

5 boards f

09ACA163D14BC6498EF6C62F70E4

Board 1

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4
♥ 10 9 8 7 5
♦ K Q J 3
♣ Q 10 4

♠ J 9 6 5 2
♥ 6 3
♦ A 7 4
♣ A 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ Q 10 8 3
♥ J
♦ 9 6 5 2
♣ 9 7 6 5

♠ A K 7
♥ A K Q 4 2
♦ 10 8
♣ K J 8

Shape 1543 4144 3523 5233 HCP 8 3 20 9 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. limit raise or better in !H
2. Cue bid, a !S stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for !H
5. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

31 boards f

19A9F2A4D521200216C0087D6474

Board 2

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 10 9 8 7 5

♥ 8 6 5

♦ K 10 9 8 6

♣ —

♠ K J 6
♥ K 4 2
♦ 4
♣ Q 9 6 5 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 4 3 2
♥ J 7
♦ Q J 7 3 2
♣ K 8 7

♠ A Q
♥ A Q 10 9 3
♦ A 5
♣ A J 10 4

Shape 5350 3253 2524 3316 HCP 3 7 21 9 Losers 8 9 5 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1 ♥ by South			
Made 6 — NS +230			

32 boards f

2882929178DEA54C0D0427B6C80C

Board 3

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 5 2
♥ A 8 7 6 3 2
♦ J 3
♣ 5

♠ 10 3
♥ J 4
♦ 9 6 5 4
♣ J 8 6 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ J 8
♥ K Q 10
♦ 10 8 7 2
♣ A K 10 4

♠ A K Q 9 4
♥ 9 5
♦ A K Q
♣ Q 9 7

Shape 4621 2344 5233 2245 HCP 5 13 20 2 Losers 8 7 4 10

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

1. Cue bid, a !D stopper
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper

3. surplus

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

37 boards f

29AAAE1D0B0FF696A020F7B177D4

Board 4

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q J 10 6

♥ J 10

♦ 7 6 4

♣ J 10 5 3

♠ 9 5 2

♥ 9 5 4 3

♦ K Q 10

♣ 7 6 2



♠ 3

♥ Q 8 2

♦ 9 8 5 3 2

♣ A K 9 8

♠ A K 8 7 4

♥ A K 7 6

♦ A J

♣ Q 4

Shape 4234 1354 5422 3433 HCP 5 9 21 5 Losers 10 7 5 10

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

1. surplus

4 ♠ by South

Made 4 — NS +420

43 boards f

2AAB87E6817F50F0590788DBAF78

Board 5

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6
♥ K J 6 5
♦ 10 3
♣ A K 10 6 4 3

♠ Q 8 4
♥ 10 8 2
♦ J 9 8
♣ 9 8 5 2

N
W E
S

♠ 10 9 7 2
♥ 9 7 4
♦ A 7 5 4 2
♣ Q

♠ A K J 5 3
♥ A Q 3
♦ K Q 6
♣ J 7

Shape 1426 4351 5332 3334 HCP 11 6 20 3 Losers 6 9 5 11

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

51 boards f

3B9E81A361C651D8C8CD87DB0088

Board 6

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 3

♥ K 10 7 6 5 3 2

♦ 10 5

♣ Q 5 4

♠ 10 8 7 6 4

♥ —

♦ 8 7 4 2

♣ 8 7 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ J 9

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ K Q J 9 3

♣ A 10

♠ A K Q 5 2

♥ Q J

♦ A 6

♣ K J 9 6

Shape 1723 2452 5224 5044 HCP 5 15 20 0 Losers 7 6 5 9

West North East South

EPBot *EPBot* *EPBot* *EPBot*

1 ♠

Pass 3 ♥¹ Pass 4 ♥

Pass Pass Pass

1. Weak Jump Shifts 3

4 ♥ by North

Made 5 — NS +650

56 boards f

39A9863094CC89D34C77724728A4

Board 7

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 3
♥ K 10 9 7 4
♦ Q 8 5
♣ 8 6 4

♠ 10 8
♥ Q 6 5
♦ 10 7
♣ Q J 10 7 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 7 6 5 4
♥ J 8
♦ K J 6 4 2
♣ K 5

♠ A K J 9 2
♥ A 3 2
♦ A 9 3
♣ A 9

Shape 2533 4252 5332 2326 HCP 7 8 20 5 Losers 9 8 6 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +400

64 boards f

4892A39B89C14745F6B858DED82C

Board 8

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 2
♥ J 10 9 8
♦ Q J 6 5 3
♣ K Q 9

♠ 10 7 4 3
♥ 7 6
♦ 9 8 7
♣ 6 5 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 9 8 5
♥ A Q 5 4 3
♦ 4 2
♣ A 7 4

♠ A K Q J 6
♥ K 2
♦ A K 10
♣ J 10 8

Shape 1453 3523 5233 4234 HCP 9 10 21 0 Losers 7 8 5 11

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +460

72 boards f

498BA58788C4B6C76A4F1160FC74

Board 9

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5
♥ A Q J 10 8 6
♦ 5 4
♣ A Q 8 6

♠ 10 8 3
♥ 9 3 2
♦ 6 3
♣ J 10 4 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 7 6 4 2
♥ 5
♦ K Q 10 9 8 2
♣ 9 7

♠ A K Q J 9
♥ K 7 4
♦ A J 7
♣ K 5

Shape 1624 4162 5332 3325 HCP 13 5 21 1 Losers 5 7 5 11

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 2. surplus
 3. Blackwood 0314, for !H
 4. A=0/5 or 3/5
 5. King ask by 5 NT
 6. K=2
- 6 ♥ by North
Made 7 — NS +1010

94 boards f

5AE590E76F1E7FD3D84027896B74

Board 10

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 10 5
♥ 6 4
♦ J 10 9
♣ Q J 9 8 5 3

♠ A Q 8 7
♥ 9 2
♦ K 8 6
♣ K 7 6 2

N
W E
S

♠ J 9 6 3 2
♥ K 10 8 7
♦ 7 4 3
♣ 10

♠ K 4
♥ A Q J 5 3
♦ A Q 5 2
♣ A 4

Shape 2236 5431 2542 4234 HCP 4 4 20 12 Losers 9 9 4 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Dbl	Pass	1 ♠	2 ♦
Pass	2 ♥	2 ♠	Pass
Pass	Pass		
2 ♠ by East			
Made 2 — NS -110			

98 boards f

6999A40D80AA175C2F8417F3DC64

Board 11

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 7 5

♥ Q J 6

♦ J 4

♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ 4 3
♥ 4
♦ Q 8 7 3
♣ K J 8 6 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 8 2
♥ A 9 8 5 3
♦ K 9 6 5 2
♣ 10

♠ A K J 10 6
♥ K 10 7 2
♦ A 10
♣ A Q

Shape 4324 2551 5422 2146 HCP 6 7 21 6 Losers 9 7 5 7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. !S queen no !H king no !C king no !D king
6 ♠ by South
Down 1 — NS -50

106 boards f

68B1A42AC96F677E4F610CF5D80C

Board 12

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5 2
♥ J 7 5 2
♦ Q J 3
♣ 10 9 7

♠ J 4 3
♥ A 8 4
♦ K 9 4
♣ K 5 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 10 9 8 7 6
♥ 3
♦ 10 8 7 5 2
♣ Q 8

♠ A K
♥ K Q 10 9 6
♦ A 6
♣ A J 6 4

Shape 3433 5152 2524 3334 HCP 6 2 21 11 Losers 10 9 4 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !H

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Down 1 — NS -50

117 boards f

79EEA92BF54C65C342378EDD0464

Board 13

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 6 3
♥ 10 8 7 5 3
♦ 8 7
♣ Q 8 6

♠ A J 8 4
♥ J 6
♦ A 10 5 4
♣ 10 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 10 9 7 2
♥ 4
♦ J 9 6 3 2
♣ A 7 5

♠ K 5
♥ A K Q 9 2
♦ K Q
♣ K J 9 4

Shape 3523 4153 2524 4243 HCP 4 5 21 10 Losers 9 9 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
1 ♥ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

122 boards f

78618794A9FF164F5386A7DB7CE8

Board 14

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9
♥ K 8 6
♦ J 4 2
♣ K 10 8 7 5 4

♠ 10 4 2
♥ 10 3
♦ K Q 9 6 5
♣ Q 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ A 8 7 3
♥ Q 9 7 4
♦ 10 8 3
♣ 9 6

♠ K Q J 6 5
♥ A J 5 2
♦ A 7
♣ A J

Shape 1336 4432 5422 3253 HCP 7 6 20 7 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +400

136 boards f

89A1CB21BEEA1A42D4D0D062E804

Board 15

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 2

♥ K 8 2

♦ A Q 8 6 5 4

♣ K

♠ K 10 7 6 5 3
♥ J
♦ J
♣ 7 6 5 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 8 4
♥ 9 7 6 5
♦ 7 2
♣ J 10 9 8 4

♠ A J
♥ A Q 10 4 3
♦ K 10 9 3
♣ A Q

Shape 3361 2425 2542 6115 HCP 14 1 20 5 Losers 6 10 5 7

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

1. limit raise or better in !H
2. Blackwood 0314, for !H
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(H)=0
4. King ask by 5 NT
5. K=1

7 ♥ by South

Made 7 — NS +1510

142 boards f

8AA503647E132AE80151336C19B8

Board 16

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 10 9 7 5 3

♥ K 7

♦ J 4

♣ K 10 5

♠ 8
♥ J 5 2
♦ K 10 7 6 5
♣ Q 8 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ Q J 6 4
♥ 10 6 3
♦ 9 8 3 2
♣ J 9

♠ A 2
♥ A Q 9 8 4
♦ A Q
♣ A 7 6 3

Shape 6223 4342 2524 1354 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 7 10 5 8

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

1. Fourth suit game force
3 N by South
Made 5 — NS +660

145 boards f

9A66ADE1CC653B867E386BDE3008

Board 17

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 6 3 2

♥ J 8 2

♦ K J 7 4

♣ 9 5

♠ Q J 4

♥ 9 7 6 3

♦ Q 3

♣ J 6 3 2



♠ A 10 7 5

♥ 4

♦ 9 6 5 2

♣ A 8 7 4

♠ K 8

♥ A K Q 10 5

♦ A 10 8

♣ K Q 10

Shape 4342 4144 2533 3424 HCP 5 8 21 6 Losers 10 8 4 10

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

3 ♥ by South

Made 4 — NS +170

150 boards f

9B4DAFE0961FB4DB55C6BE3882D4

Board 18

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 10 4
♥ A 6 3
♦ J 9 7 6 2
♣ K 10 8

♠ Q 8 6 2
♥ 9 5 4
♦ 8 4
♣ Q 9 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ A 7
♥ J 10 8 7 2
♦ Q 3
♣ J 6 5 3

♠ K J 9 5 3
♥ K Q
♦ A K 10 5
♣ A 7

Shape 2353 2524 5242 4324 HCP 8 8 20 4 Losers 9 9 5 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +630

170 boards f

A8A9E38A58F7270692665829BE74

Board 19

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 4

♥ Q 8

♦ A Q J 5 4

♣ K 10 9

♠ K 10
♥ 10 3 2
♦ 10 9 8 6 2
♣ J 5 2

N
W E
S

♠ J 6 5 2
♥ J 7 5
♦ 3
♣ Q 8 7 6 3

♠ A Q 7 3
♥ A K 9 6 4
♦ K 7
♣ A 4

Shape 3253 4315 4522 2353 HCP 12 4 20 4 Losers 8 9 4 10

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 7 — NS +520

173 boards f

A8612CBEA5AD523807C43E640E08

Board 20

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 7 5 3 2
♥ 7 6 3 2
♦ 8 2
♣ 7

♠ 6
♥ Q 8 5
♦ J 7 6 4
♣ K 8 6 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ A 9 4
♥ 9
♦ K Q 10 5 3
♣ Q 9 5 3

♠ Q J 10
♥ A K J 10 4
♦ A 9
♣ A J 10

Shape 6421 3154 3523 1345 HCP 3 11 20 6 Losers 8 6 6 8

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

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

180 boards f

BAAEAD34E84EF02E569D017BEC5C

Board 21

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 8 5

♥ 10 5

♦ A K 10 8 6 3 2

♣ 4

♠ J 9 3
♥ Q 9 4
♦ 9 5
♣ Q J 9 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 10 7 4 2
♥ 7 6 2
♦ J 4
♣ A 10 8 7

♠ A K 6
♥ A K J 8 3
♦ Q 7
♣ K 6 5

Shape 3271 4324 3523 3325 HCP 9 5 20 6 Losers 6 10 6 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for !D
4. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

6 ♦ by North

Made 6 — NS +1370

187 boards f

BA2719A5EB52C4684B0792C023F8

Board 22

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K 6 3

♥ 9 7 6 4

♦ —

♣ A J 7 6 3

♠ J 9 4 2

♥ 2

♦ 10 5 4 3

♣ 9 8 4 2



♠ 10 8 7

♥ K 10 5

♦ K J 8 7 2

♣ 10 5

♠ Q 5

♥ A Q J 8 3

♦ A Q 9 6

♣ K Q

Shape 4405 3352 2542 4144 HCP 12 7 20 1 Losers 6 9 5 10

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

1. Jacoby 2 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

199 boards f

C861996F00DD67FE5B55F8248828

Board 23

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 4 2

♥ J 3

♦ K 7 5 3 2

♣ Q 9 7

♠ 10 8 5

♥ 8 5

♦ 9 6 4

♣ J 5 4 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ A Q 9 7 6

♥ K 10 7 6

♦ Q 10 8

♣ 8

♠ K 3

♥ A Q 9 4 2

♦ A J

♣ A K 10 6

Shape 3253 5431 2524 3235 HCP 7 11 21 1 Losers 9 6 4 11

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

1. forcing 1 NT

3 N by North

Made 4 — NS +430

205 boards f

C881989D9420E60840FAB2484F4C

Board 24

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 8

♥ A 8 7 4 3 2

♦ K 8 6 4

♣ 3

♠ 9 6
♥ 6 5
♦ J 9
♣ K J 10 8 7 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ 7 4 3 2
♥ K Q J
♦ Q 3 2
♣ 9 6 5

♠ A K Q J 5
♥ 10 9
♦ A 10 7 5
♣ A Q

Shape 2641 4333 5242 2227 HCP 7 8 20 5 Losers 7 9 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	Pass	Pass	
3 ♦ by South			
Made 5 — NS +150			

211 boards f

DBAD0C7227E414115B7C8E3AE020

Board 25

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 9 8 4 2

♥ K 5

♦ J 10 9

♣ J 7

♠ 10 3
♥ Q 6 4
♦ 7 4
♣ K 10 9 6 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ Q 7 6
♥ 9 8 7
♦ Q 8 3 2
♣ Q 5 4

♠ A 5
♥ A J 10 3 2
♦ A K 6 5
♣ A 8

Shape 6232 3343 2542 2326 HCP 9 6 20 5 Losers 8 9 5 8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. no !S queen

5 ♠ by North

Made 6 — NS +680

229 boards f

E9A089A77CEE24965F0F1BED17C4

Board 26

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 6 5 3

♥ K 6 2

♦ A

♣ Q 7 6 5 3

♠ 10 4 2

♥ J

♦ J 10 7 6 4

♣ A J 9 2



♠ J 7

♥ 8 7 5 3

♦ Q 9 8 3 2

♣ 10 8

♠ A K Q 8

♥ A Q 10 9 4

♦ K 5

♣ K 4

Shape 4315 2452 4522 3154 HCP 9 3 21 7 Losers 7 9 3 9

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

1. strong

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +980

239 boards f

E9B88AA187EA460F857C423434E4

Board 27

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 4 3
♥ K J 9 8 7 5
♦ Q 5
♣ J 8

♠ 10 2
♥ A 6 4 3
♦ 8 6
♣ A 6 4 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 9 6 5
♥ —
♦ J 9 7 4 3 2
♣ K 10 9 5

♠ A K Q J 7
♥ Q 10 2
♦ A K 10
♣ Q 7

Shape 3622 3064 5332 2425 HCP 7 4 21 8 Losers 9 8 5 8

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +420			

248 boards f

F9AD217F885F96EB32A773407C94

Board 28

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7
♥ J 4
♦ K 7 5 4
♣ Q 10 8 6 5

♠ 8
♥ Q 7 5 3
♦ A Q 10 3
♣ J 4 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ Q 10 5 4 3
♥ 10 9 2
♦ 9 6 2
♣ 9 7

♠ A J 9 6 2
♥ A K 8 6
♦ J 8
♣ A K

Shape 2245 5332 5422 1444 HCP 9 2 20 9 Losers 7 10 5 7

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 3 — NS +400

262 boards f

0BA1D52C923A36FF6A5FE7644CC4

Board 29

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 10 9

♥ 3 2

♦ K 9 5 4 2

♣ 8 6 5

♠ K 8 5 2

♥ 10 9 8

♦ 10 7

♣ Q 4 3 2



♠ 7 6 4 3

♥ K J 6

♦ A J

♣ J 10 9 7

♠ A J

♥ A Q 7 5 4

♦ Q 8 6 3

♣ A K

Shape 3253 4324 2542 4324 HCP 5 10 20 5 Losers 9 9 4 9

West North East South

EPBot *EPBot* *EPBot* *EPBot*

1 ♥

Pass Pass Pass

1 ♥ by South

Made 3 — NS +140

268 boards f

0B8521ABA47FF6EB98B75EF25300

Board 30

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 2
♥ A 2
♦ A J 9 6
♣ Q 10 8 6 3

♠ 9 8 4
♥ 10 9 6 4
♦ Q 8 7
♣ J 7 2

N
W E
S

♠ 10 5 3
♥ 7 5 3
♦ K 4 3 2
♣ 9 5 4

♠ A Q J 7 6
♥ K Q J 8
♦ 10 5
♣ A K

Shape 2245 3343 5422 3433 HCP 14 3 20 3 Losers 6 11 4 11

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

1. Quantitative 4 NT
6 N by North
Made 6 — NS +1440

269 boards f

08E3A287C2059CFF3EF89B11DE8C

Board 31

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 7 4

♥ Q J 10 2

♦ 6 5

♣ A Q 8 5

♠ A J 8 6 3

♥ 8 7 6

♦ Q 10

♣ 9 6 2



♠ —

♥ 9 5 4 3

♦ 9 8 7 3 2

♣ K J 7 3

♠ K Q 9 5 2

♥ A K

♦ A K J 4

♣ 10 4

Shape 3424 0454 5242 5323 HCP 9 4 20 7 Losers 8 8 4 10

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +480			

276 boards f

1AA598DF0D83DA5BE06B23C29CB4

Board 32

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 5
♥ J 10 4
♦ Q J 3
♣ Q 10 8 6 5

♠ Q 9 7 4
♥ 2
♦ 10 7 5 4
♣ K 7 3 2

♠	8	6			
♥	K	Q	9	8	3
♦	K	9	8	6	
♣	9	4			

♠ A K 10 3 2
♥ A 7 6 5
♦ A 2
♣ A J

Shape 2335 2542 5422 4144 HCP 7 8 20 5 Losers 9 7 5 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 4 — NS +630

281 boards f

1BAFE91584A8539B54DCE76B56C0

Board 33

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q
♥ J 2
♦ Q J 7 5 3
♣ A 9 8 5 4

♠ K 6 5 2
♥ —
♦ K 10 8 4
♣ J 10 7 6 2

N
W E
S

♠ 9 7 4 3
♥ Q 9 8 7 6 3
♦ 9 2
♣ 3

♠ A J 10 8
♥ A K 10 5 4
♦ A 6
♣ K Q

Shape 1255 4621 4522 4045 HCP 10 2 21 7 Losers 7 8 5 7

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

291 boards f

2B2EADD89791333AD657D4C49C8C

Board 34

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9 8

♥ 4 2

♦ J 7 6 5 4

♣ J 9 6

♠ Q 7 5 4

♥ 9 8

♦ Q 8

♣ Q 5 4 3 2



♠ 6

♥ Q J 10 7 6 5 3

♦ 10 9

♣ A 8 7

♠ K J 10 3 2

♥ A K

♦ A K 3 2

♣ K 10

Shape 3253 1723 5242 4225 HCP 6 7 21 6 Losers 10 7 4 8

West EPBot	North EPBot	East EPBot	South EPBot
			1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	3 ♣ ¹
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT ²
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper

2. surplus

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +680

294 boards f

2BEDA72BF29D76F0AF73C617E274

Board 35

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 4
♥ 5
♦ K 9 5 4 2
♣ K Q 7 6 4

♠ A J 8 5 3
♥ J 9 8 6 2
♦ Q
♣ 8 2

N
W E
S

♠ 9 6 2
♥ 10 4
♦ J 8 6 3
♣ J 9 5 3

♠ K 10 7
♥ A K Q 7 3
♦ A 10 7
♣ A 10

Shape 2155 3244 3532 5512 HCP 10 2 20 8 Losers 6 11 5 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

296 boards f

29A8B152EAFB87B050C011721498

Board 36

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 3

♥ 9 6

♦ K Q 8 7 6 5 4

♣ 10 9

♠ J 10 6
♥ K 10 8 4
♦ —
♣ A 8 7 6 3 2



♠ Q 7 4
♥ Q 7 5 3 2
♦ 9 3
♣ Q J 4

♠ A K 9 8 2
♥ A J
♦ A J 10 2
♣ K 5

Shape 2272 3523 5242 3406 HCP 5 7 20 8 Losers 7 8 5 7

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

1. Weak Jump Shifts 3
2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♦ by North

Down 1 — NS -50

303 boards f

29E96D8EC2FF90970E0087EA66E4

Board 37

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6
♥ Q J 7 6 5
♦ J 9 6
♣ 10 8 5

♠ A J 10 4 2
♥ 10
♦ K Q 10 7
♣ 9 6 2

N
W E
S

♠ K 3
♥ 9 8
♦ 8 5 3 2
♣ Q J 7 4 3

♠ Q 9 8 5
♥ A K 4 3 2
♦ A 4
♣ A K

Shape 2533 2245 4522 5143 HCP 4 6 20 10 Losers 10 8 4 7

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper
 2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
- 4 ♥ by South
Made 4 — NS +420

339 boards f

5B65BC6F89A79238F0C3A34344D0

Board 38

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8
♥ J 6 4 3
♦ A 10 3
♣ Q 10 6 5 4

♠ 7 6 2
♥ K 8 7
♦ J 8
♣ K 8 7 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ A Q 4 3
♥ 9 2
♦ 9 7 6 5 4 2
♣ 9

♠ K J 10 9 5
♥ A Q 10 5
♦ K Q
♣ A J

Shape 1435 4261 5422 3325 HCP 7 6 20 7 Losers 8 7 5 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT
4 ♥ by South
Made 5 — NS +650

353 boards f

6AADAE3774734B601EE9BA638340

Board 39

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 7
♥ 9 3 2
♦ A K 7
♣ Q 10 9 4 3

♠ 6
♥ Q J 10 5
♦ 10 8 4 3 2
♣ J 8 2

N
W E
S

♠ J 10 9 8 4 2
♥ 7
♦ 9 6 5
♣ K 7 5

♠ A K 5 3
♥ A K 8 6 4
♦ Q J
♣ A 6

Shape 2335 6133 4522 1453 HCP 11 4 21 4 Losers 8 9 5 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Blackwood 0314, for !H

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

4. no !H queen

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

357 boards f

69A58ABFD850A4E14722BE3214C0

Board 40

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 4 3

♥ K 72

◆ 10 8 6 4 2

♣ Q 7

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

N
W E
S

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

**♠ A K Q 9 5
♥ A 9 8 6
♦ K J
♣ A 8**

Shape 3352 2344 5422 3325 HCP 5 8 21 6 Losers 10 9 4 10

West <i>EPBot</i>	North <i>EPBot</i>	East <i>EPBot</i>	South <i>EPBot</i>
Pass	Pass	Dbl	1 ♠
Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass			Pass
2 ♠ by South			
Made 4 — NS +170			

365 boards f

68AD2298262A66B4721537401F04

Board 41

South Deals

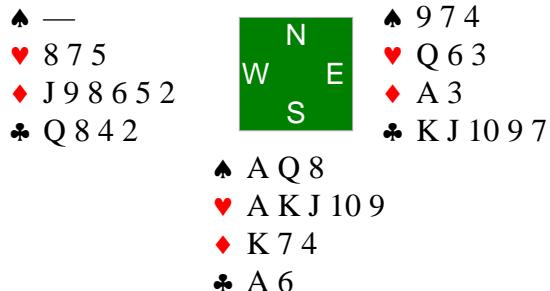
None Vul

♠ K J 10 6 5 3 2

♥ 4 2

♦ Q 10

♣ 5 3



Shape 7222 3325 3532 0364 HCP 6 10 21 3 Losers 8 8 5 8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Made 5 — NS +450

366 boards f

6A25A23FB7ECC32A13B98A9C7A78

Board 42

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q 8 7

♥ 9 5

♦ Q 10 4

♣ Q J 9 7

♠ 10 9
♥ Q J 6 3 2
♦ K 9 7
♣ 10 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ 3 2
♥ 7 4
♦ 8 6 5 3 2
♣ K 8 5 3

♠ K J 6 5 4
♥ A K 10 8
♦ A J
♣ A 6

Shape 4234 2254 5422 2533 HCP 11 3 20 6 Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for !S

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

378 boards f

78A861EA9ACBE74CD826995680D8

Board 43

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6
♥ 10 8 3
♦ A Q J 10 7 5 2
♣ 10 9

♠ Q 10 9 7 2
♥ —
♦ 9 6 4
♣ A 8 7 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ K 8 4
♥ J 7 5 4 2
♦ 8
♣ Q J 6 4

♠ A J 5 3
♥ A K Q 9 6
♦ K 3
♣ K 5

Shape 1372 3514 4522 5035 HCP 7 7 20 6 Losers 7 8 4 7

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

1. Michaels Cuebid

2. Blackwood 0314, for !D

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 N by South

Made 6 — NS +990

399 boards f

8989959F083C26C6A405459C37CC

Board 44

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 10 9 6 3

♥ A J 8 6 5 2

♦ —

♣ Q 3

♠ 8 2
♥ 10 3
♦ Q 10 4 2
♣ J 10 7 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ 5
♥ K Q 4
♦ K 9 8 7 6 5 3
♣ 9 8

♠ A K Q 7 4
♥ 9 7
♦ A J
♣ A K 6 5

Shape 5602 1372 5224 2245 HCP 8 8 21 3 Losers 7 6 4 9

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
Pass	4 ♠	Pass	1 ♠
Pass			Pass
4 ♠ by South			
Made 6 — NS +480			

404 boards f

9AB59F8790ED3A90DF47427EE9DC

Board 45

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9
♥ Q 6 5
♦ K 10 7 4 2
♣ K Q 7 6

♠ 10 7 3 2
♥ A 9 4
♦ J 8 5
♣ J 8 2

N
W E
S

♠ 6 5 4
♥ K J 8 7 2
♦ 9 3
♣ 9 5 4

♠ A K Q J 8
♥ 10 3
♦ A Q 6
♣ A 10 3

Shape 1354 3523 5233 4333 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 6 10 5 11

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 5 — NS +660

426 boards f

A8A399596AEED480D8A74A28783C

Board 46

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4 2

♥ 8 5

♦ K Q J 7 5 4 3

♣ A 6

♠ 10 9 7
♥ 3 2
♦ 9 6
♣ 9 8 7 4 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ Q J 5 3
♥ K Q 9 7
♦ 10 2
♣ J 10 5

♠ A K 8 6
♥ A J 10 6 4
♦ A 8
♣ K Q

Shape 2272 4423 4522 3226 HCP 10 9 21 0 Losers 6 8 5 10

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

1. forcing 1 NT
2. Blackwood 0314, for !D
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(D)=1

6 N by North

Made 6 — NS +990

432 boards f

B8A8A03343C85D4766EFD13F5624

Board 47

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 4 2
♥ J 10 8
♦ A 10
♣ Q J 8 6 4

♠ 10 6 5
♥ Q 4
♦ 8 7 3 2
♣ A K 10 2

N
W E
S

♠ J 9 8 7 3
♥ 9 5 3
♦ 9 6 4
♣ 7 3

♠ A K
♥ A K 7 6 2
♦ K Q J 5
♣ 9 5

Shape 3325 5332 2542 3244 HCP 10 1 20 9 Losers 8 11 4 9

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

1. forcing 1 NT

2. Cue bid, a !S stopper

3. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

440 boards f

B9A18A34A7FBFE4657E7B28D1038

Board 48

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 3 2
♥ K 8 4
♦ A 5 3
♣ J 10 7 6

♠ 10 9 6
♥ Q 10 9 5 2
♦ 9 4
♣ Q 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 8 7
♥ 7 3
♦ Q J 8 7 6
♣ K 9 8 5

♠ A K J 5 4
♥ A J 6
♦ K 10 2
♣ A 4

Shape 3334 2254 5332 3523 HCP 10 6 20 4 Losers 9 8 6 9

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

1. Cue bid, a !C stopper
2. Cue bid, a !D stopper
3. Cue bid, a !H stopper
4. Cue bid, a !H stopper

4 ♠ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

442 boards f

B8E0AB99658A6A187858E2304F74

Board 49

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4

103

◆ K O 109876

♣ K 3

**♠ A 5
♥ 7 4 2
♦ J 2
♣ A 8 7 6 4 2**

A small green rectangular box containing a white compass rose. The rose has four points: 'N' at the top, 'S' at the bottom, 'E' at the right, and 'W' at the left.

♠ J 9 7 6 3 2
♥ Q 8 6
♦ 3
♣ 10 9 5

**♠ K Q 10
♥ A K J 9 5
♦ A 5 4
♣ Q J**

Shape 2272 6313 3532 2326 HCP 8 3 20 9 Losers 6 9 6 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT
2. Cue bid, a !H stopper

5 ♦ by North

Made 5 = NS +400

446 boards f

BAA997BB33C9EF538B1139BBD478

Board 50

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 6 5

107

◆ 9

♦ K Q J 9 8 7 4

♠ 10 9 3
♥ Q J 5 4 2
♦ J 8 6
♣ 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ 8 2
♥ K 8 6 3
♦ A Q 10 7 5 4 2

♠ A K Q 7 4
♥ A 9
♦ K 3
♣ A 10 6 5

Shape 3217 2470 5224 3532 HCP 7 9 20 4 Losers 7 5 4 10

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

1. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Made 6 = NS +680

462 boards f

CAA516CB27029B4462FF21E2FBD8

Board 51

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 10 5

♥ Q 10 8

♦ 6

♣ Q J 9 6 3

♠ Q 6 4 3 2

♥ 6 3

♦ 10 7 5 4

♣ 8 2



♠ 8 7

♥ K 9 2

♦ Q 9 3 2

♣ K 10 7 4

♠ A 9

♥ A J 7 5 4

♦ A K J 8

♣ A 5

Shape 4315 2344 2542 5242 HCP 9 8 21 2 Losers 7 8 5 9

West <i>EPBot</i>	North <i>EPBot</i>	East <i>EPBot</i>	South <i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♥
Pass	2 ♥	Pass	4 NT ¹
Pass	5 ♣ ²	Pass	5 ♦
Pass	5 ♠ ³	Pass	6 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	
	1. Blackwood 0314, for !H		
	2. A=0/5 or 3/5		
	3. !H queen and !S king		
	6 ♥ by South		
	Made 6 — NS +1430		

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

6 ♥ by South

Made 6 — NS +1430

467 boards f

DBA56CC76998D494331E136164C8

Board 52

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6 5
♥ Q 2
♦ A Q 9 8 3
♣ Q 7 5

♠ Q 9 2
♥ 7
♦ J 10 2
♣ K 10 9 8 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ K J 4 3
♥ 10 9 8 6 5
♦ 7 5 4
♣ 6

♠ A 10 8
♥ A K J 4 3
♦ K 6
♣ A J 4

Shape 3253 4531 3523 3136 HCP 10 4 20 6 Losers 8 9 6 8

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

1. forcing 1 NT
3 N by North
Made 6 — NS +690

470 boards f

DB93ADB1DF8EAB16F3D742F474CC

Board 53

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8

♥ 10 5 2

♦ 8 6 4 3

♣ A J 9 7 6

♠ J 7 6 4 2

♥ Q 7 4 3

♦ 9

♣ 4 3 2



♠ 5 3

♥ A J 8 6

♦ A Q 7 5

♣ 10 8 5

♠ A K Q 10 9

♥ K 9

♦ K J 10 2

♣ K Q

Shape 1345 2443 5242 5413 HCP 5 11 21 3 Losers 9 8 4 9

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

3 N by South

Made 3 — NS +600

471 boards f

D89DAFE0A70A7948C9D0D7DC9F98

Board 54

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10

♥ 10 8 7

♦ 10 9 8 7 2

♣ K J 5 3

♠ Q 7 6 5 4

♥ 9

♦ J 5

♣ Q 8 6 4 2



♠ 9 8

♥ A 6 5 4 3 2

♦ A K 4 3

♣ 10

♠ A K J 3 2

♥ K Q J

♦ Q 6

♣ A 9 7

Shape 1354 2641 5323 5125 HCP 4 11 20 5 Losers 9 6 6 7

West	North	East	South
<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>	<i>EPBot</i>
			1 ♠
Pass	Pass	2 ♥	2 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	
2 N by South			
Made 2 — NS +120			

480 boards f

E8E0ADC9C3522F36E640DA2AFF8C

Board 55

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 4
♥ Q J 6 2
♦ Q 5 4
♣ J 9 3

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

♠ K 2
♥ A K 9 7 4
♦ A J 10 6
♣ K Q

Shape 3433 2245 2542 6223 HCP 6 3 20 11 Losers 10 9 5 7

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

4 ♥ by South
Made 4 — NS +420

487 boards f

E8E1936B7F0E27CAD42575DF4DA4

Board 56

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 10 9 6
♥ 10 8 3
♦ Q 8
♣ K Q J 9 4

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

♠ K 2
♥ A Q 9 6 2
♦ A K
♣ A 6 5 3

N
W E
S

Shape 3325 4342 2524 4252 HCP 8 7 20 5 Losers 9 9 4 9

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

1. Cue bid, a !S stopper
2. Cue bid, a !C stopper
3. Cue bid, a !D stopper
4. Cue bid, a !D stopper

4 ♥ by South

Made 5 — NS +450

488 boards f

E9990DA39510CD3ABFC3145EE6B4

Board 57

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 10 8 5

♥ K 9 6

♦ Q 10 6

♣ Q 7 6

♠ 9 6 3

♥ 8 7 2

♦ K 9 7 4

♣ 10 5 2

N
W E
S

♠ 4

♥ A J 10 5 4

♦ J 5 3 2

♣ 8 4 3

♠ A Q J 7 2

♥ Q 3

♦ A 8

♣ A K J 9

Shape 4333 1543 5224 3343 HCP 10 6 21 3 Losers 8 9 5 11

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

1. surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for !S

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Made 6 — NS +980