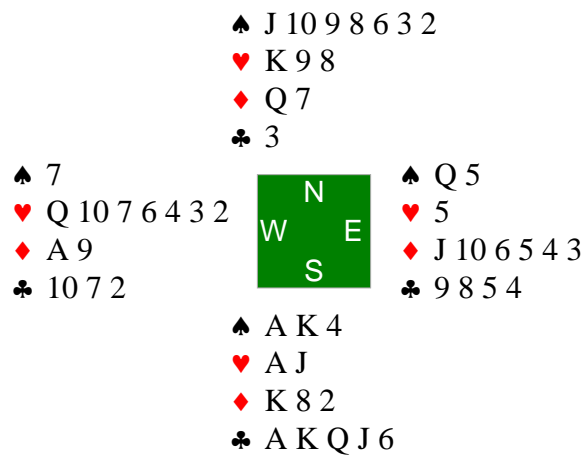
Made 5 — NS +660

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**Board 496**

South Deals

E-W Vul



Shape 7321 2164 3235 1723 HCP 6 3 25 6 Losers 8 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	Pass	Pass	6 ♠

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +980



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**Board 497**

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 2		♠ K 10 4 3
♥ 8 6 5 2		♥ 10 3
♦ 9 7 2		♦ Q J 8 4 3
♣ Q 9 4 3		♣ 7 5
	<div>W N E S</div>	♠ Q 7 6 5
		♥ A J 9 7
		♦ 10 6 5
		♣ 10 8
		♠ A 9 8
		♥ K Q 4
		♦ A K
		♣ A K J 6 2

Shape 4252 4432 3325 2434 HCP 6 7 24 3 Losers 8 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong  
2. waiting  
3. Stayman  
3 N by South  
Made 5 — NS +460

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**Board 498**

South Deals

N-S Vul

	♠ A 8 7 3	
	♥ 7 5	
	♦ 8 6 5	
	♣ K Q J 6	
♠ 9 6 5		♠ Q 10 4
♥ J 8 4		♥ 10 9 6 2
♦ 10 7 2		♦ J 4 3
♣ 10 8 7 5		♣ 9 4 3
	♠ K J 2	
	♥ A K Q 3	
	♦ A K Q 9	
	♣ A 2	

Shape 4234 3433 3442 3334 HCP 10 3 26 1 Losers 8 11 3 12

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 NT	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Gerber
4. A=3 out of 4

6 N by South

Made 7 — NS +1470

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**Board 499**

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 4		♠ K 10 9 6 5 2
♥ 8 4 3 2		♥ J 10
♦ 10 8 6 4		♦ J 7 3
♣ K Q		♣ 4 2

	♠ 3
	♥ K 7 5
	♦ 9 5 2
	♣ J 10 8 6 5 3

	♠ A Q 8
	♥ A Q 9 6
	♦ A K Q
	♣ A 9 7



Shape 6232 1336 3433 3442 HCP 5 4 25 6 Losers 9 9 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
			2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 NT
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong
2. waiting
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by North  
Made 6 — NS +980

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**Board 500**

South Deals

Both Vul

	♠ K J	
	♥ J 10 9 3	
	♦ J 6	
	♣ Q J 10 9 6	
♠ 10 8 5 3 2		♠ Q 7 6 4
♥ Q 6 4 2		♥ 8 7 5
♦ 9 5 2		♦ K 10 8 4
♣ 5		♣ 8 7

	♠ A 9	
	♥ A K	
	♦ A Q 7 3	
	♣ A K 4 3 2	

Shape 2425 4342 2245 5431 HCP 9 5 24 2 Losers 8 9 3 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot4</i>	<i>EPBot1</i>	<i>EPBot2</i>	<i>EPBot3</i>
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

1. strong

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

Made 6 — NS +1370