

<b>Board: 1</b>	♠ AT43	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK4	
HCP: 16	♣ KJ84	

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<b>Board: 2</b>	♠ A952	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 863	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 8	

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<b>Board: 3</b>	♠ J52	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T864	
HCP: 8	♣ AK83	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 1

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ AT43

♥ J5

♦ AK4

♣ KJ84

South:

♠ KQ92

♥ AQT3

♦ Q5

♣ Q73

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♠	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- Stayman
- artificial
- Blackwood 0314, for !S
- A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1

### Board: 2

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A952

♥ A8432

♦ 863

♣ 8

South:

♠ QJT

♥ KJT

♦ KQ

♣ AKQ76

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial

### Board: 3

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J52

♥ 74

♦ T864

♣ AK83

South:

♠ KQ

♥ AKJ32

♦ KQ5

♣ T42

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial

<b>Board: 1</b>	♠ KQ92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q5	
HCP: 15	♣ Q73	

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<b>Board: 2</b>	♠ QJT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ	
HCP: 21+1	♣ AKQ76	

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<b>Board: 3</b>	♠ KQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ5	
HCP: 18+1	♣ T42	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 1

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ AT43

♥ J5

♦ AK4

♣ KJ84

South:

♠ KQ92

♥ AQT3

♦ Q5

♣ Q73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♠<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. artificial

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 2

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A952

♥ A8432

♦ 863

♣ 8

South:

♠ QJT

♥ KJT

♦ KQ

♣ AKQ76

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 3

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J52

♥ 74

♦ T864

♣ AK83

South:

♠ KQ

♥ AKJ32

♦ KQ5

♣ T42

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 4</b>	♠ QJ2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ876	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AJ3	

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<b>Board: 5</b>	♠ QJ63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T743	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 11	♣ KJ62	

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<b>Board: 6</b>	♠ AT9832	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 975	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ52	
HCP: 10+2	♣ -	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 4

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ QJ2

♥ AT

♦ AQ876

♣ AJ3

South:

♠ 3

♥ K97543

♦ K32

♣ KQ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no !H queen

### Board: 5

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ63

♥ T743

♦ A

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ A875

♥ AK5

♦ KJ93

♣ A7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 6

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AT9832

♥ 975

♦ AQ52

♣ -

South:

♠ Q7

♥ KQ63

♦ K93

♣ AK85

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 0 out of 4

<b>Board: 4</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K97543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K32	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KQ6	

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<b>Board: 5</b>	♠ A875	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ93	
HCP: 19	♣ A7	

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<b>Board: 6</b>	♠ Q7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K93	
HCP: 17	♣ AK85	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 4

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ QJ2

♥ AT

♦ AQ876

♣ AJ3

South:

♠ 3

♥ K97543

♦ K32

♣ KQ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. no !H queen

### Board: 5

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ QJ63

♥ T743

♦ A

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ A875

♥ AK5

♦ KJ93

♣ A7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 6

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AT9832

♥ 975

♦ AQ52

♣ -

South:

♠ Q7

♥ KQ63

♦ K93

♣ AK85

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Exclusion, for !S

5. 0 out of 4



**Board: 7**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J543

East (LHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ T54

HCP: 12+1

♣ AKJ98

**Board: 8**

♠ Q875

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T72

HCP: 10

♣ AT96

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 7

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K

♥ J543

♦ T54

♣ AKJ98

South:

♠ AQ9763

♥ AKQ6

♦ J2

♣ 4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> X 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 8

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q875

♥ KJ

♦ T72

♣ AT96

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ AQ2

♦ QJ64

♣ QJ8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 7</b>	♠ AQ9763	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ6	East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J2	
HCP: 16+2	♣ 4	

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<b>Board: 8</b>	♠ KJ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJ64	
HCP: 16	♣ QJ8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 7

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K

♥ J543

♦ T54

♣ AKJ98

South:

♠ AQ9763

♥ AKQ6

♦ J2

♣ 4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> X 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 8

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q875

♥ KJ

♦ T72

♣ AT96

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ AQ2

♦ QJ64

♣ QJ8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

**Board: 9**

♠ AKT84

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K84

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K4

HCP: 16+1

♣ QJ6

**Board: 10**

♠ K2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T765

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A3

HCP: 16+1

♣ AKQ63

**Board: 11**

♠ K6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKQ

HCP: 23+1

♣ KQJ93

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 9

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7♣ South

North:

♠ AKT84

♥ K84

♦ K4

♣ QJ6

South:

♠ 2

♥ AJ93

♦ AJ8

♣ AKT82

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2♣

Pass

2♠

Pass

3♥

Pass

4♣

Pass

4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass

4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass

5♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass

5♥

Pass

5♠<sup>6</sup>

Pass

5NT<sup>7</sup>

Pass

6♠<sup>8</sup>

Pass

7♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6. !C queen and !S king

7. King ask by 5NT

8. K=3

### Board: 10

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ K2

♥ T765

♦ A3

♣ AKQ63

South:

♠ JT54

♥ AQ4

♦ KQJ974

♣ -

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2♦

Pass

3♣

Pass

3♠

Pass

3NT

Pass

4♦

Pass

4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass

5♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

6♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 11

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 23+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ K6

♥ KQ6

♦ AKQ

♣ KQJ93

South:

♠ AT42

♥ A852

♦ 753

♣ 84

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

4NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 9</b>	♠ 2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ8	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AKT82	

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<b>Board: 10</b>	♠ JT54	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ974	
HCP: 13+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 11</b>	♠ AT42	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A852	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 753	
HCP: 8	♣ 84	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 9

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7♣ South

North:

♠ AKT84

♥ K84

♦ K4

♣ QJ6

South:

♠ 2

♥ AJ93

♦ AJ8

♣ AKT82

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2♣

Pass

2♠

Pass

3♥

Pass

4♣

Pass

4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass

4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass

4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass

5♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass

5♥

Pass

5♠<sup>6</sup>

Pass

5NT<sup>7</sup>

Pass

6♠<sup>8</sup>

Pass

7♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

6. !C queen and !S king

7. King ask by 5NT

8. K=3

### Board: 10

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ K2

♥ T765

♦ A3

♣ AKQ63

South:

♠ JT54

♥ AQ4

♦ KQJ974

♣ -

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

2♦

Pass

3♣

Pass

3♠

Pass

3NT

Pass

4♦

Pass

4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass

5♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass

6♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 11

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 23+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ K6

♥ KQ6

♦ AKQ

♣ KQJ93

South:

♠ AT42

♥ A852

♦ 753

♣ 84

W

N

E

S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass

4NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



<b>Board: 12</b>	♠ 4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K752	
HCP: 11	♣ AQ95	

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<b>Board: 13</b>	♠ AK6543	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q72	
HCP: 13+2	♣ JT8	

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<b>Board: 14</b>	♠ KT7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q8763	
HCP: 11+1	♣ K	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 12

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ Q762

♦ K752

♣ AQ95

South:

♠ AKT

♥ K983

♦ AQJ3

♣ 73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 13

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AK6543

♥ K

♦ Q72

♣ JT8

South:

♠ QJ

♥ AQ8742

♦ 54

♣ AK4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 14

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT7

♥ KT76

♦ Q8763

♣ K

South:

♠ A3

♥ AQ9

♦ KT

♣ AT8763

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 12</b>	♠ AKT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K983	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ3	
HCP: 17	♣ 73	

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<b>Board: 13</b>	♠ QJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ8742	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 54	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK4	

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<b>Board: 14</b>	♠ A3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KT	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AT8763	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 12

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 4

♥ Q762

♦ K752

♣ AQ95

South:

♠ AKT

♥ K983

♦ AQJ3

♣ 73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 13

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AK6543

♥ K

♦ Q72

♣ JT8

South:

♠ QJ

♥ AQ8742

♦ 54

♣ AK4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 14

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT7

♥ KT76

♦ Q8763

♣ K

South:

♠ A3

♥ AQ9

♦ KT

♣ AT8763

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 15**

♠ AQJT5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q84

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J

HCP: 16+1

♣ AQ62

**Board: 16**

♠ KT8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A872

HCP: 8+1

♣ JT842

**Board: 17**

♠ K863

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K642

West (RHO) bids 2♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQ54

East (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.

HCP: 11

♣ 5

**Board: 18**

♠ QJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 642

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 864

HCP: 12+1

♣ AKQ96

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 15

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJT5

♥ Q84

♦ J

♣ AQ62

South:

♠ 984

♥ AK632

♦ AKQ

♣ T8

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 16

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT8

♥ T

♦ A872

♣ JT842

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ KJ7

♦ K653

♣ KQ

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 17

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K863

♥ K642

♦ KQ54

♣ 5

South:

♠ AJT9

♥ AJT97

♦ -

♣ AQJ2

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦	X	3 ♦	Pass
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 18

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ 642

♦ 864

♣ AKQ96

South:

♠ KT9

♥ AKQ9

♦ AQ75

♣ T4

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

<b>Board: 15</b>	♠ 984	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK632	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ	
HCP: 16+1	♣ T8	

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<b>Board: 16</b>	♠ AQJ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K653	
HCP: 19	♣ KQ	

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<b>Board: 17</b>	♠ AJT9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT97	West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ -	East (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQJ2	

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<b>Board: 18</b>	♠ KT9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ9	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ75	
HCP: 18	♣ T4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 15

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJT5

♥ Q84

♦ J

♣ AQ62

South:

♠ 984

♥ AK632

♦ AKQ

♣ T8

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♣
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 16

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT8

♥ T

♦ A872

♣ JT842

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ KJ7

♦ K653

♣ KQ

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 17

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K863

♥ K642

♦ KQ54

♣ 5

South:

♠ AJT9

♥ AJT97

♦ -

♣ AQJ2

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦	X	3 ♦	Pass
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 18

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ 642

♦ 864

♣ AKQ96

South:

♠ KT9

♥ AKQ9

♦ AQ75

♣ T4

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m



**Board: 19**

♠ AT983

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A652

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 76

HCP: 9+1

♣ J7

**Board: 20**

♠ Q53

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A732

East (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A2

HCP: 17

♣ AK65

**Board: 21**

♠ AQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ JT76

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ4

HCP: 17

♣ AJ54

**Board: 22**

♠ A3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK72

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 853

HCP: 16

♣ KQ92

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 19

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AT983

♥ A652

♦ 76

♣ J7

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ Q

♦ AKQJ8

♣ A954

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 20

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ Q53

♥ A732

♦ A2

♣ AK65

South:

♠ AKJ4

♥ QJ65

♦ KT65

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2NT<sup>2</sup> 3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♥ Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. both majors

### Board: 21

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ

♥ JT76

♦ AJ4

♣ AJ54

South:

♠ 953

♥ AQ52

♦ K95

♣ 762

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ X

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 22

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2♦ South

North:

♠ A3

♥ AK72

♦ 853

♣ KQ92

South:

♠ T4

♥ Q86

♦ AQ972

♣ A74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 2♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 19**

♠ KQ4

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKQJ8

HCP: 21+1

♣ A954

**Board: 20**

♠ AKJ4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ65

East (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KT65

HCP: 15

♣ J

**Board: 21**

♠ 953

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ52

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K95

HCP: 9

♣ 762

**Board: 22**

♠ T4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q86

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ972

HCP: 12+1

♣ A74

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 19

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 21+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AT983

♥ A652

♦ 76

♣ J7

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ Q

♦ AKQJ8

♣ A954

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 20

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ Q53

♥ A732

♦ A2

♣ AK65

South:

♠ AKJ4

♥ QJ65

♦ KT65

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2NT<sup>2</sup> 3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♥ Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. both majors

### Board: 21

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ

♥ JT76

♦ AJ4

♣ AJ54

South:

♠ 953

♥ AQ52

♦ K95

♣ 762

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ X

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

### Board: 22

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2♦ South

North:

♠ A3

♥ AK72

♦ 853

♣ KQ92

South:

♠ T4

♥ Q86

♦ AQ972

♣ A74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 2♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 23</b>	♠ AK3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J752	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 8	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 98764	

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<b>Board: 24</b>	♠ KT96	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ7	
HCP: 16	♣ Q5	

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<b>Board: 25</b>	♠ A9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQT862	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 862	
HCP: 17+3	♣ A	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 23

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK3

♥ J752

♦ 8

♣ 98764

South:

♠ Q98

♥ AKT43

♦ AT4

♣ A5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 1♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 24

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KT96

♥ AJ85

♦ AQ7

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AQ74

♥ K3

♦ KT4

♣ A982

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. artificial

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 25

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 7♥ South

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKQT862

♦ 862

♣ A

South:

♠ QJ8

♥ 5

♦ AKQJ3

♣ QT54

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♠

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 7♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

**Board: 23**

♠ Q98

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKT43

West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AT4

HCP: 17+1

♣ A5

**Board: 24**

♠ AQ74

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KT4

HCP: 16

♣ A982

**Board: 25**

♠ QJ8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKQJ3

HCP: 15+1

♣ QT54

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 23

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AK3

♥ J752

♦ 8

♣ 98764

South:

♠ Q98

♥ AKT43

♦ AT4

♣ A5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 1♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 24

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KT96

♥ AJ85

♦ AQ7

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AQ74

♥ K3

♦ KT4

♣ A982

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♠

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. artificial

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 25

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 7♥ South

North:

♠ A9

♥ AKQT862

♦ 862

♣ A

South:

♠ QJ8

♥ 5

♦ AKQJ3

♣ QT54

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♠

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6♦<sup>6</sup> Pass 7♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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



**Board: 26**

♠ 6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ JT6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AK62

HCP: 15+1

♣ AQJ84

**Board: 27**

♠ AQJ9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 8764

HCP: 12

♣ Q32

**Board: 28**

♠ K92

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT7

HCP: 17

♣ AT52

**Board: 29**

♠ A8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJ87

East (LHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 654

HCP: 10+1

♣ T94

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 26

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ JT6

♦ AK62

♣ AQJ84

South:

♠ AQ874

♥ AKQ9

♦ J73

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 27

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQJ9

♥ K4

♦ 8764

♣ Q32

South:

♠ K8

♥ A65

♦ AQ2

♣ A7654

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 28

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K92

♥ AQ9

♦ AT7

♣ AT52

South:

♠ A83

♥ K72

♦ Q86

♣ QJ97

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 29

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A8

♥ KQJ87

♦ 654

♣ T94

South:

♠ QJ

♥ A96

♦ J32

♣ AKJ76

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♠ Pass

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 26</b>	♠ AQ874	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J73	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 9	

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<b>Board: 27</b>	♠ K8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ2	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A7654	

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<b>Board: 28</b>	♠ A83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q86	
HCP: 12	♣ QJ97	

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<b>Board: 29</b>	♠ QJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A96	East (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J32	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKJ76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 26

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 6

♥ JT6

♦ AK62

♣ AQJ84

South:

♠ AQ874

♥ AKQ9

♦ J73

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 27

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQJ9

♥ K4

♦ 8764

♣ Q32

South:

♠ K8

♥ A65

♦ AQ2

♣ A7654

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 28

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K92

♥ AQ9

♦ AT7

♣ AT52

South:

♠ A83

♥ K72

♦ Q86

♣ QJ97

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 29

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A8

♥ KQJ87

♦ 654

♣ T94

South:

♠ QJ

♥ A96

♦ J32

♣ AKJ76

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♠ Pass

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 30</b>	♠ 32	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ85	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q3	

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<b>Board: 31</b>	♠ 8652	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 972	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ32	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 5	

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<b>Board: 32</b>	♠ 86	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ3	
HCP: 16	♣ KT93	

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<b>Board: 33</b>	♠ KT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ63	
HCP: 21+1	♣ K97	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 30

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ 32

♥ AQ32

♦ AKJ85

♣ Q3

South:

♠ AKQ9874

♥ 974

♦ 4

♣ K6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
All Pass			

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

### Board: 31

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 8652

♥ 972

♦ AKJ32

♣ 5

South:

♠ K7

♥ AKQJ5

♦ T64

♣ A74

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 32

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ 86

♥ AKQ6

♦ KJ3

♣ KT93

South:

♠ K973

♥ T2

♦ AQ975

♣ A7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 33

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT

♥ AKT

♦ AKJ63

♣ K97

South:

♠ A8432

♥ 7

♦ 8742

♣ A64

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

**Board: 30**      ♠ AKQ9874      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 974      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ 4  
HCP: 12+3      ♣ K6

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**Board: 31**      ♠ K7      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKQJ5      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ T64  
HCP: 17+1      ♣ A74

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**Board: 32**      ♠ K973      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ T2      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ975  
HCP: 13+1      ♣ A7

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**Board: 33**      ♠ A8432      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 7      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ 8742  
HCP: 8+1      ♣ A64

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 30

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ 32

♥ AQ32

♦ AKJ85

♣ Q3

South:

♠ AKQ9874

♥ 974

♦ 4

♣ K6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
All Pass			

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

### Board: 31

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 8652

♥ 972

♦ AKJ32

♣ 5

South:

♠ K7

♥ AKQJ5

♦ T64

♣ A74

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 32

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ 86

♥ AKQ6

♦ KJ3

♣ KT93

South:

♠ K973

♥ T2

♦ AQ975

♣ A7

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 33

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT

♥ AKT

♦ AKJ63

♣ K97

South:

♠ A8432

♥ 7

♦ 8742

♣ A64

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial



**Board: 34**

♠ QJ65

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQT8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A4

HCP: 16+1

♣ 65

**Board: 35**

♠ KT5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 62

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ A872

HCP: 9

♣ QT97

**Board: 36**

♠ A5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K94

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ J742

HCP: 9

♣ J962

**Board: 37**

♠ AQT64

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 986

HCP: 12+1

♣ KQJT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 34

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ65

♥ AKQT8

♦ A4

♣ 65

South:

♠ A7

♥ J9

♦ K765

♣ AJT92

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 35

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT5

♥ 62

♦ A872

♣ QT97

South:

♠ 73

♥ AKQ4

♦ KT9

♣ KJ85

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 36

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5

♥ K94

♦ J742

♣ J962

South:

♠ QT64

♥ A73

♦ AKQ8

♣ A7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 37

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQT64

♥ 6

♦ 986

♣ KQJT

South:

♠ J53

♥ AKT85

♦ A53

♣ A2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 34**

♠ A7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K765

HCP: 13+1

♣ AJT92

**Board: 35**

♠ 73

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKQ4

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KT9

HCP: 16

♣ KJ85

**Board: 36**

♠ QT64

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A73

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKQ8

HCP: 19

♣ A7

**Board: 37**

♠ J53

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKT85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A53

HCP: 16+1

♣ A2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 34

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ65

♥ AKQT8

♦ A4

♣ 65

South:

♠ A7

♥ J9

♦ K765

♣ AJT92

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 35

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KT5

♥ 62

♦ A872

♣ QT97

South:

♠ 73

♥ AKQ4

♦ KT9

♣ KJ85

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 36

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5

♥ K94

♦ J742

♣ J962

South:

♠ QT64

♥ A73

♦ AKQ8

♣ A7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 37

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQT64

♥ 6

♦ 986

♣ KQJT

South:

♠ J53

♥ AKT85

♦ A53

♣ A2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 38**

♠ 82

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A7

HCP: 16+1

♣ KQ432

**Board: 39**

♠ KJ87

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 84

HCP: 15

♣ K43

**Board: 40**

♠ AJ54

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T9854

HCP: 8+1

♣ 2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 38

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 82

♥ AQJ5

♦ A7

♣ KQ432

South:

♠ AJT765

♥ K642

♦ KQ4

♣ -

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 39

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ KJ87

♥ AKJT

♦ 84

♣ K43

South:

♠ A93

♥ 9

♦ AKJ972

♣ A87

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !D queen

### Board: 40

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ54

♥ K93

♦ T9854

♣ 2

South:

♠ K3

♥ AQ76

♦ KJ6

♣ AK75

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 38</b>	♠ AJT765	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K642	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ4	
HCP: 13+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 39</b>	♠ A93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ972	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A87	

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<b>Board: 40</b>	♠ K3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ6	
HCP: 20	♣ AK75	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 38

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 82

♥ AQJ5

♦ A7

♣ KQ432

South:

♠ AJT765

♥ K642

♦ KQ4

♣ -

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 39

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ KJ87

♥ AKJT

♦ 84

♣ K43

South:

♠ A93

♥ 9

♦ AKJ972

♣ A87

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5♥	Pass	6♦ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	6NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !D queen

### Board: 40

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ54

♥ K93

♦ T9854

♣ 2

South:

♠ K3

♥ AQ76

♦ KJ6

♣ AK75

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman



**Board: 41**      ♠ QT975      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AK      East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ K  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ AJT86

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**Board: 42**      ♠ T9      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ Q7      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AT984  
HCP: 11+1      ♣ AJ52

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**Board: 43**      ♠ K2      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKQ42      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ 9763  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ A4

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**Board: 44**      ♠ AT9763      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQJ5  
HCP: 17+3      ♣ 8

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**Board: 45**      ♠ T6      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKT7432      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ J7  
HCP: 8+3      ♣ 96

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 41

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ QT975

♥ AK

♦ K

♣ AJT86

South:

♠ AK2

♥ QJ9654

♦ 3

♣ Q32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

### Board: 42

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T9

♥ Q7

♦ AT984

♣ AJ52

South:

♠ Q87

♥ AK

♦ KJ3

♣ KQ974

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 43

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K2

♥ AKQ42

♦ 9763

♣ A4

South:

♠ J9654

♥ 7

♦ AJ

♣ KQJT2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 44

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ AT9763

♥ K

♦ AKQJ5

♣ 8

South:

♠ 4

♥ Q2

♦ 876432

♣ AK72

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♦

Pass 5 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 45

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ T6

♥ AKT7432

♦ J7

♣ 96

South:

♠ AJ742

♥ -

♦ KQT2

♣ AKJ2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 41**      ♠ AK2      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ QJ9654      East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.  
 Vul: E-W      ♦ 3  
 HCP: 12+2      ♣ Q32

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**Board: 42**      ♠ Q87      You are dealer.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ AK      The opponents are silent.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KJ3  
 HCP: 18+1      ♣ KQ974

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**Board: 43**      ♠ J9654      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ 7      The opponents are silent.  
 Vul: None      ♦ AJ  
 HCP: 12+2      ♣ KQJT2

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**Board: 44**      ♠ 4      Partner is dealer.  
 Dealer: North      ♥ Q2      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
 Vul: N-S      ♦ 876432  
 HCP: 9+2      ♣ AK72

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**Board: 45**      ♠ AJ742      You are dealer.  
 Dealer: South      ♥ -      The opponents are silent.  
 Vul: Both      ♦ KQT2  
 HCP: 18+1      ♣ AKJ2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 41

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ QT975

♥ AK

♦ K

♣ AJT86

South:

♠ AK2

♥ QJ9654

♦ 3

♣ Q32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

### Board: 42

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T9

♥ Q7

♦ AT984

♣ AJ52

South:

♠ Q87

♥ AK

♦ KJ3

♣ KQ974

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 43

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K2

♥ AKQ42

♦ 9763

♣ A4

South:

♠ J9654

♥ 7

♦ AJ

♣ KQJT2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 44

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ AT9763

♥ K

♦ AKQJ5

♣ 8

South:

♠ 4

♥ Q2

♦ 876432

♣ AK72

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♦

Pass 5 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 45

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ T6

♥ AKT7432

♦ J7

♣ 96

South:

♠ AJ742

♥ -

♦ KQT2

♣ AKJ2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 46**

♠ Q7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT9854

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKQ7

HCP: 16+2

♣ K

**Board: 47**

♠ KT6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q7

HCP: 17+1

♣ AK873

**Board: 48**

♠ AKQ64

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 4

East (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ QJ65

HCP: 16+1

♣ A76

**Board: 49**

♠ AQ75

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q7

West (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ T853

HCP: 11

♣ KT2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 46

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q7

♥ QT9854

♦ AKQ7

♣ K

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ AJ6

♦ T82

♣ 8542

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 47

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ KQ9

♦ Q7

♣ AK873

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 764

♦ K965

♣ J642

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 48

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♦ South

North:

♠ AKQ64

♥ 4

♦ QJ65

♣ A76

South:

♠ T

♥ A632

♦ K98742

♣ K4

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	X	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper			
4. Blackwood 0314, for !D			
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1			

### Board: 49

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ75

♥ Q7

♦ T853

♣ KT2

South:

♠ KJ94

♥ AKT3

♦ K6

♣ Q53

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 46**

♠ KJ6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T82

HCP: 9

♣ 8542

**Board: 47**

♠ AJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 764

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K965

HCP: 9

♣ J642

**Board: 48**

♠ T

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A632

East (RHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K98742

HCP: 10+2

♣ K4

**Board: 49**

♠ KJ94

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKT3

West (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ K6

HCP: 16

♣ Q53

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 46

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q7

♥ QT9854

♦ AKQ7

♣ K

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ AJ6

♦ T82

♣ 8542

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 47

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ KQ9

♦ Q7

♣ AK873

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 764

♦ K965

♣ J642

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 48

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♦ South

North:

♠ AKQ64

♥ 4

♦ QJ65

♣ A76

South:

♠ T

♥ A632

♦ K98742

♣ K4

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	X	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper			
4. Blackwood 0314, for !D			
5. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1			

### Board: 49

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ75

♥ Q7

♦ T853

♣ KT2

South:

♠ KJ94

♥ AKT3

♦ K6

♣ Q53

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			



<b>Board: 50</b>	♠ 764	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 952	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ854	
HCP: 11+1	♣ AQ	

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<b>Board: 51</b>	♠ A4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQT3	
HCP: 16	♣ 542	

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<b>Board: 52</b>	♠ AJ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK963	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q53	
HCP: 18+1	♣ KJ6	

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<b>Board: 53</b>	♠ AK4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 87	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AT752	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 50

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 764

♥ 952

♦ KQ854

♣ AQ

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ AQ64

♦ J97

♣ K86

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 51

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A4

♥ AQJ4

♦ KQT3

♣ 542

South:

♠ Q85

♥ T6

♦ AJ962

♣ AT7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 52

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ AK963

♦ Q53

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ QT86

♥ 2

♦ AKJT62

♣ AQ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 53

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ KQ5

♦ 87

♣ AT752

South:

♠ 63

♥ JT7

♦ AJ64

♣ KJ96

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 50</b>	♠ AQJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J97	
HCP: 17	♣ K86	

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<b>Board: 51</b>	♠ Q85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ962	
HCP: 11+1	♣ AT7	

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<b>Board: 52</b>	♠ QT86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJT62	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AQ	

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<b>Board: 53</b>	♠ 63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ64	
HCP: 10	♣ KJ96	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 50

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 764

♥ 952

♦ KQ854

♣ AQ

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ AQ64

♦ J97

♣ K86

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 51

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A4

♥ AQJ4

♦ KQT3

♣ 542

South:

♠ Q85

♥ T6

♦ AJ962

♣ AT7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 52

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ AK963

♦ Q53

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ QT86

♥ 2

♦ AKJT62

♣ AQ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 53

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK4

♥ KQ5

♦ 87

♣ AT752

South:

♠ 63

♥ JT7

♦ AJ64

♣ KJ96

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 54**

♠ Q

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J764

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKQ73

HCP: 17+1

♣ KQ2

**Board: 55**

♠ AT95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q2

HCP: 13

♣ A872

**Board: 56**

♠ AT2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q854

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K86

HCP: 9

♣ 974

**Board: 57**

♠ AT7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ97

East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 75

HCP: 16

♣ AQ53

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 54

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ J764

♦ AKQ73

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ 862

♥ KT

♦ T862

♣ AJ65

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 55

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT95

♥ QJ3

♦ Q2

♣ A872

South:

♠ Q4

♥ AK6

♦ K73

♣ KJ653

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 56

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT2

♥ Q854

♦ K86

♣ 974

South:

♠ Q765

♥ A3

♦ AQT7

♣ AJ6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 57

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT7

♥ AQ97

♦ 75

♣ AQ53

South:

♠ J862

♥ KT4

♦ K96

♣ KJT

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

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 54**

♠ 862

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ T862

HCP: 8

♣ AJ65

**Board: 55**

♠ Q4

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K73

HCP: 16+1

♣ KJ653

**Board: 56**

♠ Q765

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQT7

HCP: 17

♣ AJ6

**Board: 57**

♠ J862

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT4

East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K96

HCP: 11

♣ KJT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 54

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♥ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ J764

♦ AKQ73

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ 862

♥ KT

♦ T862

♣ AJ65

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 55

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT95

♥ QJ3

♦ Q2

♣ A872

South:

♠ Q4

♥ AK6

♦ K73

♣ KJ653

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 56

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT2

♥ Q854

♦ K86

♣ 974

South:

♠ Q765

♥ A3

♦ AQT7

♣ AJ6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 57

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT7

♥ AQ97

♦ 75

♣ AQ53

South:

♠ J862

♥ KT4

♦ K96

♣ KJT

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

1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 58**

♠ AK87

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ J

HCP: 13+2

♣ J98753

**Board: 59**

♠ AQ5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT64

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQT9

HCP: 17

♣ K5

**Board: 60**

♠ AJ954

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ JT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A

HCP: 16+2

♣ AQT95

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 58

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7 ♣ South

North:

♠ AK87

♥ A9

♦ J

♣ J98753

South:

♠ 954

♥ K6

♦ AKT6

♣ AKQ2

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 5NT<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6 ♦<sup>7</sup> Pass 7 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=1

### Board: 59

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ QT64

♦ AQT9

♣ K5

South:

♠ K63

♥ A

♦ J75

♣ AQJT42

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 60

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ954

♥ JT

♦ A

♣ AQT95

South:

♠ -

♥ A97632

♦ 962

♣ KJ84

W N E S

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

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 58**

♠ 954

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKT6

HCP: 19

♣ AKQ2

**Board: 59**

♠ K63

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J75

HCP: 15+2

♣ AQJT42

**Board: 60**

♠ -

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A97632

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 962

HCP: 8+2

♣ KJ84

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 58

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7 ♣ South

North:

♠ AK87

♥ A9

♦ J

♣ J98753

South:

♠ 954

♥ K6

♦ AKT6

♣ AKQ2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ 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 5 NT<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6 ♦<sup>7</sup> Pass 7 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=1

### Board: 59

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ QT64

♦ AQT9

♣ K5

South:

♠ K63

♥ A

♦ J75

♣ AQJT42

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3 NT Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4 NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 60

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ954

♥ JT

♦ A

♣ AQT95

South:

♠ -

♥ A97632

♦ 962

♣ KJ84

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 NT Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 61**

♠ AJ98

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ94

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ8

HCP: 16

♣ T6

**Board: 62**

♠ AT98

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KQJ5

HCP: 16

♣ QJ5

**Board: 63**

♠ 86

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ32

HCP: 18+1

♣ K32

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 61

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ AJ98

♥ KQ94

♦ AQ8

♣ T6

South:

♠ Q

♥ 5

♦ K962

♣ AKJ9853

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 62

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AT98

♥ K6

♦ KQJ5

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQT954

♦ A97

♣ 842

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 63

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 86

♥ AQ3

♦ AKQ32

♣ K32

South:

♠ KJT94

♥ 9

♦ J9

♣ AQ975

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 61**

♠ Q

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K962

HCP: 13+3

♣ AKJ9853

**Board: 62**

♠ 7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQT954

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A97

HCP: 10+2

♣ 842

**Board: 63**

♠ KJT94

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J9

HCP: 11+2

♣ AQ975

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 61

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13+3

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ AJ98

♥ KQ94

♦ AQ8

♣ T6

South:

♠ Q

♥ 5

♦ K962

♣ AKJ9853

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 62

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AT98

♥ K6

♦ KQJ5

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQT954

♦ A97

♣ 842

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 63

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 86

♥ AQ3

♦ AKQ32

♣ K32

South:

♠ KJT94

♥ 9

♦ J9

♣ AQ975

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 64**

♠ KQT8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 7643

HCP: 16

♣ A

**Board: 65**

♠ AQ972

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 7

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AJ653

HCP: 11+2

♣ 93

**Board: 66**

♠ A86

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K96

HCP: 10

♣ 642

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 64

Dealer: North  
 Vul: E-W  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 13+1  
 Contract: 6♠ South

#### North:

♠ KQT8  
 ♥ AK85  
 ♦ 7643  
 ♣ A

#### South:

♠ AJ762  
 ♥ QT2  
 ♦ AQT  
 ♣ 54

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- Blackwood 0314, for !S
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- !S queen and !H king

### Board: 65

Dealer: South  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 11+2  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6♦ North

#### North:

♠ AQ972  
 ♥ 7  
 ♦ AJ653  
 ♣ 93

#### South:

♠ J3  
 ♥ AQJ9  
 ♦ K84  
 ♣ AKT7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♠	Pass	Pass	X
Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- strength cue bid

### Board: 66

Dealer: South  
 Vul: N-S  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 16  
 Contract: 3NT North

#### North:

♠ A86  
 ♥ KT93  
 ♦ K96  
 ♣ 642

#### South:

♠ K7  
 ♥ Q85  
 ♦ AQ43  
 ♣ AJT9

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Stayman

**Board: 64**

♠ AJ762

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQT

HCP: 13+1

♣ 54

**Board: 65**

♠ J3

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJ9

West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ K84

HCP: 18

♣ AKT7

**Board: 66**

♠ K7

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ43

HCP: 16

♣ AJT9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 64

Dealer: North  
 Vul: E-W  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 13+1  
 Contract: 6♠ South

#### North:

♠ KQT8  
 ♥ AK85  
 ♦ 7643  
 ♣ A

#### South:

♠ AJ762  
 ♥ QT2  
 ♦ AQT  
 ♣ 54

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♠
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- Blackwood 0314, for !S
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- !S queen and !H king

### Board: 65

Dealer: South  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 11+2  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6♦ North

#### North:

♠ AQ972  
 ♥ 7  
 ♦ AJ653  
 ♣ 93

#### South:

♠ J3  
 ♥ AQJ9  
 ♦ K84  
 ♣ AKT7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♠	Pass	Pass	X
Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- strength cue bid

### Board: 66

Dealer: South  
 Vul: N-S  
 North HCP: 10  
 South HCP: 16  
 Contract: 3NT North

#### North:

♠ A86  
 ♥ KT93  
 ♦ K96  
 ♣ 642

#### South:

♠ K7  
 ♥ Q85  
 ♦ AQ43  
 ♣ AJT9

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Stayman

**Board: 67**

♠ 8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK542

HCP: 18+2

♣ AQJ82

**Board: 68**

♠ AJ9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 864

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 92

HCP: 10+1

♣ AJT93

**Board: 69**

♠ A42

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q

East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQT94

HCP: 18+2

♣ K42

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 67

Dealer: North  
 Vul: E-W  
 North HCP: 18+2  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 7 ♦ North

North:

♠ 8  
 ♥ A6  
 ♦ AK542  
 ♣ AQJ82

South:

♠ AK74  
 ♥ Q97  
 ♦ Q987  
 ♣ K6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	7 ♦	All Pass	

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

### Board: 68

Dealer: South  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 10+1  
 South HCP: 16+1  
 Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ9  
 ♥ 864  
 ♦ 92  
 ♣ AJT93

South:

♠ 87  
 ♥ AK972  
 ♦ AQ74  
 ♣ K7

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 69

Dealer: North  
 Vul: N-S  
 North HCP: 18+2  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ A42  
 ♥ Q  
 ♦ AKQT94  
 ♣ K42

South:

♠ 873  
 ♥ A62  
 ♦ J85  
 ♣ AQJ6

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

1. 16+ HCP  
 2. Rubensohl after 1m

**Board: 67**

♠ AK74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q97

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q987

HCP: 14

♣ K6

**Board: 68**

♠ 87

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK972

West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ74

HCP: 16+1

♣ K7

**Board: 69**

♠ 873

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A62

East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ J85

HCP: 12

♣ AQJ6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 67

Dealer: North  
 Vul: E-W  
 North HCP: 18+2  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 7 ♦ North

North:

♠ 8  
 ♥ A6  
 ♦ AK542  
 ♣ AQJ82

South:

♠ AK74  
 ♥ Q97  
 ♦ Q987  
 ♣ K6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♥	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	7 ♦	All Pass	

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

### Board: 68

Dealer: South  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 10+1  
 South HCP: 16+1  
 Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AJ9  
 ♥ 864  
 ♦ 92  
 ♣ AJT93

South:

♠ 87  
 ♥ AK972  
 ♦ AQ74  
 ♣ K7

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 69

Dealer: North  
 Vul: N-S  
 North HCP: 18+2  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ A42  
 ♥ Q  
 ♦ AKQT94  
 ♣ K42

South:

♠ 873  
 ♥ A62  
 ♦ J85  
 ♣ AQJ6

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

1. 16+ HCP  
 2. Rubensohl after 1m



**Board: 70**

♠ Q98

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQJ98

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K

HCP: 16+2

♣ J83

**Board: 71**

♠ AKQ9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QT5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ J9

HCP: 19

♣ AK93

**Board: 72**

♠ KT92

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A962

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K5

HCP: 12

♣ QT8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 70

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ Q98

♥ AKQJ98

♦ K

♣ J83

South:

♠ K73

♥ 4

♦ AQ85

♣ AQ952

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 71

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ9

♥ QT5

♦ J9

♣ AK93

South:

♠ J73

♥ AJ64

♦ AT62

♣ J7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 72

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT92

♥ A962

♦ K5

♣ QT8

South:

♠ AQ53

♥ QT3

♦ J6

♣ AK53

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

**Board: 70**

♠ K73

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ85

HCP: 15+1

♣ AQ952

**Board: 71**

♠ J73

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ64

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AT62

HCP: 11

♣ J7

**Board: 72**

♠ AQ53

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QT3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J6

HCP: 16

♣ AK53

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 70

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ Q98

♥ AKQJ98

♦ K

♣ J83

South:

♠ K73

♥ 4

♦ AQ85

♣ AQ952

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 71

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ9

♥ QT5

♦ J9

♣ AK93

South:

♠ J73

♥ AJ64

♦ AT62

♣ J7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 72

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KT92

♥ A962

♦ K5

♣ QT8

South:

♠ AQ53

♥ QT3

♦ J6

♣ AK53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

**Board: 73**

♠ K9762

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK7

HCP: 16+1

♣ J9

**Board: 74**

♠ JT4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K

HCP: 12+3

♣ KQ98532

**Board: 75**

♠ KQ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ82

East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KJ87

HCP: 18

♣ A6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 73

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ K9762

♥ AJ5

♦ AK7

♣ J9

South:

♠ AT83

♥ 73

♦ Q

♣ AQ8654

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !S queen

### Board: 74

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ JT4

♥ K9

♦ K

♣ KQ98532

South:

♠ AKQ87

♥ QT5

♦ A742

♣ A

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 75

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ KQ82

♦ KJ87

♣ A6

South:

♠ A752

♥ 64

♦ 962

♣ KJ32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ X

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 73</b>	♠ AT83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q	
HCP: 12+2	♣ AQ8654	

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<b>Board: 74</b>	♠ AKQ87	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A742	
HCP: 19+1	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 75</b>	♠ A752	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 64	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 962	
HCP: 8	♣ KJ32	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 73

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ K9762

♥ AJ5

♦ AK7

♣ J9

South:

♠ AT83

♥ 73

♦ Q

♣ AQ8654

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !S queen

### Board: 74

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ JT4

♥ K9

♦ K

♣ KQ98532

South:

♠ AKQ87

♥ QT5

♦ A742

♣ A

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 75

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ KQ82

♦ KJ87

♣ A6

South:

♠ A752

♥ 64

♦ 962

♣ KJ32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ X

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 76**

♠ AT94

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 52

HCP: 12+1

♣ A9753

**Board: 77**

♠ JT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A7643

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ T83

HCP: 10+1

♣ KQ9

**Board: 78**

♠ J4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJT63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 75

HCP: 11+1

♣ KQ97

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 76

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AT94

♥ A2

♦ 52

♣ A9753

South:

♠ K8

♥ 843

♦ AKJ4

♣ KQT2

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 77

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 20

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ JT

♥ A7643

♦ T83

♣ KQ9

South:

♠ AK76

♥ J85

♦ AKJ7

♣ A4

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 78

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J4

♥ AJT63

♦ 75

♣ KQ97

South:

♠ AK8

♥ 95

♦ AKT962

♣ AT

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 76**

♠ K8

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 843

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKJ4

HCP: 16

♣ KQT2

**Board: 77**

♠ AK76

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKJ7

HCP: 20

♣ A4

**Board: 78**

♠ AK8

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 95

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKT962

HCP: 18+2

♣ AT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 76

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AT94

♥ A2

♦ 52

♣ A9753

South:

♠ K8

♥ 843

♦ AKJ4

♣ KQT2

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 77

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 20

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ JT

♥ A7643

♦ T83

♣ KQ9

South:

♠ AK76

♥ J85

♦ AKJ7

♣ A4

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 78

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J4

♥ AJT63

♦ 75

♣ KQ97

South:

♠ AK8

♥ 95

♦ AKT962

♣ AT

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 79</b>	♠ Q986	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQJ4	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ	

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<b>Board: 80</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQJT743	
HCP: 17+3	♣ K9	

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<b>Board: 81</b>	♠ AK8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 6543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q6	
HCP: 9	♣ 9532	

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<b>Board: 82</b>	♠ Q95	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A7	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK9653	
HCP: 13+2	♣ T8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 79

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q986

♥ 94

♦ AKQJ4

♣ KJ

South:

♠ J743

♥ AT2

♦ T63

♣ A64

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

### Board: 80

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 7 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQJ3

♦ AQJT743

♣ K9

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ KT754

♦ 8

♣ A7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 81

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK8

♥ 6543

♦ Q6

♣ 9532

South:

♠ QJ9

♥ AKJT9

♦ AJT7

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 82

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ Q95

♥ A7

♦ AK9653

♣ T8

South:

♠ K

♥ K98542

♦ J

♣ AKQJ3

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. strength cue bid

<b>Board: 79</b>	♠ J743	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T63	
HCP: 9	♣ A64	

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<b>Board: 80</b>	♠ AKT76	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT754	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 8	
HCP: 14+2	♣ A7	

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<b>Board: 81</b>	♠ QJ9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJT9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJT7	
HCP: 19+1	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 82</b>	♠ K	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K98542	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ J	
HCP: 17+3	♣ AKQJ3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 79

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q986

♥ 94

♦ AKQJ4

♣ KJ

South:

♠ J743

♥ AT2

♦ T63

♣ A64

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Stayman

### Board: 80

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 7 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQJ3

♦ AQJT743

♣ K9

South:

♠ AKT76

♥ KT754

♦ 8

♣ A7

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	7 ♥	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 81

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK8

♥ 6543

♦ Q6

♣ 9532

South:

♠ QJ9

♥ AKJT9

♦ AJT7

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- artificial

### Board: 82

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ Q95

♥ A7

♦ AK9653

♣ T8

South:

♠ K

♥ K98542

♦ J

♣ AKQJ3

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

- 16+ HCP
- strength cue bid



**Board: 83**

♠ AK752

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A9

HCP: 18+1

♣ Q2

**Board: 84**

♠ 74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 93

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K8542

HCP: 10+1

♣ AK73

**Board: 85**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 7

West (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 98643

HCP: 10+3

♣ AKT763

**Board: 86**

♠ A6542

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J92

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QJ

HCP: 11+1

♣ K97

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 83

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK752

♥ AJ63

♦ A9

♣ Q2

South:

♠ J83

♥ 985

♦ K87

♣ AJT8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 84

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ 93

♦ K8542

♣ AK73

South:

♠ AKQJT63

♥ AK6

♦ J63

♣ -

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 85

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K

♥ 7

♦ 98643

♣ AKT763

South:

♠ T8732

♥ AKQJ3

♦ AQ5

♣ -

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 86

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A6542

♥ J92

♦ QJ

♣ K97

South:

♠ K8

♥ KQ5

♦ K76

♣ AJ853

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 83</b>	♠ J83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 985	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K87	
HCP: 9	♣ AJT8	

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<b>Board: 84</b>	♠ AKQJT63	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK6	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J63	
HCP: 18+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 85</b>	♠ T8732	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQJ3	West (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ5	
HCP: 16+2	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 86</b>	♠ K8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K76	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ853	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 83

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK752

♥ AJ63

♦ A9

♣ Q2

South:

♠ J83

♥ 985

♦ K87

♣ AJT8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 84

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 18+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 74

♥ 93

♦ K8542

♣ AK73

South:

♠ AKQJT63

♥ AK6

♦ J63

♣ -

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 85

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K

♥ 7

♦ 98643

♣ AKT763

South:

♠ T8732

♥ AKQJ3

♦ AQ5

♣ -

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 86

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A6542

♥ J92

♦ QJ

♣ K97

South:

♠ K8

♥ KQ5

♦ K76

♣ AJ853

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 87</b>	♠ A64	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q9632	
HCP: 17+1	♣ K2	

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<b>Board: 88</b>	♠ 765	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T97	
HCP: 8	♣ A43	

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<b>Board: 89</b>	♠ AKQ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 652	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AQJ873	

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<b>Board: 90</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	
HCP: 12+3	♣ AJT7532	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 87

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A64

♥ AKJ

♦ Q9632

♣ K2

South:

♠ KQT9

♥ Q2

♦ J7

♣ AJ643

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 88

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ 765

♥ AT83

♦ T97

♣ A43

South:

♠ AKQ3

♥ K

♦ A3

♣ KJ9752

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	5 ♣	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 89

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKQ3

♥ 652

♦ -

♣ AQJ873

South:

♠ J952

♥ K4

♦ AKJ5

♣ 952

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 90

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ 9

♥ QT3

♦ KQ

♣ AJT7532

South:

♠ AK53

♥ AJ64

♦ 942

♣ KQ

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

<b>Board: 87</b>	♠ KQT9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J7	
HCP: 13+1	♣ AJ643	

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<b>Board: 88</b>	♠ AKQ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A3	
HCP: 20+2	♣ KJ9752	

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<b>Board: 89</b>	♠ J952	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ5	
HCP: 12	♣ 952	

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<b>Board: 90</b>	♠ AK53	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 942	
HCP: 17	♣ KQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 87

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A64

♥ AKJ

♦ Q9632

♣ K2

South:

♠ KQT9

♥ Q2

♦ J7

♣ AJ643

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 88

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ 765

♥ AT83

♦ T97

♣ A43

South:

♠ AKQ3

♥ K

♦ A3

♣ KJ9752

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	5 ♣	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 89

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ AKQ3

♥ 652

♦ -

♣ AQJ873

South:

♠ J952

♥ K4

♦ AKJ5

♣ 952

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 90

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ 9

♥ QT3

♦ KQ

♣ AJT7532

South:

♠ AK53

♥ AJ64

♦ 942

♣ KQ

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2 ♣	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5



**Board: 91**

♠ K5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJT974

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 4

HCP: 11+2

♣ KT94

**Board: 92**

♠ AK

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT94

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT4

HCP: 16

♣ J962

**Board: 93**

♠ KQ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q95

West (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ93

HCP: 17

♣ KQ5

**Board: 94**

♠ KJ7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A4

West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KJT63

HCP: 16+1

♣ KJ7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 91

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K5

♥ AJT974

♦ 4

♣ KT94

South:

♠ AT2

♥ KQ8

♦ AK52

♣ AJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 92

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ AT94

♦ AT4

♣ J962

South:

♠ T54

♥ 7653

♦ KQJ9

♣ A4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 93

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ Q95

♦ KQ93

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ 95

♥ K2

♦ AJ7654

♣ T43

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

3♥ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 94

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ KJ7

♥ A4

♦ KJT63

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ AQ

♥ KQ73

♦ A95

♣ QT32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup>

X 3♦ Pass 5NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

<b>Board: 91</b>	♠ AT2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ8	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK52	
HCP: 21	♣ AJ7	

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<b>Board: 92</b>	♠ T54	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQJ9	
HCP: 10	♣ A4	

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<b>Board: 93</b>	♠ 95	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K2	West (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7654	
HCP: 8+2	♣ T43	

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<b>Board: 94</b>	♠ AQ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ73	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A95	
HCP: 17	♣ QT32	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 91

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K5

♥ AJT974

♦ 4

♣ KT94

South:

♠ AT2

♥ KQ8

♦ AK52

♣ AJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 92

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ AT94

♦ AT4

♣ J962

South:

♠ T54

♥ 7653

♦ KQJ9

♣ A4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 93

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ Q95

♦ KQ93

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ 95

♥ K2

♦ AJ7654

♣ T43

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

3♥ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 94

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ KJ7

♥ A4

♦ KJT63

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ AQ

♥ KQ73

♦ A95

♣ QT32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup>

X 3♦ Pass 5NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

**Board: 95**

♠ A3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K

HCP: 20+4

♣ AKQ76543

**Board: 96**

♠ AKT43

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 74

HCP: 10+1

♣ KT74

**Board: 97**

♠ 9632

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T965

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AJ9

HCP: 8

♣ KT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 95

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20+4

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ A4

♦ K

♣ AKQ76543

South:

♠ 6

♥ KT9653

♦ AQJT5

♣ T

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>7</sup> Pass 6♦<sup>8</sup>

Pass 7♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. solo suit
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !C
6. A=1/5 or 4/5
7. King ask by 5NT
8. K=1

### Board: 96

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT43

♥ 32

♦ 74

♣ KT74

South:

♠ 976

♥ AQJ

♦ KQ8

♣ A653

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 97

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 9632

♥ T965

♦ AJ9

♣ KT

South:

♠ J

♥ AQ

♦ K52

♣ AQJ9542

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

**Board: 95**

♠ 6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT9653

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQJT5

HCP: 10+3

♣ T

**Board: 96**

♠ 976

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQ8

HCP: 16

♣ A653

**Board: 97**

♠ J

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K52

HCP: 17+3

♣ AQJ9542

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 95

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20+4

South HCP: 10+3

Contract: 7♣ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ A4

♦ K

♣ AKQ76543

South:

♠ 6

♥ KT9653

♦ AQJT5

♣ T

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>6</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>7</sup> Pass 6♦<sup>8</sup>

Pass 7♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. solo suit
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !C
6. A=1/5 or 4/5
7. King ask by 5NT
8. K=1

### Board: 96

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT43

♥ 32

♦ 74

♣ KT74

South:

♠ 976

♥ AQJ

♦ KQ8

♣ A653

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

### Board: 97

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 17+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 9632

♥ T965

♦ AJ9

♣ KT

South:

♠ J

♥ AQ

♦ K52

♣ AQJ9542

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2NT Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial



**Board: 98**

♠ Q43

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ86

West (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ J7

HCP: 11

♣ AT92

**Board: 99**

♠ 84

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ532

HCP: 9+2

♣ AJ762

**Board: 100**

♠ AQ52

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ JT5

HCP: 16

♣ Q75

**Board: 101**

♠ AKT9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KT42

HCP: 17

♣ AK3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 98

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q43

♥ KJ86

♦ J7

♣ AT92

South:

♠ AKJ98

♥ A2

♦ Q92

♣ KJ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦ X Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 99

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 84

♥ 5

♦ KJ532

♣ AJ762

South:

♠ QJT

♥ AQJT6

♦ AQ

♣ Q94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 100

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ AQJ

♦ JT5

♣ Q75

South:

♠ K6

♥ 973

♦ AK84

♣ K862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 101

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKT9

♥ 63

♦ KT42

♣ AK3

South:

♠ Q762

♥ AKJ5

♦ 753

♣ J2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

**Board: 98**      ♠ AKJ98      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A2      West (LHO) bids 2♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ Q92  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ KJ5

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**Board: 99**      ♠ QJT      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQJT6      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ Q94

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**Board: 100**      ♠ K6      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 973      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AK84  
HCP: 13      ♣ K862

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**Board: 101**      ♠ Q762      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ5      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 753  
HCP: 11      ♣ J2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 98

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q43

♥ KJ86

♦ J7

♣ AT92

South:

♠ AKJ98

♥ A2

♦ Q92

♣ KJ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♦ X Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 99

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 84

♥ 5

♦ KJ532

♣ AJ762

South:

♠ QJT

♥ AQJT6

♦ AQ

♣ Q94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 100

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ AQJ

♦ JT5

♣ Q75

South:

♠ K6

♥ 973

♦ AK84

♣ K862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 101

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKT9

♥ 63

♦ KT42

♣ AK3

South:

♠ Q762

♥ AKJ5

♦ 753

♣ J2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

**Board: 102**      ♠ 64      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKJT3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ QJ6  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ AJT

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**Board: 103**      ♠ AKQJT532      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQT      West (RHO) bids 5♣ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 6  
HCP: 16+4      ♣ 8

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**Board: 104**      ♠ AJT83      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ 52  
HCP: 8+1      ♣ 9864

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**Board: 105**      ♠ AJ4      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KQ543      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ A  
HCP: 19+1      ♣ KQ63

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 102

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 15+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ 64

♥ AKJT3

♦ QJ6

♣ AJT

South:

♠ KQJ9873

♥ Q7

♦ AT

♣ K3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 103

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+4

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJT532

♥ AQT

♦ 6

♣ 8

South:

♠ 4

♥ J7653

♦ AKJT3

♣ 32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

5♣ 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 104

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJT83

♥ K3

♦ 52

♣ 9864

South:

♠ KQ5

♥ 984

♦ AKT

♣ AKJ5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 105

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ KQ543

♦ A

♣ KQ63

South:

♠ Q82

♥ AJ9

♦ KJ64

♣ AJ9

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1

**Board: 102**      ♠ KQJ9873      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q7      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AT  
HCP: 15+3      ♣ K3

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**Board: 103**      ♠ 4      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J7653      West (LHO) bids 5♣ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AKJT3  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ 32

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**Board: 104**      ♠ KQ5      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 984      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ AKT  
HCP: 20      ♣ AKJ5

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**Board: 105**      ♠ Q82      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AJ9      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KJ64  
HCP: 16      ♣ AJ9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 102

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 15+3

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ 64

♥ AKJT3

♦ QJ6

♣ AJT

South:

♠ KQJ9873

♥ Q7

♦ AT

♣ K3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 103

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+4

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ AKQJT532

♥ AQT

♦ 6

♣ 8

South:

♠ 4

♥ J7653

♦ AKJT3

♣ 32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

5♣ 5♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 104

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJT83

♥ K3

♦ 52

♣ 9864

South:

♠ KQ5

♥ 984

♦ AKT

♣ AKJ5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 105

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ KQ543

♦ A

♣ KQ63

South:

♠ Q82

♥ AJ9

♦ KJ64

♣ AJ9

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=1



**Board: 106**      ♠ K84      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ T73      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AKT932  
HCP: 10+2      ♣ 4

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**Board: 107**      ♠ JT732      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A4      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ QT43  
HCP: 10+1      ♣ K3

---

**Board: 108**      ♠ Q872      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKT8      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 4  
HCP: 9      ♣ T632

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**Board: 109**      ♠ KQ      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ A854      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AT943  
HCP: 17+1      ♣ A5

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**Board: 110**      ♠ AQ964      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q9      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ 5  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ AKQ64

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 106

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K84

♥ T73

♦ AKT932

♣ 4

South:

♠ AJ

♥ AJ82

♦ QJ87

♣ A82

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 107

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ JT732

♥ A4

♦ QT43

♣ K3

South:

♠ -

♥ K985

♦ AKJ8

♣ AJT95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ Pass Pass X

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 108

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q872

♥ AKT8

♦ 4

♣ T632

South:

♠ AK93

♥ 4

♦ KQJ732

♣ KJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ X Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 109

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ A854

♦ AT943

♣ A5

South:

♠ A96543

♥ T97

♦ J7

♣ K8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 110

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ964

♥ Q9

♦ 5

♣ AKQ64

South:

♠ K2

♥ 8754

♦ A764

♣ JT8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 106</b>	♠ AJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ82	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ87	
HCP: 17	♣ A82	

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<b>Board: 107</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K985	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJT95	

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<b>Board: 108</b>	♠ AK93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 4	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQJ732	
HCP: 17+2	♣ KJ	

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<b>Board: 109</b>	♠ A96543	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J7	
HCP: 8+2	♣ K8	

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<b>Board: 110</b>	♠ K2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 8754	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A764	
HCP: 8	♣ JT8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 106

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K84

♥ T73

♦ AKT932

♣ 4

South:

♠ AJ

♥ AJ82

♦ QJ87

♣ A82

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 107

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ JT732

♥ A4

♦ QT43

♣ K3

South:

♠ -

♥ K985

♦ AKJ8

♣ AJT95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ Pass Pass X

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 108

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q872

♥ AKT8

♦ 4

♣ T632

South:

♠ AK93

♥ 4

♦ KQJ732

♣ KJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ X Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 109

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ A854

♦ AT943

♣ A5

South:

♠ A96543

♥ T97

♦ J7

♣ K8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 110

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ964

♥ Q9

♦ 5

♣ AKQ64

South:

♠ K2

♥ 8754

♦ A764

♣ JT8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 111**      ♠ AKJT763      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 8      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ Q5  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ AQ6

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**Board: 112**      ♠ QT97      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KJ9      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ J6  
HCP: 11      ♣ AT87

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**Board: 113**      ♠ AT63      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 82      West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ A92  
HCP: 11      ♣ KT75

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**Board: 114**      ♠ J4      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ JT6      West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 765  
HCP: 9+1      ♣ AK853

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 111

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT763

♥ 8

♦ Q5

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ 5

♥ KJ762

♦ AJT42

♣ 53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 112

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT97

♥ KJ9

♦ J6

♣ AT87

South:

♠ K865

♥ AQ

♦ A972

♣ K42

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 113

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT63

♥ 82

♦ A92

♣ KT75

South:

♠ Q9

♥ AKQT75

♦ 87

♣ AQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 114

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ J4

♥ JT6

♦ 765

♣ AK853

South:

♠ AK

♥ Q8743

♦ AQJ9

♣ 94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♦

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

<b>Board: 111</b>	♠ 5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ762	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJT42	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 53	
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<b>Board: 112</b>	♠ K865	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A972	
HCP: 16	♣ K42	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 113</b>	♠ Q9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQT75	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 87	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AQ8	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 114</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q8743	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ9	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 94	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 111

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJT763

♥ 8

♦ Q5

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ 5

♥ KJ762

♦ AJT42

♣ 53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 112

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT97

♥ KJ9

♦ J6

♣ AT87

South:

♠ K865

♥ AQ

♦ A972

♣ K42

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 113

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT63

♥ 82

♦ A92

♣ KT75

South:

♠ Q9

♥ AKQT75

♦ 87

♣ AQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 114

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ J4

♥ JT6

♦ 765

♣ AK853

South:

♠ AK

♥ Q8743

♦ AQJ9

♣ 94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♦

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m



**Board: 115**

♠ JT

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKQT

HCP: 17+1

♣ KJ832

**Board: 116**

♠ KQJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ J876

HCP: 14

♣ 985

**Board: 117**

♠ AJ982

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ -

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQT

HCP: 17+2

♣ AQT86

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 115

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ JT

♥ K2

♦ AKQT

♣ KJ832

South:

♠ AQ73

♥ AJ98

♦ 7

♣ A976

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>6</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 116

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ AK3

♦ J876

♣ 985

South:

♠ AT942

♥ J5

♦ AKT5

♣ AK

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♥<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. King ask by 5NT

6. K=2

### Board: 117

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ982

♥ -

♦ AQT

♣ AQT86

South:

♠ T7

♥ AQ953

♦ K86

♣ 975

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 115</b>	♠ AQ73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 7	
HCP: 15	♣ A976	

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<b>Board: 116</b>	♠ AT942	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKT5	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AK	

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<b>Board: 117</b>	♠ T7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ953	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K86	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 975	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 115

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ JT

♥ K2

♦ AKQT

♣ KJ832

South:

♠ AQ73

♥ AJ98

♦ 7

♣ A976

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>6</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 116

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ AK3

♦ J876

♣ 985

South:

♠ AT942

♥ J5

♦ AKT5

♣ AK

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♥<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

5. King ask by 5NT

6. K=2

### Board: 117

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ982

♥ -

♦ AQT

♣ AQT86

South:

♠ T7

♥ AQ953

♦ K86

♣ 975

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 118**

♠ A64

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 9

HCP: 12+1

♣ J5432

**Board: 119**

♠ Q64

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK43

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ QJ7

HCP: 14

♣ Q82

**Board: 120**

♠ AKT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J964

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 42

HCP: 9

♣ J532

**Board: 121**

♠ QJ75

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK42

HCP: 17

♣ AT9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 118

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ A64

♥ AK54

♦ 9

♣ J5432

South:

♠ K

♥ Q82

♦ AKQ873

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 4♣

Pass 5♣ Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 119

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ Q64

♥ AK43

♦ QJ7

♣ Q82

South:

♠ AKJ7

♥ J6

♦ A964

♣ KJT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♠

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 120

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKT

♥ J964

♦ 42

♣ J532

South:

♠ 874

♥ AQ7

♦ QT

♣ AKQ64

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 121

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ75

♥ QJ

♦ AK42

♣ AT9

South:

♠ AT2

♥ T543

♦ T6

♣ KJ72

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 118</b>	♠ K	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ873	
HCP: 20+2	♣ AQ6	

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<b>Board: 119</b>	♠ AKJ7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A964	
HCP: 17	♣ KJT	

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<b>Board: 120</b>	♠ 874	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QT	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AKQ64	

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<b>Board: 121</b>	♠ AT2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T6	
HCP: 8	♣ KJ72	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 118

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ A64

♥ AK54

♦ 9

♣ J5432

South:

♠ K

♥ Q82

♦ AKQ873

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 4♣

Pass 5♣ Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 119

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ Q64

♥ AK43

♦ QJ7

♣ Q82

South:

♠ AKJ7

♥ J6

♦ A964

♣ KJT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♠

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 120

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKT

♥ J964

♦ 42

♣ J532

South:

♠ 874

♥ AQ7

♦ QT

♣ AKQ64

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 121

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ75

♥ QJ

♦ AK42

♣ AT9

South:

♠ AT2

♥ T543

♦ T6

♣ KJ72

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman



**Board: 122**

♠ KJT6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQJ5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q

HCP: 17+1

♣ J52

**Board: 123**

♠ K9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T6542

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AQT7

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 9+1

♣ 53

West (RHO) bids 1NT if possible.

**Board: 124**

♠ 763

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT9

East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A43

HCP: 11

♣ KJ52

**Board: 125**

♠ AKT83

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T73

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ7

HCP: 16+1

♣ AT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 122

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KJT6

♥ AKQJ5

♦ Q

♣ J52

South:

♠ A2

♥ T742

♦ KJT52

♣ 76

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 123

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ T6542

♦ AQT7

♣ 53

South:

♠ AQJT3

♥ KJ

♦ 95

♣ AJ74

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♥	1♠	Pass <sup>2</sup>
1NT	3NT	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. max 2 !H			

### Board: 124

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ 763

♥ KT9

♦ A43

♣ KJ52

South:

♠ AKQ95

♥ AJ864

♦ K

♣ 96

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♦	3♠
Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. limit raise or better in !S			

### Board: 125

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT83

♥ T73

♦ AJ7

♣ AT

South:

♠ J74

♥ AQ

♦ KT2

♣ QJ763

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

<b>Board: 122</b>	♠ A2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T742	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJT52	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 76	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 123</b>	♠ AQJT3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 95	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ74	West (LHO) bids 1NT if possible.
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<b>Board: 124</b>	♠ AKQ95	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ864	East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ K	
HCP: 17+2	♣ 96	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 125</b>	♠ J74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KT2	
HCP: 13+1	♣ QJ763	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 122

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KJT6

♥ AKQJ5

♦ Q

♣ J52

South:

♠ A2

♥ T742

♦ KJT52

♣ 76

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 123

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K9

♥ T6542

♦ AQT7

♣ 53

South:

♠ AQJT3

♥ KJ

♦ 95

♣ AJ74

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
1♦	1♥	1♠	Pass <sup>2</sup>
1NT	3NT	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. max 2 !H			

### Board: 124

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ 763

♥ KT9

♦ A43

♣ KJ52

South:

♠ AKQ95

♥ AJ864

♦ K

♣ 96

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	3♦	3♠
Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. limit raise or better in !S			

### Board: 125

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT83

♥ T73

♦ AJ7

♣ AT

South:

♠ J74

♥ AQ

♦ KT2

♣ QJ763

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

**Board: 126**

♠ T842

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ863

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 85

HCP: 8+1

♣ K6

**Board: 127**

♠ JT2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ974

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K42

HCP: 11+1

♣ Q7

**Board: 128**

♠ QT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ654

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ982

HCP: 15+2

♣ Q

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 126

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T842

♥ AJ863

♦ 85

♣ K6

South:

♠ AQ

♥ -

♦ AKJ97

♣ AQ7542

W N E S

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

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 127

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ JT2

♥ AJ974

♦ K42

♣ Q7

South:

♠ Q96

♥ QT6

♦ AJ87

♣ AKJ

W N E S

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

Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 128

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7♠ North

North:

♠ QT

♥ AJ654

♦ AQ982

♣ Q

South:

♠ AKJ842

♥ T8

♦ KT

♣ AK9

W N E S

Pass 2♥ Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠

Pass 3♠

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♥<sup>5</sup>

Pass 7♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=2

<b>Board: 126</b>	♠ AQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKJ97	
HCP: 20+3	♣ AQ7542	

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<b>Board: 127</b>	♠ Q96	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ87	
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ	

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<b>Board: 128</b>	♠ AKJ842	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AK9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 126

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T842

♥ AJ863

♦ 85

♣ K6

South:

♠ AQ

♥ -

♦ AKJ97

♣ AQ7542

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 127

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ JT2

♥ AJ974

♦ K42

♣ Q7

South:

♠ Q96

♥ QT6

♦ AJ87

♣ AKJ

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 128

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ QT

♥ AJ654

♦ AQ982

♣ Q

South:

♠ AKJ842

♥ T8

♦ KT

♣ AK9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=2



<b>Board: 129</b>	♠ A984	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A9654	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ JT6	
HCP: 10+1	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 130</b>	♠ AQT3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT732	
HCP: 19+1	♣ A	

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<b>Board: 131</b>	♠ AQT4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K2	
HCP: 12	♣ Q983	

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<b>Board: 132</b>	♠ 3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ92	
HCP: 17+2	♣ Q5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 129

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ A984

♥ A9654

♦ JT6

♣ J

South:

♠ J

♥ KT3

♦ AK3

♣ KQT754

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> All Pass

Pass 4♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 130

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AQT3

♥ AQJ

♦ QT732

♣ A

South:

♠ KJ2

♥ 92

♦ A4

♣ KQJT74

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♦

Pass 5♣ Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 131

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQT4

♥ J98

♦ K2

♣ Q983

South:

♠ 95

♥ AQ65

♦ AJ6

♣ AJ62

W N E S

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> All Pass

Pass 3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 132

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKT76

♦ AKJ92

♣ Q5

South:

♠ KJT

♥ 83

♦ 8654

♣ AJ97

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 3NT

Pass 3♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 129</b>	♠ J	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK3	
HCP: 16+2	♣ KQT754	

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<b>Board: 130</b>	♠ KJ2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A4	
HCP: 14+2	♣ KQJT74	

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<b>Board: 131</b>	♠ 95	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ6	
HCP: 16	♣ AJ62	

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<b>Board: 132</b>	♠ KJT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 8654	
HCP: 9	♣ AJ97	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 129

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ A984

♥ A9654

♦ JT6

♣ J

South:

♠ J

♥ KT3

♦ AK3

♣ KQT754

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 130

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AQT3

♥ AQJ

♦ QT732

♣ A

South:

♠ KJ2

♥ 92

♦ A4

♣ KQJT74

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♦

Pass 5♣ Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 131

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQT4

♥ J98

♦ K2

♣ Q983

South:

♠ 95

♥ AQ65

♦ AJ6

♣ AJ62

W N E S

Pass 1NT Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 132

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKT76

♦ AKJ92

♣ Q5

South:

♠ KJT

♥ 83

♦ 8654

♣ AJ97

W N E S

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

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 133**

♠ 95

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK96

HCP: 16

♣ QT8

**Board: 134**

♠ AK98

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ74

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A943

HCP: 16

♣ 3

**Board: 135**

♠ T86

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ2

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ Q65

HCP: 12

♣ AJT3

**Board: 136**

♠ A852

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT94

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQ

HCP: 17

♣ A62

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 133

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 95

♥ AKT7

♦ AK96

♣ QT8

South:

♠ KJ76

♥ Q942

♦ 7

♣ AK96

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 134

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK98

♥ KQ74

♦ A943

♣ 3

South:

♠ J3

♥ AJ53

♦ KJ

♣ J8542

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 135

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T86

♥ AJ2

♦ Q65

♣ AJT3

South:

♠ KQ974

♥ KQT8

♦ A

♣ Q92

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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1♦	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 136

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ A852

♥ KT94

♦ AQ

♣ A62

South:

♠ KQ43

♥ A7652

♦ -

♣ KQ53

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♥ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !H queen

<b>Board: 133</b>	♠ KJ76	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 7	
HCP: 13	♣ AK96	
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<b>Board: 134</b>	♠ J3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ	
HCP: 11+1	♣ J8542	
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<b>Board: 135</b>	♠ KQ974	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT8	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q92	
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<b>Board: 136</b>	♠ KQ43	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A7652	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ -	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KQ53	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 133

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 95

♥ AKT7

♦ AK96

♣ QT8

South:

♠ KJ76

♥ Q942

♦ 7

♣ AK96

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 134

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AK98

♥ KQ74

♦ A943

♣ 3

South:

♠ J3

♥ AJ53

♦ KJ

♣ J8542

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 135

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T86

♥ AJ2

♦ Q65

♣ AJT3

South:

♠ KQ974

♥ KQT8

♦ A

♣ Q92

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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1♦	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 136

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ A852

♥ KT94

♦ AQ

♣ A62

South:

♠ KQ43

♥ A7652

♦ -

♣ KQ53

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♥ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !H queen



<b>Board: 137</b>	♠ 96	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A98	West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ4	
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ2	

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<b>Board: 138</b>	♠ 942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 62	
HCP: 9+1	♣ A42	

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<b>Board: 139</b>	♠ AQ6543	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q4	West (RHO) bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q87	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 137

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ 96

♥ A98

♦ AKJ4

♣ AQJ2

South:

♠ AQ84

♥ K4

♦ 52

♣ KT964

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
3♥	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 138

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ 942

♥ KQT65

♦ 62

♣ A42

South:

♠ AQT83

♥ A7

♦ AQ4

♣ KJ7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	5♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. surplus

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

7. Blackwood 0314, for !S

8. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 139

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6543

♥ Q4

♦ Q87

♣ AQ

South:

♠ K8

♥ KT8765

♦ 9

♣ KT63

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 137**      ♠ AQ84      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K4      West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 52  
HCP: 12+1      ♣ KT964

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**Board: 138**      ♠ AQT83      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A7      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AQ4  
HCP: 20+1      ♣ KJ7

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**Board: 139**      ♠ K8      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT8765      West (LHO) bids 3♦ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ 9  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ KT63

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 137

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ 96

♥ A98

♦ AKJ4

♣ AQJ2

South:

♠ AQ84

♥ K4

♦ 52

♣ KT964

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
3♥	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !C

### Board: 138

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 5♠ North

North:

♠ 942

♥ KQT65

♦ 62

♣ A42

South:

♠ AQT83

♥ A7

♦ AQ4

♣ KJ7

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>7</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	5♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. surplus

5. Cue bid, a !C stopper

6. Cue bid, a !D stopper

7. Blackwood 0314, for !S

8. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 139

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6543

♥ Q4

♦ Q87

♣ AQ

South:

♠ K8

♥ KT8765

♦ 9

♣ KT63

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 140</b>	♠ J6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T62	
HCP: 11+2	♣ KQJ542	

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<b>Board: 141</b>	♠ KQT53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ	
HCP: 13+1	♣ 874	

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<b>Board: 142</b>	♠ JT9864	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q	
HCP: 10+2	♣ A53	

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<b>Board: 143</b>	♠ 732	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ8	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A96	
HCP: 12	♣ AJT2	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 140

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J6

♥ A6

♦ T62

♣ KQJ542

South:

♠ AKQ54

♥ 842

♦ AJ54

♣ A

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 141

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT53

♥ Q42

♦ AQ

♣ 874

South:

♠ AJ974

♥ KJ

♦ K983

♣ KQ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 142

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ JT9864

♥ KT5

♦ Q

♣ A53

South:

♠ Q75

♥ AJ32

♦ A5

♣ KQT4

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 143

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 732

♥ QJ8

♦ A96

♣ AJT2

South:

♠ AJT

♥ K9752

♦ QJ

♣ KQ6

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

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 140**      ♠ AKQ54      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 842      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AJ54  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ A

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**Board: 141**      ♠ AJ974      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KJ      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ K983  
HCP: 17+1      ♣ KQ

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**Board: 142**      ♠ Q75      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AJ32      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ A5  
HCP: 16      ♣ KQT4

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**Board: 143**      ♠ AJT      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K9752      West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ QJ  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 140

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J6

♥ A6

♦ T62

♣ KQJ542

South:

♠ AKQ54

♥ 842

♦ AJ54

♣ A

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 141

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT53

♥ Q42

♦ AQ

♣ 874

South:

♠ AJ974

♥ KJ

♦ K983

♣ KQ

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 142

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ JT9864

♥ KT5

♦ Q

♣ A53

South:

♠ Q75

♥ AJ32

♦ A5

♣ KQT4

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 143

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 732

♥ QJ8

♦ A96

♣ AJT2

South:

♠ AJT

♥ K9752

♦ QJ

♣ KQ6

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

1. 16+ HCP



<b>Board: 144</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 7432	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A943	East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ AQT76	West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
		West (RHO) bids 4 ♠ if possible.
		East (LHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.
		West (RHO) Doubles 6 ♥ if possible.

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<b>Board: 145</b>	♠ AT9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK982	West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A	
HCP: 16+1	♣ J842	

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<b>Board: 146</b>	♠ AKT4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 82	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQ76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 144

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥X North

North:

♠ -

♥ 7432

♦ A943

♣ AQT76

South:

♠ KJ2

♥ AJT5

♦ KQJ87

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ X 2♠ 3♥

3♠ 4♥ Pass Pass

4♠ 5♠<sup>2</sup> X Pass<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♥ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

### Board: 145

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT9

♥ AK982

♦ A

♣ J842

South:

♠ 86

♥ J74

♦ 42

♣ AKQ963

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♠ 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 146

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AKT4

♥ 75

♦ 82

♣ AKQ76

South:

♠ J6

♥ AK

♦ AKJ3

♣ 98532

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 144</b>	♠ KJ2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJT5	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQJ87	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 16+1	♣ J	West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
		West (LHO) bids 4 ♠ if possible.
		East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.
		West (LHO) Doubles 6 ♥ if possible.

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<b>Board: 145</b>	♠ 86	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J74	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 42	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AKQ963	

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<b>Board: 146</b>	♠ J6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 98532	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 144

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♥X North

North:

♠ -

♥ 7432

♦ A943

♣ AQT76

South:

♠ KJ2

♥ AJT5

♦ KQJ87

♣ J

W N E S

1♠ X 2♠ 3♣<sup>1</sup>

3♠ 4♥ Pass Pass

4♠ 5♠<sup>2</sup> X Pass<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♥ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

### Board: 145

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AT9

♥ AK982

♦ A

♣ J842

South:

♠ 86

♥ J74

♦ 42

♣ AKQ963

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2♠ 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 146

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AKT4

♥ 75

♦ 82

♣ AKQ76

South:

♠ J6

♥ AK

♦ AKJ3

♣ 98532

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 147</b>	♠ QJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ953	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A5	
HCP: 16+2	♣ K87	

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<b>Board: 148</b>	♠ A	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ732	
HCP: 19+1	♣ AK5	

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<b>Board: 149</b>	♠ Q	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ943	
HCP: 18+3	♣ AKQJT7	

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<b>Board: 150</b>	♠ A4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJT8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A987	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 147

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ KQJ953

♦ A5

♣ K87

South:

♠ A876

♥ AT

♦ QJ93

♣ AT3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 148

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A

♥ KT42

♦ KQ732

♣ AK5

South:

♠ QT542

♥ A983

♦ AT

♣ 72

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 149

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q

♥ 7

♦ AQ943

♣ AKQJT7

South:

♠ J2

♥ AQ432

♦ K852

♣ 64

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 150

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A4

♥ 96

♦ AKJT8

♣ A987

South:

♠ JT872

♥ AK83

♦ Q7

♣ KT

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 147</b>	♠ A876	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ93	
HCP: 15	♣ AT3	

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<b>Board: 148</b>	♠ QT542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A983	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 72	

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<b>Board: 149</b>	♠ J2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K852	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 64	

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<b>Board: 150</b>	♠ JT872	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q7	
HCP: 13+1	♣ KT	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 147

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ KQJ953

♦ A5

♣ K87

South:

♠ A876

♥ AT

♦ QJ93

♣ AT3

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 148

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ A

♥ KT42

♦ KQ732

♣ AK5

South:

♠ QT542

♥ A983

♦ AT

♣ 72

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 149

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q

♥ 7

♦ AQ943

♣ AKQJT7

South:

♠ J2

♥ AQ432

♦ K852

♣ 64

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 150

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A4

♥ 96

♦ AKJT8

♣ A987

South:

♠ JT872

♥ AK83

♦ Q7

♣ KT

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

1. 16+ HCP



<b>Board: 151</b>	♠ AJT85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 2	
HCP: 14+1	♣ QJ5	

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<b>Board: 152</b>	♠ AQJ82	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ4	
HCP: 16+1	♣ K52	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 151

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT85

♥ AQ42

♦ 2

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ KQ93

♥ K96

♦ AK

♣ K643

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 152

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ82

♥ 95

♦ AQ4

♣ K52

South:

♠ 6

♥ AQ4

♦ J8762

♣ AQ74

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 151</b>	♠ KQ93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK	
HCP: 18	♣ K643	

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<b>Board: 152</b>	♠ 6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J8762	
HCP: 13+1	♣ AQ74	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 151

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT85

♥ AQ42

♦ 2

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ KQ93

♥ K96

♦ AK

♣ K643

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 152

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ AQJ82

♥ 95

♦ AQ4

♣ K52

South:

♠ 6

♥ AQ4

♦ J8762

♣ AQ74

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♦
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

**Board: 153**

♠ Q

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 9743

HCP: 17+1

♣ AKQJ7

**Board: 154**

♠ A9643

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ2

HCP: 16+1

♣ 76

**Board: 155**

♠ 62

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T64

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AK987

HCP: 14+1

♣ AQJ

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 153

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ KQ3

♦ 9743

♣ AKQJ7

South:

♠ AKT2

♥ 82

♦ AKJ2

♣ 862

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. no !D queen

### Board: 154

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A9643

♥ AQ6

♦ AQ2

♣ 76

South:

♠ K2

♥ KT95

♦ KT54

♣ AT3

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 155

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ 62

♥ T64

♦ AK987

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ AQ984

♥ AKQ2

♦ J62

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	

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

<b>Board: 153</b>	♠ AKT2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ2	
HCP: 15	♣ 862	

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<b>Board: 154</b>	♠ K2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KT54	
HCP: 13	♣ AT3	

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<b>Board: 155</b>	♠ AQ984	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J62	
HCP: 19+1	♣ K	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 153

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ Q

♥ KQ3

♦ 9743

♣ AKQJ7

South:

♠ AKT2

♥ 82

♦ AKJ2

♣ 862

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=1/5 or 4/5
5. no !D queen

### Board: 154

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A9643

♥ AQ6

♦ AQ2

♣ 76

South:

♠ K2

♥ KT95

♦ KT54

♣ AT3

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 155

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ 62

♥ T64

♦ AK987

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ AQ984

♥ AKQ2

♦ J62

♣ K

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	

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



**Board: 156**

♠ AKJT642 Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 2

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ J943

HCP: 9+3

♣ 2

**Board: 157**

♠ AK762 You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A975

West (RHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KT7

HCP: 18+1

♣ A

**Board: 158**

♠ KQ5 You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K965

West (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKJ4

HCP: 16

♣ 97

**Board: 159**

♠ KT6 You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQJ8

HCP: 16

♣ KQJ

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 156

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKJT642

♥ 2

♦ J943

♣ 2

South:

♠ Q973

♥ KJ7

♦ AKT

♣ AQ8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

2 ♥	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 157

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK762

♥ A975

♦ KT7

♣ A

South:

♠ JT83

♥ -

♦ AQJ3

♣ K9742

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

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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X	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 158

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ5

♥ K965

♦ AKJ4

♣ 97

South:

♠ AJ3

♥ QJT8

♦ Q85

♣ K63

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT

2 ♣	Pass	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 159

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ J32

♦ KQJ8

♣ KQJ

South:

♠ AJ752

♥ AT

♦ 94

♣ 8763

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

Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 156**

♠ Q973

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJ7

West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKT

HCP: 19

♣ AQ8

**Board: 157**

♠ JT83

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ -

West (LHO) Doubles 5♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQJ3

HCP: 11+1

♣ K9742

**Board: 158**

♠ AJ3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJT8

West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ Q85

HCP: 13

♣ K63

**Board: 159**

♠ AJ752

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 94

HCP: 9+1

♣ 8763

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 156

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+3

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKJT642

♥ 2

♦ J943

♣ 2

South:

♠ Q973

♥ KJ7

♦ AKT

♣ AQ8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

2 ♥	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 157

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AK762

♥ A975

♦ KT7

♣ A

South:

♠ JT83

♥ -

♦ AQJ3

♣ K9742

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

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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X	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

### Board: 158

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ5

♥ K965

♦ AKJ4

♣ 97

South:

♠ AJ3

♥ QJT8

♦ Q85

♣ K63

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT

2 ♣	Pass	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 159

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ J32

♦ KQJ8

♣ KQJ

South:

♠ AJ752

♥ AT

♦ 94

♣ 8763

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

Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 160**

♠ 954

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 98742

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q6

HCP: 11+1

♣ AKQ

**Board: 161**

♠ 7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q84

West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AT9854

HCP: 10+2

♣ KJ6

**Board: 162**

♠ AT9754

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ T62

HCP: 10+2

♣ K2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 160

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ 954

♥ 98742

♦ Q6

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ AJ876

♥ AKQT

♦ AJ

♣ J4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4 ♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 4 ♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 161

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ Q84

♦ AT9854

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ AJ42

♥ A7

♦ Q7

♣ AQ752

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥ 4 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 162

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT9754

♥ K9

♦ T62

♣ K2

South:

♠ J83

♥ AQT

♦ AJ97

♣ AQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

<b>Board: 160</b>	♠ AJ876	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ	
HCP: 20+1	♣ J4	

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<b>Board: 161</b>	♠ AJ42	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A7	West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q7	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQ752	

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<b>Board: 162</b>	♠ J83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ97	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 160

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ 954

♥ 98742

♦ Q6

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ AJ876

♥ AKQT

♦ AJ

♣ J4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4 ♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 4 ♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. surplus

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. Cue bid, a !D stopper

### Board: 161

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ Q84

♦ AT9854

♣ KJ6

South:

♠ AJ42

♥ A7

♦ Q7

♣ AQ752

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥ 4 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 162

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT9754

♥ K9

♦ T62

♣ K2

South:

♠ J83

♥ AQT

♦ AJ97

♣ AQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas



**Board: 163**

♠ Q

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJT9

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ

HCP: 18+2

♣ AQJ543

**Board: 164**

♠ K8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A9742

HCP: 18+1

♣ K43

**Board: 165**

♠ KJ63

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK92

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 4

HCP: 17

♣ AQ93

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 163

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ KJT9

♦ AJ

♣ AQJ543

South:

♠ AJ32

♥ Q

♦ K8

♣ KT9876

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

### Board: 164

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K8

♥ AKJ

♦ A9742

♣ K43

South:

♠ Q2

♥ T8543

♦ KQ6

♣ AJ5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♥<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !H queen

### Board: 165

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ63

♥ AK92

♦ 4

♣ AQ93

South:

♠ A9754

♥ J3

♦ J862

♣ K2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

<b>Board: 163</b>	♠ AJ32	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K8	
HCP: 13+2	♣ KT9876	

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<b>Board: 164</b>	♠ Q2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T8543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ6	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AJ5	

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<b>Board: 165</b>	♠ A9754	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J862	
HCP: 9+1	♣ K2	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 163

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ KJT9

♦ AJ

♣ AQJ543

South:

♠ AJ32

♥ Q

♦ K8

♣ KT9876

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Blackwood 0314, for !C

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=1

### Board: 164

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K8

♥ AKJ

♦ A9742

♣ K43

South:

♠ Q2

♥ T8543

♦ KQ6

♣ AJ5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♥<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !H queen

### Board: 165

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ63

♥ AK92

♦ 4

♣ AQ93

South:

♠ A9754

♥ J3

♦ J862

♣ K2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

**Board: 166**

♠ KQJ4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K7

HCP: 19

♣ QT3

**Board: 167**

♠ Q74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 7

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AT9543

HCP: 9+2

♣ KT8

**Board: 168**

♠ 8765

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQ95

HCP: 16

♣ K7

**Board: 169**

♠ KQT76

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK

West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ A76

HCP: 17+1

♣ J75

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 166

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ KQJ4

♥ AKJ3

♦ K7

♣ QT3

South:

♠ AT82

♥ Q2

♦ AQT43

♣ 86

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 167

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q74

♥ 7

♦ AT9543

♣ KT8

South:

♠ 2

♥ AQJT842

♦ K7

♣ AQ3

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 168

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 8765

♥ AK8

♦ AQ95

♣ K7

South:

♠ A3

♥ Q7432

♦ K4

♣ 8543

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 169

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT76

♥ AK

♦ A76

♣ J75

South:

♠ A42

♥ 82

♦ T952

♣ AK94

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !S

**Board: 166**      ♠ AT82      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q2      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AQT43  
HCP: 12+1      ♣ 86

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**Board: 167**      ♠ 2      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQJT842      East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ K7  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ AQ3

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**Board: 168**      ♠ A3      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q7432      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ K4  
HCP: 9+1      ♣ 8543

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**Board: 169**      ♠ A42      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 82      West (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ T952  
HCP: 11      ♣ AK94

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 166

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ KQJ4

♥ AKJ3

♦ K7

♣ QT3

South:

♠ AT82

♥ Q2

♦ AQT43

♣ 86

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6♦	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 167

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q74

♥ 7

♦ AT9543

♣ KT8

South:

♠ 2

♥ AQJT842

♦ K7

♣ AQ3

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 168

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 8765

♥ AK8

♦ AQ95

♣ K7

South:

♠ A3

♥ Q7432

♦ K4

♣ 8543

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 169

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KQT76

♥ AK

♦ A76

♣ J75

South:

♠ A42

♥ 82

♦ T952

♣ AK94

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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3♥	3♠	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !S



<b>Board: 170</b>	♠ KT4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A865	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 3	

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<b>Board: 171</b>	♠ KQ732	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AT6	

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<b>Board: 172</b>	♠ Q73	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ3	
HCP: 18	♣ K752	

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<b>Board: 173</b>	♠ KJ96	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQT6	
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 170

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT4

♥ AKQ43

♦ A865

♣ 3

South:

♠ 963

♥ J8

♦ KQ94

♣ AJT5

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 171

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ732

♥ 543

♦ AK

♣ AT6

South:

♠ J9

♥ A6

♦ J9432

♣ KQJ2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 172

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q73

♥ AK5

♦ AQ3

♣ K752

South:

♠ AKJ65

♥ Q

♦ T75

♣ AJ96

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. surplus			
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S			
4. A=0/5 or 3/5			
5. King ask by 5NT			
6. K=0			

### Board: 173

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ96

♥ 3

♦ AQT6

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ AQT7

♥ QT

♦ K93

♣ 9854

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Stayman			

<b>Board: 170</b>	♠ 963	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ94	
HCP: 11	♣ AJT5	

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<b>Board: 171</b>	♠ J9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J9432	
HCP: 12+1	♣ KQJ2	

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<b>Board: 172</b>	♠ AKJ65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T75	
HCP: 15+1	♣ AJ96	

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<b>Board: 173</b>	♠ AQT7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K93	
HCP: 11	♣ 9854	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 170

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT4

♥ AKQ43

♦ A865

♣ 3

South:

♠ 963

♥ J8

♦ KQ94

♣ AJT5

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 171

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ732

♥ 543

♦ AK

♣ AT6

South:

♠ J9

♥ A6

♦ J9432

♣ KQJ2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3NT	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 172

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q73

♥ AK5

♦ AQ3

♣ K752

South:

♠ AKJ65

♥ Q

♦ T75

♣ AJ96

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	6 ♣ <sup>6</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. surplus			
3. Blackwood 0314, for !S			
4. A=0/5 or 3/5			
5. King ask by 5NT			
6. K=0			

### Board: 173

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJ96

♥ 3

♦ AQT6

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ AQT7

♥ QT

♦ K93

♣ 9854

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Stayman			

<b>Board: 174</b>	♠ QT	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A83	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ97	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ82	

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<b>Board: 175</b>	♠ JT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ52	West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ T65	
HCP: 10	♣ KT96	

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<b>Board: 176</b>	♠ AQJ962	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J3	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AT9	

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<b>Board: 177</b>	♠ A752	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q2	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 174

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT

♥ A83

♦ KJ97

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ AKJ83

♥ QJT

♦ A82

♣ 64

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314

3. A=2 out of 4

### Board: 175

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ JT

♥ AQ52

♦ T65

♣ KT96

South:

♠ K92

♥ K

♦ AKQ943

♣ Q32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 176

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ962

♥ A5

♦ J3

♣ AT9

South:

♠ T

♥ Q84

♦ AK92

♣ KQ732

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 177

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ A752

♥ AQT32

♦ Q2

♣ KJ

South:

♠ KQT

♥ K96

♦ KJ83

♣ A97

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 174</b>	♠ AKJ83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJT	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A82	
HCP: 15+1	♣ 64	

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<b>Board: 175</b>	♠ K92	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ943	
HCP: 17+2	♣ Q32	

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<b>Board: 176</b>	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK92	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KQ732	

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<b>Board: 177</b>	♠ KQT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KJ83	
HCP: 16	♣ A97	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 174

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT

♥ A83

♦ KJ97

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ AKJ83

♥ QJT

♦ A82

♣ 64

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 1NT Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314

3. A=2 out of 4

### Board: 175

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ JT

♥ AQ52

♦ T65

♣ KT96

South:

♠ K92

♥ K

♦ AKQ943

♣ Q32

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 176

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ962

♥ A5

♦ J3

♣ AT9

South:

♠ T

♥ Q84

♦ AK92

♣ KQ732

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 177

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ A752

♥ AQT32

♦ Q2

♣ KJ

South:

♠ KQT

♥ K96

♦ KJ83

♣ A97

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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



**Board: 178**

♠ 6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K76542

HCP: 11+2

♣ K32

**Board: 179**

♠ T74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K72

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ JT64

HCP: 8

♣ AT3

**Board: 180**

♠ K985

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 62

HCP: 15

♣ KQ8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 178

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQT

♦ K76542

♣ K32

South:

♠ AKQT4

♥ 82

♦ AJ3

♣ QT8

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 179

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ T74

♥ K72

♦ JT64

♣ AT3

South:

♠ AK3

♥ AT963

♦ A75

♣ J7

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 180

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ K985

♥ AK42

♦ 62

♣ KQ8

South:

♠ 76

♥ J973

♦ AKQJ8

♣ AJ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>5</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. artificial

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 178</b>	♠ AKQT4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ QT8	

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<b>Board: 179</b>	♠ AK3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT963	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A75	
HCP: 16+1	♣ J7	

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<b>Board: 180</b>	♠ 76	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J973	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 178

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 6

♥ KQT

♦ K76542

♣ K32

South:

♠ AKQT4

♥ 82

♦ AJ3

♣ QT8

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 179

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ T74

♥ K72

♦ JT64

♣ AT3

South:

♠ AK3

♥ AT963

♦ A75

♣ J7

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 180

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ K985

♥ AK42

♦ 62

♣ KQ8

South:

♠ 76

♥ J973

♦ AKQJ8

♣ AJ

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>5</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. artificial

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

**Board: 181**

♠ 743

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK932

HCP: 17+1

♣ AQJ

**Board: 182**

♠ 5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK96

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AT985

HCP: 16+1

♣ AJ6

**Board: 183**

♠ QJ5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K96

HCP: 19+1

♣ AKQJ5

**Board: 184**

♠ AQ8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K632

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ JT8

HCP: 11

♣ J64

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 181

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 743

♥ K9

♦ AK932

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ KQ6

♥ AQ875

♦ 865

♣ 42

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 182

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 5

♥ AK96

♦ AT985

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ K97

♥ 832

♦ K74

♣ KQ73

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 183

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ K3

♦ K96

♣ AKQJ5

South:

♠ AK84

♥ J9

♦ Q874

♣ T76

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 184

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ8

♥ K632

♦ JT8

♣ J64

South:

♠ J62

♥ QJ4

♦ AK63

♣ AQ9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 181</b>	♠ KQ6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ875	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 865	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 42	

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<b>Board: 182</b>	♠ K97	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 832	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K74	
HCP: 11	♣ KQ73	

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<b>Board: 183</b>	♠ AK84	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q874	
HCP: 10	♣ T76	

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<b>Board: 184</b>	♠ J62	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK63	
HCP: 17	♣ AQ9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 181

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 743

♥ K9

♦ AK932

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ KQ6

♥ AQ875

♦ 865

♣ 42

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 182

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 5

♥ AK96

♦ AT985

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ K97

♥ 832

♦ K74

♣ KQ73

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 183

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ K3

♦ K96

♣ AKQJ5

South:

♠ AK84

♥ J9

♦ Q874

♣ T76

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 184

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ8

♥ K632

♦ JT8

♣ J64

South:

♠ J62

♥ QJ4

♦ AK63

♣ AQ9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman



**Board: 185**

♠ Q82

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 942

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQ64

HCP: 11

♣ A82

**Board: 186**

♠ AKJ4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q876

East (LHO) Doubles 3 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 2

HCP: 14

♣ A432

**Board: 187**

♠ -

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A98654

HCP: 12+2

♣ QJT8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 185

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ Q82

♥ 942

♦ KQ64

♣ A82

South:

♠ AK5

♥ AQJ75

♦ AJ7

♣ 65

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	5♠ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- Cue bid, a !C stopper
- surplus
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- !H queen and !S king

### Board: 186

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AKJ4

♥ Q876

♦ 2

♣ A432

South:

♠ QT2

♥ AK3

♦ QJ8

♣ KQT8

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>	X	6♣
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- any 4441
- artificial ask
- artificial

### Board: 187

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ -

♥ KQ3

♦ A98654

♣ QJT8

South:

♠ AQT643

♥ AT8

♦ T3

♣ AK

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

- 16+ HCP

**Board: 185**

♠ AK5

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJ75

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ7

HCP: 19+1

♣ 65

**Board: 186**

♠ QT2

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK3

East (RHO) Doubles 3♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ QJ8

HCP: 17

♣ KQT8

**Board: 187**

♠ AQT643

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T3

HCP: 17+2

♣ AK

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 185

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ Q82

♥ 942

♦ KQ64

♣ A82

South:

♠ AK5

♥ AQJ75

♦ AJ7

♣ 65

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	5♠ <sup>8</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- Cue bid, a !C stopper
- surplus
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- !H queen and !S king

### Board: 186

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AKJ4

♥ Q876

♦ 2

♣ A432

South:

♠ QT2

♥ AK3

♦ QJ8

♣ KQT8

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>	X	6♣
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- any 4441
- artificial ask
- artificial

### Board: 187

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ -

♥ KQ3

♦ A98654

♣ QJT8

South:

♠ AQT643

♥ AT8

♦ T3

♣ AK

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

- 16+ HCP

**Board: 188**

♠ AKQJ8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q6543

HCP: 12+2

♣ 52

**Board: 189**

♠ AQJ7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A75

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ Q72

HCP: 17

♣ KJT

**Board: 190**

♠ AKJT86

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQT

HCP: 21+2

♣ A93

**Board: 191**

♠ J7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQ86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 96

HCP: 16+1

♣ KQJ7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 188

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ 5

♦ Q6543

♣ 52

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ9872

♦ K7

♣ A864

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. solo suit

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 189

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ7

♥ A75

♦ Q72

♣ KJT

South:

♠ K642

♥ KJ

♦ AKT63

♣ 63

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥ X

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 190

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 21+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKJT86

♥ A

♦ KQT

♣ A93

South:

♠ 7

♥ KT92

♦ A765

♣ QT54

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 191

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J7

♥ AKQ86

♦ 96

♣ KQJ7

South:

♠ A8542

♥ J5

♦ QJT7

♣ A2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 188**      ♠ -      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKQ9872      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ K7  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ A864

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**Board: 189**      ♠ K642      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KJ      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AKT63  
HCP: 14+1      ♣ 63

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**Board: 190**      ♠ 7      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT92      East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ A765  
HCP: 9      ♣ QT54

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**Board: 191**      ♠ A8542      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J5      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ QJT7  
HCP: 12+1      ♣ A2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 188

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ 5

♦ Q6543

♣ 52

South:

♠ -

♥ AKQ9872

♦ K7

♣ A864

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. solo suit

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 189

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ7

♥ A75

♦ Q72

♣ KJT

South:

♠ K642

♥ KJ

♦ AKT63

♣ 63

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥ X

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 190

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 21+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKJT86

♥ A

♦ KQT

♣ A93

South:

♠ 7

♥ KT92

♦ A765

♣ QT54

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 191

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J7

♥ AKQ86

♦ 96

♣ KQJ7

South:

♠ A8542

♥ J5

♦ QJT7

♣ A2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 192**      ♠ K5      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AQT      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KQJ85  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ K53

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**Board: 193**      ♠ AKQ3      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ -      East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ 86      West (RHO) bids 4 ♥ if possible.  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ AK87532

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**Board: 194**      ♠ AKJ854      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ K  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ K952

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**Board: 195**      ♠ Q73      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AT863      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ J54  
HCP: 11+1      ♣ A2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 192

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K5

♥ AQT

♦ KQJ85

♣ K53

South:

♠ A8

♥ 984

♦ A6432

♣ 842

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	2NT

Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 193

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ AKQ3

♥ -

♦ 86

♣ AK87532

South:

♠ 75

♥ A985

♦ AQT42

♣ 64

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	3 ♥	3NT

4 ♥	5 ♣	Pass	6 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 194

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKJ854

♥ KT

♦ K

♣ K952

South:

♠ 3

♥ AQ7

♦ AQ97432

♣ A6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♦
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 195

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q73

♥ AT863

♦ J54

♣ A2

South:

♠ KJ5

♥ KQJ9

♦ T7

♣ KQJ3

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. surplus

<b>Board: 192</b>	♠ A8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 984	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A6432	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 842	

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<b>Board: 193</b>	♠ 75	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A985	East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQT42	West (LHO) bids 4 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 10+1	♣ 64	

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<b>Board: 194</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ97432	
HCP: 16+3	♣ A6	

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<b>Board: 195</b>	♠ KJ5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T7	
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 192

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K5

♥ AQT

♦ KQJ85

♣ K53

South:

♠ A8

♥ 984

♦ A6432

♣ 842

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♠	2NT

Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 193

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ AKQ3

♥ -

♦ 86

♣ AK87532

South:

♠ 75

♥ A985

♦ AQT42

♣ 64

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	3 ♥	3NT

4 ♥	5 ♣	Pass	6 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 194

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKJ854

♥ KT

♦ K

♣ K952

South:

♠ 3

♥ AQ7

♦ AQ97432

♣ A6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♦
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 195

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q73

♥ AT863

♦ J54

♣ A2

South:

♠ KJ5

♥ KQJ9

♦ T7

♣ KQJ3

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. surplus

**Board: 196**

♠ KJ6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ65

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ2

HCP: 19

♣ A84

**Board: 197**

♠ AQ7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ64

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q92

HCP: 20

♣ AQ5

**Board: 198**

♠ AKQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 8

HCP: 23+2

♣ AQJT53

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 196

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ KJ6

♥ AJ65

♦ AQ2

♣ A84

South:

♠ 94

♥ KQ9

♦ KJ98

♣ KT52

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 197

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 7NT North

North:

♠ AQ7

♥ AQ64

♦ Q92

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ K984

♥ K

♦ AK765

♣ J76

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=2

### Board: 198

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 23+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ AK7

♦ 8

♣ AQJT53

South:

♠ 863

♥ J986

♦ AJ73

♣ K4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Quantitative 4NT

<b>Board: 196</b>	♠ 94	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJ98	
HCP: 12	♣ KT52	

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<b>Board: 197</b>	♠ K984	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK765	
HCP: 14+1	♣ J76	

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<b>Board: 198</b>	♠ 863	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J986	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ73	
HCP: 9	♣ K4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 196

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ KJ6

♥ AJ65

♦ AQ2

♣ A84

South:

♠ 94

♥ KQ9

♦ KJ98

♣ KT52

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 197

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 7NT North

North:

♠ AQ7

♥ AQ64

♦ Q92

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ K984

♥ K

♦ AK765

♣ J76

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=2

### Board: 198

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 23+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ AK7

♦ 8

♣ AQJT53

South:

♠ 863

♥ J986

♦ AJ73

♣ K4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Quantitative 4NT



**Board: 199**

♠ K82

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ742

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ QJ9

HCP: 12+1

♣ 75

**Board: 200**

♠ AQT7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 6

HCP: 16+1

♣ KQT32

**Board: 201**

♠ AT96432

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A54

East (LHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ A4

HCP: 16+3

♣ A

**Board: 202**

♠ A76

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A9653

East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ9

HCP: 16+1

♣ K8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 199

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K82

♥ AQ742

♦ QJ9

♣ 75

South:

♠ Q753

♥ KT5

♦ A7

♣ AKJ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 200

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AQT7

♥ AJ2

♦ 6

♣ KQT32

South:

♠ 632

♥ K95

♦ AKQ4

♣ A74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5NT<sup>6</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 201

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AT96432

♥ A54

♦ A4

♣ A

South:

♠ 75

♥ K7

♦ KJ63

♣ KT854

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 202

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A76

♥ A9653

♦ KQ9

♣ K8

South:

♠ KQ94

♥ -

♦ 75

♣ AQJT642

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 3♣

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 199</b>	♠ Q753	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A7	
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ4	

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<b>Board: 200</b>	♠ 632	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKQ4	
HCP: 16	♣ A74	

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<b>Board: 201</b>	♠ 75	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K7	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KJ63	
HCP: 10+1	♣ KT854	

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<b>Board: 202</b>	♠ KQ94	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 75	
HCP: 12+3	♣ AQJT642	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 199

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K82

♥ AQ742

♦ QJ9

♣ 75

South:

♠ Q753

♥ KT5

♦ A7

♣ AKJ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 200

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AQT7

♥ AJ2

♦ 6

♣ KQT32

South:

♠ 632

♥ K95

♦ AKQ4

♣ A74

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5NT<sup>6</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 201

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AT96432

♥ A54

♦ A4

♣ A

South:

♠ 75

♥ K7

♦ KJ63

♣ KT854

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 202

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A76

♥ A9653

♦ KQ9

♣ K8

South:

♠ KQ94

♥ -

♦ 75

♣ AQJT642

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 3♣

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 203**

♠ K

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKT642

West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AJ652

HCP: 15+3

♣ 6

**Board: 204**

♠ KQT2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A9

HCP: 21

♣ A92

**Board: 205**

♠ J32

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AKQ643

HCP: 15+2

♣ KQ6

**Board: 206**

♠ AK

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ965

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KJT

HCP: 16+1

♣ T98

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 203

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K

♥ AKT642

♦ AJ652

♣ 6

South:

♠ AJ95

♥ J

♦ Q4

♣ AKQT43

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

3♠ 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 204

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQT2

♥ AKJT

♦ A9

♣ A92

South:

♠ AJ

♥ Q9874

♦ KT62

♣ T6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 205

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ J32

♥ 6

♦ AKQ643

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ AQ7

♥ AKQJ92

♦ 97

♣ J2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 206

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ KQ965

♦ KJT

♣ T98

South:

♠ QT742

♥ J

♦ A8532

♣ A3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 203</b>	♠ AJ95	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q4	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AKQT43	

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<b>Board: 204</b>	♠ AJ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q9874	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT62	
HCP: 10+1	♣ T6	

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<b>Board: 205</b>	♠ AQ7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQJ92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 97	
HCP: 17+2	♣ J2	

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<b>Board: 206</b>	♠ QT742	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A8532	
HCP: 11+2	♣ A3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 203

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+3

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K

♥ AKT642

♦ AJ652

♣ 6

South:

♠ AJ95

♥ J

♦ Q4

♣ AKQT43

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

3♠ 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 204

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQT2

♥ AKJT

♦ A9

♣ A92

South:

♠ AJ

♥ Q9874

♦ KT62

♣ T6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

### Board: 205

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ J32

♥ 6

♦ AKQ643

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ AQ7

♥ AKQJ92

♦ 97

♣ J2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 206

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 2♠ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ KQ965

♦ KJT

♣ T98

South:

♠ QT742

♥ J

♦ A8532

♣ A3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



<b>Board: 207</b>	♠ AQJ4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A95	
HCP: 15	♣ KT85	
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<b>Board: 208</b>	♠ A8753	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT	East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ 9	
HCP: 15+2	♣ AK854	
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<b>Board: 209</b>	♠ Q	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ94	East (LHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J87	
HCP: 16+1	♣ A763	
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<b>Board: 210</b>	♠ K73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T3	
HCP: 10	♣ J432	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 207

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ AQJ4

♥ J4

♦ A95

♣ KT85

South:

♠ K6

♥ AQ932

♦ JT3

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 208

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7 ♣ South

North:

♠ A8753

♥ AT

♦ 9

♣ AK854

South:

♠ K9

♥ K98

♦ AKJT

♣ Q932

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♠

Pass 6 ♠ Pass 7 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 209

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AKQ94

♦ J87

♣ A763

South:

♠ 865

♥ J

♦ AKQT5

♣ 8542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 210

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K73

♥ AQ43

♦ T3

♣ J432

South:

♠ QJT

♥ K65

♦ K5

♣ AKT87

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

**Board: 207**

♠ K6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ932

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ JT3

HCP: 16+1

♣ AQ6

**Board: 208**

♠ K9

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K98

East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKJT

HCP: 16

♣ Q932

**Board: 209**

♠ 865

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J

East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKQT5

HCP: 10+1

♣ 8542

**Board: 210**

♠ QJT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K65

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K5

HCP: 16+1

♣ AKT87

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 207

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ AQJ4

♥ J4

♦ A95

♣ KT85

South:

♠ K6

♥ AQ932

♦ JT3

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 208

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7 ♣ South

North:

♠ A8753

♥ AT

♦ 9

♣ AK854

South:

♠ K9

♥ K98

♦ AKJT

♣ Q932

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ 3 ♥ Pass

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♠

Pass 6 ♠ Pass 7 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 209

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3 ♣ South

North:

♠ Q

♥ AKQ94

♦ J87

♣ A763

South:

♠ 865

♥ J

♦ AKQT5

♣ 8542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 210

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K73

♥ AQ43

♦ T3

♣ J432

South:

♠ QJT

♥ K65

♦ K5

♣ AKT87

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 211</b>	♠ 764	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ6	East (LHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQJT	West (RHO) Doubles 6 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 18+1	♣ K2	

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<b>Board: 212</b>	♠ 7	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK9432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK98	
HCP: 18+2	♣ A5	

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<b>Board: 213</b>	♠ QJ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ6	
HCP: 17+1	♣ A3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 211

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6♣X South

North:

♠ 764

♥ KQ6

♦ AKQJT

♣ K2

South:

♠ KT9

♥ JT852

♦ -

♣ AJ976

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>	X	6♣
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !H
4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 212

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AK9432

♦ AK98

♣ A5

South:

♠ AKT65

♥ T85

♦ J75

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

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

### Board: 213

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ QJ6

♥ AJT98

♦ KQ6

♣ A3

South:

♠ A542

♥ Q52

♦ A

♣ KQT96

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

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

<b>Board: 211</b>	♠ KT9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT852	East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	West (LHO) Doubles 6 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 9+2	♣ AJ976	

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<b>Board: 212</b>	♠ AKT65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J75	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 92	

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<b>Board: 213</b>	♠ A542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A	
HCP: 15+1	♣ KQT96	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 211

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 6♣X South

North:

♠ 764

♥ KQ6

♦ AKQJT

♣ K2

South:

♠ KT9

♥ JT852

♦ -

♣ AJ976

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♥	Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>	X	6♣
X	All Pass		

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Exclusion, for !H
4. 1 out of 4

### Board: 212

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ 7

♥ AK9432

♦ AK98

♣ A5

South:

♠ AKT65

♥ T85

♦ J75

♣ 92

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

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

### Board: 213

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ QJ6

♥ AJT98

♦ KQ6

♣ A3

South:

♠ A542

♥ Q52

♦ A

♣ KQT96

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

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



<b>Board: 214</b>	♠ T4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 52	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 543	
HCP: 9+2	♣ AKQ543	
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<b>Board: 215</b>	♠ Q	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 76	East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ87	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AJT73	
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<b>Board: 216</b>	♠ KQ82	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A8	East (LHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A85	
HCP: 18	♣ KQ93	
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<b>Board: 217</b>	♠ J9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K7	West (RHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ9832	
HCP: 13+2	♣ AQ7	
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<b>Board: 218</b>	♠ 74	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ 965432	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 2	West (RHO) Doubles 2 ♣ if possible.
HCP: 0+2	♣ T965	West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♣ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 214

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ T4

♥ 52

♦ 543

♣ AKQ543

South:

♠ AKJ932

♥ KJT

♦ A8

♣ J9

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 215

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q

♥ 76

♦ AKQ87

♣ AJT73

South:

♠ K93

♥ AJ8542

♦ J62

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 216

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ82

♥ A8

♦ A85

♣ KQ93

South:

♠ A9543

♥ 74

♦ 96

♣ A765

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♥ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

### Board: 217

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ J9

♥ K7

♦ QJ9832

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ A2

♥ AQ864

♦ AK7

♣ 964

W N E S

3 ♠ 4 ♦ Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 218

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 0+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3 ♣X North

North:

♠ 74

♥ 965432

♦ 2

♣ T965

South:

♠ AQ5

♥ 87

♦ 843

♣ AQJ73

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♣

X 3 ♣ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 214**      ♠ AKJ932      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KJT      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ A8  
HCP: 17+2      ♣ J9

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**Board: 215**      ♠ K93      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AJ8542      East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ J62  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ 9

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**Board: 216**      ♠ A9543      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 74      East (RHO) bids 3 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ 96  
HCP: 8+1      ♣ A765

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**Board: 217**      ♠ A2      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AQ864      West (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AK7  
HCP: 17+1      ♣ 964

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**Board: 218**      ♠ AQ5      RHO is dealer. You bid second.  
Dealer: East      ♥ 87      East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 843      West (LHO) Doubles 2 ♣ if possible.  
HCP: 13+1      ♣ AQJ73      West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♣ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 214

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ T4

♥ 52

♦ 543

♣ AKQ543

South:

♠ AKJ932

♥ KJT

♦ A8

♣ J9

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 215

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q

♥ 76

♦ AKQ87

♣ AJT73

South:

♠ K93

♥ AJ8542

♦ J62

♣ 9

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 216

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ82

♥ A8

♦ A85

♣ KQ93

South:

♠ A9543

♥ 74

♦ 96

♣ A765

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♥ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

### Board: 217

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ J9

♥ K7

♦ QJ9832

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ A2

♥ AQ864

♦ AK7

♣ 964

W N E S

3 ♠ 4 ♦ Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♠ 4 ♦ Pass 5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 218

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 0+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3 ♣X North

North:

♠ 74

♥ 965432

♦ 2

♣ T965

South:

♠ AQ5

♥ 87

♦ 843

♣ AQJ73

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♣

X 3 ♣ Pass Pass

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 219**

♠ 74

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK7

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AJ843

HCP: 16+1

♣ AT4

**Board: 220**

♠ A65

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ87

West (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 743

HCP: 11

♣ Q97

**Board: 221**

♠ 432

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKQT82

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K3

HCP: 12+2

♣ 54

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 219

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ 74

♥ AK7

♦ AJ843

♣ AT4

South:

♠ A983

♥ 82

♦ K62

♣ J983

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♥ X

Pass 4 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 220

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A65

♥ KQ87

♦ 743

♣ Q97

South:

♠ KJT9874

♥ 5

♦ AJ

♣ AK4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥ 3NT Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 221

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 432

♥ AKQT82

♦ K3

♣ 54

South:

♠ AJT

♥ J64

♦ AQ7

♣ AKT8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>6</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>7</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=1

**Board: 219**      ♠ A983      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 82      East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ K62  
HCP: 8      ♣ J983

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**Board: 220**      ♠ KJT9874      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 5      West (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AJ  
HCP: 16+3      ♣ AK4

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**Board: 221**      ♠ AJT      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ J64      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AQ7  
HCP: 19      ♣ AKT8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 219

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 4 ♦ North

North:

♠ 74

♥ AK7

♦ AJ843

♣ AT4

South:

♠ A983

♥ 82

♦ K62

♣ J983

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♥ X

Pass 4 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 220

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A65

♥ KQ87

♦ 743

♣ Q97

South:

♠ KJT9874

♥ 5

♦ AJ

♣ AK4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♥ 3NT Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 221

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ 432

♥ AKQT82

♦ K3

♣ 54

South:

♠ AJT

♥ J64

♦ AQ7

♣ AKT8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>6</sup> Pass 6 ♦<sup>7</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=1



<b>Board: 222</b>	♠ 76	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK86	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ82	

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<b>Board: 223</b>	♠ KQT9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K964	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT74	
HCP: 12	♣ T	

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<b>Board: 224</b>	♠ AK4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ853	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ7	
HCP: 22+2	♣ Q	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 222

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ 76

♥ K54

♦ AK86

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ AT

♦ JT52

♣ K74

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 223

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQT9

♥ K964

♦ AT74

♣ T

South:

♠ A54

♥ JT

♦ QJ

♣ AKJ642

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 224

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 22+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK4

♥ AKJ853

♦ AJ7

♣ Q

South:

♠ 852

♥ QT

♦ K84

♣ A9873

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
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Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 222</b>	♠ AQJ4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ JT52	
HCP: 15	♣ K74	

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<b>Board: 223</b>	♠ A54	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKJ642	

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<b>Board: 224</b>	♠ 852	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K84	
HCP: 9+1	♣ A9873	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 222

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ 76

♥ K54

♦ AK86

♣ AQ82

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ AT

♦ JT52

♣ K74

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Stayman
3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 223

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQT9

♥ K964

♦ AT74

♣ T

South:

♠ A54

♥ JT

♦ QJ

♣ AKJ642

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial

### Board: 224

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 22+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AK4

♥ AKJ853

♦ AJ7

♣ Q

South:

♠ 852

♥ QT

♦ K84

♣ A9873

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

**Board: 225**

♠ KQJ5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q

HCP: 12+2

♣ AT9843

**Board: 226**

♠ AT5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 983

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT542

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 8+1

♣ 75

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 225

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ5

♥ 86

♦ Q

♣ AT9843

South:

♠ A432

♥ AKJ52

♦ AK82

♣ -

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	

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

### Board: 226

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AT5

♥ 983

♦ AT542

♣ 75

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ KJT76

♦ Q9

♣ AQ9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. limit raise or better in !H

**Board: 225**

♠ A432

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ52

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AK82

HCP: 19+1

♣ -

**Board: 226**

♠ KJ6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJT76

West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q9

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 16+1

♣ AQ9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 225

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 7 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ5

♥ 86

♦ Q

♣ AT9843

South:

♠ A432

♥ AKJ52

♦ AK82

♣ -

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♥ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7 ♠	All Pass	

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

### Board: 226

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ AT5

♥ 983

♦ AT542

♣ 75

South:

♠ KJ6

♥ KJT76

♦ Q9

♣ AQ9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. limit raise or better in !H



**Board: 227**

♠ A94

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ932

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK8

HCP: 17+1

♣ T3

**Board: 228**

♠ AJ9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J974

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 8

HCP: 10+1

♣ A9542

**Board: 229**

♠ KQ87

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ6

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A7

HCP: 16

♣ Q532

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 227

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ A94

♥ AQ932

♦ AK8

♣ T3

South:

♠ K863

♥ K765

♦ J

♣ AK82

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	6♦ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- any 4441
- artificial ask
- artificial
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- !H queen and !D king

### Board: 228

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ9

♥ J974

♦ 8

♣ A9542

South:

♠ KQ7

♥ KQ5

♦ K32

♣ KQJ8

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Stayman

### Board: 229

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ87

♥ KQ6

♦ A7

♣ Q532

South:

♠ 9

♥ A973

♦ JT532

♣ K74

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

- 16+ HCP
- strength cue bid

<b>Board: 227</b>	♠ K863	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J	
HCP: 14	♣ AK82	

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<b>Board: 228</b>	♠ KQ7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K32	
HCP: 19	♣ KQJ8	

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<b>Board: 229</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A973	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT532	
HCP: 8+1	♣ K74	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 227

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ A94

♥ AQ932

♦ AK8

♣ T3

South:

♠ K863

♥ K765

♦ J

♣ AK82

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	6♦ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

- 16+ HCP
- any 4441
- artificial ask
- artificial
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- !H queen and !D king

### Board: 228

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ9

♥ J974

♦ 8

♣ A9542

South:

♠ KQ7

♥ KQ5

♦ K32

♣ KQJ8

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Stayman

### Board: 229

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KQ87

♥ KQ6

♦ A7

♣ Q532

South:

♠ 9

♥ A973

♦ JT532

♣ K74

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

- 16+ HCP
- strength cue bid

**Board: 230**      ♠ 82      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KQJ      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ K7  
HCP: 18+2      ♣ AKQ974

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**Board: 231**      ♠ K975432      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ J95      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 2  
HCP: 8+3      ♣ A4

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**Board: 232**      ♠ 43      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AJ87      West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ AK8  
HCP: 16      ♣ KJT6

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**Board: 233**      ♠ K64      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ A62      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AQ73  
HCP: 16      ♣ QJ7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 230

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 82

♥ KQJ

♦ K7

♣ AKQ974

South:

♠ A95

♥ A864

♦ J432

♣ 63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 231

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K975432

♥ J95

♦ 2

♣ A4

South:

♠ AQ

♥ AKT73

♦ K986

♣ 73

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 232

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ 43

♥ AJ87

♦ AK8

♣ KJT6

South:

♠ A98

♥ K

♦ QJ432

♣ Q983

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 4 ♦

Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup>

X 5 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 233

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K64

♥ A62

♦ AQ73

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ 95

♥ KJ5

♦ T85

♣ AKT95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 230</b>	♠ A95	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A864	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J432	
HCP: 9	♣ 63	

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<b>Board: 231</b>	♠ AQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K986	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 73	

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<b>Board: 232</b>	♠ A98	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K	West (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ QJ432	
HCP: 12+1	♣ Q983	

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<b>Board: 233</b>	♠ 95	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T85	
HCP: 11+1	♣ AKT95	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 230

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 82

♥ KQJ

♦ K7

♣ AKQ974

South:

♠ A95

♥ A864

♦ J432

♣ 63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 231

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K975432

♥ J95

♦ 2

♣ A4

South:

♠ AQ

♥ AKT73

♦ K986

♣ 73

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 232

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 5 ♦ North

North:

♠ 43

♥ AJ87

♦ AK8

♣ KJT6

South:

♠ A98

♥ K

♦ QJ432

♣ Q983

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 4 ♦

Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup>

X 5 ♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 233

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K64

♥ A62

♦ AQ73

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ 95

♥ KJ5

♦ T85

♣ AKT95

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



<b>Board: 234</b>	♠ AJ62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K843	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T3	
HCP: 10	♣ QT4	

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<b>Board: 235</b>	♠ AKQT2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ JT85	
HCP: 18+1	♣ J2	

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<b>Board: 236</b>	♠ J84	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q	
HCP: 17+3	♣ AKQJ754	

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<b>Board: 237</b>	♠ KT6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 83	
HCP: 11+1	♣ J32	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 234

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ62

♥ K843

♦ T3

♣ QT4

South:

♠ KT7

♥ A72

♦ AKJ2

♣ K52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 235

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKQT2

♥ AK

♦ JT85

♣ J2

South:

♠ 9

♥ QT84

♦ K632

♣ AQ53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♠<sup>4</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 236

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J84

♥ A4

♦ Q

♣ AKQJ754

South:

♠ A972

♥ KT

♦ K862

♣ T98

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 237

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ AQJ86

♦ 83

♣ J32

South:

♠ A

♥ T73

♦ AJT654

♣ AK8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 234</b>	♠ KT7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ2	
HCP: 18	♣ K52	

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<b>Board: 235</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K632	
HCP: 11	♣ AQ53	

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<b>Board: 236</b>	♠ A972	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K862	
HCP: 10	♣ T98	

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<b>Board: 237</b>	♠ A	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJT654	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 234

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ62

♥ K843

♦ T3

♣ QT4

South:

♠ KT7

♥ A72

♦ AKJ2

♣ K52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 235

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AKQT2

♥ AK

♦ JT85

♣ J2

South:

♠ 9

♥ QT84

♦ K632

♣ AQ53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♠<sup>4</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 236

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J84

♥ A4

♦ Q

♣ AKQJ754

South:

♠ A972

♥ KT

♦ K862

♣ T98

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 237

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ AQJ86

♦ 83

♣ J32

South:

♠ A

♥ T73

♦ AJT654

♣ AK8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 238**

♠ JT8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKJ64

HCP: 18+1

♣ Q

**Board: 239**

♠ A6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K9843

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ

HCP: 12+1

♣ 7432

**Board: 240**

♠ Q9

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QJ54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ984

HCP: 13+1

♣ K8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 238

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ JT8

♥ AK85

♦ AKJ64

♣ Q

South:

♠ AK6542

♥ 7

♦ Q3

♣ 9753

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
All Pass			

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

### Board: 239

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ A6

♥ K9843

♦ AJ

♣ 7432

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ A65

♦ K7643

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
All Pass			

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

### Board: 240

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q9

♥ QJ54

♦ AJ984

♣ K8

South:

♠ AKT7532

♥ A2

♦ KQ5

♣ 6

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 238</b>	♠ AK6542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q3	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 9753	

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<b>Board: 239</b>	♠ QJ2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K7643	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AK	

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<b>Board: 240</b>	♠ AKT7532	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ5	
HCP: 16+3	♣ 6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 238

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ JT8

♥ AK85

♦ AKJ64

♣ Q

South:

♠ AK6542

♥ 7

♦ Q3

♣ 9753

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 239

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 5 ♥ South

North:

♠ A6

♥ K9843

♦ AJ

♣ 7432

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ A65

♦ K7643

♣ AK

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 240

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q9

♥ QJ54

♦ AJ984

♣ K8

South:

♠ AKT7532

♥ A2

♦ KQ5

♣ 6

W	N	E	S
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			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 ♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	6 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5



<b>Board: 241</b>	♠ Q7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A763	East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J863	
HCP: 11	♣ KJ8	

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<b>Board: 242</b>	♠ J85	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT2	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKQ974	

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<b>Board: 243</b>	♠ AT4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ8	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AT753	

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<b>Board: 244</b>	♠ J9532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A93	
HCP: 14+1	♣ A6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 241

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ Q7

♥ A763

♦ J863

♣ KJ8

South:

♠ 4

♥ KQJ2

♦ AKQ9

♣ Q653

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ X

Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♣

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

### Board: 242

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ J85

♥ Q

♦ AT2

♣ AKQ974

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AJT84

♦ Q96

♣ 62

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 243

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT4

♥ A5

♦ KQ8

♣ AT753

South:

♠ J2

♥ J72

♦ AT972

♣ K64

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 244

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ J9532

♥ KQT

♦ A93

♣ A6

South:

♠ AQ

♥ AJ83

♦ QJ42

♣ QT5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

<b>Board: 241</b>	♠ 4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ2	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKQ9	
HCP: 17	♣ Q653	

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<b>Board: 242</b>	♠ AKQ	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q96	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 62	

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<b>Board: 243</b>	♠ J2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT972	
HCP: 9+1	♣ K64	

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<b>Board: 244</b>	♠ AQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ42	
HCP: 16	♣ QT5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 241

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ Q7

♥ A763

♦ J863

♣ KJ8

South:

♠ 4

♥ KQJ2

♦ AKQ9

♣ Q653

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. strength cue bid

### Board: 242

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ J85

♥ Q

♦ AT2

♣ AKQ974

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AJT84

♦ Q96

♣ 62

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 243

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT4

♥ A5

♦ KQ8

♣ AT753

South:

♠ J2

♥ J72

♦ AT972

♣ K64

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 244

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ J9532

♥ KQT

♦ A93

♣ A6

South:

♠ AQ

♥ AJ83

♦ QJ42

♣ QT5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

**Board: 245**

♠ KQT4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQT73

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ8

HCP: 16+1

♣ T

**Board: 246**

♠ AKQ953

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 9

HCP: 17+2

♣ KQ5

**Board: 247**

♠ 96

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ765

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A2

HCP: 16+1

♣ AK96

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 245

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ KQT4

♥ KQT73

♦ AQ8

♣ T

South:

♠ AJ87

♥ J86

♦ KJ75

♣ AQ

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

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

### Board: 246

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQ953

♥ KT9

♦ 9

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ -

♥ AQJ832

♦ KQ86

♣ A76

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

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

### Board: 247

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7♣ South

North:

♠ 96

♥ KQ765

♦ A2

♣ AK96

South:

♠ AKJ72

♥ A

♦ K94

♣ QT52

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7♣
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. King ask by 5NT
5. K=1

<b>Board: 245</b>	♠ AJ87	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ75	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ	

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<b>Board: 246</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ832	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ86	
HCP: 16+2	♣ A76	

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<b>Board: 247</b>	♠ AKJ72	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K94	
HCP: 17+1	♣ QT52	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 245

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ KQT4

♥ KQT73

♦ AQ8

♣ T

South:

♠ AJ87

♥ J86

♦ KJ75

♣ AQ

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♥	All Pass	

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

### Board: 246

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ AKQ953

♥ KT9

♦ 9

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ -

♥ AQJ832

♦ KQ86

♣ A76

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6♥
All Pass			

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

### Board: 247

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7♣ South

North:

♠ 96

♥ KQ765

♦ A2

♣ AK96

South:

♠ AKJ72

♥ A

♦ K94

♣ QT52

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7♣
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !C
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. King ask by 5NT
5. K=1



**Board: 248**

♠ AK

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ852

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K

HCP: 19+2

♣ AJT87

**Board: 249**

♠ QJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT9

West (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK3

HCP: 17

♣ K842

**Board: 250**

♠ AQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A7

HCP: 16+2

♣ T87654

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 248

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ KJ852

♦ K

♣ AJT87

South:

♠ QT98643

♥ A4

♦ A97

♣ Q

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=0

### Board: 249

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ8

♥ AT9

♦ AK3

♣ K842

South:

♠ K5

♥ Q873

♦ J7

♣ A9765

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

3 ♦ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 250

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ

♥ AQ6

♦ A7

♣ T87654

South:

♠ J9632

♥ T

♦ 9654

♣ AKJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 248**      ♠ QT98643      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ A4      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ A97  
HCP: 12+3      ♣ Q

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**Board: 249**      ♠ K5      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ Q873      West (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ J7  
HCP: 10+1      ♣ A9765

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**Board: 250**      ♠ J9632      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ T      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 9654  
HCP: 9+1      ♣ AKJ

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 248

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AK

♥ KJ852

♦ K

♣ AJT87

South:

♠ QT98643

♥ A4

♦ A97

♣ Q

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=0

### Board: 249

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJ8

♥ AT9

♦ AK3

♣ K842

South:

♠ K5

♥ Q873

♦ J7

♣ A9765

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

3 ♦ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 250

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 2 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ

♥ AQ6

♦ A7

♣ T87654

South:

♠ J9632

♥ T

♦ 9654

♣ AKJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 251**

♠ KQ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ94

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ A65

HCP: 18

♣ AJ8

**Board: 252**

♠ AKQJ43

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q83

East (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A9

HCP: 16+2

♣ T3

**Board: 253**

♠ K84

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T72

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 8653

HCP: 9

♣ AQ3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 251

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ KJ94

♦ A65

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ A6

♥ A

♦ JT74

♣ KQ9732

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	2NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♣	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6♣
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Rubensohl after 1m
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for !C
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(C)=0

### Board: 252

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ43

♥ Q83

♦ A9

♣ T3

South:

♠ 65

♥ J

♦ KT73

♣ AQ8754

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	3♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 253

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K84

♥ T72

♦ 8653

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ AQT5

♥ KQJ65

♦ A72

♣ J

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

<b>Board: 251</b>	♠ A6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ JT74	
HCP: 14+2	♣ KQ9732	

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<b>Board: 252</b>	♠ 65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J	East (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT73	
HCP: 10+2	♣ AQ8754	

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<b>Board: 253</b>	♠ AQT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A72	
HCP: 17+1	♣ J	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 251

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ KQ8

♥ KJ94

♦ A65

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ A6

♥ A

♦ JT74

♣ KQ9732

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 2♥ 2NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5♥<sup>6</sup> Pass 6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 252

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ43

♥ Q83

♦ A9

♣ T3

South:

♠ 65

♥ J

♦ KT73

♣ AQ8754

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 253

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K84

♥ T72

♦ 8653

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ AQT5

♥ KQJ65

♦ A72

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 254**

♠ Q84

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K42

HCP: 10+2

♣ AT9874

**Board: 255**

♠ K83

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK8753

East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 732

HCP: 10+2

♣ T

**Board: 256**

♠ 643

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ A97

HCP: 10

♣ KJ73

**Board: 257**

♠ KQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJT

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ Q75

East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 16+1

♣ AQT97

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 254

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q84

♥ J

♦ K42

♣ AT9874

South:

♠ AKJ52

♥ 94

♦ AJT3

♣ K5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 255

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K83

♥ AK8753

♦ 732

♣ T

South:

♠ AQ52

♥ QJ

♦ QJ4

♣ A962

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup> X Pass<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. denies a !D stopper

### Board: 256

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 643

♥ Q63

♦ A97

♣ KJ73

South:

♠ AK

♥ KJ72

♦ QT5

♣ AT94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 257

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ QJT

♦ Q75

♣ AQT97

South:

♠ T52

♥ K7532

♦ A42

♣ J5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♥

Pass Pass 2 ♠ X

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 254</b>	♠ AKJ52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJT3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ K5	

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<b>Board: 255</b>	♠ AQ52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJ	East (RHO) Doubles 4♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ4	
HCP: 16	♣ A962	

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<b>Board: 256</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QT5	
HCP: 17	♣ AT94	

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<b>Board: 257</b>	♠ T52	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K7532	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A42	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
HCP: 8+1	♣ J5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 254

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q84

♥ J

♦ K42

♣ AT9874

South:

♠ AKJ52

♥ 94

♦ AJT3

♣ K5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

### Board: 255

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ K83

♥ AK8753

♦ 732

♣ T

South:

♠ AQ52

♥ QJ

♦ QJ4

♣ A962

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup> X Pass<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. denies a !D stopper

### Board: 256

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 643

♥ Q63

♦ A97

♣ KJ73

South:

♠ AK

♥ KJ72

♦ QT5

♣ AT94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 257

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3 ♣ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ QJT

♦ Q75

♣ AQT97

South:

♠ T52

♥ K7532

♦ A42

♣ J5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♥

Pass Pass 2 ♠ X

Pass 3 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 258**

♠ AJ7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ72

HCP: 19

♣ KQ2

**Board: 259**

♠ A3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJT852

HCP: 16+2

♣ 5

**Board: 260**

♠ Q5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ -

East (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A9852

HCP: 11+3

♣ KQT987

**Board: 261**

♠ A754

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KT9

HCP: 13

♣ 985

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 258

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AJ7

♥ QJ7

♦ AQ72

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ 98

♥ AKT95

♦ KT3

♣ 653

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 259

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ AK86

♦ AJT852

♣ 5

South:

♠ K2

♥ T2

♦ KQ74

♣ AQ984

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

### Board: 260

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♣ North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ -

♦ A9852

♣ KQT987

South:

♠ KJ732

♥ AQ3

♦ KQJ4

♣ 2

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 261

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A754

♥ AQ9

♦ KT9

♣ 985

South:

♠ QT

♥ 74

♦ AQ76

♣ AKQ32

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

**Board: 258**

♠ 98

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT95

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KT3

HCP: 10+1

♣ 653

**Board: 259**

♠ K2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQ74

HCP: 14+1

♣ AQ984

**Board: 260**

♠ KJ732

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ3

East (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KQJ4

HCP: 16+1

♣ 2

**Board: 261**

♠ QT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 74

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ76

HCP: 17+1

♣ AKQ32

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 258

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AJ7

♥ QJ7

♦ AQ72

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ 98

♥ AKT95

♦ KT3

♣ 653

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 259

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ A3

♥ AK86

♦ AJT852

♣ 5

South:

♠ K2

♥ T2

♦ KQ74

♣ AQ984

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

### Board: 260

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+3

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♣ North

North:

♠ Q5

♥ -

♦ A9852

♣ KQT987

South:

♠ KJ732

♥ AQ3

♦ KQJ4

♣ 2

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 261

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A754

♥ AQ9

♦ KT9

♣ 985

South:

♠ QT

♥ 74

♦ AQ76

♣ AKQ32

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman



**Board: 262**

♠ QT5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQT3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK762

HCP: 18+2

♣ -

**Board: 263**

♠ KJ76

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q84

HCP: 16

♣ KJ3

**Board: 264**

♠ AT2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 75

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ A742

HCP: 16

♣ AKJ7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 262

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ QT5

♥ AKQT3

♦ AK762

♣ -

South:

♠ AJ94

♥ 75

♦ T3

♣ AKT63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 263

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KJ76

♥ KQJ

♦ Q84

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ 8

♥ AT96

♦ 932

♣ AT742

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 264

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT2

♥ 75

♦ A742

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ KQ98743

♥ A84

♦ K6

♣ 3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 262</b>	♠ AJ94	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T3	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AKT63	

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<b>Board: 263</b>	♠ 8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 932	
HCP: 8+1	♣ AT742	

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<b>Board: 264</b>	♠ KQ98743	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A84	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K6	
HCP: 12+3	♣ 3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 262

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ QT5

♥ AKQT3

♦ AK762

♣ -

South:

♠ AJ94

♥ 75

♦ T3

♣ AKT63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 263

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ KJ76

♥ KQJ

♦ Q84

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ 8

♥ AT96

♦ 932

♣ AT742

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 264

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AT2

♥ 75

♦ A742

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ KQ98743

♥ A84

♦ K6

♣ 3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♥ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

**Board: 265**

♠ 987

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ JT87

HCP: 11

♣ KQ

**Board: 266**

♠ KQ72

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KT4

HCP: 13

♣ J52

**Board: 267**

♠ AQJ9432

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ J4

HCP: 12+3

♣ 4

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 265

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 987

♥ AJ85

♦ JT87

♣ KQ

South:

♠ AQT

♥ KQ93

♦ AQ

♣ T875

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 266

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ72

♥ AT7

♦ KT4

♣ J52

South:

♠ AJ98

♥ KQJ3

♦ AJ

♣ 983

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 267

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ9432

♥ A42

♦ J4

♣ 4

South:

♠ KT7

♥ T

♦ AKQ7

♣ AKJ96

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♦ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6♥ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6♠	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=2

**Board: 265**

♠ AQT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ

HCP: 17

♣ T875

**Board: 266**

♠ AJ98

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJ3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ

HCP: 16

♣ 983

**Board: 267**

♠ KT7

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKQ7

HCP: 20+1

♣ AKJ96

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 265

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 987

♥ AJ85

♦ JT87

♣ KQ

South:

♠ AQT

♥ KQ93

♦ AQ

♣ T875

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 266

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KQ72

♥ AT7

♦ KT4

♣ J52

South:

♠ AJ98

♥ KQJ3

♦ AJ

♣ 983

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 267

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+3

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 6♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ9432

♥ A42

♦ J4

♣ 4

South:

♠ KT7

♥ T

♦ AKQ7

♣ AKJ96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>5</sup>

Pass 5NT<sup>6</sup> Pass 6♥<sup>7</sup>

Pass 6♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !S

5. A=0/5 or 3/5

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=2



<b>Board: 268</b>	♠ AJT7	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQ854	
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<b>Board: 269</b>	♠ Q97	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J7	West (RHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AQJT	
HCP: 16	♣ AQT4	
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<b>Board: 270</b>	♠ AQ8632	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 65	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 74	
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<b>Board: 271</b>	♠ 3	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ 542	West (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJT986	East (LHO) Doubles 2♦ if possible.
HCP: 7+2	♣ Q63	West (RHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 268

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT7

♥ QJ6

♦ K

♣ AQ854

South:

♠ KQ863

♥ K75

♦ A6

♣ 962

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 269

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q97

♥ J7

♦ AQJT

♣ AQT4

South:

♠ AJ863

♥ T92

♦ 3

♣ K953

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

X 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 270

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ8632

♥ K87

♦ 65

♣ 74

South:

♠ K9

♥ QT63

♦ AJ42

♣ AQ2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 271

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 6+1

Contract: 5 ♦ X South

North:

♠ 3

♥ 542

♦ AJT986

♣ Q63

South:

♠ KJT8

♥ T97

♦ Q7532

♣ 5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ X 5 ♦

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 268</b>	♠ KQ863	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A6	
HCP: 12+1	♣ 962	
<b>Board: 269</b>	♠ AJ863	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T92	West (LHO) Doubles 2♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 3	
HCP: 8+1	♣ K953	
<b>Board: 270</b>	♠ K9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ42	
HCP: 16	♣ AQ2	
<b>Board: 271</b>	♠ KJT8	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ T97	West (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q7532	East (RHO) Doubles 2♦ if possible.
HCP: 6+1	♣ 5	West (LHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 268

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AJT7

♥ QJ6

♦ K

♣ AQ854

South:

♠ KQ863

♥ K75

♦ A6

♣ 962

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 269

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q97

♥ J7

♦ AQJT

♣ AQT4

South:

♠ AJ863

♥ T92

♦ 3

♣ K953

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

X 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 270

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ8632

♥ K87

♦ 65

♣ 74

South:

♠ K9

♥ QT63

♦ AJ42

♣ AQ2

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 271

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 7+2

South HCP: 6+1

Contract: 5 ♦ X South

North:

♠ 3

♥ 542

♦ AJT986

♣ Q63

South:

♠ KJT8

♥ T97

♦ Q7532

♣ 5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ X 5 ♦

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 272**

♠ KT5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A96432

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J96

HCP: 8+2

♣ 4

**Board: 273**

♠ AJ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKQT2

HCP: 17+1

♣ T63

**Board: 274**

♠ QJT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A65

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ852

HCP: 16+1

♣ A7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 272

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT5

♥ A96432

♦ J96

♣ 4

South:

♠ QJ842

♥ QT5

♦ AKQ

♣ Q8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 273

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ K85

♦ AKQT2

♣ T63

South:

♠ 842

♥ A942

♦ J

♣ AKQ94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 274

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ QJT

♥ A65

♦ AJ852

♣ A7

South:

♠ K9842

♥ KQT4

♦ KQ

♣ KQ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

<b>Board: 272</b>	♠ QJ842	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q8	

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<b>Board: 273</b>	♠ 842	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J	
HCP: 14+1	♣ AKQ94	

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<b>Board: 274</b>	♠ K9842	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ	
HCP: 18+1	♣ KQ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 272

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KT5

♥ A96432

♦ J96

♣ 4

South:

♠ QJ842

♥ QT5

♦ AKQ

♣ Q8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 273

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6 ♣ South

North:

♠ AJ

♥ K85

♦ AKQT2

♣ T63

South:

♠ 842

♥ A942

♦ J

♣ AKQ94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 6 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 274

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ QJT

♥ A65

♦ AJ852

♣ A7

South:

♠ K9842

♥ KQT4

♦ KQ

♣ KQ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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



**Board: 275**

♠ AT3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT96

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQ2

HCP: 18+1

♣ Q5

**Board: 276**

♠ K964

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A4

West (RHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ962

HCP: 16+1

♣ K3

**Board: 277**

♠ Q873

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: West

♥ AKQJT

West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ T8

East (LHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.

HCP: 12+1

♣ 92

**Board: 278**

♠ A54

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q

HCP: 16+1

♣ AJ875

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 275

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ AT3

♥ AKT96

♦ KQ2

♣ Q5

South:

♠ 6

♥ 83

♦ JT653

♣ AK872

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♠ 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 276

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K964

♥ A4

♦ AQ962

♣ K3

South:

♠ AJT7

♥ 7

♦ K873

♣ JT52

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 3♥<sup>4</sup>

X 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 277

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 3

Contract: 1♥X North

North:

♠ Q873

♥ AKQJT

♦ T8

♣ 92

South:

♠ JT5

♥ 982

♦ Q942

♣ 853

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♥ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 278

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ A54

♥ KQ63

♦ Q

♣ AJ875

South:

♠ QJ732

♥ T987

♦ AK3

♣ T

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 275</b>	♠ 6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 83	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ JT653	
HCP: 8+2	♣ AK872	
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<b>Board: 276</b>	♠ AJT7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 7	West (LHO) Doubles 3 ♥ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K873	
HCP: 9	♣ JT52	
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<b>Board: 277</b>	♠ JT5	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 982	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q942	East (RHO) Doubles 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 3	♣ 853	
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<b>Board: 278</b>	♠ QJ732	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T987	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK3	
HCP: 10+1	♣ T	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 275

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3♥ South

North:

♠ AT3

♥ AKT96

♦ KQ2

♣ Q5

South:

♠ 6

♥ 83

♦ JT653

♣ AK872

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 276

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K964

♥ A4

♦ AQ962

♣ K3

South:

♠ AJT7

♥ 7

♦ K873

♣ JT52

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>4</sup>
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X	4♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 277

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 3

Contract: 1♥X North

North:

♠ Q873

♥ AKQJT

♦ T8

♣ 92

South:

♠ JT5

♥ 982

♦ Q942

♣ 853

W	N	E	S
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1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	X	All Pass
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 278

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ A54

♥ KQ63

♦ Q

♣ AJ875

South:

♠ QJ732

♥ T987

♦ AK3

♣ T

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 279</b>	♠ 8	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K8	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKJ987	

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<b>Board: 280</b>	♠ AQ4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQ2	
HCP: 16	♣ 7643	

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<b>Board: 281</b>	♠ AKQ4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT82	
HCP: 18	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 282</b>	♠ A73	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AT832	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 279

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AJ76

♦ K8

♣ AKJ987

South:

♠ AKQT9

♥ 92

♦ 32

♣ 6542

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 280

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ4

♥ AJ5

♦ KQ2

♣ 7643

South:

♠ J876

♥ Q62

♦ A6

♣ AQ52

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 281

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ4

♥ Q942

♦ AT82

♣ K

South:

♠ 762

♥ K3

♦ QJ6

♣ AQJ85

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 282

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A73

♥ AT2

♦ KQ

♣ AT832

South:

♠ K84

♥ Q97

♦ AJ87

♣ K65

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

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 279</b>	♠ AKQT9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 32	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 6542	

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<b>Board: 280</b>	♠ J876	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q62	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A6	
HCP: 13	♣ AQ52	

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<b>Board: 281</b>	♠ 762	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ6	
HCP: 13+1	♣ AQJ85	

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<b>Board: 282</b>	♠ K84	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJ87	
HCP: 13	♣ K65	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 279

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ 8

♥ AJ76

♦ K8

♣ AKJ987

South:

♠ AKQT9

♥ 92

♦ 32

♣ 6542

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 280

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ4

♥ AJ5

♦ KQ2

♣ 7643

South:

♠ J876

♥ Q62

♦ A6

♣ AQ52

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 281

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ4

♥ Q942

♦ AT82

♣ K

South:

♠ 762

♥ K3

♦ QJ6

♣ AQJ85

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 282

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A73

♥ AT2

♦ KQ

♣ AT832

South:

♠ K84

♥ Q97

♦ AJ87

♣ K65

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

1. 16+ HCP



<b>Board: 283</b>	♠ KQ8643	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT8	West (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K	East (LHO) bids 5 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 16+2	♣ A6	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 284</b>	♠ 85	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ 3	West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ A6532	East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 10+2	♣ KQJ73	West (RHO) bids 3NT if possible.
		East (LHO) Doubles 4 ♣ if possible.
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 285</b>	♠ AK53	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ2	
HCP: 16	♣ A852	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 286</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK75	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AKJ954	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 283

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ KQ8643

♥ KJT8

♦ K

♣ A6

South:

♠ AJ92

♥ AQ9

♦ 7

♣ T8542

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

3♦	3♠	5♦	6♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 284

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 0+1

Contract: 4♣X South

North:

♠ 85

♥ 3

♦ A6532

♣ KQJ73

South:

♠ 7432

♥ 9752

♦ -

♣ 98642

W	N	E	S
1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2NT <sup>2</sup>	3♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
3NT	Pass	Pass	4♣
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. strength cue bid

### Board: 285

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK53

♥ 65

♦ KQ2

♣ A852

South:

♠ 982

♥ AKQJ7

♦ T643

♣ 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 286

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ Q92

♦ AK75

♣ AKJ954

South:

♠ A976

♥ AT3

♦ J82

♣ Q62

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 283</b>	♠ AJ92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ9	West (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 7	East (RHO) bids 5 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 11+1	♣ T8542	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 284</b>	♠ 7432	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ 9752	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 0+1	♣ 98642	West (LHO) bids 3NT if possible.
		East (RHO) Doubles 4 ♣ if possible.
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 285</b>	♠ 982	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQJ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T643	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 7	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 286</b>	♠ A976	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J82	
HCP: 11	♣ Q62	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 283

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQ8643

♥ KJT8

♦ K

♣ A6

South:

♠ AJ92

♥ AQ9

♦ 7

♣ T8542

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

3 ♦	3 ♠	5 ♦	6 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 284

Dealer: West

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 0+1

Contract: 4 ♣X South

North:

♠ 85

♥ 3

♦ A6532

♣ KQJ73

South:

♠ 7432

♥ 9752

♦ -

♣ 98642

W	N	E	S
1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2NT <sup>2</sup>	3 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass
3NT	Pass	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	Pass	X	All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. strength cue bid

### Board: 285

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK53

♥ 65

♦ KQ2

♣ A852

South:

♠ 982

♥ AKQJ7

♦ T643

♣ 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 286

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ -

♥ Q92

♦ AK75

♣ AKJ954

South:

♠ A976

♥ AT3

♦ J82

♣ Q62

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 287**

♠ K82

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K72

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K4

HCP: 18+1

♣ AKQ42

**Board: 288**

♠ AQ2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AJ953

HCP: 11+1

♣ 965

**Board: 289**

♠ AKJ53

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ

West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ QJ7

HCP: 19+1

♣ A52

**Board: 290**

♠ A865

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ4

East (LHO) bids 1♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ QJ94

HCP: 16

♣ A7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 287

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K82

♥ K72

♦ K4

♣ AKQ42

South:

♠ A75

♥ Q86

♦ A875

♣ 983

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 288

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ2

♥ 54

♦ AJ953

♣ 965

South:

♠ K8743

♥ A9

♦ Q

♣ AKQ84

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Cue bid, a !C stopper			
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper			
5. Blackwood 0314, for !S			
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=1			

### Board: 289

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ53

♥ KJ

♦ QJ7

♣ A52

South:

♠ 942

♥ 85

♦ AK863

♣ QJ8

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
3 ♥	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. limit raise or better in !S			

### Board: 290

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ A865

♥ AJ4

♦ QJ94

♣ A7

South:

♠ 943

♥ 72

♦ A75

♣ KJ643

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♦	2NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

<b>Board: 287</b>	♠ A75	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A875	
HCP: 10	♣ 983	
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<b>Board: 288</b>	♠ K8743	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AKQ84	
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<b>Board: 289</b>	♠ 942	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 85	West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK863	
HCP: 10+1	♣ QJ8	
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<b>Board: 290</b>	♠ 943	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 72	East (RHO) bids 1♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A75	
HCP: 8+1	♣ KJ643	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 287

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K82

♥ K72

♦ K4

♣ AKQ42

South:

♠ A75

♥ Q86

♦ A875

♣ 983

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

Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 288

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AQ2

♥ 54

♦ AJ953

♣ 965

South:

♠ K8743

♥ A9

♦ Q

♣ AKQ84

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
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Pass	5♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 289

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AKJ53

♥ KJ

♦ QJ7

♣ A52

South:

♠ 942

♥ 85

♦ AK863

♣ QJ8

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

3♥	3♠	Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. limit raise or better in !S

### Board: 290

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ A865

♥ AJ4

♦ QJ94

♣ A7

South:

♠ 943

♥ 72

♦ A75

♣ KJ643

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP



<b>Board: 291</b>	♠ 643	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ7	
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ2	

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<b>Board: 292</b>	♠ KQT7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 843	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ8	
HCP: 15	♣ J7	

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<b>Board: 293</b>	♠ QJ98	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ3	
HCP: 18	♣ J96	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 291

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 7NT South

North:

♠ 643

♥ J42

♦ AQ7

♣ KQJ2

South:

♠ AK

♥ AKQ53

♦ T53

♣ A73

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 7NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 292

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQT7

♥ 843

♦ AKQ8

♣ J7

South:

♠ AJ82

♥ KQ65

♦ 7

♣ AKQ8

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 293

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ98

♥ KQ

♦ AKQ3

♣ J96

South:

♠ AT7

♥ T632

♦ 9

♣ A7532

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

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 291</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T53	
HCP: 20+1	♣ A73	

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<b>Board: 292</b>	♠ AJ82	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 7	
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ8	

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<b>Board: 293</b>	♠ AT7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T632	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 9	
HCP: 8+1	♣ A7532	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 291

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 7NT South

North:

♠ 643

♥ J42

♦ AQ7

♣ KQJ2

South:

♠ AK

♥ AKQ53

♦ T53

♣ A73

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 7NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 292

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ KQT7

♥ 843

♦ AKQ8

♣ J7

South:

♠ AJ82

♥ KQ65

♦ 7

♣ AKQ8

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 293

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QJ98

♥ KQ

♦ AKQ3

♣ J96

South:

♠ AT7

♥ T632

♦ 9

♣ A7532

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

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 294</b>	♠ A5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J6542	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 973	

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<b>Board: 295</b>	♠ 986	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ85	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J73	
HCP: 13	♣ AQ4	

---

<b>Board: 296</b>	♠ K6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K854	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T64	
HCP: 9	♣ K973	

---

<b>Board: 297</b>	♠ A9	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQT7	
HCP: 19+1	♣ KJ62	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 294

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5

♥ AJ8

♦ J6542

♣ 973

South:

♠ QT

♥ K95

♦ AKQ8

♣ KQ42

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 295

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 986

♥ AQ85

♦ J73

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ J73

♦ AKQ4

♣ JT9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 296

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 21

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K6

♥ K854

♦ T64

♣ K973

South:

♠ AQ43

♥ AQ

♦ AK5

♣ Q862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 297

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A9

♥ Q7

♦ AKQT7

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ JT53

♥ A53

♦ 32

♣ AQ97

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 294</b>	♠ QT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ8	
HCP: 19	♣ KQ42	

---

<b>Board: 295</b>	♠ KQ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ4	
HCP: 16	♣ JT9	

---

<b>Board: 296</b>	♠ AQ43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK5	
HCP: 21	♣ Q862	

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<b>Board: 297</b>	♠ JT53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A53	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 32	
HCP: 11	♣ AQ97	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 294

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5

♥ AJ8

♦ J6542

♣ 973

South:

♠ QT

♥ K95

♦ AKQ8

♣ KQ42

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 295

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 986

♥ AQ85

♦ J73

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ J73

♦ AKQ4

♣ JT9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 296

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 21

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K6

♥ K854

♦ T64

♣ K973

South:

♠ AQ43

♥ AQ

♦ AK5

♣ Q862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 297

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A9

♥ Q7

♦ AKQT7

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ JT53

♥ A53

♦ 32

♣ AQ97

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman



<b>Board: 298</b>	♠ K8	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ9532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AQJ6	

---

<b>Board: 299</b>	♠ KQ85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT8	
HCP: 14+1	♣ 3	

---

<b>Board: 300</b>	♠ AKQJ4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQT9	
HCP: 19+1	♣ J4	

---

<b>Board: 301</b>	♠ AKT82	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ52	
HCP: 16+1	♣ T	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 298

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K8

♥ AQ9532

♦ J

♣ AQJ6

South:

♠ A7

♥ 6

♦ Q7654

♣ K9754

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 299

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQ85

♥ KQT86

♦ AT8

♣ 3

South:

♠ AJ6

♥ 92

♦ KQJ4

♣ AKJ9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 300

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ4

♥ K2

♦ KQT9

♣ J4

South:

♠ 95

♥ AQJ97

♦ 52

♣ AKQ3

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 301

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKT82

♥ A84

♦ KQ52

♣ T

South:

♠ Q96

♥ KT73

♦ A864

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 298</b>	♠ A7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q7654	
HCP: 9+2	♣ K9754	

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<b>Board: 299</b>	♠ AJ6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQJ4	
HCP: 19	♣ AKJ9	

---

<b>Board: 300</b>	♠ 95	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 52	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKQ3	

---

<b>Board: 301</b>	♠ Q96	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A864	
HCP: 13	♣ A9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 298

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K8

♥ AQ9532

♦ J

♣ AQJ6

South:

♠ A7

♥ 6

♦ Q7654

♣ K9754

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 299

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 14+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ KQ85

♥ KQT86

♦ AT8

♣ 3

South:

♠ AJ6

♥ 92

♦ KQJ4

♣ AKJ9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 300

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ4

♥ K2

♦ KQT9

♣ J4

South:

♠ 95

♥ AQJ97

♦ 52

♣ AKQ3

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 301

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKT82

♥ A84

♦ KQ52

♣ T

South:

♠ Q96

♥ KT73

♦ A864

♣ A9

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 302</b>	♠ T865	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT9	
HCP: 8	♣ AT2	

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<b>Board: 303</b>	♠ A5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J7652	
HCP: 12+1	♣ J4	

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<b>Board: 304</b>	♠ KQJ87	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KT7	

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<b>Board: 305</b>	♠ A74	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ2	East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ64	
HCP: 17	♣ 52	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 302

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T865

♥ T87

♦ AT9

♣ AT2

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AK32

♦ J852

♣ J7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 303

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ A5

♥ AQ42

♦ J7652

♣ J4

South:

♠ KQJT

♥ J7

♦ KQ8

♣ AK52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♦

Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦ Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 304

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQJ87

♥ QJ82

♦ A

♣ KT7

South:

♠ A6

♥ T9

♦ 6432

♣ AJ432

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 305

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A74

♥ AKJ2

♦ KQ64

♣ 52

South:

♠ KQT52

♥ T

♦ JT9

♣ A876

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ X

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 302</b>	♠ AKQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J852	
HCP: 18	♣ J7	

---

<b>Board: 303</b>	♠ KQJT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ8	
HCP: 19	♣ AK52	

---

<b>Board: 304</b>	♠ A6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 6432	
HCP: 9+1	♣ AJ432	

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<b>Board: 305</b>	♠ KQT52	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T	East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ JT9	
HCP: 10+1	♣ A876	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 302

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T865

♥ T87

♦ AT9

♣ AT2

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AK32

♦ J852

♣ J7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 303

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♦ South

North:

♠ A5

♥ AQ42

♦ J7652

♣ J4

South:

♠ KQJT

♥ J7

♦ KQ8

♣ AK52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT Pass 4 ♦

Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦ Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 304

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQJ87

♥ QJ82

♦ A

♣ KT7

South:

♠ A6

♥ T9

♦ 6432

♣ AJ432

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 305

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ A74

♥ AKJ2

♦ KQ64

♣ 52

South:

♠ KQT52

♥ T

♦ JT9

♣ A876

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♥ X

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 306**

♠ Q94

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K98742

HCP: 11+2

♣ AT3

**Board: 307**

♠ AKQ53

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT2

West (RHO) bids 3♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 83

HCP: 12+1

♣ 862

**Board: 308**

♠ T53

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 98

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AQ82

HCP: 11

♣ KQ62

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 306

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 23+1

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q94

♥ Q

♦ K98742

♣ AT3

South:

♠ AKT63

♥ AKJ3

♦ AJT

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥

Pass 6 ♦<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. !S queen and !D king

### Board: 307

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQ53

♥ KT2

♦ 83

♣ 862

South:

♠ T96

♥ 3

♦ AKQ5

♣ AK954

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥ 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 308

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T53

♥ 98

♦ AQ82

♣ KQ62

South:

♠ K7

♥ AKQ76

♦ K5

♣ A953

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

<b>Board: 306</b>	♠ AKT63	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJT	
HCP: 23+1	♣ K	

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<b>Board: 307</b>	♠ T96	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 3	West (LHO) bids 3♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ5	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK954	

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<b>Board: 308</b>	♠ K7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ76	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ K5	
HCP: 19+1	♣ A953	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 306

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 23+1

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ Q94

♥ Q

♦ K98742

♣ AT3

South:

♠ AKT63

♥ AKJ3

♦ AJT

♣ K

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥

Pass 6 ♦<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !S

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

5. !S queen and !D king

### Board: 307

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKQ53

♥ KT2

♦ 83

♣ 862

South:

♠ T96

♥ 3

♦ AKQ5

♣ AK954

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

3 ♥ 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 308

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T53

♥ 98

♦ AQ82

♣ KQ62

South:

♠ K7

♥ AKQ76

♦ K5

♣ A953

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ 3 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

**Board: 309**

♠ AT4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 64

East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQT642

HCP: 9+2

♣ 75

**Board: 310**

♠ 42

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ764

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ K

HCP: 17+2

♣ AKQ42

**Board: 311**

♠ K82

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q865

East (LHO) Doubles 3♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ Q42

HCP: 11

♣ AT9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 309

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AT4

♥ 64

♦ KQT642

♣ 75

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKQJT2

♦ AJ87

♣ KT

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♣ 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 310

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 42

♥ AJ764

♦ K

♣ AKQ42

South:

♠ KJ8

♥ T93

♦ AQT982

♣ 6

W N E S

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

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 311

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ K82

♥ Q865

♦ Q42

♣ AT9

South:

♠ QT4

♥ AKJT

♦ AK76

♣ J5

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> X 3♥

Pass 3♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

6. A=0/5 or 3/5

**Board: 309**

♠ 3

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKQJT2

East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ87

HCP: 18+2

♣ KT

**Board: 310**

♠ KJ8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQT982

HCP: 10+2

♣ 6

**Board: 311**

♠ QT4

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJT

East (RHO) Doubles 3♣ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ AK76

HCP: 18

♣ J5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 309

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ AT4

♥ 64

♦ KQT642

♣ 75

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKQJT2

♦ AJ87

♣ KT

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 3♣ 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 310

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 42

♥ AJ764

♦ K

♣ AKQ42

South:

♠ KJ8

♥ T93

♦ AQT982

♣ 6

W N E S

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

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>4</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 311

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ K82

♥ Q865

♦ Q42

♣ AT9

South:

♠ QT4

♥ AKJT

♦ AK76

♣ J5

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> X 3♥

Pass 3♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>6</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. artificial

5. Blackwood 0314, for !H

6. A=0/5 or 3/5



<b>Board: 312</b>	♠ AQ765	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 986	
HCP: 10+1	♣ JT8	

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<b>Board: 313</b>	♠ QT974	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AK862	

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<b>Board: 314</b>	♠ Q	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 863	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ4	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AKQJ83	

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<b>Board: 315</b>	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKT943	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KT5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 312

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ765

♥ K4

♦ 986

♣ JT8

South:

♠ KJ84

♥ Q98

♦ AKT

♣ A94

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 313

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT974

♥ Q2

♦ T

♣ AK862

South:

♠ AK32

♥ T93

♦ AKQ63

♣ Q

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 314

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q

♥ 863

♦ AQ4

♣ AKQJ83

South:

♠ A9853

♥ KQ7

♦ KT63

♣ 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 315

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ T

♥ T32

♦ AKT943

♣ KT5

South:

♠ AKQ7

♥ AKQ9

♦ 82

♣ J86

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 312</b>	♠ KJ84	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AKT	
HCP: 17	♣ A94	

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<b>Board: 313</b>	♠ AK32	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKQ63	
HCP: 18+1	♣ Q	

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<b>Board: 314</b>	♠ A9853	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KT63	
HCP: 12+1	♣ 6	

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<b>Board: 315</b>	♠ AKQ7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 82	
HCP: 19	♣ J86	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 312

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ765

♥ K4

♦ 986

♣ JT8

South:

♠ KJ84

♥ Q98

♦ AKT

♣ A94

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 313

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QT974

♥ Q2

♦ T

♣ AK862

South:

♠ AK32

♥ T93

♦ AKQ63

♣ Q

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 314

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q

♥ 863

♦ AQ4

♣ AKQJ83

South:

♠ A9853

♥ KQ7

♦ KT63

♣ 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 315

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6 ♦ North

North:

♠ T

♥ T32

♦ AKT943

♣ KT5

South:

♠ AKQ7

♥ AKQ9

♦ 82

♣ J86

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 NT
Pass	6 ♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 316**

♠ AQJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J

HCP: 17+2

♣ AKQ975

**Board: 317**

♠ QJ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ K962

HCP: 16+1

♣ QJ984

**Board: 318**

♠ T6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K543

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKQ5

HCP: 18

♣ KQJ

**Board: 319**

♠ KQJ9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKQ

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ T32

HCP: 18

♣ QJ7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 316

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ8

♥ 32

♦ J

♣ AKQ975

South:

♠ K93

♥ 965

♦ AT8754

♣ J

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 317

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AK

♦ K962

♣ QJ984

South:

♠ 952

♥ 92

♦ AT54

♣ AT53

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 318

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ T6

♥ K543

♦ AKQ5

♣ KQJ

South:

♠ AKJ972

♥ T7

♦ T2

♣ A82

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !S queen

### Board: 319

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ9

♥ AKQ

♦ T32

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ T852

♥ T

♦ AKJ6

♣ K853

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	X
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 316</b>	♠ K93	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 965	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT8754	
HCP: 8+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 317</b>	♠ 952	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 92	East (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AT54	
HCP: 8	♣ AT53	

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<b>Board: 318</b>	♠ AKJ972	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T2	
HCP: 12+2	♣ A82	

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<b>Board: 319</b>	♠ T852	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T	East (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ6	
HCP: 11	♣ K853	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 316

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ8

♥ 32

♦ J

♣ AKQ975

South:

♠ K93

♥ 965

♦ AT8754

♣ J

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 317

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 8

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AK

♦ K962

♣ QJ984

South:

♠ 952

♥ 92

♦ AT54

♣ AT53

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♠	3 ♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

### Board: 318

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 5 ♠ South

North:

♠ T6

♥ K543

♦ AKQ5

♣ KQJ

South:

♠ AKJ972

♥ T7

♦ T2

♣ A82

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♦	Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !S queen

### Board: 319

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQJ9

♥ AKQ

♦ T32

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ T852

♥ T

♦ AKJ6

♣ K853

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♥	X
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Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 320**

♠ 86

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 754

HCP: 9

♣ J983

**Board: 321**

♠ AT8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A95

West (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 96532

HCP: 8+1

♣ 75

**Board: 322**

♠ K63

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T83

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 98

HCP: 10+1

♣ AK942

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 320

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 86

♥ AKJ9

♦ 754

♣ J983

South:

♠ A432

♥ 4

♦ AK82

♣ AKQ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 321

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AT8

♥ A95

♦ 96532

♣ 75

South:

♠ J763

♥ 84

♦ AKQJ

♣ AQ4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 322

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K63

♥ T83

♦ 98

♣ AK942

South:

♠ AT4

♥ AK6

♦ AQ54

♣ T53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 320**

♠ A432

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK82

HCP: 20

♣ AKQ5

**Board: 321**

♠ J763

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 84

West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AKQJ

HCP: 17

♣ AQ4

**Board: 322**

♠ AT4

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQ54

HCP: 17

♣ T53

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 320

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 86

♥ AKJ9

♦ 754

♣ J983

South:

♠ A432

♥ 4

♦ AK82

♣ AKQ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 321

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 2NT North

North:

♠ AT8

♥ A95

♦ 96532

♣ 75

South:

♠ J763

♥ 84

♦ AKQJ

♣ AQ4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 2NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 322

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K63

♥ T83

♦ 98

♣ AK942

South:

♠ AT4

♥ AK6

♦ AQ54

♣ T53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 323**

♠ AJ6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ762

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q8

HCP: 18+1

♣ AKJ

**Board: 324**

♠ KQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ87

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ6

HCP: 18+1

♣ J75

**Board: 325**

♠ AKT76

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ JT54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J84

HCP: 9+1

♣ 9

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 323

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ QJ762

♦ Q8

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ KQ95

♥ AK5

♦ AT4

♣ Q93

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6♦ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7♥	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- surplus
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- King ask by 5NT
- K=1

### Board: 324

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AQJ87

♦ AJ6

♣ J75

South:

♠ 8763

♥ K53

♦ T73

♣ AK8

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 325

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT76

♥ JT54

♦ J84

♣ 9

South:

♠ Q98

♥ A3

♦ K97

♣ AKJ85

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Stayman

**Board: 323**

♠ KQ95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AT4

HCP: 18

♣ Q93

**Board: 324**

♠ 8763

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K53

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ T73

HCP: 10

♣ AK8

**Board: 325**

♠ Q98

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K97

HCP: 17+1

♣ AKJ85

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 323

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7♥ North

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ QJ762

♦ Q8

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ KQ95

♥ AK5

♦ AT4

♣ Q93

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>	Pass	6♦ <sup>7</sup>
Pass	7♥	All Pass	

- 16+ HCP
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- surplus
- Blackwood 0314, for !H
- A=0/5 or 3/5
- King ask by 5NT
- K=1

### Board: 324

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KQ

♥ AQJ87

♦ AJ6

♣ J75

South:

♠ 8763

♥ K53

♦ T73

♣ AK8

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Cue bid, a !S stopper
- Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 325

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AKT76

♥ JT54

♦ J84

♣ 9

South:

♠ Q98

♥ A3

♦ K97

♣ AKJ85

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial
- Stayman



**Board: 326**

♠ 4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T63

East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ52

HCP: 9+1

♣ KT643

**Board: 327**

♠ 873

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K742

HCP: 16

♣ AKQ3

**Board: 328**

♠ KQ3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKJ954

HCP: 18+2

♣ Q

**Board: 329**

♠ KQJT

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AT642

East (LHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ T

HCP: 13+1

♣ K32

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 326

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 4

♥ T63

♦ AQ52

♣ KT643

South:

♠ KT

♥ AK954

♦ KJT

♣ A75

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 327

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 873

♥ KJ

♦ K742

♣ AKQ3

South:

♠ K2

♥ A98763

♦ AJ63

♣ 6

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3NT	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 328

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ QJ5

♦ AKJ954

♣ Q

South:

♠ AJT94

♥ K97

♦ 76

♣ 732

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 329

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ KQJT

♥ AT642

♦ T

♣ K32

South:

♠ A3

♥ KQJ8

♦ 97

♣ AQJ97

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5 ♦	X	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. !H queen no !D king no !S king no !C king

**Board: 326**

♠ KT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK954

East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJT

HCP: 18+1

♣ A75

**Board: 327**

♠ K2

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A98763

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ63

HCP: 12+2

♣ 6

**Board: 328**

♠ AJT94

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K97

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 76

HCP: 8+1

♣ 732

**Board: 329**

♠ A3

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJ8

East (RHO) Doubles 5♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ 97

HCP: 17+1

♣ AQJ97

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 326

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 4

♥ T63

♦ AQ52

♣ KT643

South:

♠ KT

♥ AK954

♦ KJT

♣ A75

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 2 ♠ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 327

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 873

♥ KJ

♦ K742

♣ AKQ3

South:

♠ K2

♥ A98763

♦ AJ63

♣ 6

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 328

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQ3

♥ QJ5

♦ AKJ954

♣ Q

South:

♠ AJT94

♥ K97

♦ 76

♣ 732

W N E S

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

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 329

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ KQJT

♥ AT642

♦ T

♣ K32

South:

♠ A3

♥ KQJ8

♦ 97

♣ AQJ97

W N E S

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦ X 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

**Board: 330**

♠ A93

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ832

East (LHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ 6

HCP: 16+1

♣ AQT4

**Board: 331**

♠ 97

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 84

West (RHO) Doubles 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AJ9852

HCP: 9+2

♣ A65

**Board: 332**

♠ J3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJT54

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K32

HCP: 9+1

♣ 742

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 330

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6 ♠ South

North:

♠ A93

♥ AQ832

♦ 6

♣ AQT4

South:

♠ KJ874

♥ J75

♦ AQ94

♣ J

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 3 ♦ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5 ♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !S queen

### Board: 331

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ 97

♥ 84

♦ AJ9852

♣ A65

South:

♠ A542

♥ AKQJ6

♦ Q

♣ T72

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

X 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 332

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3 ♦ South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AJT54

♦ K32

♣ 742

South:

♠ KQT

♥ 2

♦ AQJT65

♣ KJ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ X Pass 3 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 330**      ♠ KJ874      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J75      East (RHO) bids 3 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AQ94  
HCP: 12+1      ♣ J

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**Board: 331**      ♠ A542      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKQJ6      West (LHO) Doubles 1 ♣ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ Q  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ T72

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**Board: 332**      ♠ KQT      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 2      West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AQJT65  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ KJ5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 330

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ A93

♥ AQ832

♦ 6

♣ AQT4

South:

♠ KJ874

♥ J75

♦ AQ94

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♦ 3♠

Pass 4♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !S queen

### Board: 331

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 97

♥ 84

♦ AJ9852

♣ A65

South:

♠ A542

♥ AKQJ6

♦ Q

♣ T72

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

X 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 332

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ J3

♥ AJT54

♦ K32

♣ 742

South:

♠ KQT

♥ 2

♦ AQJT65

♣ KJ5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠ X Pass 3♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 333**

♠ AT6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQ83

HCP: 16

♣ KQ8

**Board: 334**

♠ KQ85

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ Q83

HCP: 16+1

♣ AKJT5

**Board: 335**

♠ AKQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ T8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q82

HCP: 16+1

♣ AJ854

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 333

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ AT6

♥ Q85

♦ KQ83

♣ KQ8

South:

♠ 5

♥ A73

♦ AT75

♣ AT652

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♣

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 334

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ85

♥ J

♦ Q83

♣ AKJT5

South:

♠ A76

♥ KQ8

♦ A9752

♣ 97

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 335

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ T8

♦ Q82

♣ AJ854

South:

♠ T876

♥ 63

♦ AKJ64

♣ K6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 333</b>	♠ 5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT75	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AT652	

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<b>Board: 334</b>	♠ A76	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A9752	
HCP: 13+1	♣ 97	

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<b>Board: 335</b>	♠ T876	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ64	
HCP: 11+1	♣ K6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 333

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ AT6

♥ Q85

♦ KQ83

♣ KQ8

South:

♠ 5

♥ A73

♦ AT75

♣ AT652

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♣

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 334

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ85

♥ J

♦ Q83

♣ AKJT5

South:

♠ A76

♥ KQ8

♦ A9752

♣ 97

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 335

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ T8

♦ Q82

♣ AJ854

South:

♠ T876

♥ 63

♦ AKJ64

♣ K6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

**Board: 336**

♠ J92

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKT5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J84

HCP: 18

♣ AKQ

**Board: 337**

♠ A82

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT7

East (LHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ KQJ43

HCP: 18+1

♣ AJ

**Board: 338**

♠ AK82

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 4

HCP: 16+2

♣ AJT753

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 336

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ J92

♥ AKT5

♦ J84

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ J

♦ AK532

♣ J965

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 337

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A82

♥ KT7

♦ KQJ43

♣ AJ

South:

♠ KQT6

♥ A

♦ 76

♣ KQT764

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	X
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 338

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK82

♥ A6

♦ 4

♣ AJT753

South:

♠ T965

♥ QJ2

♦ AJ62

♣ K2

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 336**

♠ KQ3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK532

HCP: 14+1

♣ J965

**Board: 337**

♠ KQT6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A

East (RHO) bids 2♥ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ 76

HCP: 14+2

♣ KQT764

**Board: 338**

♠ T965

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ62

HCP: 11

♣ K2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 336

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ J92

♥ AKT5

♦ J84

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ J

♦ AK532

♣ J965

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

### Board: 337

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 14+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A82

♥ KT7

♦ KQJ43

♣ AJ

South:

♠ KQT6

♥ A

♦ 76

♣ KQT764

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	2♥	X
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

### Board: 338

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AK82

♥ A6

♦ 4

♣ AJT753

South:

♠ T965

♥ QJ2

♦ AJ62

♣ K2

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 339**

♠ Q95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJ2

HCP: 14

♣ K54

**Board: 340**

♠ AT5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 7

HCP: 13+1

♣ A5432

**Board: 341**

♠ K74

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AT53

HCP: 13

♣ Q972

**Board: 342**

♠ QJ98

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AK

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ86

HCP: 14

♣ 754

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 339

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ Q95

♥ Q63

♦ AQJ2

♣ K54

South:

♠ AK72

♥ KJ

♦ 843

♣ AQ83

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 340

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ AT5

♥ KQ42

♦ 7

♣ A5432

South:

♠ 93

♥ AJ9

♦ KQJT9

♣ KQJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 341

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K74

♥ A5

♦ AT53

♣ Q972

South:

♠ AT3

♥ J9742

♦ KJ7

♣ AK

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 342

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ QJ98

♥ AK

♦ KJ86

♣ 754

South:

♠ AK3

♥ Q

♦ AT2

♣ KJ8632

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 339</b>	♠ AK72	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 843	
HCP: 17	♣ AQ83	

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<b>Board: 340</b>	♠ 93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJT9	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJ	

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<b>Board: 341</b>	♠ AT3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J9742	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ7	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK	

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<b>Board: 342</b>	♠ AK3	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT2	
HCP: 17+2	♣ KJ8632	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 339

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ Q95

♥ Q63

♦ AQJ2

♣ K54

South:

♠ AK72

♥ KJ

♦ 843

♣ AQ83

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 340

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6 ♣ North

North:

♠ AT5

♥ KQ42

♦ 7

♣ A5432

South:

♠ 93

♥ AJ9

♦ KQJT9

♣ KQJ

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

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

### Board: 341

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K74

♥ A5

♦ AT53

♣ Q972

South:

♠ AT3

♥ J9742

♦ KJ7

♣ AK

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 342

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17+2

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ QJ98

♥ AK

♦ KJ86

♣ 754

South:

♠ AK3

♥ Q

♦ AT2

♣ KJ8632

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

**Board: 343**

♠ Q862

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ982

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K75

HCP: 11+1

♣ J

**Board: 344**

♠ A976

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ JT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K3

HCP: 12+1

♣ KJT64

**Board: 345**

♠ A63

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 3

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK865

HCP: 16+1

♣ KQ32

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 343

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q862

♥ AJ982

♦ K75

♣ J

South:

♠ A54

♥ QT5

♦ AQ6

♣ AT97

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 344

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ A976

♥ JT

♦ K3

♣ KJT64

South:

♠ KJ82

♥ Q76

♦ AQ

♣ AQ73

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♦ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♣	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 345

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ A63

♥ 3

♦ AK865

♣ KQ32

South:

♠ J7

♥ AKJT6

♦ 943

♣ AT9

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 343</b>	♠ A54	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ6	
HCP: 16	♣ AT97	

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<b>Board: 344</b>	♠ KJ82	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ	
HCP: 18	♣ AQ73	

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<b>Board: 345</b>	♠ J7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 943	
HCP: 13+1	♣ AT9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 343

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q862

♥ AJ982

♦ K75

♣ J

South:

♠ A54

♥ QT5

♦ AQ6

♣ AT97

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 344

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 5♣ North

North:

♠ A976

♥ JT

♦ K3

♣ KJT64

South:

♠ KJ82

♥ Q76

♦ AQ

♣ AQ73

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT Pass 4♣

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 345

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ A63

♥ 3

♦ AK865

♣ KQ32

South:

♠ J7

♥ AKJT6

♦ 943

♣ AT9

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♦

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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



<b>Board: 346</b>	♠ K43	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ752	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 4	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AJ6	

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<b>Board: 347</b>	♠ KQT9632	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ JT	
HCP: 10+3	♣ AT8	

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<b>Board: 348</b>	♠ 954	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T762	
HCP: 11	♣ AJ6	

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<b>Board: 349</b>	♠ AKQ42	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A87	
HCP: 21+1	♣ AK4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 346

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K43

♥ AKQ752

♦ 4

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ AQ986

♥ 93

♦ KJT6

♣ T4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 347

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 24

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT9632

♥ 7

♦ JT

♣ AT8

South:

♠ A5

♥ AK4

♦ AKQ7

♣ KJ96

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 5NT

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 348

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 954

♥ AQ9

♦ T762

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ KQT32

♥ J62

♦ AK8

♣ K3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 349

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ AKQ42

♥ J3

♦ A87

♣ AK4

South:

♠ J

♥ AK42

♦ K65432

♣ Q5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

**Board: 346**      ♠ AQ986      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 93      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ KJT6  
HCP: 10+1      ♣ T4

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**Board: 347**      ♠ A5      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AK4      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ AKQ7  
HCP: 24      ♣ KJ96

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**Board: 348**      ♠ KQT32      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ J62      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AK8  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ K3

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**Board: 349**      ♠ J      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AK42      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ K65432  
HCP: 13+2      ♣ Q5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 346

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ K43

♥ AKQ752

♦ 4

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ AQ986

♥ 93

♦ KJT6

♣ T4

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 347

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+3

South HCP: 24

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KQT9632

♥ 7

♦ JT

♣ AT8

South:

♠ A5

♥ AK4

♦ AKQ7

♣ KJ96

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 5NT

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 348

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 954

♥ AQ9

♦ T762

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ KQT32

♥ J62

♦ AK8

♣ K3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 349

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ AKQ42

♥ J3

♦ A87

♣ AK4

South:

♠ J

♥ AK42

♦ K65432

♣ Q5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♦ Pass 4 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 350</b>	♠ Q962	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A764	
HCP: 11	♣ KQ65	

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<b>Board: 351</b>	♠ KJT97532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT2	
HCP: 11+4	♣ T	

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<b>Board: 352</b>	♠ A2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ QT9853	
HCP: 9+2	♣ 974	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 350

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q962

♥ 9

♦ A764

♣ KQ65

South:

♠ AT7

♥ AKQT87

♦ J2

♣ AT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3 ♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 351

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KJT97532

♥ K

♦ AT2

♣ T

South:

♠ A

♥ AQJ953

♦ Q4

♣ K863

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 352

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A2

♥ K6

♦ QT9853

♣ 974

South:

♠ KJT93

♥ A7

♦ AK4

♣ AK5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

<b>Board: 350</b>	♠ AT7	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQT87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J2	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AT	

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<b>Board: 351</b>	♠ A	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQJ953	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q4	
HCP: 16+2	♣ K863	

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<b>Board: 352</b>	♠ KJT93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK4	
HCP: 22+1	♣ AK5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 350

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q962

♥ 9

♦ A764

♣ KQ65

South:

♠ AT7

♥ AKQT87

♦ J2

♣ AT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3 ♥<sup>4</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 351

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+4

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ KJT97532

♥ K

♦ AT2

♣ T

South:

♠ A

♥ AQJ953

♦ Q4

♣ K863

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 352

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A2

♥ K6

♦ QT9853

♣ 974

South:

♠ KJT93

♥ A7

♦ AK4

♣ AK5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 5 ♥

Pass 5NT<sup>5</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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



**Board: 353**

♠ T6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ QT865

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKJT2

HCP: 10+2

♣ 7

**Board: 354**

♠ AKT5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K5

East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQ5

HCP: 20

♣ AJT9

**Board: 355**

♠ AQJ7632

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q9

East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ

HCP: 16+3

♣ K3

**Board: 356**

♠ AKQ853

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q73

HCP: 18+2

♣ -

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 353

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T6

♥ QT865

♦ AKJT2

♣ 7

South:

♠ A983

♥ J2

♦ Q

♣ AKQ654

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 354

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AKT5

♥ K5

♦ KQ5

♣ AJT9

South:

♠ Q86

♥ AQT9632

♦ 9

♣ K3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 355

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ7632

♥ Q9

♦ KJ

♣ K3

South:

♠ 4

♥ AK653

♦ Q8

♣ QJ975

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 356

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AKQ853

♥ AK85

♦ Q73

♣ -

South:

♠ -

♥ QJ63

♦ AT86

♣ KQJ53

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ Pass 6 ♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !H queen and !C king

<b>Board: 353</b>	♠ A983	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKQ654	

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<b>Board: 354</b>	♠ Q86	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQT9632	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 9	
HCP: 11+3	♣ K3	

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<b>Board: 355</b>	♠ 4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK653	East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q8	
HCP: 12+2	♣ QJ975	

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<b>Board: 356</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ63	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT86	
HCP: 13+1	♣ KQJ53	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 353

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ T6

♥ QT865

♦ AKJT2

♣ 7

South:

♠ A983

♥ J2

♦ Q

♣ AKQ654

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 354

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 11+3

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AKT5

♥ K5

♦ KQ5

♣ AJT9

South:

♠ Q86

♥ AQT9632

♦ 9

♣ K3

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 355

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 12+2

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AQJ7632

♥ Q9

♦ KJ

♣ K3

South:

♠ 4

♥ AK653

♦ Q8

♣ QJ975

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 2 ♦ 3 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 356

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ AKQ853

♥ AK85

♦ Q73

♣ -

South:

♠ -

♥ QJ63

♦ AT86

♣ KQJ53

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5 ♠ Pass 6 ♣<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !H queen and !C king

<b>Board: 357</b>	♠ AQ84	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ6543	East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT	
HCP: 17+2	♣ A	
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<b>Board: 358</b>	♠ T4	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ T63	East (LHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ J8762	West (RHO) Doubles 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 1+1	♣ T54	
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<b>Board: 359</b>	♠ QT54	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 963	
HCP: 12	♣ JT2	
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<b>Board: 360</b>	♠ K2	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ9532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A3	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AJ6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 357

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ84

♥ AQ6543

♦ JT

♣ A

South:

♠ 72

♥ KJ92

♦ A973

♣ QT5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	3NT

Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 358

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 1+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 3♥X South

North:

♠ T4

♥ T63

♦ J8762

♣ T54

South:

♠ 9632

♥ AK98754

♦ 5

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♥

X	All Pass		
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 359

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 7♠ South

North:

♠ QT54

♥ AKQ

♦ 963

♣ JT2

South:

♠ AK83

♥ T6

♦ AKQ754

♣ A

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !S queen and !H king

### Board: 360

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K2

♥ KQ9532

♦ A3

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ 764

♥ A6

♦ KQJT84

♣ T7

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

Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 357</b>	♠ 72	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ92	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ A973	
HCP: 10	♣ QT5	
<b>Board: 358</b>	♠ 9632	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ AK98754	East (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	West (LHO) Doubles 3♥ if possible.
HCP: 7+3	♣ 8	
<b>Board: 359</b>	♠ AK83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ754	
HCP: 20+2	♣ A	
<b>Board: 360</b>	♠ 764	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ KQJT84	
HCP: 10+2	♣ T7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 357

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ84

♥ AQ6543

♦ JT

♣ A

South:

♠ 72

♥ KJ92

♦ A973

♣ QT5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♣	3NT

Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 358

Dealer: East

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 1+1

South HCP: 7+3

Contract: 3♥X South

North:

♠ T4

♥ T63

♦ J8762

♣ T54

South:

♠ 9632

♥ AK98754

♦ 5

♣ 8

W	N	E	S
		1♣ <sup>1</sup>	3♥

X	All Pass		
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 359

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 20+2

Contract: 7♠ South

North:

♠ QT54

♥ AKQ

♦ 963

♣ JT2

South:

♠ AK83

♥ T6

♦ AKQ754

♣ A

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6♥ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	7♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. !S queen and !H king

### Board: 360

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K2

♥ KQ9532

♦ A3

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ 764

♥ A6

♦ KQJT84

♣ T7

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

Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 361**      ♠ AK863      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT7      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AKJ3  
HCP: 18+1      ♣ 3

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**Board: 362**      ♠ J54      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A6      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ K32  
HCP: 13+1      ♣ KQ863

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**Board: 363**      ♠ K984      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ QT984      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ Q  
HCP: 11+1      ♣ AT6

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**Board: 364**      ♠ AQJ74      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ A632      East (LHO) bids 3♣ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ Q92  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ K

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 361

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AK863

♥ KT7

♦ AKJ3

♣ 3

South:

♠ QT

♥ A42

♦ 42

♣ AKT765

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♣

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♣<sup>4</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !C queen

### Board: 362

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J54

♥ A6

♦ K32

♣ KQ863

South:

♠ AQT2

♥ QT95

♦ QJ7

♣ AJ

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 363

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K984

♥ QT984

♦ Q

♣ AT6

South:

♠ 63

♥ AK3

♦ AT964

♣ KQ3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 364

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ74

♥ A632

♦ Q92

♣ K

South:

♠ 53

♥ Q874

♦ AT53

♣ AT8

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 3♣ 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 361</b>	♠ QT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 42	
HCP: 13+2	♣ AKT765	

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<b>Board: 362</b>	♠ AQT2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ7	
HCP: 16	♣ AJ	

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<b>Board: 363</b>	♠ 63	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT964	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KQ3	

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<b>Board: 364</b>	♠ 53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q874	East (RHO) bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT53	
HCP: 10	♣ AT8	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 361

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 6♣ South

North:

♠ AK863

♥ KT7

♦ AKJ3

♣ 3

South:

♠ QT

♥ A42

♦ 42

♣ AKT765

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣ <sup>4</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !C queen

### Board: 362

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J54

♥ A6

♦ K32

♣ KQ863

South:

♠ AQT2

♥ QT95

♦ QJ7

♣ AJ

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 363

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K984

♥ QT984

♦ Q

♣ AT6

South:

♠ 63

♥ AK3

♦ AT964

♣ KQ3

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 364

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQJ74

♥ A632

♦ Q92

♣ K

South:

♠ 53

♥ Q874

♦ AT53

♣ AT8

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

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 365**

♠ AKT92

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A52

HCP: 16+1

♣ Q64

**Board: 366**

♠ T

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ54

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQT9

HCP: 16

♣ AJT4

**Board: 367**

♠ AK85

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KQ42

HCP: 23

♣ A8

**Board: 368**

♠ AK764

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT76

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 3

HCP: 16+1

♣ AQ5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 365

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKT92

♥ K2

♦ A52

♣ Q64

South:

♠ Q73

♥ T653

♦ 8

♣ AK853

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 366

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ T

♥ KQ54

♦ AQT9

♣ AJT4

South:

♠ A53

♥ AJ92

♦ 65

♣ Q652

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 367

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 23

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AK85

♥ AK5

♦ KQ42

♣ A8

South:

♠ QJ93

♥ 3

♦ AJT

♣ KQJ64

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♣
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Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 368

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK764

♥ KT76

♦ 3

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ T

♥ AQ42

♦ AJ954

♣ 742

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 365</b>	♠ Q73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T653	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 8	
HCP: 9+1	♣ AK853	

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<b>Board: 366</b>	♠ A53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ92	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 65	
HCP: 11	♣ Q652	

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<b>Board: 367</b>	♠ QJ93	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJT	
HCP: 14+1	♣ KQJ64	

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<b>Board: 368</b>	♠ T	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ42	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ954	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 742	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 365

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ AKT92

♥ K2

♦ A52

♣ Q64

South:

♠ Q73

♥ T653

♦ 8

♣ AK853

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

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
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Pass	4 ♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 366

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ T

♥ KQ54

♦ AQT9

♣ AJT4

South:

♠ A53

♥ AJ92

♦ 65

♣ Q652

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

Pass	1 NT	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♥
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Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Cue bid, a !S stopper

### Board: 367

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 23

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AK85

♥ AK5

♦ KQ42

♣ A8

South:

♠ QJ93

♥ 3

♦ AJT

♣ KQJ64

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♣

Pass	5 NT	Pass	6 NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 368

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ AK764

♥ KT76

♦ 3

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ T

♥ AQ42

♦ AJ954

♣ 742

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

Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♦
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Pass	3 ♥	Pass	4 NT <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Blackwood 0314, for !H

4. A=0/5 or 3/5



**Board: 369**      ♠ AKQ862      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 932      West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ 854  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ 7

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**Board: 370**      ♠ J7      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AJT84      West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 52  
HCP: 10+1      ♣ A543

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**Board: 371**      ♠ A73      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AK9764      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ J6  
HCP: 12+2      ♣ 98

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**Board: 372**      ♠ KQT85      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ A      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ A96  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ K952

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 369

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKQ862

♥ 932

♦ 854

♣ 7

South:

♠ T43

♥ KQ7

♦ AQT

♣ KQ94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 370

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J7

♥ AJT84

♦ 52

♣ A543

South:

♠ AKT9

♥ Q97

♦ KJ8

♣ KJ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 371

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ A73

♥ AK9764

♦ J6

♣ 98

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ J3

♦ K95

♣ AKT63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !H queen

### Board: 372

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ KQT85

♥ A

♦ A96

♣ K952

South:

♠ 6

♥ KJ8

♦ KQJ2

♣ A7643

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

<b>Board: 369</b>	♠ T43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ7	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQT	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ94	

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<b>Board: 370</b>	♠ AKT9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q97	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ8	
HCP: 17	♣ KJ8	

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<b>Board: 371</b>	♠ KQ4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K95	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKT63	

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<b>Board: 372</b>	♠ 6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ2	
HCP: 14+1	♣ A7643	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 369

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AKQ862

♥ 932

♦ 854

♣ 7

South:

♠ T43

♥ KQ7

♦ AQT

♣ KQ94

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♥ 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 370

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J7

♥ AJT84

♦ 52

♣ A543

South:

♠ AKT9

♥ Q97

♦ KJ8

♣ KJ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 371

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ A73

♥ AK9764

♦ J6

♣ 98

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ J3

♦ K95

♣ AKT63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5 ♦

Pass 5 ♥<sup>4</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !H queen

### Board: 372

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ KQT85

♥ A

♦ A96

♣ K952

South:

♠ 6

♥ KJ8

♦ KQJ2

♣ A7643

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4 ♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Crosswood 0314, for !C

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

**Board: 373**

♠ AQ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 52

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AKQ3

HCP: 20

♣ AJT4

**Board: 374**

♠ AJT

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK8

HCP: 21

♣ QT8

**Board: 375**

♠ AT9752

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQJ

East (LHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ J8

HCP: 16+2

♣ A4

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 373

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ8

♥ 52

♦ AKQ3

♣ AJT4

South:

♠ KT53

♥ A963

♦ 9754

♣ K

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

### Board: 374

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJT

♥ AQJ7

♦ AK8

♣ QT8

South:

♠ KQ862

♥ 3

♦ T4

♣ AKJ95

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			

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

### Board: 375

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT9752

♥ AQJ

♦ J8

♣ A4

South:

♠ K643

♥ KT6

♦ A952

♣ 72

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♦	X
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. no !S queen

**Board: 373**      ♠ KT53      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ A963      West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 9754  
HCP: 10      ♣ K

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**Board: 374**      ♠ KQ862      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 3      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ T4  
HCP: 13+2      ♣ AKJ95

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**Board: 375**      ♠ K643      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT6      East (RHO) bids 2 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ A952  
HCP: 10      ♣ 72

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 373

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AQ8

♥ 52

♦ AKQ3

♣ AJT4

South:

♠ KT53

♥ A963

♦ 9754

♣ K

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Stayman

### Board: 374

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 13+2

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ AJT

♥ AQJ7

♦ AK8

♣ QT8

South:

♠ KQ862

♥ 3

♦ T4

♣ AKJ95

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			

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

### Board: 375

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 5 ♠ North

North:

♠ AT9752

♥ AQJ

♦ J8

♣ A4

South:

♠ K643

♥ KT6

♦ A952

♣ 72

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♦	X
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>4</sup>	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. no !S queen



**Board: 376**

♠ 82

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ754

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQT4

HCP: 11+1

♣ 32

**Board: 377**

♠ KQ96

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A7532

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q9

HCP: 11+1

♣ T4

**Board: 378**

♠ JT9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ972

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ QJT

HCP: 16+1

♣ AK

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 376

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 82

♥ AJ754

♦ AQT4

♣ 32

South:

♠ KQ965

♥ Q9

♦ K7

♣ AK87

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 377

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ KQ96

♥ A7532

♦ Q9

♣ T4

South:

♠ A2

♥ KQJ9

♦ AJ

♣ AK972

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 378

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ JT9

♥ KQ972

♦ QJT

♣ AK

South:

♠ AK874

♥ AT

♦ 8652

♣ 85

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

<b>Board: 376</b>	♠ KQ965	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K7	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AK87	

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<b>Board: 377</b>	♠ A2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ	
HCP: 22+1	♣ AK972	

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<b>Board: 378</b>	♠ AK874	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 8652	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 85	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 376

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 82

♥ AJ754

♦ AQT4

♣ 32

South:

♠ KQ965

♥ Q9

♦ K7

♣ AK87

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 377

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 11+1

South HCP: 22+1

Contract: 6 ♥ North

North:

♠ KQ96

♥ A7532

♦ Q9

♣ T4

South:

♠ A2

♥ KQJ9

♦ AJ

♣ AK972

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♦ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	6 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 378

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ JT9

♥ KQ972

♦ QJT

♣ AK

South:

♠ AK874

♥ AT

♦ 8652

♣ 85

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

**Board: 379**

♠ A84

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K62

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ T62

HCP: 10

♣ KT85

**Board: 380**

♠ KQ

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K87543

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AQT5

HCP: 17+2

♣ K

**Board: 381**

♠ AKQJ732

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KJT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ 7

HCP: 16+3

♣ Q2

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 379

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ A84

♥ K62

♦ T62

♣ KT85

South:

♠ K

♥ AQJT8

♦ AJ943

♣ A7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. surplus

### Board: 380

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ K87543

♦ AQT5

♣ K

South:

♠ A843

♥ 9

♦ K83

♣ J9872

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 381

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AKQJ732

♥ KJT

♦ 7

♣ Q2

South:

♠ T

♥ AQ86

♦ AJ932

♣ AK3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

**Board: 379**

♠ K

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQJT8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AJ943

HCP: 19+2

♣ A7

**Board: 380**

♠ A843

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ K83

HCP: 8+1

♣ J9872

**Board: 381**

♠ T

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AJ932

HCP: 18+1

♣ AK3

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 379

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19+2

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ A84

♥ K62

♦ T62

♣ KT85

South:

♠ K

♥ AQJT8

♦ AJ943

♣ A7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♦<sup>5</sup>

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !S stopper

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

5. surplus

### Board: 380

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KQ

♥ K87543

♦ AQT5

♣ K

South:

♠ A843

♥ 9

♦ K83

♣ J9872

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 381

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6♠ South

North:

♠ AKQJ732

♥ KJT

♦ 7

♣ Q2

South:

♠ T

♥ AQ86

♦ AJ932

♣ AK3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♥

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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



<b>Board: 382</b>	♠ AJ54	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q5	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ6	East (LHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 16	♣ KQT3	West (RHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

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<b>Board: 383</b>	♠ 92	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T5	
HCP: 8+1	♣ K7543	

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<b>Board: 384</b>	♠ 3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKJ82	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ74	
HCP: 18+1	♣ KJ7	

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<b>Board: 385</b>	♠ AK842	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK97	
HCP: 19+1	♣ KQT	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 382

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5♦ South

North:

♠ AJ54

♥ Q5

♦ KJ6

♣ KQT3

South:

♠ 9

♥ K96

♦ A97532

♣ J76

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 383

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 92

♥ AJ97

♦ T5

♣ K7543

South:

♠ AK543

♥ 8

♦ AQJ

♣ AQT6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 384

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKJ82

♦ AQ74

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ K875

♥ 93

♦ K92

♣ AT42

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 385

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 7NT North

North:

♠ AK842

♥ 6

♦ AK97

♣ KQT

South:

♠ Q6

♥ AKQ875

♦ 85

♣ A86

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

<b>Board: 382</b>	♠ 9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K96	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ A97532	East (RHO) Doubles 2 ♦ if possible.
HCP: 8+2	♣ J76	West (LHO) bids 2 ♥ if possible.

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<b>Board: 383</b>	♠ AK543	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQJ	
HCP: 20+1	♣ AQT6	

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<b>Board: 384</b>	♠ K875	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 93	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K92	
HCP: 10	♣ AT42	

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<b>Board: 385</b>	♠ Q6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ875	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 85	
HCP: 15+2	♣ A86	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 382

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 5♦ South

North:

♠ AJ54

♥ Q5

♦ KJ6

♣ KQT3

South:

♠ 9

♥ K96

♦ A97532

♣ J76

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 383

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 92

♥ AJ97

♦ T5

♣ K7543

South:

♠ AK543

♥ 8

♦ AQJ

♣ AQT6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 384

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKJ82

♦ AQ74

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ K875

♥ 93

♦ K92

♣ AT42

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 385

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 15+2

Contract: 7NT North

North:

♠ AK842

♥ 6

♦ AK97

♣ KQT

South:

♠ Q6

♥ AKQ875

♦ 85

♣ A86

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	7NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

**Board: 386**

♠ J5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ K32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ T4

HCP: 10+2

♣ AQ9653

**Board: 387**

♠ AQ873

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ43

HCP: 19+1

♣ AJ7

**Board: 388**

♠ AT

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJ872

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A5

HCP: 16+1

♣ A754

**Board: 389**

♠ AKJT

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KT

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A6

HCP: 19+1

♣ A8643

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 386

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J5

♥ K32

♦ T4

♣ AQ9653

South:

♠ AT4

♥ 76

♦ AKJ53

♣ KJT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 387

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ873

♥ Q

♦ AQ43

♣ AJ7

South:

♠ 2

♥ A8764

♦ KT92

♣ QT3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 388

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ AT

♥ KJ872

♦ A5

♣ A754

South:

♠ KJ93

♥ A3

♦ T987

♣ JT9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 389

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKJT

♥ KT

♦ A6

♣ A8643

South:

♠ 984

♥ AQ853

♦ QT3

♣ K7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 386</b>	♠ AT4	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 76	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKJ53	
HCP: 16+1	♣ KJT	

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<b>Board: 387</b>	♠ 2	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A8764	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT92	
HCP: 9+1	♣ QT3	

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<b>Board: 388</b>	♠ KJ93	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T987	
HCP: 9	♣ JT9	

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<b>Board: 389</b>	♠ 984	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ853	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QT3	
HCP: 11+1	♣ K7	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 386

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ J5

♥ K32

♦ T4

♣ AQ9653

South:

♠ AT4

♥ 76

♦ AKJ53

♣ KJT

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 387

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AQ873

♥ Q

♦ AQ43

♣ AJ7

South:

♠ 2

♥ A8764

♦ KT92

♣ QT3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 388

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 2NT South

North:

♠ AT

♥ KJ872

♦ A5

♣ A754

South:

♠ KJ93

♥ A3

♦ T987

♣ JT9

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 389

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKJT

♥ KT

♦ A6

♣ A8643

South:

♠ 984

♥ AQ853

♦ QT3

♣ K7

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 390**

♠ A5

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K74

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQJ2

HCP: 18

♣ KJ62

**Board: 391**

♠ KT6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ T98643

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ A7

HCP: 8+2

♣ J4

**Board: 392**

♠ A9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ95

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AQJ96

HCP: 16+1

♣ Q5

**Board: 393**

♠ AQJ92

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ K3

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ K

HCP: 18+2

♣ KQT32

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 390

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5

♥ K74

♦ AQJ2

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ Q98

♥ AQ96

♦ 84

♣ AT75

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT

Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 391

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ T98643

♦ A7

♣ J4

South:

♠ AJ5

♥ J2

♦ KQJ54

♣ AQ9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 392

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ A9

♥ QJ95

♦ AQJ96

♣ Q5

South:

♠ QJT73

♥ A86

♦ K7

♣ AK2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	2 ♦	Pass	5NT
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Pass	6NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 393

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ92

♥ K3

♦ K

♣ KQT32

South:

♠ K7

♥ J87

♦ AQ854

♣ J86

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♦

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

<b>Board: 390</b>	♠ Q98	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 84	
HCP: 12	♣ AT75	

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<b>Board: 391</b>	♠ AJ5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ54	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AQ9	

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<b>Board: 392</b>	♠ QJT73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A86	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K7	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AK2	

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<b>Board: 393</b>	♠ K7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J87	East (RHO) bids 1♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ854	
HCP: 11+1	♣ J86	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 390

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A5

♥ K74

♦ AQJ2

♣ KJ62

South:

♠ Q98

♥ AQ96

♦ 84

♣ AT75

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT

Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 391

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ KT6

♥ T98643

♦ A7

♣ J4

South:

♠ AJ5

♥ J2

♦ KQJ54

♣ AQ9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 392

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ A9

♥ QJ95

♦ AQJ96

♣ Q5

South:

♠ QJT73

♥ A86

♦ K7

♣ AK2

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠

Pass	2 ♦	Pass	5NT
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Pass	6NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 393

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ92

♥ K3

♦ K

♣ KQT32

South:

♠ K7

♥ J87

♦ AQ854

♣ J86

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	2 ♦

Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4 ♣	Pass	4 ♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

**Board: 394**

♠ 974

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ932

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K

HCP: 16+1

♣ AKJ9

**Board: 395**

♠ K963

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT4

West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ K542

HCP: 11

♣ Q5

**Board: 396**

♠ T72

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK

HCP: 16+2

♣ QJT864

**Board: 397**

♠ Q64

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A42

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQT64

HCP: 15+1

♣ A7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 394

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 974

♥ AJ932

♦ K

♣ AKJ9

South:

♠ A63

♥ QT7

♦ AJT93

♣ 83

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 395

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K963

♥ KT4

♦ K542

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AJ87

♥ AJ6

♦ AQ

♣ 9432

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 396

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T72

♥ AQ

♦ AK

♣ QJT864

South:

♠ A96

♥ 975

♦ QJ96

♣ K95

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 397

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ Q64

♥ A42

♦ KQT64

♣ A7

South:

♠ A52

♥ KJ3

♦ A32

♣ KQT5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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

<b>Board: 394</b>	♠ A63	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AJT93	
HCP: 11+1	♣ 83	

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<b>Board: 395</b>	♠ AJ87	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ6	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQ	
HCP: 16	♣ 9432	

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<b>Board: 396</b>	♠ A96	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 975	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ QJ96	
HCP: 10	♣ K95	

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<b>Board: 397</b>	♠ A52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A32	
HCP: 17	♣ KQT5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 394

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ 974

♥ AJ932

♦ K

♣ AKJ9

South:

♠ A63

♥ QT7

♦ AJT93

♣ 83

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 395

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K963

♥ KT4

♦ K542

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AJ87

♥ AJ6

♦ AQ

♣ 9432

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 396

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ T72

♥ AQ

♦ AK

♣ QJT864

South:

♠ A96

♥ 975

♦ QJ96

♣ K95

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 397

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ Q64

♥ A42

♦ KQT64

♣ A7

South:

♠ A52

♥ KJ3

♦ A32

♣ KQT5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for !D

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



<b>Board: 398</b>	♠ K92	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ7	West (RHO) bids 2NT if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KJ2	
HCP: 17	♣ KJ76	

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<b>Board: 399</b>	♠ AQJ63	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJT5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT8	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 6	

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<b>Board: 400</b>	♠ QJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKT74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AKJ872	
HCP: 18+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 401</b>	♠ K4	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J6	East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KT853	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 398

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K92

♥ AQ7

♦ KJ2

♣ KJ76

South:

♠ AJ76

♥ KT8652

♦ 3

♣ T5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2NT<sup>3</sup> 3NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Unusual 2NT

### Board: 399

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ63

♥ AJT5

♦ AT8

♣ 6

South:

♠ 974

♥ -

♦ J97653

♣ AKJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 400

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AKT74

♦ AKJ872

♣ -

South:

♠ A4

♥ 98632

♦ 95

♣ AJ32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 401

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K4

♥ J6

♦ AKQJ

♣ KT853

South:

♠ Q53

♥ K432

♦ 842

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

**Board: 398**      ♠ AJ76      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KT8652      West (LHO) bids 2NT if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ 3  
HCP: 8+2      ♣ T5

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**Board: 399**      ♠ 974      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ -      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ J97653  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ AKJ7

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**Board: 400**      ♠ A4      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 98632      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 95  
HCP: 9+1      ♣ AJ32

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**Board: 401**      ♠ Q53      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K432      East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: None      ♦ 842  
HCP: 11      ♣ AQ6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 398

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ K92

♥ AQ7

♦ KJ2

♣ KJ76

South:

♠ AJ76

♥ KT8652

♦ 3

♣ T5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

2NT<sup>3</sup> 3NT Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Unusual 2NT

### Board: 399

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ AQJ63

♥ AJT5

♦ AT8

♣ 6

South:

♠ 974

♥ -

♦ J97653

♣ AKJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♥<sup>3</sup>

Pass 4♣<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. Cue bid, a !C stopper

### Board: 400

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+3

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AKT74

♦ AKJ872

♣ -

South:

♠ A4

♥ 98632

♦ 95

♣ AJ32

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 401

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K4

♥ J6

♦ AKQJ

♣ KT853

South:

♠ Q53

♥ K432

♦ 842

♣ AQ6

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> 1♦ 1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

**Board: 402**      ♠ QT      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AK9532      East (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ T9  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ Q93

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**Board: 403**      ♠ 94      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ A86      West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ 76  
HCP: 9+2      ♣ KQ5432

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**Board: 404**      ♠ AT3      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K53      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ K75  
HCP: 11      ♣ JT65

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**Board: 405**      ♠ A95      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J6      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKT94  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ A98

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 402

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QT

♥ AK9532

♦ T9

♣ Q93

South:

♠ A2

♥ 7

♦ KQ8643

♣ AK52

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 403

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 94

♥ A86

♦ 76

♣ KQ5432

South:

♠ AK8

♥ QT42

♦ QJ2

♣ A87

W N E S

2♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. relay

### Board: 404

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT3

♥ K53

♦ K75

♣ JT65

South:

♠ KQ52

♥ AQT

♦ AQ8

♣ Q84

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 405

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ A95

♥ J6

♦ AKT94

♣ A98

South:

♠ KJT4

♥ AK532

♦ 5

♣ K72

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

<b>Board: 402</b>	♠ A2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 7	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ8643	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK52	

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<b>Board: 403</b>	♠ AK8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT42	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ QJ2	
HCP: 16	♣ A87	

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<b>Board: 404</b>	♠ KQ52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AQ8	
HCP: 19	♣ Q84	

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<b>Board: 405</b>	♠ KJT4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 5	
HCP: 14+1	♣ K72	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 402

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QT

♥ AK9532

♦ T9

♣ Q93

South:

♠ A2

♥ 7

♦ KQ8643

♣ AK52

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> 2♠ 3♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 403

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 9+2

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 94

♥ A86

♦ 76

♣ KQ5432

South:

♠ AK8

♥ QT42

♦ QJ2

♣ A87

W N E S

2♠ 2NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. relay

### Board: 404

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AT3

♥ K53

♦ K75

♣ JT65

South:

♠ KQ52

♥ AQT

♦ AQ8

♣ Q84

W N E S

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 405

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ A95

♥ J6

♦ AKT94

♣ A98

South:

♠ KJT4

♥ AK532

♦ 5

♣ K72

W N E S

Pass 1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT



<b>Board: 406</b>	♠ 6	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ742	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q73	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AK8	

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<b>Board: 407</b>	♠ AQ6532	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK9	
HCP: 19+2	♣ J7	

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<b>Board: 408</b>	♠ KJ64	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ Q2	
HCP: 20	♣ AQJ	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 406

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ AKQ742

♦ Q73

♣ AK8

South:

♠ KJ74

♥ J98

♦ AT

♣ T742

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

Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 407

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6532

♥ KQ

♦ AK9

♣ J7

South:

♠ 4

♥ AJ2

♦ T2

♣ AK96543

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 408

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ KJ64

♥ AQJ4

♦ Q2

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ A7

♥ KT753

♦ AK87

♣ 93

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥

Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	6♦ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=1

<b>Board: 406</b>	♠ KJ74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AT	
HCP: 9	♣ T742	

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<b>Board: 407</b>	♠ 4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T2	
HCP: 12+3	♣ AK96543	

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<b>Board: 408</b>	♠ A7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT753	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK87	
HCP: 14+1	♣ 93	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 406

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 6

♥ AKQ742

♦ Q73

♣ AK8

South:

♠ KJ74

♥ J98

♦ AT

♣ T742

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

Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 407

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ AQ6532

♥ KQ

♦ AK9

♣ J7

South:

♠ 4

♥ AJ2

♦ T2

♣ AK96543

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♣

Pass	2♠	Pass	4♣
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Pass	4♠	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 408

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14+1

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ KJ64

♥ AQJ4

♦ Q2

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ A7

♥ KT753

♦ AK87

♣ 93

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥

Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	6♦ <sup>7</sup>	Pass	6♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !C stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6. King ask by 5NT

7. K=1

**Board: 409**

♠ 76

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKJ

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQT86

HCP: 13+1

♣ 962

**Board: 410**

♠ T986

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 932

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K

HCP: 10+1

♣ AK753

**Board: 411**

♠ Q763

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK5

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K9

HCP: 17

♣ KQ97

**Board: 412**

♠ Q72

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ83

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A7

HCP: 16

♣ A974

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 409

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♦ South

North:

♠ 76

♥ AKJ

♦ KQT86

♣ 962

South:

♠ K9

♥ QT96

♦ AJ7

♣ AQT7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

### Board: 410

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ T986

♥ 932

♦ K

♣ AK753

South:

♠ KQ43

♥ AKQ5

♦ A2

♣ J96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 411

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q763

♥ AK5

♦ K9

♣ KQ97

South:

♠ K85

♥ J32

♦ AQ6432

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 412

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q72

♥ AQ83

♦ A7

♣ A974

South:

♠ KJ943

♥ KJ964

♦ K

♣ 82

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 409</b>	♠ K9	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ7	
HCP: 16	♣ AQT7	

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<b>Board: 410</b>	♠ KQ43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A2	
HCP: 19	♣ J96	

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<b>Board: 411</b>	♠ K85	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J32	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQ6432	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 412</b>	♠ KJ943	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ964	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ K	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 82	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 409

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♦ South

North:

♠ 76

♥ AKJ

♦ KQT86

♣ 962

South:

♠ K9

♥ QT96

♦ AJ7

♣ AQT7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

### Board: 410

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 19

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ T986

♥ 932

♦ K

♣ AK753

South:

♠ KQ43

♥ AKQ5

♦ A2

♣ J96

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 411

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q763

♥ AK5

♦ K9

♣ KQ97

South:

♠ K85

♥ J32

♦ AQ6432

♣ J

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 412

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ Q72

♥ AQ83

♦ A7

♣ A974

South:

♠ KJ943

♥ KJ964

♦ K

♣ 82

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 413**      ♠ KJT963      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AKJ      East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ T3  
HCP: 16+2      ♣ A2

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**Board: 414**      ♠ A92      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AT42      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ 63  
HCP: 10      ♣ Q964

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**Board: 415**      ♠ K65      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ AKJT96      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ 7  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ 962

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 413

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJT963

♥ AKJ

♦ T3

♣ A2

South:

♠ A74

♥ 652

♦ 2

♣ KQJ975

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♦	3♣

Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 414

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A92

♥ AT42

♦ 63

♣ Q964

South:

♠ K86

♥ K8

♦ AJT54

♣ AJ5

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 415

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7♥ South

North:

♠ K65

♥ AKJT96

♦ 7

♣ 962

South:

♠ A

♥ Q743

♦ AKQ3

♣ AJ85

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5♥ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7♥
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

<b>Board: 413</b>	♠ A74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 652	East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 2	
HCP: 10+2	♣ KQJ975	

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<b>Board: 414</b>	♠ K86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJT54	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ5	

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<b>Board: 415</b>	♠ A	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q743	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ3	
HCP: 20	♣ AJ85	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 413

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ KJT963

♥ AKJ

♦ T3

♣ A2

South:

♠ A74

♥ 652

♦ 2

♣ KQJ975

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♦ 3 ♣

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 414

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A92

♥ AT42

♦ 63

♣ Q964

South:

♠ K86

♥ K8

♦ AJT54

♣ AJ5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 415

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7 ♥ South

North:

♠ K65

♥ AKJT96

♦ 7

♣ 962

South:

♠ A

♥ Q743

♦ AKQ3

♣ AJ85

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5 ♥<sup>5</sup> Pass 7 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

**Board: 416**

♠ AK3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 932

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ QT65

HCP: 16

♣ AK7

**Board: 417**

♠ KQJ

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT43

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A54

HCP: 17

♣ A65

**Board: 418**

♠ Q

LHO is dealer.

Dealer: East

♥ 9874

East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ T74

West (RHO) bids 2 ♣ if possible.

HCP: 2+1

♣ 97654

East (LHO) bids 3 ♠ if possible.

West (RHO) bids 3NT if possible.

West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♥ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 416

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7NT South

North:

♠ AK3

♥ 932

♦ QT65

♣ AK7

South:

♠ 975

♥ AK4

♦ AK32

♣ QT9

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2NT	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Gerber
3. A=2 out of 4
4. King ask
5. K=2

### Board: 417

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ KT43

♦ A54

♣ A65

South:

♠ A753

♥ A72

♦ KQ76

♣ K8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Stayman

### Board: 418

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 2+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♥X South

North:

♠ Q

♥ 9874

♦ T74

♣ 97654

South:

♠ 9875

♥ KQ632

♦ AQ2

♣ T

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

1. 16+ HCP

**Board: 416**

♠ 975

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK32

HCP: 16

♣ QT9

**Board: 417**

♠ A753

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A72

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KQ76

HCP: 16

♣ K8

**Board: 418**

♠ 9875

RHO is dealer. You bid second.

Dealer: East

♥ KQ632

East (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ2

West (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

HCP: 11+1

♣ T

East (RHO) bids 3♠ if possible.

West (LHO) bids 3NT if possible.

West (LHO) Doubles 4♥ if possible.

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 416

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7NT South

North:

♠ AK3

♥ 932

♦ QT65

♣ AK7

South:

♠ 975

♥ AK4

♦ AK32

♣ QT9

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2NT	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Gerber
3. A=2 out of 4
4. King ask
5. K=2

### Board: 417

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ KT43

♦ A54

♣ A65

South:

♠ A753

♥ A72

♦ KQ76

♣ K8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Stayman

### Board: 418

Dealer: East

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 2+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♥X South

North:

♠ Q

♥ 9874

♦ T74

♣ 97654

South:

♠ 9875

♥ KQ632

♦ AQ2

♣ T

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

1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 419**      ♠ AK      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 63      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AKQJT97  
HCP: 19+3      ♣ Q3

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**Board: 420**      ♠ KT95      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ Q      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AJT842  
HCP: 11+2      ♣ JT

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**Board: 421**      ♠ Q65      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KQ654      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AKQ7  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ 6

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**Board: 422**      ♠ QT9      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ 8752      East (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ AT4  
HCP: 10      ♣ A76

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 419

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+3

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ 63

♦ AKQJT97

♣ Q3

South:

♠ T532

♥ AK5

♦ 84

♣ AK76

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	5 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 420

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT95

♥ Q

♦ AJT842

♣ JT

South:

♠ J83

♥ AK987

♦ K9

♣ AK9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 421

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q65

♥ KQ654

♦ AKQ7

♣ 6

South:

♠ 732

♥ AJ7

♦ J83

♣ KQJ8

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 422

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QT9

♥ 8752

♦ AT4

♣ A76

South:

♠ A76

♥ KQ64

♦ K65

♣ KQ9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

<b>Board: 419</b>	♠ T532	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 84	
HCP: 14	♣ AK76	

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<b>Board: 420</b>	♠ J83	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AK987	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ K9	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AK9	

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<b>Board: 421</b>	♠ 732	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J83	
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ8	

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<b>Board: 422</b>	♠ A76	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ64	East (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K65	
HCP: 17	♣ KQ9	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 419

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+3

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5 ♦ South

North:

♠ AK

♥ 63

♦ AKQJT97

♣ Q3

South:

♠ T532

♥ AK5

♦ 84

♣ AK76

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	5 ♦
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 420

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KT95

♥ Q

♦ AJT842

♣ JT

South:

♠ J83

♥ AK987

♦ K9

♣ AK9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 421

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ Q65

♥ KQ654

♦ AKQ7

♣ 6

South:

♠ 732

♥ AJ7

♦ J83

♣ KQJ8

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 422

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QT9

♥ 8752

♦ AT4

♣ A76

South:

♠ A76

♥ KQ64

♦ K65

♣ KQ9

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	2 ♠	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

<b>Board: 423</b>	♠ K75	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ54	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK32	
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<b>Board: 424</b>	♠ 7	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: West	♥ T7	West (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ T98543	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 2+2	♣ QT65	West (RHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 425</b>	♠ Q54	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ K3	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ432	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 426</b>	♠ 73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ952	West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 982	
HCP: 10+1	♣ A75	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 423

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ K75

♥ 6

♦ KQJ54

♣ AK32

South:

♠ AJT9

♥ AQ432

♦ AT

♣ 84

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 424

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 2+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♠ X South

North:

♠ 7

♥ T7

♦ T98543

♣ QT65

South:

♠ AKQ6543

♥ J642

♦ J

♣ J

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> 4 ♠

X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 425

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q54

♥ K3

♦ AQ3

♣ AJ432

South:

♠ 82

♥ AJ65

♦ K982

♣ K75

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 426

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 73

♥ AQ952

♦ 982

♣ A75

South:

♠ AK

♥ KJ

♦ AK6543

♣ 983

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

2 ♠ X Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3 ♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

<b>Board: 423</b>	♠ AJT9	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ432	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AT	
HCP: 15+1	♣ 84	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 424</b>	♠ AKQ6543	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: West	♥ J642	West (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 12+3	♣ J	West (LHO) Doubles 4 ♠ if possible.
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<b>Board: 425</b>	♠ 82	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ65	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K982	
HCP: 11	♣ K75	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 426</b>	♠ AK	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ AK6543	
HCP: 18+2	♣ 983	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 423

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 15+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ K75

♥ 6

♦ KQJ54

♣ AK32

South:

♠ AJT9

♥ AQ432

♦ AT

♣ 84

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♥
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Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
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Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
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All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 424

Dealer: West

Vul: None

North HCP: 2+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 4 ♠ X South

North:

♠ 7

♥ T7

♦ T98543

♣ QT65

South:

♠ AKQ6543

♥ J642

♦ J

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>	4 ♠
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X	All Pass		
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 425

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ Q54

♥ K3

♦ AQ3

♣ AJ432

South:

♠ 82

♥ AJ65

♦ K982

♣ K75

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♦
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Pass	3NT	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 426

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 73

♥ AQ952

♦ 982

♣ A75

South:

♠ AK

♥ KJ

♦ AK6543

♣ 983

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid



**Board: 427**

♠ K876

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A952

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K6

HCP: 10

♣ T65

**Board: 428**

♠ KJ92

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 942

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ A5

HCP: 8

♣ T863

**Board: 429**

♠ Q92

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQJ63

HCP: 18+1

♣ AKQ5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 427

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K876

♥ A952

♦ K6

♣ T65

South:

♠ AQT2

♥ QJT4

♦ A4

♣ AKJ

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 428

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ92

♥ 942

♦ A5

♣ T863

South:

♠ AQT86

♥ A8

♦ Q92

♣ AJ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 429

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ Q92

♥ 7

♦ AQJ63

♣ AKQ5

South:

♠ AT5

♥ AQJ

♦ T9

♣ J9864

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

<b>Board: 427</b>	♠ AQT2	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QJT4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A4	
HCP: 21	♣ AKJ	

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<b>Board: 428</b>	♠ AQT86	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q92	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AJ4	

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<b>Board: 429</b>	♠ AT5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ T9	
HCP: 12+1	♣ J9864	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 427

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ K876

♥ A952

♦ K6

♣ T65

South:

♠ AQT2

♥ QJT4

♦ A4

♣ AKJ

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3♥

Pass 4♥ Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 5♦<sup>5</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

4. Blackwood 0314, for !H

5. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 428

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ92

♥ 942

♦ A5

♣ T863

South:

♠ AQT86

♥ A8

♦ Q92

♣ AJ4

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 429

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 6♣ North

North:

♠ Q92

♥ 7

♦ AQJ63

♣ AKQ5

South:

♠ AT5

♥ AQJ

♦ T9

♣ J9864

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 6♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

<b>Board: 430</b>	♠ 72	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ53	West (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 865	
HCP: 11	♣ AQ72	

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<b>Board: 431</b>	♠ 8	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQ942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ3	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AK95	

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<b>Board: 432</b>	♠ A3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQ87	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K432	
HCP: 16+1	♣ 92	

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<b>Board: 433</b>	♠ 7652	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ54	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT872	
HCP: 8+1	♣ -	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 430

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 72

♥ AJ53

♦ 865

♣ AQ72

South:

♠ AQ93

♥ K6

♦ KQ73

♣ K63

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 431

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ KQ942

♦ KJ3

♣ AK95

South:

♠ AJT94

♥ AJ

♦ AQ985

♣ T

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 432

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ A3

♥ AKQ87

♦ K432

♣ 92

South:

♠ J876

♥ J

♦ AQJ5

♣ AQJ4

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 433

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7652

♥ KJ54

♦ AT872

♣ -

South:

♠ Q98

♥ A2

♦ K6

♣ AK9843

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 430</b>	♠ AQ93	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K6	West (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KQ73	
HCP: 17	♣ K63	

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<b>Board: 431</b>	♠ AJT94	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQ985	
HCP: 16+2	♣ T	

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<b>Board: 432</b>	♠ J876	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQJ5	
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ4	

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<b>Board: 433</b>	♠ Q98	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K6	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AK9843	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 430

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ 72

♥ AJ53

♦ 865

♣ AQ72

South:

♠ AQ93

♥ K6

♦ KQ73

♣ K63

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 431

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ 8

♥ KQ942

♦ KJ3

♣ AK95

South:

♠ AJT94

♥ AJ

♦ AQ985

♣ T

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 432

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ A3

♥ AKQ87

♦ K432

♣ 92

South:

♠ J876

♥ J

♦ AQJ5

♣ AQJ4

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 433

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 7652

♥ KJ54

♦ AT872

♣ -

South:

♠ Q98

♥ A2

♦ K6

♣ AK9843

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 434**

♠ AK82

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ J82

HCP: 16

♣ K32

**Board: 435**

♠ K6542

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK9

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKT

HCP: 19+1

♣ Q6

**Board: 436**

♠ AKQJ5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 62

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ K743

HCP: 13+1

♣ 42

**Board: 437**

♠ K943

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJ953

East (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 7

HCP: 16+2

♣ AK

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 434

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ AK82

♥ KQ9

♦ J82

♣ K32

South:

♠ Q76

♥ J84

♦ AQ96

♣ AJ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 435

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K6542

♥ AK9

♦ AKT

♣ Q6

South:

♠ -

♥ 842

♦ Q83

♣ AK87532

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 436

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ 62

♦ K743

♣ 42

South:

♠ 6

♥ KQ975

♦ AQT

♣ KQ97

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 437

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ K943

♥ KQJ953

♦ 7

♣ AK

South:

♠ AQT

♥ AT

♦ K84

♣ 96542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♦ 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for 1H

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

**Board: 434**      ♠ Q76      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ J84      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ AQ96  
HCP: 14      ♣ AJ8

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**Board: 435**      ♠ -      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ 842      West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ Q83  
HCP: 9+3      ♣ AK87532

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**Board: 436**      ♠ 6      You are dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ KQ975      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AQT  
HCP: 16+1      ♣ KQ97

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**Board: 437**      ♠ AQT      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ AT      East (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ K84  
HCP: 13+1      ♣ 96542

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 434

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4NT South

North:

♠ AK82

♥ KQ9

♦ J82

♣ K32

South:

♠ Q76

♥ J84

♦ AQ96

♣ AJ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 435

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 19+1

South HCP: 9+3

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ K6542

♥ AK9

♦ AKT

♣ Q6

South:

♠ -

♥ 842

♦ Q83

♣ AK87532

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 436

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQJ5

♥ 62

♦ K743

♣ 42

South:

♠ 6

♥ KQ975

♦ AQT

♣ KQ97

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 437

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 6 ♥ South

North:

♠ K943

♥ KQJ953

♦ 7

♣ AK

South:

♠ AQT

♥ AT

♦ K84

♣ 96542

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♦ 3NT

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♠<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for 1H

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

**Board: 438**

♠ T542

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AJ4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AQ7

HCP: 16

♣ AJ9

**Board: 439**

♠ AKQ97

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ J8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AQJ7

HCP: 17+1

♣ T5

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 438

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ T542

♥ AJ4

♦ AQ7

♣ AJ9

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ Q

♦ KJ852

♣ KQ62

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. Crosswood 0314, for !D
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. !D queen no !S king no !C king no !H king
5. King ask by available bid
6. K=0

### Board: 439

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ AKQ97

♥ J8

♦ AQJ7

♣ T5

South:

♠ 5

♥ AK96

♦ KT86

♣ AK94

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !D
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
7. King ask by 5NT
8. K=1

**Board: 438**

♠ AQ6

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KJ852

HCP: 17+1

♣ KQ62

**Board: 439**

♠ 5

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK96

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KT86

HCP: 17

♣ AK94

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 438

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ T542

♥ AJ4

♦ AQ7

♣ AJ9

South:

♠ AQ6

♥ Q

♦ KJ852

♣ KQ62

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	4 ♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4 ♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	5 ♣ <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♦ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. Crosswood 0314, for !D
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. !D queen no !S king no !C king no !H king
5. King ask by available bid
6. K=0

### Board: 439

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ AKQ97

♥ J8

♦ AQJ7

♣ T5

South:

♠ 5

♥ AK96

♦ KT86

♣ AK94

W	N	E	S
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	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3 ♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4 ♦	Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>
Pass	5 ♠ <sup>6</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>7</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>8</sup>	Pass	7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. any 4441
3. artificial ask
4. artificial
5. Blackwood 0314, for !D
6. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1
7. King ask by 5NT
8. K=1



<b>Board: 440</b>	♠ Q53	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K4	
HCP: 15+2	♣ AK7653	

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<b>Board: 441</b>	♠ AJ3	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK95	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A54	
HCP: 16	♣ 765	

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<b>Board: 442</b>	♠ A974	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KT64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ QJ7	
HCP: 10	♣ 32	

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<b>Board: 443</b>	♠ A	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J96	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K63	
HCP: 11+2	♣ QJT432	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 440

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q53

♥ K5

♦ K4

♣ AK7653

South:

♠ KT642

♥ AQT

♦ AJ

♣ QT8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♣

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 441

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AJ3

♥ AK95

♦ A54

♣ 765

South:

♠ Q875

♥ JT43

♦ Q72

♣ AK

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 442

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A974

♥ KT64

♦ QJ7

♣ 32

South:

♠ K63

♥ AQ5

♦ A86

♣ AQ65

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 443

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A

♥ J96

♦ K63

♣ QJT432

South:

♠ KJT76

♥ KQ43

♦ A4

♣ K5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 440</b>	♠ KT642	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ	
HCP: 16+1	♣ QT8	

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<b>Board: 441</b>	♠ Q875	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ JT43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q72	
HCP: 12	♣ AK	

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<b>Board: 442</b>	♠ K63	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A86	
HCP: 19	♣ AQ65	

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<b>Board: 443</b>	♠ KJT76	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ43	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A4	
HCP: 16+1	♣ K5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 440

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6 ♠ North

North:

♠ Q53

♥ K5

♦ K4

♣ AK7653

South:

♠ KT642

♥ AQT

♦ AJ

♣ QT8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5 ♦<sup>3</sup> Pass 6 ♣

Pass 6 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

### Board: 441

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ AJ3

♥ AK95

♦ A54

♣ 765

South:

♠ Q875

♥ JT43

♦ Q72

♣ AK

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2NT Pass 3 ♣<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

### Board: 442

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A974

♥ KT64

♦ QJ7

♣ 32

South:

♠ K63

♥ AQ5

♦ A86

♣ AQ65

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 443

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 11+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A

♥ J96

♦ K63

♣ QJT432

South:

♠ KJT76

♥ KQ43

♦ A4

♣ K5

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 444</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKT6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J973	
HCP: 8	♣ T875	
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<b>Board: 445</b>	♠ K98	LHO is dealer.
Dealer: East	♥ A	East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ QT875432	West (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 9+4	♣ 9	East (LHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.
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<b>Board: 446</b>	♠ AKQJT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ 9	
HCP: 17+2	♣ AK95	
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<b>Board: 447</b>	♠ -	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AQ864	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q7	
HCP: 17+3	♣ AKQT76	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 444

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 21+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKT6

♦ J973

♣ T875

South:

♠ AKQ852

♥ Q94

♦ KT

♣ AK

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 445

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+4

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 5♦ X North

North:

♠ K98

♥ A

♦ QT875432

♣ 9

South:

♠ JT75

♥ KQT93

♦ J

♣ T82

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup> 5♦ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 446

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AKQJT5

♥ T4

♦ 9

♣ AK95

South:

♠ 74

♥ AKQ9872

♦ QJ8

♣ 3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 447

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQ864

♦ Q7

♣ AKQT76

South:

♠ AKT763

♥ J72

♦ T98

♣ 2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 444</b>	♠ AKQ852	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q94	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KT	
HCP: 21+2	♣ AK	
<hr/>		
<b>Board: 445</b>	♠ JT75	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ KQT93	East (RHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J	West (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
HCP: 7+1	♣ T82	East (RHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.
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<b>Board: 446</b>	♠ 74	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ9872	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJ8	
HCP: 12+3	♣ 3	
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<b>Board: 447</b>	♠ AKT763	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ J72	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ T98	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 2	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 444

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 21+2

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKT6

♦ J973

♣ T875

South:

♠ AKQ852

♥ Q94

♦ KT

♣ AK

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♠<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 445

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+4

South HCP: 7+1

Contract: 5♦ X North

North:

♠ K98

♥ A

♦ QT875432

♣ 9

South:

♠ JT75

♥ KQT93

♦ J

♣ T82

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass

1♥<sup>2</sup> 5♦ X All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 446

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 12+3

Contract: 6♥ North

North:

♠ AKQJT5

♥ T4

♦ 9

♣ AK95

South:

♠ 74

♥ AKQ9872

♦ QJ8

♣ 3

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♥

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 447

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+3

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ -

♥ AQ864

♦ Q7

♣ AKQT76

South:

♠ AKT763

♥ J72

♦ T98

♣ 2

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



<b>Board: 448</b>	♠ AQ42	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q8	East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT93	
HCP: 16	♣ KQ3	

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<b>Board: 449</b>	♠ K72	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ73	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QJ8	
HCP: 15	♣ K75	

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<b>Board: 450</b>	♠ K84	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ JT64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT53	
HCP: 12	♣ KJ	

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<b>Board: 451</b>	♠ KQ83	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AK72	
HCP: 16	♣ 2	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 448

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ AQ42

♥ Q8

♦ KT93

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ T7

♥ A72

♦ AQ8752

♣ J9

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	3♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 449

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ K72

♥ AQ73

♦ QJ8

♣ K75

South:

♠ AT53

♥ K2

♦ AT7

♣ AJ42

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♠

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 450

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K84

♥ JT64

♦ AT53

♣ KJ

South:

♠ AJ732

♥ 8

♦ KQ

♣ AQ973

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 451

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KQ83

♥ AT83

♦ AK72

♣ 2

South:

♠ JT62

♥ KJ

♦ 6

♣ AQT875

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

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

<b>Board: 448</b>	♠ T7	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A72	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ AQ8752	
HCP: 11+2	♣ J9	

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<b>Board: 449</b>	♠ AT53	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT7	
HCP: 16	♣ AJ42	

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<b>Board: 450</b>	♠ AJ732	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ 8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KQ	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AQ973	

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<b>Board: 451</b>	♠ JT62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ 6	
HCP: 11+2	♣ AQT875	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 448

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3♦ South

North:

♠ AQ42

♥ Q8

♦ KT93

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ T7

♥ A72

♦ AQ8752

♣ J9

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	3♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 449

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4NT North

North:

♠ K72

♥ AQ73

♦ QJ8

♣ K75

South:

♠ AT53

♥ K2

♦ AT7

♣ AJ42

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣<sup>2</sup> Pass 3♠

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup> All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Stayman

3. Quantitative 4NT

### Board: 450

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ K84

♥ JT64

♦ AT53

♣ KJ

South:

♠ AJ732

♥ 8

♦ KQ

♣ AQ973

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 451

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 4♠ North

North:

♠ KQ83

♥ AT83

♦ AK72

♣ 2

South:

♠ JT62

♥ KJ

♦ 6

♣ AQT875

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

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>3</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

**Board: 452**      ♠ -      LHO is dealer.  
Dealer: East      ♥ J72      East (LHO) opens 1 ♣ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ 87653  
HCP: 2+2      ♣ J9852

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**Board: 453**      ♠ AJ5      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ KJ      West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: N-S      ♦ KQ8532  
HCP: 18+2      ♣ A7

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**Board: 454**      ♠ -      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ Q63      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: E-W      ♦ KQ8642  
HCP: 14+2      ♣ AK42

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**Board: 455**      ♠ A6      You are dealer.  
Dealer: North      ♥ K863      East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.  
Vul: Both      ♦ AQ2  
HCP: 16      ♣ QJ82

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**Board: 456**      ♠ AK85      Partner is dealer.  
Dealer: South      ♥ K5      The opponents are silent.  
Vul: None      ♦ Q6543  
HCP: 15+1      ♣ K7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 452

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 2+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 1 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ J72

♦ 87653

♣ J9852

South:

♠ KJ965

♥ A8653

♦ 2

♣ 76

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 453

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ KJ

♦ KQ8532

♣ A7

South:

♠ 3

♥ A975

♦ AT964

♣ 642

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 454

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ Q63

♦ KQ8642

♣ AK42

South:

♠ AKJ43

♥ A8

♦ J9

♣ QJT3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 455

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2 ♣ South

North:

♠ A6

♥ K863

♦ AQ2

♣ QJ82

South:

♠ 8

♥ Q97

♦ KT54

♣ AK965

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 456

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AK85

♥ K5

♦ Q6543

♣ K7

South:

♠ 962

♥ A962

♦ AK

♣ AQ52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT

<b>Board: 452</b>	♠ KJ965	RHO is dealer. You bid second.
Dealer: East	♥ A8653	East (RHO) opens 1♣ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ 2	
HCP: 8+2	♣ 76	

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<b>Board: 453</b>	♠ 3	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A975	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AT964	
HCP: 8+1	♣ 642	

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<b>Board: 454</b>	♠ AKJ43	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ J9	
HCP: 16+1	♣ QJT3	

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<b>Board: 455</b>	♠ 8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q97	East (RHO) bids 1♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KT54	
HCP: 12+1	♣ AK965	

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<b>Board: 456</b>	♠ 962	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A962	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK	
HCP: 17	♣ AQ52	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 452

Dealer: East

Vul: Both

North HCP: 2+2

South HCP: 8+2

Contract: 1 ♠ South

North:

♠ -

♥ J72

♦ 87653

♣ J9852

South:

♠ KJ965

♥ A8653

♦ 2

♣ 76

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 453

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ KJ

♦ KQ8532

♣ A7

South:

♠ 3

♥ A975

♦ AT964

♣ 642

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

2 ♠ 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 454

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 14+2

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 5 ♣ North

North:

♠ -

♥ Q63

♦ KQ8642

♣ AK42

South:

♠ AKJ43

♥ A8

♦ J9

♣ QJT3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♠

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣

Pass 5 ♣ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 455

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12+1

Contract: 2 ♣ South

North:

♠ A6

♥ K863

♦ AQ2

♣ QJ82

South:

♠ 8

♥ Q97

♦ KT54

♣ AK965

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> 1 ♠ 2 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 456

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 15+1

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ AK85

♥ K5

♦ Q6543

♣ K7

South:

♠ 962

♥ A962

♦ AK

♣ AQ52

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Quantitative 4NT



**Board: 457**

♠ Q7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ KQ973

HCP: 18+1

♣ AKQ2

**Board: 458**

♠ A

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ J875

West (RHO) bids 2♠ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ KJT85

HCP: 10+1

♣ J93

**Board: 459**

♠ AQ32

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 86

East (LHO) bids 2♣ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ AJ32

HCP: 16

♣ AJ5

**Board: 460**

♠ QJ9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KJT86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ AJ4

HCP: 16+1

♣ AT

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 457

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q7

♥ Q4

♦ KQ973

♣ AKQ2

South:

♠ 542

♥ AT98

♦ A5

♣ J743

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 458

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ A

♥ J875

♦ KJT85

♣ J93

South:

♠ K52

♥ AKQT2

♦ A7

♣ Q75

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 459

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ32

♥ 86

♦ AJ32

♣ AJ5

South:

♠ KT95

♥ KT53

♦ KT5

♣ 86

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♣	X
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 460

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ QJ9

♥ KJT86

♦ AJ4

♣ AT

South:

♠ K62

♥ A952

♦ Q95

♣ 843

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 457</b>	♠ 542	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A5	
HCP: 9	♣ J743	

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<b>Board: 458</b>	♠ K52	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQT2	West (LHO) bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A7	
HCP: 18+1	♣ Q75	

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<b>Board: 459</b>	♠ KT95	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KT53	East (RHO) bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ KT5	
HCP: 9	♣ 86	

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<b>Board: 460</b>	♠ K62	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A952	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ Q95	
HCP: 9	♣ 843	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 457

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ Q7

♥ Q4

♦ KQ973

♣ AKQ2

South:

♠ 542

♥ AT98

♦ A5

♣ J743

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 458

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ A

♥ J875

♦ KJT85

♣ J93

South:

♠ K52

♥ AKQT2

♦ A7

♣ Q75

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

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 459

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ AQ32

♥ 86

♦ AJ32

♣ AJ5

South:

♠ KT95

♥ KT53

♦ KT5

♣ 86

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	2 ♣	X
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 460

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4 ♥ South

North:

♠ QJ9

♥ KJT86

♦ AJ4

♣ AT

South:

♠ K62

♥ A952

♦ Q95

♣ 843

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 461**

♠ KQ2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AT987

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AK76

HCP: 16+1

♣ 2

**Board: 462**

♠ T

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 8754

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ K8764

HCP: 8+1

♣ AJ8

**Board: 463**

♠ 754

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ Q852

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ 92

HCP: 9

♣ AK43

**Board: 464**

♠ AQ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQ2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK87

HCP: 18

♣ 865

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 461

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ KQ2

♥ AT987

♦ AK76

♣ 2

South:

♠ A

♥ 542

♦ Q854

♣ AK983

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 462

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ T

♥ 8754

♦ K8764

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ AK54

♥ AQ3

♦ Q

♣ KT753

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠ X Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 463

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 754

♥ Q852

♦ 92

♣ AK43

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ KT96

♦ QJ8

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 1♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 464

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ8

♥ KQ2

♦ AK87

♣ 865

South:

♠ 7

♥ JT954

♦ 642

♣ AKJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

**Board: 461**

♠ A

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 542

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ Q854

HCP: 13+1

♣ AK983

**Board: 462**

♠ AK54

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AQ3

West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

Vul: None

♦ Q

HCP: 18+1

♣ KT753

**Board: 463**

♠ AKQJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KT96

West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ QJ8

HCP: 18+1

♣ Q

**Board: 464**

♠ 7

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ JT954

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 642

HCP: 9+1

♣ AKJ7

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 461

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 5♥ South

North:

♠ KQ2

♥ AT987

♦ AK76

♣ 2

South:

♠ A

♥ 542

♦ Q854

♣ AK983

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♥<sup>3</sup>

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

### Board: 462

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 8+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3♣ South

North:

♠ T

♥ 8754

♦ K8764

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ AK54

♥ AQ3

♦ Q

♣ KT753

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

2♠ X Pass 3♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 463

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 4♥ South

North:

♠ 754

♥ Q852

♦ 92

♣ AK43

South:

♠ AKQJ8

♥ KT96

♦ QJ8

♣ Q

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

1♦ 1♥ Pass 4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 464

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ AQ8

♥ KQ2

♦ AK87

♣ 865

South:

♠ 7

♥ JT954

♦ 642

♣ AKJ7

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 465**

♠ 3

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJ85

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A75

HCP: 16+1

♣ AQ43

**Board: 466**

♠ J865

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJ4

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ A8

HCP: 16

♣ AJ5

**Board: 467**

♠ T95

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKT62

HCP: 12+1

♣ AJ52

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 465

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ KQJ85

♦ A75

♣ AQ43

South:

♠ AT96

♥ A63

♦ K62

♣ KJ5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥ <sup>5</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
4. King ask by 5NT
5. K=2

### Board: 466

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J865

♥ KQJ4

♦ A8

♣ AJ5

South:

♠ A3

♥ 987

♦ QT964

♣ K93

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 467

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ T95

♥ 6

♦ AKT62

♣ AJ52

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ A43

♦ Q53

♣ K984

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

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

**Board: 465**

♠ AT96

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A63

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ K62

HCP: 15

♣ KJ5

**Board: 466**

♠ A3

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 987

East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ QT964

HCP: 9+1

♣ K93

**Board: 467**

♠ AQJ

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A43

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q53

HCP: 16

♣ K984

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 465

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ 3

♥ KQJ85

♦ A75

♣ AQ43

South:

♠ AT96

♥ A63

♦ K62

♣ KJ5

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	6♥ <sup>5</sup>
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
4. King ask by 5NT
5. K=2

### Board: 466

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ J865

♥ KQJ4

♦ A8

♣ AJ5

South:

♠ A3

♥ 987

♦ QT964

♣ K93

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♠	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 467

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♦ North

North:

♠ T95

♥ 6

♦ AKT62

♣ AJ52

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ A43

♦ Q53

♣ K984

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6♦	All Pass	

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

<b>Board: 468</b>	♠ AKJT65	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A83	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A2	
HCP: 16+2	♣ 85	

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<b>Board: 469</b>	♠ Q4	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q973	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AKQ2	
HCP: 13	♣ 754	

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<b>Board: 470</b>	♠ K754	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT74	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ Q2	
HCP: 12	♣ K63	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 468

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKJT65

♥ A83

♦ A2

♣ 85

South:

♠ Q4

♥ 652

♦ KQT9

♣ AJT3

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 469

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ Q4

♥ Q973

♦ AKQ2

♣ 754

South:

♠ AKJT

♥ A8

♦ T94

♣ AK62

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. Stayman			

### Board: 470

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ K754

♥ AT74

♦ Q2

♣ K63

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ 6

♦ AKJT5

♣ AJ8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			
4. King ask by 5NT			
5. K=1			

**Board: 468**

♠ Q4

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 652

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ KQT9

HCP: 12

♣ AJT3

**Board: 469**

♠ AKJT

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ T94

HCP: 19

♣ AK62

**Board: 470**

♠ AQJ6

You are dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AKJT5

HCP: 20+1

♣ AJ8

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 468

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKJT65

♥ A83

♦ A2

♣ 85

South:

♠ Q4

♥ 652

♦ KQT9

♣ AJT3

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 469

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ Q4

♥ Q973

♦ AKQ2

♣ 754

South:

♠ AKJT

♥ A8

♦ T94

♣ AK62

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. Stayman			

### Board: 470

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 20+1

Contract: 7 ♠ South

North:

♠ K754

♥ AT74

♦ Q2

♣ K63

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ 6

♦ AKJT5

♣ AJ8

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5 ♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	6 ♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	7 ♠
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. Blackwood 0314, for !S			
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0			
4. King ask by 5NT			
5. K=1			



<b>Board: 471</b>	♠ 96	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J9762	
HCP: 13+1	♣ AQ	

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<b>Board: 472</b>	♠ AJ52	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QJ943	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ K	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AJ3	

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<b>Board: 473</b>	♠ JT54	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ AJ73	
HCP: 16	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 474</b>	♠ 862	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q983	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KT52	
HCP: 9	♣ A5	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 471

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 96

♥ AQ84

♦ J9762

♣ AQ

South:

♠ QT

♥ K963

♦ AK8

♣ KJ76

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 472

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJ52

♥ QJ943

♦ K

♣ AJ3

South:

♠ K83

♥ 75

♦ AJ6

♣ QT642

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 473

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ JT54

♥ AKQ2

♦ AJ73

♣ J

South:

♠ A98

♥ T

♦ KQ92

♣ AKT63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 474

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 862

♥ Q983

♦ KT52

♣ A5

South:

♠ AKQ743

♥ AJ2

♦ A6

♣ T3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

<b>Board: 471</b>	♠ QT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ K963	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AK8	
HCP: 16	♣ KJ76	

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<b>Board: 472</b>	♠ K83	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 75	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AJ6	
HCP: 10+1	♣ QT642	

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<b>Board: 473</b>	♠ A98	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KQ92	
HCP: 16+1	♣ AKT63	

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<b>Board: 474</b>	♠ AKQ743	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A6	
HCP: 18+2	♣ T3	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 471

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13+1

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 96

♥ AQ84

♦ J9762

♣ AQ

South:

♠ QT

♥ K963

♦ AK8

♣ KJ76

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♦

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 472

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AJ52

♥ QJ943

♦ K

♣ AJ3

South:

♠ K83

♥ 75

♦ AJ6

♣ QT642

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 473

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ JT54

♥ AKQ2

♦ AJ73

♣ J

South:

♠ A98

♥ T

♦ KQ92

♣ AKT63

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 474

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ 862

♥ Q983

♦ KT52

♣ A5

South:

♠ AKQ743

♥ AJ2

♦ A6

♣ T3

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♦<sup>3</sup>

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

**Board: 475**

♠ J4

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJ96

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 97

HCP: 16+1

♣ AK62

**Board: 476**

♠ QJT85

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 86

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ KT962

HCP: 10+2

♣ A

**Board: 477**

♠ A9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ JT4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ AK54

HCP: 20

♣ AKJ2

**Board: 478**

♠ 965

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A93

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KJ3

HCP: 9

♣ J832

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 475

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ J4

♥ AKJ96

♦ 97

♣ AK62

South:

♠ Q96

♥ Q5

♦ AK8

♣ QT953

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

### Board: 476

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJT85

♥ 86

♦ KT962

♣ A

South:

♠ K

♥ AKJ4

♦ AJ87

♣ KT85

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 477

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A9

♥ JT4

♦ AK54

♣ AKJ2

South:

♠ KJ5

♥ A963

♦ Q62

♣ 984

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 478

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 965

♥ A93

♦ KJ3

♣ J832

South:

♠ AKQ8

♥ KJ7

♦ AT

♣ K974

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 475</b>	♠ Q96	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AK8	
HCP: 13+1	♣ QT953	

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<b>Board: 476</b>	♠ K	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKJ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ87	
HCP: 19	♣ KT85	

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<b>Board: 477</b>	♠ KJ5	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A963	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ Q62	
HCP: 10	♣ 984	

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<b>Board: 478</b>	♠ AKQ8	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT	
HCP: 20	♣ K974	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 475

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 13+1

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ J4

♥ AKJ96

♦ 97

♣ AK62

South:

♠ Q96

♥ Q5

♦ AK8

♣ QT953

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Cue bid, a !D stopper

3. Cue bid, a !H stopper

### Board: 476

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ QJT85

♥ 86

♦ KT962

♣ A

South:

♠ K

♥ AKJ4

♦ AJ87

♣ KT85

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 477

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ A9

♥ JT4

♦ AK54

♣ AKJ2

South:

♠ KJ5

♥ A963

♦ Q62

♣ 984

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 478

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 20

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ 965

♥ A93

♦ KJ3

♣ J832

South:

♠ AKQ8

♥ KJ7

♦ AT

♣ K974

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial



**Board: 479**

♠ Q7

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ 63

East (LHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ AK7

HCP: 19+2

♣ AKQJ32

**Board: 480**

♠ K2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ QJ6

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q8

HCP: 16+2

♣ AKJ432

**Board: 481**

♠ A6

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK95

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ KJT52

HCP: 18+1

♣ K9

**Board: 482**

♠ KJ8

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AQ2

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ Q6432

HCP: 16+1

♣ A6

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 479

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 5 ♣ South

North:

♠ Q7

♥ 63

♦ AK7

♣ AKQJ32

South:

♠ AT86

♥ A42

♦ JT

♣ 8765

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	1 ♥	X
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	5 ♣
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 480

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K2

♥ QJ6

♦ Q8

♣ AKJ432

South:

♠ Q65

♥ AT84

♦ K963

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3 ♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 481

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A6

♥ AK95

♦ KJT52

♣ K9

South:

♠ KQ754

♥ -

♦ A83

♣ JT763

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 482

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ AQ2

♦ Q6432

♣ A6

South:

♠ T732

♥ KJT64

♦ KJ

♣ K4

W	N	E	S
	1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1 ♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2 ♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Stayman			

<b>Board: 479</b>	♠ AT86	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A42	East (RHO) bids 1 ♥ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ JT	
HCP: 9	♣ 8765	

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<b>Board: 480</b>	♠ Q65	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ K963	
HCP: 9	♣ 95	

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<b>Board: 481</b>	♠ KQ754	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ -	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ A83	
HCP: 10+2	♣ JT763	

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<b>Board: 482</b>	♠ T732	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KJT64	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ KJ	
HCP: 11+1	♣ K4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 479

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 5♣ South

North:

♠ Q7

♥ 63

♦ AK7

♣ AKQJ32

South:

♠ AT86

♥ A42

♦ JT

♣ 8765

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	1♥	X
Pass	3♣	Pass	5♣
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			

### Board: 480

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K2

♥ QJ6

♦ Q8

♣ AKJ432

South:

♠ Q65

♥ AT84

♦ K963

♣ 95

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 481

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+1

South HCP: 10+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ A6

♥ AK95

♦ KJT52

♣ K9

South:

♠ KQ754

♥ -

♦ A83

♣ JT763

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
All Pass			
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			

### Board: 482

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 16+1

South HCP: 11+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ KJ8

♥ AQ2

♦ Q6432

♣ A6

South:

♠ T732

♥ KJT64

♦ KJ

♣ K4

W	N	E	S
	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	
1. 16+ HCP			
2. artificial			
3. Stayman			

**Board: 483**

♠ A8

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQ7653

West (RHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.

Vul: E-W

♦ Q62

HCP: 15+2

♣ A7

**Board: 484**

♠ KJ8632

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ A9

The opponents are silent.

Vul: Both

♦ T532

HCP: 8+2

♣ 7

**Board: 485**

♠ AKT762

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AK8

The opponents are silent.

Vul: N-S

♦ 7

HCP: 17+2

♣ K98

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 483

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ A8

♥ KQ7653

♦ Q62

♣ A7

South:

♠ KJ543

♥ A2

♦ K5

♣ KQJ5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

X 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 484

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ8632

♥ A9

♦ T532

♣ 7

South:

♠ AQ

♥ KQT4

♦ AKQ

♣ 9863

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 485

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 7♠ North

North:

♠ AKT762

♥ AK8

♦ 7

♣ K98

South:

♠ Q953

♥ T62

♦ AJ

♣ AJ72

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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

<b>Board: 483</b>	♠ KJ543	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ A2	West (LHO) Doubles 5 ♦ if possible.
Vul: E-W	♦ K5	
HCP: 17+1	♣ KQJ5	

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<b>Board: 484</b>	♠ AQ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQT4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ	
HCP: 20	♣ 9863	

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<b>Board: 485</b>	♠ Q953	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T62	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AJ	
HCP: 12	♣ AJ72	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 483

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 15+2

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 6♥ South

North:

♠ A8

♥ KQ7653

♦ Q62

♣ A7

South:

♠ KJ543

♥ A2

♦ K5

♣ KQJ5

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♣<sup>3</sup> Pass 5♦

X 5NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

### Board: 484

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8+2

South HCP: 20

Contract: 4♠ South

North:

♠ KJ8632

♥ A9

♦ T532

♣ 7

South:

♠ AQ

♥ KQT4

♦ AKQ

♣ 9863

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥<sup>3</sup> Pass 4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

### Board: 485

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 17+2

South HCP: 12

Contract: 7♠ North

North:

♠ AKT762

♥ AK8

♦ 7

♣ K98

South:

♠ Q953

♥ T62

♦ AJ

♣ AJ72

W N E S

1♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1NT

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♠<sup>3</sup>

Pass 7♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

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



**Board: 486**

♠ A975

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ KQJ32

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ AK6

HCP: 17+1

♣ 8

**Board: 487**

♠ -

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AJ872

West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.

Vul: Both

♦ A9654

East (LHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.

HCP: 10+2

♣ J84

West (RHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.

East (LHO) bids 4 ♠ if possible.

**Board: 488**

♠ K54

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ AKT863

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ 876

HCP: 10+2

♣ 9

**Board: 489**

♠ QJT2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ A

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ J75

HCP: 17+1

♣ AKQ73

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 486

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A975

♥ KQJ32

♦ AK6

♣ 8

South:

♠ KT

♥ AT

♦ T32

♣ AKQ765

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 487

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AJ872

♦ A9654

♣ J84

South:

♠ A6

♥ QT9

♦ J

♣ AKQT762

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	X <sup>2</sup>
2 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠	X
Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Support double redouble

### Board: 488

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K54

♥ AKT863

♦ 876

♣ 9

South:

♠ AJ

♥ Q

♦ AT94

♣ AK7543

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 489

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QJT2

♥ A

♦ J75

♣ AKQ73

South:

♠ AK54

♥ T8765

♦ KT8

♣ 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 486</b>	♠ KT	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ T32	
HCP: 16+2	♣ AKQ765	

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<b>Board: 487</b>	♠ A6	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ QT9	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J	East (RHO) bids 1 ♠ if possible.
HCP: 16+3	♣ AKQT762	West (LHO) bids 2 ♠ if possible.
		East (RHO) bids 4 ♠ if possible.

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<b>Board: 488</b>	♠ AJ	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ Q	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AT94	
HCP: 18+2	♣ AK7543	

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<b>Board: 489</b>	♠ AK54	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ T8765	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ KT8	
HCP: 10+1	♣ 6	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 486

Dealer: South

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 16+2

Contract: 6NT South

North:

♠ A975

♥ KQJ32

♦ AK6

♣ 8

South:

♠ KT

♥ AT

♦ T32

♣ AKQ765

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	5NT	Pass	6NT
All Pass			

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 487

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 16+3

Contract: 5 ♥ North

North:

♠ -

♥ AJ872

♦ A9654

♣ J84

South:

♠ A6

♥ QT9

♦ J

♣ AKQT762

W	N	E	S
			1 ♣ <sup>1</sup>
1 ♦	1 ♥	1 ♠	X <sup>2</sup>
2 ♠	4 ♥	4 ♠	X
Pass	5 ♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. Support double redouble

### Board: 488

Dealer: South

Vul: None

North HCP: 10+2

South HCP: 18+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ K54

♥ AKT863

♦ 876

♣ 9

South:

♠ AJ

♥ Q

♦ AT94

♣ AK7543

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 489

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 17+1

South HCP: 10+1

Contract: 4 ♠ South

North:

♠ QJT2

♥ A

♦ J75

♣ AKQ73

South:

♠ AK54

♥ T8765

♦ KT8

♣ 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 490</b>	♠ A75	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ J943	
HCP: 10	♣ T42	

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<b>Board: 491</b>	♠ AJ83	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A6	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ7653	
HCP: 16+3	♣ -	

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<b>Board: 492</b>	♠ KQT	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ T952	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ A43	
HCP: 12	♣ K76	

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<b>Board: 493</b>	♠ KJ6	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ J5432	West (RHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ A53	
HCP: 9+1	♣ 62	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 490

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A75

♥ KQ4

♦ J943

♣ T42

South:

♠ QJ982

♥ AT

♦ A8

♣ AQ93

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 491

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 11+4

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ AJ83

♥ A6

♦ AQJ7653

♣ -

South:

♠ -

♥ QT942

♦ T

♣ AKQ9743

W N E S

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

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 6 ♣

Pass 6 ♦ Pass 7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 492

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KQT

♥ T952

♦ A43

♣ K76

South:

♠ A973

♥ AKQJ8

♦ 9

♣ Q94

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 493

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJ6

♥ J5432

♦ A53

♣ 62

South:

♠ Q75

♥ KQ9

♦ J9

♣ AKQJ4

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

<b>Board: 490</b>	♠ QJ982	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AT	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ A8	
HCP: 17+1	♣ AQ93	

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<b>Board: 491</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ QT942	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ T	
HCP: 11+4	♣ AKQ9743	

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<b>Board: 492</b>	♠ A973	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ AKQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ 9	
HCP: 16+1	♣ Q94	

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<b>Board: 493</b>	♠ Q75	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KQ9	West (LHO) bids 1 ♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ J9	
HCP: 18+1	♣ AKQJ4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 490

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 17+1

Contract: 4 ♠ North

North:

♠ A75

♥ KQ4

♦ J943

♣ T42

South:

♠ QJ982

♥ AT

♦ A8

♣ AQ93

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 1 ♠

Pass 4 ♠ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 491

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16+3

South HCP: 11+4

Contract: 7 ♦ South

North:

♠ AJ83

♥ A6

♦ AQJ7653

♣ -

South:

♠ -

♥ QT942

♦ T

♣ AKQ9743

W N E S

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

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 6 ♣

Pass 6 ♦ Pass 7 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 492

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16+1

Contract: 4 ♥ North

North:

♠ KQT

♥ T952

♦ A43

♣ K76

South:

♠ A973

♥ AKQJ8

♦ 9

♣ Q94

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 1NT Pass 2 ♥

Pass 4 ♥ All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 493

Dealer: South

Vul: Both

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 3NT North

North:

♠ KJ6

♥ J5432

♦ A53

♣ 62

South:

♠ Q75

♥ KQ9

♦ J9

♣ AKQJ4

W N E S

Pass 1 ♣<sup>1</sup>

1 ♦ 1 ♥ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 3NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP



**Board: 494**

♠ K2

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ AKJT65

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ A

HCP: 18+2

♣ QJ86

**Board: 495**

♠ Q9762

Partner is dealer.

Dealer: South

♥ 7654

East (LHO) Doubles 3♣ if possible.

Vul: N-S

♦ K

HCP: 9+1

♣ A84

**Board: 496**

♠ J64

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ KQJ4

The opponents are silent.

Vul: E-W

♦ 654

HCP: 16

♣ AKQ

**Board: 497**

♠ QT9

You are dealer.

Dealer: North

♥ Q7

The opponents are silent.

Vul: None

♦ AKQ7

HCP: 16

♣ K983

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 494

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K2

♥ AKJT65

♦ A

♣ QJ86

South:

♠ 6543

♥ 9

♦ QT63

♣ AK43

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 495

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ Q9762

♥ 7654

♦ K

♣ A84

South:

♠ AKT5

♥ KJT2

♦ AQT7

♣ J

W	N	E	S
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			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	X	3♥
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 496

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J64

♥ KQJ4

♦ 654

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ KT97

♥ A6532

♦ -

♣ J976

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♥	All Pass	
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 497

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QT9

♥ Q7

♦ AKQ7

♣ K983

South:

♠ 752

♥ A84

♦ J964

♣ A64

W	N	E	S
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	1♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
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All Pass			
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1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 494</b>	♠ 6543	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ 9	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ QT63	
HCP: 9	♣ AK43	

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<b>Board: 495</b>	♠ AKT5	You are dealer.
Dealer: South	♥ KJT2	East (RHO) Doubles 3♣ if possible.
Vul: N-S	♦ AQT7	
HCP: 18	♣ J	

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<b>Board: 496</b>	♠ KT97	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A6532	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ -	
HCP: 8+1	♣ J976	

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<b>Board: 497</b>	♠ 752	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ A84	The opponents are silent.
Vul: None	♦ J964	
HCP: 9	♣ A64	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 494

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 18+2

South HCP: 9

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ K2

♥ AKJT65

♦ A

♣ QJ86

South:

♠ 6543

♥ 9

♦ QT63

♣ AK43

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. any 4441

3. artificial ask

4. artificial

### Board: 495

Dealer: South

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 9+1

South HCP: 18

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ Q9762

♥ 7654

♦ K

♣ A84

South:

♠ AKT5

♥ KJT2

♦ AQT7

♣ J

W	N	E	S
			1♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	1♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>	X	3♥
Pass	4♥	All Pass	

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Stayman

### Board: 496

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 4♥ North

North:

♠ J64

♥ KQJ4

♦ 654

♣ AKQ

South:

♠ KT97

♥ A6532

♦ -

♣ J976

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 497

Dealer: North

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 9

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ QT9

♥ Q7

♦ AKQ7

♣ K983

South:

♠ 752

♥ A84

♦ J964

♣ A64

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 498</b>	♠ AKQJ42	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AT98	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ J	
HCP: 19+2	♣ A2	

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<b>Board: 499</b>	♠ KJT7	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ A5	
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ7	

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<b>Board: 500</b>	♠ AKQT83	You are dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 97	
HCP: 16+2	♣ KQ4	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 498

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ AKQJ42

♥ AT98

♦ J

♣ A2

South:

♠ 73

♥ KQJ

♦ AK983

♣ KQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 5NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 499

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KJT7

♥ Q97

♦ A5

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ 8

♥ AK2

♦ JT983

♣ T862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 500

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQT83

♥ Q4

♦ 97

♣ KQ4

South:

♠ -

♥ AK97

♦ KJT864

♣ 852

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

<b>Board: 498</b>	♠ 73	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: N-S	♦ AK983	
HCP: 18+1	♣ KQ8	

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<b>Board: 499</b>	♠ 8	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Vul: E-W	♦ JT983	
HCP: 8+1	♣ T862	

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<b>Board: 500</b>	♠ -	Partner is dealer.
Dealer: North	♥ AK97	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ KJT864	
HCP: 11+2	♣ 852	

## Both hands (Answers Page)

### Board: 498

Dealer: North

Vul: N-S

North HCP: 19+2

South HCP: 18+1

Contract: 6NT North

North:

♠ AKQJ42

♥ AT98

♦ J

♣ A2

South:

♠ 73

♥ KQJ

♦ AK983

♣ KQ8

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 5NT

Pass 6NT All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

### Board: 499

Dealer: North

Vul: E-W

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 8+1

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ KJT7

♥ Q97

♦ A5

♣ AKJ7

South:

♠ 8

♥ AK2

♦ JT983

♣ T862

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

### Board: 500

Dealer: North

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16+2

South HCP: 11+2

Contract: 3NT South

North:

♠ AKQT83

♥ Q4

♦ 97

♣ KQ4

South:

♠ -

♥ AK97

♦ KJT864

♣ 852

W N E S

1 ♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 1 ♥<sup>2</sup>

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦

Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial