

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 1	♠ K10653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A103	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK52	

Board: 2	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ743	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 1086	

Board: 3	♠ AKQJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ9542	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ 7	

Board: 4	♠ J1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: Both	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ8754	

Board: 5	♠ AK973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K73	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ96	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ K10653  
♥ A103  
♦ 6  
♣ AK52

South:  
♠ J9  
♥ KQ42  
♦ AQ84  
♣ 974

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 2  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ A7  
♥ K  
♦ AKQJ743  
♣ 1086

South:  
♠ K52  
♥ AQ8732  
♦ 9  
♣ AQ9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 3  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
♠ AKQJ9  
♥ AQ9542  
♦ K  
♣ 7

South:  
♠ 7  
♥ KJ10  
♦ Q10532  
♣ AKJ9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 4  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J1075  
♥ Q2  
♦ K  
♣ AQ8754

South:  
♠ AKQ62  
♥ AJ3  
♦ J976  
♣ 9

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

1. Cue bid, surplus  
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 5

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AK973

♥ K73

♦ J

♣ AQ96

South:

♠ 4

♥ Q104

♦ AK8643

♣ K75

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 1	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ42	
Vul: None	♦ AQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 974	

Board: 2	♠ K52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ8732	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ9	

Board: 3	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10532	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ9	

Board: 4	♠ AKQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ J976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 9	

Board: 5	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q104	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8643	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K75	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ K10653  
♥ A103  
♦ 6  
♣ AK52

South:  
♠ J9  
♥ KQ42  
♦ AQ84  
♣ 974

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 2  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ A7  
♥ K  
♦ AKQJ743  
♣ 1086

South:  
♠ K52  
♥ AQ8732  
♦ 9  
♣ AQ9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 3  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
♠ AKQJ9  
♥ AQ9542  
♦ K  
♣ 7

South:  
♠ 7  
♥ KJ10  
♦ Q10532  
♣ AKJ9

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 4  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J1075  
♥ Q2  
♦ K  
♣ AQ8754

South:  
♠ AKQ62  
♥ AJ3  
♦ J976  
♣ 9

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

1. Cue bid, surplus  
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 5

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AK973

♥ K73

♦ J

♣ AQ96

South:

♠ 4

♥ Q104

♦ AK8643

♣ K75

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 6	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ982	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 4	

Board: 7	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8743	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK102	

Board: 8	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	
Vul: None	♦ QJ10543	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ5	

Board: 9	♠ A64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J93	

Board: 10	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ94	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K2	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A86

♥ KJ982

♦ KQ104

♣ 4

South:

♠ KQ10

♥ A

♦ 983

♣ AQ8653

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 7

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 7♣ S

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ K8743

♦ K

♣ AK102

South:

♠ J4

♥ A10

♦ AJ753

♣ QJ64

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

1. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 8

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A

♥ A86

♦ QJ10543

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ KQ106

♥ KQ973

♦ A

♣ A83

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 9

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A64

♥ 8

♦ AKJ963

♣ J93

South:

♠ K75

♥ KQJ53

♦ Q

♣ Q872

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	AP	



Board: 10  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ 2  
♥ AQJ94  
♦ KQJ82  
♣ K2

South:  
♠ AKQ853  
♥ 5  
♦ A10  
♣ A1086

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

1. Fourth suit game force

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 6	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ 983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ8653	

Board: 7	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ753	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ64	

Board: 8	♠ KQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ973	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A83	

Board: 9	♠ K75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ53	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q872	

Board: 10	♠ AKQ853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A1086	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A86

♥ KJ982

♦ KQ104

♣ 4

South:

♠ KQ10

♥ A

♦ 983

♣ AQ8653

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 7

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 7♣ S

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ K8743

♦ K

♣ AK102

South:

♠ J4

♥ A10

♦ AJ753

♣ QJ64

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

1. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 8

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A

♥ A86

♦ QJ10543

♣ QJ5

South:

♠ KQ106

♥ KQ973

♦ A

♣ A83

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 9

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A64

♥ 8

♦ AKJ963

♣ J93

South:

♠ K75

♥ KQJ53

♦ Q

♣ Q872

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 10  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ 2  
♥ AQJ94  
♦ KQJ82  
♣ K2

South:  
♠ AKQ853  
♥ 5  
♦ A10  
♣ A1086

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

1. Fourth suit game force

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 11	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AK732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ7542	

Board: 12	♠ AQ875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ1095	

Board: 13	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ A985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A9832	

Board: 14	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: None	♦ AQ87642	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J10	

Board: 15	♠ K64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ 9742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ976	

Board: 16	♠ J43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ876	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 11			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: None	♠ A3	♠ KQ75	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♥ —	♥ AJ9543	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♦ AK732	♦ 4	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♦
Contract: 6N N	♣ AJ7542	♣ KQ	Pass	6NT	AP	
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 12			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ AQ875	♠ 9		1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 12	♥ Q10	♥ AK8653	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 17	♦ 10	♦ A76	Pass	4♥	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ N	♣ KJ1095	♣ AQ3	AP			

Board: 13			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♥
Vul: Both	♠ AJ4	♠ K973	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 17	♥ A	♥ KQJ87	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♦ A985	♦ KJ7	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S	♣ A9832	♣ K				

Board: 14			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ QJ	♠ AK653	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♥ KJ	♥ A5	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
South HCP: 18	♦ AQ87642	♦ 3	Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
Contract: 6N S	♣ J10	♣ AK743	AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			

Board: 15			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ K64	♠ A95				1♥
North HCP: 13	♥ A	♥ J10862	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 13	♦ 9742	♦ AK	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S	♣ AQ976	♣ J83				

Board: 16  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ J43  
♥ Q  
♦ KQ10  
♣ AKJ876

South:  
♠ AQ5  
♥ AKJ8642  
♦ A43  
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 11	♠ KQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9543	
Vul: None	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ	

Board: 12	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK8653	
Vul: NS	♦ A76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ3	

Board: 13	♠ K973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ87	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 14	♠ AK653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: None	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK743	

Board: 15	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10862	
Vul: NS	♦ AK	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J83	

Board: 16	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ8642	
Vul: EW	♦ A43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ —	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 11	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A3	♠ KQ75	Pass	2♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ AJ9543	Pass	3♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AK732	♦ 4	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ7542	♣ KQ	Pass	6NT	AP	5♦
Contract: 6N N						
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ875	♠ 9		1♠	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q10	♥ AK8653	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 10	♦ A76	Pass	4♥	Pass	6♣
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ1095	♣ AQ3	AP			
Contract: 6♣ N						

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ4	♠ K973				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ KQJ87	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 17	♦ A985	♦ KJ7	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ A9832	♣ K	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ	♠ AK653		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ KJ	♥ A5	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ87642	♦ 3	Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 18	♣ J10	♣ AK743	AP			
Contract: 6N S			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦			

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K64	♠ A95				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A	♥ J10862	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 9742	♦ AK	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ976	♣ J83				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 16  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ J43  
♥ Q  
♦ KQ10  
♣ AKJ876

South:  
♠ AQ5  
♥ AKJ8642  
♦ A43  
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 17	♠ KQ863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK43	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J54	

Board: 18	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ654	
Vul: NS	♦ A1063	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

Board: 19	♠ QJ632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9	
Vul: EW	♦ AK854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 20	♠ AQJ108763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 5	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 17  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
♠ KQ863  
♥ AK43  
♦ J  
♣ J54

South:  
♠ A54  
♥ 108  
♦ AQ743  
♣ K62

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. New Minor Forcing			
2. 3♠			
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			

Board: 18  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AJ2  
♥ KQ654  
♦ A1063  
♣ 2

South:  
♠ Q973  
♥ A  
♦ Q92  
♣ KQ973

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 19  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 5♠ N

North:  
♠ QJ632  
♥ K9  
♦ AK854  
♣ K

South:  
♠ 1085  
♥ AJ53  
♦ Q  
♣ AQ1082

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	5♠	AP	
1. New Minor Forcing			
2. 3♠			
3. Cue bid, surplus			
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 20  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6♠ N

North:  
♠ AQJ108763  
♥ A3  
♦ K3  
♣ 5

South:  
♠ 2  
♥ 9865  
♦ AJ2  
♣ AKQJ8

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 17	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108	
Vul: None	♦ AQ743	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K62	

Board: 18	♠ Q973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ Q92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ973	

Board: 19	♠ 1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ53	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1082	

Board: 20	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9865	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQJ8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 17  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
♠ KQ863  
♥ AK43  
♦ J  
♣ J54

South:  
♠ A54  
♥ 108  
♦ AQ743  
♣ K62

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♥ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠
AP			
1. New Minor Forcing			
2. 3♠			
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper			

Board: 18  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AJ2  
♥ KQ654  
♦ A1063  
♣ 2

South:  
♠ Q973  
♥ A  
♦ Q92  
♣ KQ973

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	3NT	AP	3♠

Board: 19  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 5♠ N

North:  
♠ QJ632  
♥ K9  
♦ AK854  
♣ K

South:  
♠ 1085  
♥ AJ53  
♦ Q  
♣ AQ1082

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>4</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	5♠	AP	
1. New Minor Forcing			
2. 3♠			
3. Cue bid, surplus			
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 20  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6♠ N

North:  
♠ AQJ108763  
♥ A3  
♦ K3  
♣ 5

South:  
♠ 2  
♥ 9865  
♦ AJ2  
♣ AKQJ8

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♠	AP	
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 21	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ9	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K10985	

Board: 22	♠ KQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 832	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ	

Board: 23	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ65	
Vul: Both	♦ J975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ5	

Board: 24	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1092	
Vul: None	♦ 954	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ6	

Board: 25	♠ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ65	
Vul: EW	♦ K9532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 26	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ54	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q52	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 18  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
 ♠ A86  
 ♥ AQJ9  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ K10985

South:  
 ♠ KQ  
 ♥ 10763  
 ♦ KQJ3  
 ♣ J42

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 22  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
 ♠ KQ74  
 ♥ 832  
 ♦ QJ32  
 ♣ KJ

South:  
 ♠ J62  
 ♥ AQ104  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ Q9732

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
AP			

Board: 23  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6N S

North:  
 ♠ J  
 ♥ AKQ65  
 ♦ J975  
 ♣ KQ5

South:  
 ♠ AK864  
 ♥ J2  
 ♦ AQ10  
 ♣ A87

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 24  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 19  
 Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
 ♠ 43  
 ♥ K1092  
 ♦ 954  
 ♣ AKQ6

South:  
 ♠ AKQ752  
 ♥ AJ  
 ♦ AJ32  
 ♣ 9

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠



Board: 25  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ S

North:	South:
♠ AQ84	♠ J9
♥ AQ65	♥ KJ104
♦ K9532	♦ Q7
♣ —	♣ AK854

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 26  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N N

North:	South:
♠ 82	♠ KJ654
♥ KQJ10	♥ A76
♦ KJ54	♦ Q
♣ Q52	♣ AJ87

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

1. New Minor Forcing

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 21	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10763	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J42	

Board: 22	♠ J62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ104	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q9732	

Board: 23	♠ AK864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J2	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A87	

Board: 24	♠ AKQ752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ AJ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ 9	

Board: 25	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ104	
Vul: EW	♦ Q7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK854	

Board: 26	♠ KJ654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A76	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ87	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 21  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 18  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
 ♠ A86  
 ♥ AQJ9  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ K10985

South:  
 ♠ KQ  
 ♥ 10763  
 ♦ KQJ3  
 ♣ J42

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 22  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
 ♠ KQ74  
 ♥ 832  
 ♦ QJ32  
 ♣ KJ

South:  
 ♠ J62  
 ♥ AQ104  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ Q9732

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
AP			

Board: 23  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6N S

North:  
 ♠ J  
 ♥ AKQ65  
 ♦ J975  
 ♣ KQ5

South:  
 ♠ AK864  
 ♥ J2  
 ♦ AQ10  
 ♣ A87

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 24  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 19  
 Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
 ♠ 43  
 ♥ K1092  
 ♦ 954  
 ♣ AKQ6

South:  
 ♠ AKQ752  
 ♥ AJ  
 ♦ AJ32  
 ♣ 9

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 25  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ S

North:	South:
♠ AQ84	♠ J9
♥ AQ65	♥ KJ104
♦ K9532	♦ Q7
♣ —	♣ AK854

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 26  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N N

North:	South:
♠ 82	♠ KJ654
♥ KQJ10	♥ A76
♦ KJ54	♦ Q
♣ Q52	♣ AJ87

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

1. New Minor Forcing

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 27	♠ KJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q873	
Vul: None	♦ KJ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

Board: 28	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 762	
Vul: NS	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ943	

Board: 29	♠ KQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 3	
Vul: Both	♦ Q964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ10	

Board: 30	♠ KQ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A53	
Vul: None	♦ AQ942	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 31	♠ KQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ10962	
Vul: NS	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	

Board: 32	♠ K1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: EW	♦ A984	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ3	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ62	♠ A105				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q873	♥ A1095	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ73	♦ Q92	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A	♣ KJ6				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ J65		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 762	♥ A9843	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ Q5	♦ A1093	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ943	♣ A				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ8	♠ A7				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ A109865	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ Q964	♦ KJ2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ10	♣ 32				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ754	♠ A		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ A53	♥ Q1086	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ942	♦ K10	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ —	♣ AKQ853				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ5	♠ A1094				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ KJ10962	♥ 4	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ J5	♦ K102	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q	♣ AK983				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 32

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K1052

♥ J6

♦ A984

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ J6

♥ AQ1075

♦ Q

♣ A9854

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 27	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1095	
Vul: None	♦ Q92	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ6	

Board: 28	♠ J65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9843	
Vul: NS	♦ A1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A	

Board: 29	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A109865	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 32	

Board: 30	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1086	
Vul: None	♦ K10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ853	

Board: 31	♠ A1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ K102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK983	

Board: 32	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1075	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A9854	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ62	♠ A105				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q873	♥ A1095	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ73	♦ Q92	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A	♣ KJ6				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 28	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ J65		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 762	♥ A9843	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ Q5	♦ A1093	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ943	♣ A				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ8	♠ A7				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 3	♥ A109865	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ Q964	♦ KJ2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AKJ10	♣ 32				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ754	♠ A		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ A53	♥ Q1086	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AQ942	♦ K10	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ —	♣ AKQ853				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ5	♠ A1094				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ KJ10962	♥ 4	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ J5	♦ K102	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q	♣ AK983				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 32

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K1052

♥ J6

♦ A984

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ J6

♥ AQ1075

♦ Q

♣ A9854

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 33	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1072	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ7632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 34	♠ K7543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1085	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 35	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10953	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQJ84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K72	

Board: 36	♠ AKQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: Both	♦ K63	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 853	

Board: 37	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ K65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ974	

Board: 38	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8762	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J10	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AK632				1♠
Vul: None	♥ A1072	♥ QJ9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ7632	♦ 109	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ Q	♣ KJ5	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 34	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7543	♠ A		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ AJ1085	♥ K6	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ	♦ AQ9654	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ A	♣ J863				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ K9762				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 10953	♥ K72	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQJ84	♦ 63	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K72	♣ AQ8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 36	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ5	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ 109	♥ AQ86	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ K63	♦ Q1092	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 853	♣ AQJ9				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 37	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ4	♠ A93				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 9	♥ AKJ42	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K65	♦ Q932	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AKJ974	♣ Q				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 38  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♥ S

North:  
♠ A4  
♥ 8762  
♦ AKJ104  
♣ J10

South:  
♠ J932  
♥ AK53  
♦ —  
♣ AKQ53

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 33	♠ AK632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ9	
Vul: None	♦ 109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ5	

Board: 34	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ9654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J863	

Board: 35	♠ K9762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K72	
Vul: EW	♦ 63	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ8	

Board: 36	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ86	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 37	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ42	
Vul: NS	♦ Q932	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q	

Board: 38	♠ J932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK53	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ53	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AK632				1♠
Vul: None	♥ A1072	♥ QJ9	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ7632	♦ 109	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ Q	♣ KJ5	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 34	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K7543	♠ A		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ AJ1085	♥ K6	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KJ	♦ AQ9654	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ A	♣ J863				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 35	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ K9762				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 10953	♥ K72	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AKQJ84	♦ 63	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K72	♣ AQ8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 36	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ5	♠ 8		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ 109	♥ AQ86	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ K63	♦ Q1092	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ 853	♣ AQJ9				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 37	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ4	♠ A93				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 9	♥ AKJ42	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K65	♦ Q932	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ AKJ974	♣ Q				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 38  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♥ S

North:  
♠ A4  
♥ 8762  
♦ AKJ104  
♣ J10

South:  
♠ J932  
♥ AK53  
♦ —  
♣ AKQ53

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 39	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ72	
Vul: Both	♦ AK986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 8	

Board: 40	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ94	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1053	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ82	

Board: 41	♠ A103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ874	
Vul: EW	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ109	

Board: 42	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J74	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ987	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ9	

Board: 43	♠ Q7432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ102	
Vul: None	♦ A108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	

Board: 44	♠ 94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q643	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ832	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 39

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ AQ72

♦ AK986

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q752

♥ 64

♦ 72

♣ AKQJ6

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♣

Pass 2♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 3♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 40

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ —

♥ KQ94

♦ AJ1053

♣ KQ82

South:

♠ AQ108542

♥ —

♦ K

♣ AJ1054

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 6♣

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 41

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A103

♥ AQ874

♦ 10

♣ AQ109

South:

♠ KQ

♥ 95

♦ AQ743

♣ K875

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 3NT Pass 2♣

Pass AP

Board: 42

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 92

♥ J74

♦ AJ987

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ AKQ1074

♥ 96

♦ 6

♣ KJ72

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 43

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q7432

♥ AJ102

♦ A108

♣ Q

South:

♠ KJ

♥ Q7

♦ Q942

♣ AJ974

West North East South

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 44  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 7♥ S

North:  
♠ 94  
♥ Q643  
♦ A9  
♣ AQ832

South:  
♠ A72  
♥ AKJ52  
♦ KQJ10  
♣ J

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	6♣	Pass	7♥
AP			
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
2. King ask by 5NT			

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 39	♠ Q752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 64	
Vul: Both	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQJ6	

Board: 40	♠ AQ108542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ1054	

Board: 41	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ743	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K875	

Board: 42	♠ AKQ1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ72	

Board: 43	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7	
Vul: None	♦ Q942	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ974	

Board: 44	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ52	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ J	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 39

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ AQ72

♦ AK986

♣ 8

South:

♠ Q752

♥ 64

♦ 72

♣ AKQJ6

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♣

Pass 2♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 3♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 40

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♣ N

North:

♠ —

♥ KQ94

♦ AJ1053

♣ KQ82

South:

♠ AQ108542

♥ —

♦ K

♣ AJ1054

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♥<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2NT Pass 6♣

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 41

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A103

♥ AQ874

♦ 10

♣ AQ109

South:

♠ KQ

♥ 95

♦ AQ743

♣ K875

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 42

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 92

♥ J74

♦ AJ987

♣ AQ9

South:

♠ AKQ1074

♥ 96

♦ 6

♣ KJ72

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 43

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q7432

♥ AJ102

♦ A108

♣ Q

South:

♠ KJ

♥ Q7

♦ Q942

♣ AJ974

West North East South

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 44  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 7♥ S

North:  
♠ 94  
♥ Q643  
♦ A9  
♣ AQ832

South:  
♠ A72  
♥ AKJ52  
♦ KQJ10  
♣ J

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>
Pass	6♣	Pass	7♥
AP			
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
2. King ask by 5NT			

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 45	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K75	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ985	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ92	

Board: 46	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 42	
Vul: None	♦ A632	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1092	

Board: 47	♠ K10832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

Board: 48	♠ AQ974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 54	
Vul: EW	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK75	

Board: 49	♠ AJ964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q7653	
Vul: None	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AK97652				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ K75	♥ AJ6	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ985	♦ 2	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ92	♣ K6	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK4	♠ 10952		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ 42	♥ AKQJ6	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ A632	♦ K	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ J1092	♣ Q64	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10832	♠ AJ6				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ KJ	♥ Q52	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KQJ86	♦ 732	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 13	♣ J	♣ AQ82	Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 4♠ N			Pass	4♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4♠
			AP			

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3 ♠  
3. Cue bid, surplus  
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ974	♠ 5				
Vul: EW	♥ 54	♥ AK963		1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ J6	♦ AK542	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AK75	♣ J8	AP			
Contract: 3N N						



Board: 49

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ964

♥ Q7653

♦ AK

♣ 8

South:

♠ K102

♥ A4

♦ 93

♣ AKQ642

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♦	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 45	♠ AK97652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K6	

Board: 46	♠ 10952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ6	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q64	

Board: 47	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q52	
Vul: NS	♦ 732	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ82	

Board: 48	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK963	
Vul: EW	♦ AK542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J8	

Board: 49	♠ K102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ642	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 45	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10	♠ AK97652				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ K75	♥ AJ6	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ985	♦ 2	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ92	♣ K6	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK4	♠ 10952		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ 42	♥ AKQJ6	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ A632	♦ K	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ J1092	♣ Q64	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10832	♠ AJ6				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ KJ	♥ Q52	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KQJ86	♦ 732	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 13	♣ J	♣ AQ82	Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 4♠ N			Pass	4♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4♠
			AP			

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3 ♠  
3. Cue bid, surplus  
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ974	♠ 5				
Vul: EW	♥ 54	♥ AK963		1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ J6	♦ AK542	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AK75	♣ J8	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 49

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ964

♥ Q7653

♦ AK

♣ 8

South:

♠ K102

♥ A4

♦ 93

♣ AKQ642

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♦	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 50	♠ KJ752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ K954	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK94	

Board: 51	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ102	

Board: 52	♠ AQJ1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q72	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K3	

Board: 53	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ93	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ106	

Board: 54	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9742	
Vul: EW	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1075	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 50  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ752  
♥ —  
♦ K954  
♣ AK94

South:  
♠ Q  
♥ AKQ1052  
♦ AQ1083  
♣ 3

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 51  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ K83  
♥ 8  
♦ AQ974  
♣ KQ102

South:  
♠ AJ6  
♥ AQJ7543  
♦ 86  
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 52  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQJ1043  
♥ Q72  
♦ K7  
♣ K3

South:  
♠ 8  
♥ A853  
♦ AQ104  
♣ AJ86

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 53  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
♠ A102  
♥ AQJ93  
♦ 2  
♣ KJ106

South:  
♠ K54  
♥ 1065  
♦ AQJ6  
♣ A72

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

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♥
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 54  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AJ  
♥ A9742  
♦ 74  
♣ K1075

South:  
♠ KQ62  
♥ —  
♦ AQ1095  
♣ AQ93

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 50	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ1052	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 3	

Board: 51	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ7543	
Vul: EW	♦ 86	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 7	

Board: 52	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A853	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ86	

Board: 53	♠ K54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1065	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A72	

Board: 54	♠ KQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ93	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 50  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ752  
♥ —  
♦ K954  
♣ AK94

South:  
♠ Q  
♥ AKQ1052  
♦ AQ1083  
♣ 3

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 51  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ K83  
♥ 8  
♦ AQ974  
♣ KQ102

South:  
♠ AJ6  
♥ AQJ7543  
♦ 86  
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 52  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQJ1043  
♥ Q72  
♦ K7  
♣ K3

South:  
♠ 8  
♥ A853  
♦ AQ104  
♣ AJ86

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 53  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
♠ A102  
♥ AQJ93  
♦ 2  
♣ KJ106

South:  
♠ K54  
♥ 1065  
♦ AQJ6  
♣ A72

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

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♥
3. Blackwood 0314, for♥

Board: 54  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AJ  
♥ A9742  
♦ 74  
♣ K1075

South:  
♠ KQ62  
♥ —  
♦ AQ1095  
♣ AQ93

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 55	♠ AKQ852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ 964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Board: 56	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK762	
Vul: None	♦ KJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q432	

Board: 57	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AK653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ9754	

Board: 58	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ10954	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q3	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 55  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 6♠ N

North:  
♠ AKQ852  
♥ AJ2  
♦ 964  
♣ A

South:  
♠ J74  
♥ K3  
♦ A52  
♣ KJ865

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT <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♦	Pass	5♥
Pass	5NT	Pass	6♠
			AP

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
6. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
7. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 56  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ J  
♥ AK762  
♦ KJ8  
♣ Q432

South:  
♠ K965  
♥ J  
♦ AQ107  
♣ AK95

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♣	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 57  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J6  
♥ —  
♦ AK653  
♣ AQ9754

South:  
♠ AK52  
♥ AQ1054  
♦ J4  
♣ 83

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
			AP

Board: 58  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ KQ4  
♥ J9  
♦ KQ10954  
♣ Q3

South:  
♠ A85  
♥ AQ653  
♦ A  
♣ 10962

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
			AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 55	♠ J74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K3	
Vul: Both	♦ A52	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ865	

Board: 56	♠ K965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ AQ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK95	

Board: 57	♠ AK52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1054	
Vul: EW	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 83	

Board: 58	♠ A85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ653	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10962	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 55  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 6♠ N

North:  
♠ AKQ852  
♥ AJ2  
♦ 964  
♣ A

South:  
♠ J74  
♥ K3  
♦ A52  
♣ KJ865

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	2NT <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♦	Pass	5♥
Pass	5NT	Pass	6♠
			AP

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, surplus
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
6. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
7. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 56  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ J  
♥ AK762  
♦ KJ8  
♣ Q432

South:  
♠ K965  
♥ J  
♦ AQ107  
♣ AK95

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♣	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 57  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J6  
♥ —  
♦ AK653  
♣ AQ9754

South:  
♠ AK52  
♥ AQ1054  
♦ J4  
♣ 83

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
			AP

Board: 58  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ KQ4  
♥ J9  
♦ KQ10954  
♣ Q3

South:  
♠ A85  
♥ AQ653  
♦ A  
♣ 10962

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
			AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 59	♠ KQ843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: None	♦ 8763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	

Board: 60	♠ AJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ96	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10753	

Board: 61	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ K97	

Board: 62	♠ 986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AK1095	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK976	

Board: 63	♠ A752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ K754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K432	

Board: 64	♠ AKQJ863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q87	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J4	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 59	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ843	♠ AJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AQ10	♥ 643	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 8763	♦ 54	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ Q	♣ AKJ832	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 60	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ43	♠ 1076		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ AKQJ96	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AKJ96	♦ 7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 10753	♣ K82				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 61	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AK642				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ	♥ 987	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 20	♦ AKQJ42	♦ 93	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K97	♣ AQ8	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	6NT
Contract: 6N S			AP			
			1. Quantitative 4NT			

Board: 62	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 986	♠ KJ4		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ AKJ94	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 14	♦ AK1095	♦ 6	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK976	♣ Q1085	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A752	♠ 104				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AQ10543	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ K754	♦ Q9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K432	♣ AQ7				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 64

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKQJ863

♥ Q87

♦ 5

♣ J4

South:

♠ 4

♥ A62

♦ QJ862

♣ AK52

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass

2♦

Pass

4♠

AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 59	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 643	
Vul: None	♦ 54	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ832	

Board: 60	♠ 1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ96	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K82	

Board: 61	♠ AK642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 987	
Vul: Both	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ8	

Board: 62	♠ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ94	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q1085	

Board: 63	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10543	
Vul: NS	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ7	

Board: 64	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A62	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK52	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 59	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ843	♠ AJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AQ10	♥ 643	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 8763	♦ 54	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ Q	♣ AKJ832	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 60	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ43	♠ 1076		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ —	♥ AKQJ96	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AKJ96	♦ 7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 10753	♣ K82				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 61	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 3	♠ AK642				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ	♥ 987	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 20	♦ AKQJ42	♦ 93	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K97	♣ AQ8	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	6NT
Contract: 6N S			AP			
			1. Quantitative 4NT			

Board: 62	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 986	♠ KJ4		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ —	♥ AKJ94	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 14	♦ AK1095	♦ 6	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK976	♣ Q1085	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A752	♠ 104				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AQ10543	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 13	♦ K754	♦ Q9	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K432	♣ AQ7				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 64

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKQJ863

♥ Q87

♦ 5

♣ J4

South:

♠ 4

♥ A62

♦ QJ862

♣ AK52

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass

2♦

Pass

4♠

AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 65	♠ K962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A94	

Board: 66	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A109	
Vul: NS	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ9762	

Board: 67	♠ J1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ106	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 68	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ87	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ9752	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A7	

Board: 69	♠ J83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ72	

Board: 70	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A87542	
Vul: EW	♦ J92	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K2	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K962	♠ QJ107				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J	♥ AKQ92	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ95	♦ —	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A94	♣ K852				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q	♠ A107543		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A109	♥ K84	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K82	♦ AQ4	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ9762	♣ 3				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1087	♠ Q9				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ106	♥ K2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ64	♦ K1097	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K	♣ AQ1096				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 68	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 7	♠ AK106		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ KJ87	♥ A1093	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ9752	♦ 3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ A7	♣ K1092	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Contract: 5♥ S			AP			

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 69	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J83	♠ K74				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AJ10862	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ32	♦ KJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ72	♣ 98	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 70

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ

♥ A87542

♦ J92

♣ K2

South:

♠ Q1052

♥ —

♦ AKQ1053

♣ A63

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 65	♠ QJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ92	
Vul: None	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K852	
Board: 66	♠ A107543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K84	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 3	
Board: 67	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: EW	♦ K1097	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ1096	
Board: 68	♠ AK106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1093	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K1092	
Board: 69	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10862	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 98	
Board: 70	♠ Q1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A63	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K962	♠ QJ107				1♥
Vul: None	♥ J	♥ AKQ92	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ95	♦ —	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A94	♣ K852				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q	♠ A107543		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A109	♥ K84	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K82	♦ AQ4	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ9762	♣ 3				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J1087	♠ Q9				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ106	♥ K2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ64	♦ K1097	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K	♣ AQ1096				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 68	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 7	♠ AK106		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ KJ87	♥ A1093	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ9752	♦ 3	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ A7	♣ K1092	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Contract: 5♥ S			AP			

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 69	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J83	♠ K74				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K	♥ AJ10862	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AQ32	♦ KJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ72	♣ 98	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 70

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ

♥ A87542

♦ J92

♣ K2

South:

♠ Q1052

♥ —

♦ AKQ1053

♣ A63

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 71	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ32	
Vul: Both	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ105	

Board: 72	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ106	
Vul: None	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQJ42	

Board: 73	♠ Q98543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K32	
Vul: EW	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK3	

Board: 74	♠ J74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ93	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q5	

Board: 75	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ1087	
Vul: None	♦ J1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q7	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ106  
♥ AJ32  
♦ 7  
♣ KQ105

South:  
♠ A  
♥ 108  
♦ AQJ10865  
♣ J83

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 72  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 5♠ S

North:  
♠ Q2  
♥ AQJ106  
♦ Q  
♣ AQJ42

South:  
♠ AK1085  
♥ 4  
♦ AKJ9654  
♣ —

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 73  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♠ N

North:  
♠ Q98543  
♥ K32  
♦ J  
♣ AK3

South:  
♠ AK7  
♥ 4  
♦ AKQ42  
♣ QJ105

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 74  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J74  
♥ QJ93  
♦ AQ52  
♣ Q5

South:  
♠ AQ953  
♥ K1086  
♦ —  
♣ A876

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♠
	AP		

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 75  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
♠ K  
♥ AKQ1087  
♦ J1074  
♣ Q7

South:  
♠ AQ872  
♥ J9  
♦ 2  
♣ AK952

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Splinter
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 71	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ10865	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J83	

Board: 72	♠ AK1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ9654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 73	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ42	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ QJ105	

Board: 74	♠ AQ953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1086	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A876	

Board: 75	♠ AQ872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J9	
Vul: None	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK952	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 71  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ106  
♥ AJ32  
♦ 7  
♣ KQ105

South:  
♠ A  
♥ 108  
♦ AQJ10865  
♣ J83

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 72  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 5♠ S

North:  
♠ Q2  
♥ AQJ106  
♦ Q  
♣ AQJ42

South:  
♠ AK1085  
♥ 4  
♦ AKJ9654  
♣ —

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 73  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♠ N

North:  
♠ Q98543  
♥ K32  
♦ J  
♣ AK3

South:  
♠ AK7  
♥ 4  
♦ AKQ42  
♣ QJ105

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 74  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J74  
♥ QJ93  
♦ AQ52  
♣ Q5

South:  
♠ AQ953  
♥ K1086  
♦ —  
♣ A876

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>3</sup>
Pass	3♦ <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♠
	AP		

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 75  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
♠ K  
♥ AKQ1087  
♦ J1074  
♣ Q7

South:  
♠ AQ872  
♥ J9  
♦ 2  
♣ AK952

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Splinter
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 76	♠ AQJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ Q97	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1097	

Board: 77	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9875	
Vul: Both	♦ AK873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 78	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ42	
Vul: None	♦ K1032	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 5	

Board: 79	♠ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ43	

Board: 80	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ432	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 873	

Board: 81	♠ AKJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK103	
Vul: None	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K432	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
♠ AQJ103  
♥ 4  
♦ Q97  
♣ A1097

South:  
♠ —  
♥ AQJ3  
♦ AJ54  
♣ K8654

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 77  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ J10  
♥ A9875  
♦ AK873  
♣ A

South:  
♠ KQ84  
♥ QJ2  
♦ Q62  
♣ K98

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 78  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♦ S

North:  
♠ Q2  
♥ AKQJ42  
♦ K1032  
♣ 5

South:  
♠ K65  
♥ —  
♦ AQJ85  
♣ KJ642

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♦	AP	

1. Splinter  
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 79  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQJ6  
♥ 6  
♦ Q82  
♣ AKQ43

South:  
♠ 832  
♥ AK972  
♦ A103  
♣ J6

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 80  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3♠ S

North:  
♠ —  
♥ AKJ9  
♦ KQJ432  
♣ 873

South:  
♠ AQ10982  
♥ 8  
♦ A  
♣ KQJ52

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠
AP			



Board: 81  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 7N S

North:  
♠ AKJ9  
♥ AK103  
♦ 8  
♣ K432

South:  
♠ 65  
♥ Q  
♦ AKQ1042  
♣ A1086

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	6♥	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

2. King ask by 5NT

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 76	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K8654	
Board: 77	♠ KQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ Q62	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K98	
Board: 78	♠ K65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ642	
Board: 79	♠ 832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK972	
Vul: NS	♦ A103	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J6	
Board: 80	♠ AQ10982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ52	
Board: 81	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ1042	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1086	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 76  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 5♣ S

North:  
♠ AQJ103  
♥ 4  
♦ Q97  
♣ A1097

South:  
♠ —  
♥ AQJ3  
♦ AJ54  
♣ K8654

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♣	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 77  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ J10  
♥ A9875  
♦ AK873  
♣ A

South:  
♠ KQ84  
♥ QJ2  
♦ Q62  
♣ K98

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 78  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♦ S

North:  
♠ Q2  
♥ AKQJ42  
♦ K1032  
♣ 5

South:  
♠ K65  
♥ —  
♦ AQJ85  
♣ KJ642

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	4♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♠ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	5♦	AP	

1. Splinter  
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 79  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQJ6  
♥ 6  
♦ Q82  
♣ AKQ43

South:  
♠ 832  
♥ AK972  
♦ A103  
♣ J6

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 80  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3♠ S

North:  
♠ —  
♥ AKJ9  
♦ KQJ432  
♣ 873

South:  
♠ AQ10982  
♥ 8  
♦ A  
♣ KQJ52

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠
AP			

Board: 81  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 7N S

North:  
♠ AKJ9  
♥ AK103  
♦ 8  
♣ K432

South:  
♠ 65  
♥ Q  
♦ AKQ1042  
♣ A1086

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	6♥	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

2. King ask by 5NT

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 82	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ94	
Vul: NS	♦ K62	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A752	

Board: 83	♠ A954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ43	

Board: 84	♠ A52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ109	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ92	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 8	

Board: 85	♠ AQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ A643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ43	

Board: 86	♠ Q763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 92	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ 3  
♥ AKQ94  
♦ K62  
♣ A752

South:  
♠ AQJ1062  
♥ —  
♦ AQ4  
♣ Q1043

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	6♣	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 83  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ A954  
♥ —  
♦ KJ85  
♣ AQJ43

South:  
♠ J6  
♥ AKQJ83  
♦ Q107  
♣ 95

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 84  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 5♠ S

North:  
♠ A52  
♥ AJ109  
♦ AQJ92  
♣ 8

South:  
♠ Q10876  
♥ Q54  
♦ 10  
♣ AKQ3

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

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 85  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQ74  
♥ 5  
♦ A643  
♣ AJ43

South:  
♠ K  
♥ AKJ42  
♦ J872  
♣ 952

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 86

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ Q763

♥ KJ8

♦ AKJ9

♣ 92

South:

♠ AJ54

♥ AQ76

♦ 2

♣ AKJ8

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 82	♠ AQJ1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q1043	

Board: 83	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ83	
Vul: EW	♦ Q107	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 95	

Board: 84	♠ Q10876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q54	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ3	

Board: 85	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ42	
Vul: NS	♦ J872	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 952	

Board: 86	♠ AJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ76	
Vul: EW	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKJ8	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 82  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ 3  
♥ AKQ94  
♦ K62  
♣ A752

South:  
♠ AQJ1062  
♥ —  
♦ AQ4  
♣ Q1043

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	6♣	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 83  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ A954  
♥ —  
♦ KJ85  
♣ AQJ43

South:  
♠ J6  
♥ AKQJ83  
♦ Q107  
♣ 95

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 84  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 5♠ S

North:  
♠ A52  
♥ AJ109  
♦ AQJ92  
♣ 8

South:  
♠ Q10876  
♥ Q54  
♦ 10  
♣ AKQ3

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

1. New Minor Forcing
2. 3♠
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, surplus
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 85  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQ74  
♥ 5  
♦ A643  
♣ AJ43

South:  
♠ K  
♥ AKJ42  
♦ J872  
♣ 952

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 86  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6♠ N

North:  
♠ Q763  
♥ KJ8  
♦ AKJ9  
♣ 92

South:  
♠ AJ54  
♥ AQ76  
♦ 2  
♣ AKJ8

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
AP			
1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 87	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10842	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK4	
Board: 88	♠ J107	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q4	
Vul: None	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ10873	
Board: 89	♠ AQJ432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ J98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ5	
Board: 90	♠ A10864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ K982	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K8	
Board: 91	♠ K42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10854	
Vul: None	♦ 743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	
Board: 92	♠ K5432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ1073	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 87	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ AK1086				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ10842	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ5	♦ K87	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AK4	♣ 10532	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 88	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J107	♠ KQ8		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q4	♥ AKJ2	1NT <sup>1</sup>	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A9	♦ 108754	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ10873	♣ 2	1. Unusual 1NT			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 89	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ432	♠ K10				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ K10432	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ J98	♦ AKQ42	Pass	3♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ5	♣ 9	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			
			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 90	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10864	♠ J		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ K6	♥ AJ107	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ K982	♦ QJ65				
South HCP: 15	♣ K8	♣ AQ65	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K42	♠ Q9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AK10854	♥ 73	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 743	♦ KJ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ AQ86532	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 92  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ K5432  
♥ 9  
♦ Q  
♣ AKJ1073

South:  
♠ A9  
♥ AJ1053  
♦ AKJ53  
♣ Q

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. 1m opening allows 5M
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 87	♠ AK1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ K87	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10532	
Board: 88	♠ KQ8	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ2	
Vul: None	♦ 108754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 2	
Board: 89	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10432	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ42	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 9	
Board: 90	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ107	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ65	
Board: 91	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ86532	
Board: 92	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1053	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 87	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 7	♠ AK1086				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ10842	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ QJ5	♦ K87	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AK4	♣ 10532	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 88	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J107	♠ KQ8		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q4	♥ AKJ2	1NT <sup>1</sup>	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A9	♦ 108754	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ10873	♣ 2	1. Unusual 1NT			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 89	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ432	♠ K10				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J	♥ K10432	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ J98	♦ AKQ42	Pass	3♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ5	♣ 9	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			
			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 90	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10864	♠ J		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ K6	♥ AJ107	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ K982	♦ QJ65				
South HCP: 15	♣ K8	♣ AQ65	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 91	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K42	♠ Q9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AK10854	♥ 73	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 743	♦ KJ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ AQ86532	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 92  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ K5432  
♥ 9  
♦ Q  
♣ AKJ1073

South:  
♠ A9  
♥ AJ1053  
♦ AKJ53  
♣ Q

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. 1m opening allows 5M
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 93	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 108532	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 94	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 985	
Vul: None	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 96532	

Board: 95	♠ QJ732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ10532	

Board: 96	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ7643	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 76	

Board: 97	♠ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 986	
Vul: None	♦ KJ1043	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 93  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ Q9  
♥ 108532  
♦ AKQ93  
♣ A

South:  
♠ AKJ3  
♥ K74  
♦ J  
♣ J9542

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 94  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ AK5  
♥ 985  
♦ KQ  
♣ 96532

South:  
♠ 8432  
♥ AJ1073  
♦ AJ7  
♣ K

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♥

Board: 95  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
♠ QJ732  
♥ A  
♦ A  
♣ KQ10532

South:  
♠ 1064  
♥ Q76  
♦ KQJ3  
♣ A97

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♠  
3. Cue bid, surplus  
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper  
6. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 96  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ K3  
♥ QJ7643  
♦ AKJ  
♣ 76

South:  
♠ AQ10  
♥ A  
♦ 10842  
♣ KJ943

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 97

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKQ2

♥ 986

♦ KJ1043

♣ 6

South:

♠ J8

♥ KQ7

♦ 765

♣ AK975

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 93	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K74	
Vul: Both	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J9542	

Board: 94	♠ 8432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1073	
Vul: None	♦ AJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	

Board: 95	♠ 1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q76	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A97	

Board: 96	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ 10842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ943	

Board: 97	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ7	
Vul: None	♦ 765	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK975	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 93  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ Q9  
♥ 108532  
♦ AKQ93  
♣ A

South:  
♠ AKJ3  
♥ K74  
♦ J  
♣ J9542

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 94  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ AK5  
♥ 985  
♦ KQ  
♣ 96532

South:  
♠ 8432  
♥ AJ1073  
♦ AJ7  
♣ K

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♥

Board: 95  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
♠ QJ732  
♥ A  
♦ A  
♣ KQ10532

South:  
♠ 1064  
♥ Q76  
♦ KQJ3  
♣ A97

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♠  
3. Cue bid, surplus  
4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper  
6. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 96  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ K3  
♥ QJ7643  
♦ AKJ  
♣ 76

South:  
♠ AQ10  
♥ A  
♦ 10842  
♣ KJ943

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 97

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKQ2

♥ 986

♦ KJ1043

♣ 6

South:

♠ J8

♥ KQ7

♦ 765

♣ AK975

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 98	♠ J654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 92	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ975	
Board: 99	♠ 1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK72	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	
Board: 100	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A63	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A109763	
Board: 101	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ109764	
Vul: NS	♦ AK6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	
Board: 102	♠ A74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q62	
Vul: Both	♦ A6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ1075	
Board: 103	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9432	
Vul: None	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ74	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 98  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ J654  
♥ 92  
♦ AQ  
♣ KQ975

South:  
♠ AK  
♥ AK7654  
♦ K1086  
♣ J

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 99  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♥ S

North:  
♠ 1043  
♥ AK72  
♦ KQ876  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ AK2  
♥ Q984  
♦ 5  
♣ AKJ97

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 100  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ A10  
♥ A63  
♦ KJ  
♣ A109763

South:  
♠ KJ43  
♥ K985  
♦ AQ943  
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 101  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ 9  
♥ KQJ109764  
♦ AK6  
♣ J

South:  
♠ AQJ6542  
♥ 8  
♦ Q  
♣ A1064

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
	AP		

Board: 102  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ A74  
♥ Q62  
♦ A6  
♣ QJ1075

South:  
♠ KJ82  
♥ KJ4  
♦ K7542  
♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
	AP		



Board: 103

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ 9432

♦ 5

♣ AKJ74

South:

♠ J103

♥ QJ5

♦ AKQ108

♣ 106

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT

AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 98	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK7654	
Vul: NS	♦ K1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ J	
Board: 99	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q984	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ97	
Board: 100	♠ KJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K985	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ943	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	
Board: 101	♠ AQJ6542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1064	
Board: 102	♠ KJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ K7542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	
Board: 103	♠ J103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ108	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 106	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 98  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ J654  
♥ 92  
♦ AQ  
♣ KQ975

South:  
♠ AK  
♥ AK7654  
♦ K1086  
♣ J

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 99  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6♥ S

North:  
♠ 1043  
♥ AK72  
♦ KQ876  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ AK2  
♥ Q984  
♦ 5  
♣ AKJ97

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 100  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ A10  
♥ A63  
♦ KJ  
♣ A109763

South:  
♠ KJ43  
♥ K985  
♦ AQ943  
♣ —

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 101  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ 9  
♥ KQJ109764  
♦ AK6  
♣ J

South:  
♠ AQJ6542  
♥ 8  
♦ Q  
♣ A1064

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
	AP		

Board: 102  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ A74  
♥ Q62  
♦ A6  
♣ QJ1075

South:  
♠ KJ82  
♥ KJ4  
♦ K7542  
♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
	AP		

Board: 103

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ 9432

♦ 5

♣ AKJ74

South:

♠ J103

♥ QJ5

♦ AKQ108

♣ 106

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT

AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 104	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K62	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A832	

Board: 105	♠ AK1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J107	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ72	

Board: 106	♠ A532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: None	♦ Q743	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ7	

Board: 107	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ86	

Board: 108	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 943	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ76	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK763	

Board: 109	♠ KJ10954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ KJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K74	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 104

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q  
♥ K62  
♦ KQJ73  
♣ A832

South:

♠ AJ1063  
♥ AQ93  
♦ 6  
♣ Q54

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 105

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AK1074  
♥ J107  
♦ Q  
♣ AQ72

South:

♠ J8  
♥ AK4  
♦ AK874  
♣ K54

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 106

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A532  
♥ Q7  
♦ Q743  
♣ AQ7

South:

♠ K  
♥ AKJ109853  
♦ K  
♣ K108

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 107

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 9  
♥ K4  
♦ AQJ82  
♣ AKJ86

South:

♠ AKJ76  
♥ A1092  
♦ K  
♣ 974

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 108

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 2  
♥ 943  
♦ KQ76  
♣ AK763

South:

♠ AJ10874  
♥ KJ  
♦ A1052  
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KJ10954

♥ Q

♦ KJ3

♣ K74

South:

♠ 2

♥ A10983

♦ AQ84

♣ A65

West	North	East	South
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1♥
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Pass	3NT	AP	2♦
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 104	♠ AJ1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ93	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q54	
Board: 105	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: Both	♦ AK874	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K54	
Board: 106	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ109853	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K108	
Board: 107	♠ AKJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1092	
Vul: NS	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 974	
Board: 108	♠ AJ10874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ A1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10	
Board: 109	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10983	
Vul: None	♦ AQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A65	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 104

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q  
♥ K62  
♦ KQJ73  
♣ A832

South:

♠ AJ1063  
♥ AQ93  
♦ 6  
♣ Q54

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 105

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AK1074  
♥ J107  
♦ Q  
♣ AQ72

South:

♠ J8  
♥ AK4  
♦ AK874  
♣ K54

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 106

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A532  
♥ Q7  
♦ Q743  
♣ AQ7

South:

♠ K  
♥ AKJ109853  
♦ K  
♣ K108

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 107

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 9  
♥ K4  
♦ AQJ82  
♣ AKJ86

South:

♠ AKJ76  
♥ A1092  
♦ K  
♣ 974

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 108

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 2  
♥ 943  
♦ KQ76  
♣ AK763

South:

♠ AJ10874  
♥ KJ  
♦ A1052  
♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KJ10954

♥ Q

♦ KJ3

♣ K74

South:

♠ 2

♥ A10983

♦ AQ84

♣ A65

West	North	East	South
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1♥
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Pass	3NT	AP	2♦
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 110	♠ K1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q75	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

Board: 111	♠ AK9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ KJ73	

Board: 112	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 875	
Vul: None	♦ AK9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ653	

Board: 113	♠ AQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A9743	

Board: 114	♠ J852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ97	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K73	

Board: 115	♠ KJ853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK42	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K1087

♥ Q75

♦ AKJ94

♣ 6

South:

♠ AQ53

♥ K8

♦ 2

♣ KQJ832

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AK9

♥ K

♦ KQJ76

♣ KJ73

South:

♠ Q72

♥ A9763

♦ A102

♣ A10

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 6NT

AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 112

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 85

♥ 875

♦ AK9

♣ KQ653

South:

♠ AJ92

♥ KQ63

♦ 10542

♣ A

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 113

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ8

♥ J

♦ KQJ

♣ A9743

South:

♠ 942

♥ AK842

♦ A86

♣ Q2

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 114

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J852

♥ 7

♦ AKQ97

♣ K73

South:

♠ A

♥ AKJ10982

♦ —

♣ J10982

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 115

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ853

♥ 5

♦ QJ7

♣ AK42

South:

♠ 97

♥ AQJ87

♦ K103

♣ Q95

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 110	♠ AQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ832	

Board: 111	♠ Q72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9763	
Vul: EW	♦ A102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A10	

Board: 112	♠ AJ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ63	
Vul: None	♦ 10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

Board: 113	♠ 942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK842	
Vul: NS	♦ A86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q2	

Board: 114	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ10982	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J10982	

Board: 115	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ87	
Vul: EW	♦ K103	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q95	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K1087

♥ Q75

♦ AKJ94

♣ 6

South:

♠ AQ53

♥ K8

♦ 2

♣ KQJ832

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4♦<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AK9

♥ K

♦ KQJ76

♣ KJ73

South:

♠ Q72

♥ A9763

♦ A102

♣ A10

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 6NT

AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 112

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 85

♥ 875

♦ AK9

♣ KQ653

South:

♠ AJ92

♥ KQ63

♦ 10542

♣ A

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 113

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ8

♥ J

♦ KQJ

♣ A9743

South:

♠ 942

♥ AK842

♦ A86

♣ Q2

West North East South

1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 114

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J852

♥ 7

♦ AKQ97

♣ K73

South:

♠ A

♥ AKJ10982

♦ —

♣ J10982

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 115

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ853

♥ 5

♦ QJ7

♣ AK42

South:

♠ 97

♥ AQJ87

♦ K103

♣ Q95

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 116	♠ Q864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K43	
Vul: Both	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ842	

Board: 117	♠ AKJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ108	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q6	

Board: 118	♠ AK1072	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ 53	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK8743	

Board: 119	♠ K9653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A865	
Vul: Both	♦ A105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	

Board: 120	♠ K987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 104	
Vul: None	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQJ85	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q864

♥ K43

♦ A

♣ KQ842

South:

♠ A

♥ AJ10865

♦ KJ1064

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 117

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ87

♥ AKJ108

♦ J

♣ Q6

South:

♠ 952

♥ 5

♦ AKQ743

♣ AJ2

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 118

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AK1072

♥ —

♦ 53

♣ AK8743

South:

♠ J4

♥ AKJ1043

♦ QJ97

♣ J

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♠ <sup>1</sup>	AP	

1. 1m opening allows 5M

Board: 119

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♣ S

North:

♠ K9653

♥ A865

♦ A105

♣ Q

South:

♠ A8

♥ QJ

♦ 74

♣ AJ109652

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣
AP			

Board: 120

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 21

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ K987

♥ 104

♦ 8

♣ AKQJ85

South:

♠ A63

♥ AKJ97

♦ AKQ7

♣ 7

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

1. Fourth suit game force

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 116	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ10865	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

Board: 117	♠ 952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ743	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ2	

Board: 118	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ1043	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

Board: 119	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: Both	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ109652	

Board: 120	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ97	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ 7	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 116

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q864

♥ K43

♦ A

♣ KQ842

South:

♠ A

♥ AJ10865

♦ KJ1064

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 117

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ87

♥ AKJ108

♦ J

♣ Q6

South:

♠ 952

♥ 5

♦ AKQ743

♣ AJ2

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 118

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AK1072

♥ —

♦ 53

♣ AK8743

South:

♠ J4

♥ AKJ1043

♦ QJ97

♣ J

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♠ <sup>1</sup>	AP	

1. 1m opening allows 5M

Board: 119

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♣ S

North:

♠ K9653

♥ A865

♦ A105

♣ Q

South:

♠ A8

♥ QJ

♦ 74

♣ AJ109652

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♣
AP			

Board: 120  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 21  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ K987  
♥ 104  
♦ 8  
♣ AKQJ85

South:  
♠ A63  
♥ AKJ97  
♦ AKQ7  
♣ 7

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
AP			
1. Fourth suit game force			

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 121	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ83	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ872	

Board: 122	♠ 965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1072	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q2	

Board: 123	♠ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K95432	
Vul: None	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ2	

Board: 124	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1053	
Vul: NS	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 965	

Board: 125	♠ Q973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1074	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 5♥ S

North:  
♠ KJ3  
♥ AJ83  
♦ 8  
♣ KQ872

South:  
♠ A1098  
♥ KQ42  
♦ QJ102  
♣ A

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 122  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ 965  
♥ A1072  
♦ AQJ3  
♣ Q2

South:  
♠ KJ3  
♥ Q5  
♦ K  
♣ KJ108543

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 123  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ KQJ  
♥ K95432  
♦ 5  
♣ KQ2

South:  
♠ A1075  
♥ A7  
♦ AKQ96  
♣ 73

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 124  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ Q6  
♥ AQ1053  
♦ A43  
♣ 965

South:  
♠ AK1052  
♥ —  
♦ Q85  
♣ KJ843

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

1. New Minor Forcing



Board: 125

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q973

♥ A1074

♦ AQJ4

♣ J

South:

♠ A8

♥ KJ53

♦ K85

♣ AK105

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 121	♠ A1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ42	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 122	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ108543	

Board: 123	♠ A1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ96	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 73	

Board: 124	♠ AK1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ Q85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ843	

Board: 125	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ53	
Vul: EW	♦ K85	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK105	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 121  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 5♥ S

North:  
♠ KJ3  
♥ AJ83  
♦ 8  
♣ KQ872

South:  
♠ A1098  
♥ KQ42  
♦ QJ102  
♣ A

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 122  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ 965  
♥ A1072  
♦ AQJ3  
♣ Q2

South:  
♠ KJ3  
♥ Q5  
♦ K  
♣ KJ108543

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 123  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ KQJ  
♥ K95432  
♦ 5  
♣ KQ2

South:  
♠ A1075  
♥ A7  
♦ AKQ96  
♣ 73

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 124  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ Q6  
♥ AQ1053  
♦ A43  
♣ 965

South:  
♠ AK1052  
♥ —  
♦ Q85  
♣ KJ843

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 125

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q973

♥ A1074

♦ AQJ4

♣ J

South:

♠ A8

♥ KJ53

♦ K85

♣ AK105

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 126	♠ AQJ965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: None	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A97	

Board: 127	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK97	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K98	

Board: 128	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: Both	♦ 985	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ1074	

Board: 129	♠ AKJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ QJ53	

Board: 130	♠ KQ98754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K54	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A3	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ965

♥ J5

♦ K3

♣ A97

South:

♠ —

♥ AQ632

♦ QJ104

♣ KQ52

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 127

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 10

♥ AK97

♦ AKJ95

♣ K98

South:

♠ AK98764

♥ Q8

♦ —

♣ AQ54

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. King ask by available bid

Board: 128

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ10

♥ K8

♦ 985

♣ AJ1074

South:

♠ A87

♥ AQJ74

♦ Q1074

♣ 3

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 129

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AKJ103

♥ QJ6

♦ A

♣ QJ53

South:

♠ 965

♥ AK

♦ KQ10876

♣ A7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 130

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ KQ98754

♥ K54

♦ 8

♣ A3

South:

♠ A

♥ AJ106

♦ AKJ96

♣ K87

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♠	Pass	7NT
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 126	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ632	
Vul: None	♦ QJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ52	

Board: 127	♠ AK98764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ54	

Board: 128	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ74	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 3	

Board: 129	♠ 965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ10876	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A7	

Board: 130	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ106	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ K87	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ965

♥ J5

♦ K3

♣ A97

South:

♠ —

♥ AQ632

♦ QJ104

♣ KQ52

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 127

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 10

♥ AK97

♦ AKJ95

♣ K98

South:

♠ AK98764

♥ Q8

♦ —

♣ AQ54

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

2. King ask by available bid

Board: 128

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ10

♥ K8

♦ 985

♣ AJ1074

South:

♠ A87

♥ AQJ74

♦ Q1074

♣ 3

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 129

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AKJ103

♥ QJ6

♦ A

♣ QJ53

South:

♠ 965

♥ AK

♦ KQ10876

♣ A7

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 130

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 20

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ KQ98754

♥ K54

♦ 8

♣ A3

South:

♠ A

♥ AJ106

♦ AKJ96

♣ K87

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♠	Pass	7NT
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 131	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A93	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AK6	
Board: 132	♠ 3	East Bids XA♠♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 962	
Vul: Both	♦ AK53	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ102	
Board: 133	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ842	
Vul: None	♦ A105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q984	
Board: 134	♠ AQ1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ Q76	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ109	
Board: 135	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A964	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ10982	
Board: 136	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQJ105	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 5	♠ AQ732				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A93	♥ KJ54	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 20	♦ AKQ1074	♦ 9	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK6	♣ Q84	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 3	♠ AKJ7652		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 962	♥ AKQ843	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ AK53	♦ —	Pass	3NT	Pass	7♥
South HCP: 17	♣ KQJ102	♣ —	Pass	Pass	XA♠♠	AP
Contract: 7♥ X S						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ KQJ83				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AQJ842	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A105	♦ K9842	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ Q984	♣ J5	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ1075	♠ J				
Vul: NS	♥ A	♥ KQ652		1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ Q76	♦ KJ542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ109	♣ K8				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K73	♠ AQ2				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A964	♥ K10	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ —	♦ KJ109852	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ10982	♣ 7	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 136

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 104

♥ J9

♦ QJ10

♣ AKQJ105

South:

♠ A75

♥ KQ74

♦ AK975

♣ 2

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 131	♠ AQ732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ54	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q84	
Board: 132	♠ AKJ7652	East Bids XA♠♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ843	
Vul: Both	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	
Board: 133	♠ KQJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ K9842	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J5	
Board: 134	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ652	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K8	
Board: 135	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: None	♦ KJ109852	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	
Board: 136	♠ A75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ74	
Vul: NS	♦ AK975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 2	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 5	♠ AQ732				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A93	♥ KJ54	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 20	♦ AKQ1074	♦ 9	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AK6	♣ Q84	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 3	♠ AKJ7652		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ 962	♥ AKQ843	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ AK53	♦ —	Pass	3NT	Pass	7♥
South HCP: 17	♣ KQJ102	♣ —	Pass	Pass	XA♠♠	AP
Contract: 7♥ X S						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ —	♠ KQJ83				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AQJ842	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A105	♦ K9842	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ Q984	♣ J5	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ1075	♠ J				
Vul: NS	♥ A	♥ KQ652		1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 17	♦ Q76	♦ KJ542	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ109	♣ K8				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K73	♠ AQ2				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A964	♥ K10	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ —	♦ KJ109852	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ10982	♣ 7	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 136

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 104

♥ J9

♦ QJ10

♣ AKQJ105

South:

♠ A75

♥ KQ74

♦ AK975

♣ 2

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 137	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ96	
Vul: EW	♦ 10975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

Board: 138	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A832	
Vul: None	♦ AQ76	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ86	

Board: 139	♠ AQ1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ AK105	

Board: 140	♠ AKJ743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A82	
Vul: Both	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 52	

Board: 141	♠ Q62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ864	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

Board: 142	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A543	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ75	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ92	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A62	♠ KJ3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ96	♥ 2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 10975	♦ AK3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A	♣ KJ7654				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 3	♠ AKJ95		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A832	♥ J654	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ76	♦ 4	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ86	♣ A102				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ1053	♠ 7	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK6	♥ QJ95	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♠
North HCP: 21	♦ J	♦ AKQ932	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♣
South HCP: 14	♣ AK105	♣ Q7	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦  
2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ743	♠ Q		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ A82	♥ K1073	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 64	♦ AKQ	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 17	♣ 52	♣ K10743	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q62	♠ AKJ10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AJ864	♥ 5	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ73	♦ 1086	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ A10843	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 142

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 9

♥ A543

♦ KJ75

♣ AQ92

South:

♠ KJ542

♥ K1098

♦ A

♣ KJ5

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 137	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: EW	♦ AK3	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ7654	

Board: 138	♠ AKJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J654	
Vul: None	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A102	

Board: 139	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ95	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ932	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q7	

Board: 140	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1073	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K10743	

Board: 141	♠ AKJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ 1086	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10843	

Board: 142	♠ KJ542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1098	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ5	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A62	♠ KJ3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ96	♥ 2	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 10975	♦ AK3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A	♣ KJ7654				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 3	♠ AKJ95		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A832	♥ J654	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ76	♦ 4	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ QJ86	♣ A102				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ1053	♠ 7	Pass	1♠	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK6	♥ QJ95	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 21	♦ J	♦ AKQ932	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 14	♣ AK105	♣ Q7	Pass	6NT	AP	6♣
Contract: 6N N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦  
2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ743	♠ Q		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ A82	♥ K1073	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ 64	♦ AKQ	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 17	♣ 52	♣ K10743	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q62	♠ AKJ10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AJ864	♥ 5	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ73	♦ 1086	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ A10843	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 142

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 9

♥ A543

♦ KJ75

♣ AQ92

South:

♠ KJ542

♥ K1098

♦ A

♣ KJ5

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 143	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75432	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ87	

Board: 144	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK4	
Vul: None	♦ Q93	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ764	

Board: 145	♠ AK954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ96	
Vul: EW	♦ Q73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	

Board: 146	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ J106	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK10854	

Board: 147	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ108	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ74	

Board: 148	♠ J10643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK42	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 143			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: Both	♠ A82	♠ Q106	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♥ 75432	♥ Q86	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♦ K	♦ A973	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ N	♣ AQ87	♣ KJ3	1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♥			

Board: 144			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ 10	♠ AKQ53		1♣	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 17	♥ AK4	♥ 853	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♦ Q93	♦ A1054	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ AKJ764	♣ 3				

Board: 145			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: EW	♠ AK954	♠ 82	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♥ KQ96	♥ AJ5	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♦ Q73	♦ A84	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S	♣ 7	♣ AKQ94				

Board: 146			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: Both	♠ K85	♠ A9763		1♣	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♥ J	♥ AK932	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14	♦ J106	♦ K7	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ AK10854	♣ 6				

Board: 147			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♠
Vul: None	♠ 3	♠ AKJ96	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 17	♥ QJ108	♥ AK63	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 18	♦ AKQ4	♦ 83	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 7♥ S	♣ AJ74	♣ K9	Pass	7♥	AP	
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			2. King ask by 5NT			



Board: 148

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J10643

♥ K

♦ QJ6

♣ AK42

South:

♠ Q

♥ QJ8

♦ AK875

♣ J975

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 143	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q86	
Vul: Both	♦ A973	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ3	

Board: 144	♠ AKQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 853	
Vul: None	♦ A1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 3	

Board: 145	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ A84	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ94	

Board: 146	♠ A9763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK932	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 6	

Board: 147	♠ AKJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK63	
Vul: None	♦ 83	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K9	

Board: 148	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ AK875	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J975	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 143			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: Both	♠ A82	♠ Q106	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♥ 75432	♥ Q86	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♦ K	♦ A973	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ N	♣ AQ87	♣ KJ3				
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♥			

Board: 144			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ 10	♠ AKQ53		1♣	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 17	♥ AK4	♥ 853	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♦ Q93	♦ A1054	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ AKJ764	♣ 3				

Board: 145			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: EW	♠ AK954	♠ 82	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♥ KQ96	♥ AJ5	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♦ Q73	♦ A84	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S	♣ 7	♣ AKQ94				

Board: 146			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: Both	♠ K85	♠ A9763		1♣	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♥ J	♥ AK932	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 14	♦ J106	♦ K7	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S	♣ AK10854	♣ 6				

Board: 147			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♠
Vul: None	♠ 3	♠ AKJ96	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 17	♥ QJ108	♥ AK63	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 18	♦ AKQ4	♦ 83	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♥
Contract: 7♥ S	♣ AJ74	♣ K9	Pass	7♥	AP	
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			
			2. King ask by 5NT			

Board: 148

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J10643

♥ K

♦ QJ6

♣ AK42

South:

♠ Q

♥ QJ8

♦ AK875

♣ J975

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
AP			

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 149	♠ AQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ10972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 5	

Board: 150	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ10653	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 8	

Board: 151	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ72	
Vul: NS	♦ 10986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 152	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK4	
Vul: EW	♦ K532	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q10872	

Board: 153	♠ A652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK107	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ92	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♠ N

North:  
♠ AQ73  
♥ AJ  
♦ KJ10972  
♣ 5

South:  
♠ K965  
♥ Q742  
♦ Q5  
♣ AK8

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 150  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ Q3  
♥ AKJ10653  
♦ AQJ  
♣ 8

South:  
♠ AK10962  
♥ —  
♦ K  
♣ KQ10753

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
AP			

Board: 151  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AK10  
♥ KQJ72  
♦ 10986  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ 9  
♥ A43  
♦ AK2  
♣ AJ8632

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 152  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ 9  
♥ AK4  
♦ K532  
♣ Q10872

South:  
♠ AKQ103  
♥ Q10632  
♦ A6  
♣ 6

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 153

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A652

♥ AK107

♦ 6

♣ QJ92

South:

♠ J103

♥ 43

♦ AQJ4

♣ A865

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass

1♥

Pass

1NT

Pass

3NT

AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 149	♠ K965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q742	
Vul: Both	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK8	

Board: 150	♠ AK10962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ10753	

Board: 151	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A43	
Vul: NS	♦ AK2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ8632	

Board: 152	♠ AKQ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10632	
Vul: EW	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 6	

Board: 153	♠ J103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 43	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A865	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 5♠ N

North:  
♠ AQ73  
♥ AJ  
♦ KJ10972  
♣ 5

South:  
♠ K965  
♥ Q742  
♦ Q5  
♣ AK8

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

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 150  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ Q3  
♥ AKJ10653  
♦ AQJ  
♣ 8

South:  
♠ AK10962  
♥ —  
♦ K  
♣ KQ10753

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
AP			

Board: 151  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AK10  
♥ KQJ72  
♦ 10986  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ 9  
♥ A43  
♦ AK2  
♣ AJ8632

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 152  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ 9  
♥ AK4  
♦ K532  
♣ Q10872

South:  
♠ AKQ103  
♥ Q10632  
♦ A6  
♣ 6

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 153

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A652

♥ AK107

♦ 6

♣ QJ92

South:

♠ J103

♥ 43

♦ AQJ4

♣ A865

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass

1♥

Pass

1NT

Pass

3NT

AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 154	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ632	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A92	
Board: 155	♠ AQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	
Board: 156	♠ KQ10975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1083	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ	
Board: 157	♠ 832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK764	
Board: 158	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ K98642	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ2	
Board: 159	♠ AK62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ K86542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 53	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 154

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 83

♥ AK

♦ KQJ632

♣ A92

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ QJ72

♦ A

♣ J1085

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 155

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ AQ109

♥ AQJ4

♦ QJ753

♣ —

South:

♠ 3

♥ 1073

♦ A1096

♣ AKJ109

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♠	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 156

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ KQ10975

♥ A1083

♦ 3

♣ KQ

South:

♠ J

♥ KQJ9

♦ AJ7

♣ A10652

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 157

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 832

♥ Q

♦ KJ83

♣ AK764

South:

♠ K1094

♥ AJ954

♦ A54

♣ 5

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 158

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ J2

♥ KQ

♦ K98642

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ KQ10965

♥ 843

♦ A

♣ A87

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 159

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK62

♥ A

♦ K86542

♣ 53

South:

♠ 3

♥ KQ654

♦ Q103

♣ AJ74

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 154	♠ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ72	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J1085	
Board: 155	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1073	
Vul: EW	♦ A1096	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ109	
Board: 156	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A10652	
Board: 157	♠ K1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ954	
Vul: NS	♦ A54	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 5	
Board: 158	♠ KQ10965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 843	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A87	
Board: 159	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ654	
Vul: Both	♦ Q103	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ74	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 154

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 83

♥ AK

♦ KQJ632

♣ A92

South:

♠ AQJ6

♥ QJ72

♦ A

♣ J1085

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 155

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ AQ109

♥ AQJ4

♦ QJ753

♣ —

South:

♠ 3

♥ 1073

♦ A1096

♣ AKJ109

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♠	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 156

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ KQ10975

♥ A1083

♦ 3

♣ KQ

South:

♠ J

♥ KQJ9

♦ AJ7

♣ A10652

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 157

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 832

♥ Q

♦ KJ83

♣ AK764

South:

♠ K1094

♥ AJ954

♦ A54

♣ 5

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 158

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ J2

♥ KQ

♦ K98642

♣ KQ2

South:

♠ KQ10965

♥ 843

♦ A

♣ A87

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 159

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK62

♥ A

♦ K86542

♣ 53

South:

♠ 3

♥ KQ654

♦ Q103

♣ AJ74

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 160	♠ K42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 86	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1085	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ10	

Board: 161	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q654	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ8	

Board: 162	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J7653	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A76	

Board: 163	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A65	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ42	

Board: 164	♠ J93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ82	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ2	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 160

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K42

♥ 86

♦ AJ1085

♣ AJ10

South:

♠ 1075

♥ AK753

♦ K

♣ K852

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 161

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 6

♥ Q654

♦ AKQ75

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ AQJ32

♥ AK97

♦ 62

♣ 53

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♦ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. King ask by 5NT

Board: 162

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K62

♥ J7653

♦ KQ

♣ A76

South:

♠ AQ93

♥ 4

♦ AJ652

♣ KJ8

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 163

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 6

♥ A65

♦ AKJ87

♣ KJ42

South:

♠ AK875

♥ KJ102

♦ 3

♣ Q107

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 164

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ J93

♥ AQJ82

♦ KQ

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ AKQ108

♥ 9

♦ A743

♣ 865

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 160	♠ 1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK753	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K852	

Board: 161	♠ AQJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK97	
Vul: EW	♦ 62	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 53	

Board: 162	♠ AQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ8	

Board: 163	♠ AK875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ102	
Vul: None	♦ 3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q107	

Board: 164	♠ AKQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ A743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 865	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 160

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K42

♥ 86

♦ AJ1085

♣ AJ10

South:

♠ 1075

♥ AK753

♦ K

♣ K852

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3NT AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 161

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 6

♥ Q654

♦ AKQ75

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ AQJ32

♥ AK97

♦ 62

♣ 53

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♦ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

4. King ask by 5NT

Board: 162

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K62

♥ J7653

♦ KQ

♣ A76

South:

♠ AQ93

♥ 4

♦ AJ652

♣ KJ8

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 163

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 6

♥ A65

♦ AKJ87

♣ KJ42

South:

♠ AK875

♥ KJ102

♦ 3

♣ Q107

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 164

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ J93

♥ AQJ82

♦ KQ

♣ AJ2

South:

♠ AKQ108

♥ 9

♦ A743

♣ 865

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 165	♠ K1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ	
Vul: Both	♦ Q6542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	
Board: 166	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ1093	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ7	
Board: 167	♠ AQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q43	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ987	
Board: 168	♠ AQ874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6	
Vul: EW	♦ A1032	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ	
Board: 169	♠ A102	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ97	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 165

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K1086

♥ AKJ

♦ Q6542

♣ Q

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ Q972

♦ 109

♣ A632

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠<sup>1</sup> Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 166

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ J5

♥ AK

♦ KQJ1093

♣ KJ7

South:

♠ A82

♥ QJ62

♦ 4

♣ AQ982

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♠

Pass 6♣ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 167

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ95

♥ Q43

♦ —

♣ AQJ987

South:

♠ 10

♥ K65

♦ AKQ742

♣ 1064

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 168

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AQ874

♥ A6

♦ A1032

♣ QJ

South:

♠ 10

♥ KQ1054

♦ Q4

♣ AK542

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT AP



Board: 169  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♦X N

North:  
 ♠ A102  
 ♥ Q  
 ♦ KQ1095  
 ♣ KJ97

South:  
 ♠ J63  
 ♥ AK7654  
 ♦ A86  
 ♣ 8

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠	Pass	6♦
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 165	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q972	
Vul: Both	♦ 109	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A632	
Board: 166	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ62	
Vul: None	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ982	
Board: 167	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K65	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ742	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1064	
Board: 168	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1054	
Vul: EW	♦ Q4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK542	
Board: 169	♠ J63	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AK7654	
Vul: NS	♦ A86	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 165  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ K1086  
 ♥ AKJ  
 ♦ Q6542  
 ♣ Q

South:  
 ♠ AQ9  
 ♥ Q972  
 ♦ 109  
 ♣ A632

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 166  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 18  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 6♣ S

North:  
 ♠ J5  
 ♥ AK  
 ♦ KQJ1093  
 ♣ KJ7

South:  
 ♠ A82  
 ♥ QJ62  
 ♦ 4  
 ♣ AQ982

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 167  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ AQ95  
 ♥ Q43  
 ♦ —  
 ♣ AQJ987

South:  
 ♠ 10  
 ♥ K65  
 ♦ AKQ742  
 ♣ 1064

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 168  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 17  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 6N S

North:  
 ♠ AQ874  
 ♥ A6  
 ♦ A1032  
 ♣ QJ

South:  
 ♠ 10  
 ♥ KQ1054  
 ♦ Q4  
 ♣ AK542

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 169  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 6♦X N

North:  
 ♠ A102  
 ♥ Q  
 ♦ KQ1095  
 ♣ KJ97

South:  
 ♠ J63  
 ♥ AK7654  
 ♦ A86  
 ♣ 8

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4♠ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
Pass	5♠	Pass	6♦
Pass	Pass	X	AP

1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 170	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ987	
Vul: EW	♦ 32	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ	

Board: 171	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ K1074	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKJ962	

Board: 172	♠ K103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ762	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 742	

Board: 173	♠ KJ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK42	

Board: 174	♠ Q953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	
Vul: Both	♦ A85	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A62	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 170	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1087	♠ QJ43		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AJ987	♥ Q	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ 32	♦ AKJ7	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ	♣ A863	AP			
Contract: 6♠ S			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ KQ103				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ KJ1097	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K1074	♦ AJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AKJ962	♣ 43	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K103	♠ AJ84		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ	♥ A10832	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ762	♦ 10	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 742	♣ A83	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. New Minor Forcing			

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ107	♠ Q96				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQ105	♥ 82	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ J	♦ AK53	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK42	♣ QJ63				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 174  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
♠ Q953  
♥ K64  
♦ A85  
♣ A62

South:  
♠ AKJ74  
♥ AQ108  
♦ Q102  
♣ 8

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 170	♠ QJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A863	

Board: 171	♠ KQ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1097	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 43	

Board: 172	♠ AJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A10832	
Vul: NS	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A83	

Board: 173	♠ Q96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 82	
Vul: EW	♦ AK53	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ63	

Board: 174	♠ AKJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ108	
Vul: Both	♦ Q102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 8	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 170	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1087	♠ QJ43		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AJ987	♥ Q	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ 32	♦ AKJ7	Pass	5♥	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ	♣ A863	AP			
Contract: 6♠ S			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 171	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J8	♠ KQ103				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A	♥ KJ1097	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 16	♦ K1074	♦ AJ	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AKJ962	♣ 43	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 172	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K103	♠ AJ84		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ QJ	♥ A10832	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ762	♦ 10	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 742	♣ A83	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. New Minor Forcing			

Board: 173	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ107	♠ Q96				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQ105	♥ 82	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ J	♦ AK53	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK42	♣ QJ63				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 174

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ Q953

♥ K64

♦ A85

♣ A62

South:

♠ AKJ74

♥ AQ108

♦ Q102

♣ 8

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 175	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: None	♦ KJ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A432	

Board: 176	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K74	
Vul: EW	♦ Q83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK752	

Board: 177	♠ A98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10986	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q74	

Board: 178	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ6	
Vul: None	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ109832	

Board: 179	♠ A94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ1094	
Vul: None	♦ J108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9	

Board: 180	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 175

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K  
♥ AQ83  
♦ KJ93  
♣ A432

South:

♠ AQ1053  
♥ K76  
♦ A84  
♣ 85

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 176

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 74  
♥ K74  
♦ Q83  
♣ AK752

South:

♠ AJ106  
♥ AQJ96  
♦ J109  
♣ Q

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♥ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♥
AP			
			1. New Minor Forcing
			2. 3♥

Board: 177

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A98  
♥ AK10986  
♦ Q  
♣ Q74

South:

♠ K10  
♥ 2  
♦ AKJ1082  
♣ A1096

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			
			1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 178

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ7  
♥ KJ6  
♦ —  
♣ KJ109832

South:

♠ A1082  
♥ 1074  
♦ AK1052  
♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 179

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A94  
♥ AKJ1094  
♦ J108  
♣ 9

South:

♠ KQ  
♥ —  
♦ KQ742  
♣ QJ10872

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 180

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 42

♥ AQJ6

♦ AQJ1062

♣ 8

South:

♠ AKQ108653

♥ 104

♦ —

♣ KQ10

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♠
AP			

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 175	♠ AQ1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K76	
Vul: None	♦ A84	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 85	

Board: 176	♠ AJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ96	
Vul: EW	♦ J109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 177	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ1082	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1096	

Board: 178	♠ A1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1074	
Vul: None	♦ AK1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 179	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ KQ742	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ10872	

Board: 180	♠ AKQ108653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 104	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ10	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 175

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K

♥ AQ83

♦ KJ93

♣ A432

South:

♠ AQ1053

♥ K76

♦ A84

♣ 85

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 176

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 74

♥ K74

♦ Q83

♣ AK752

South:

♠ AJ106

♥ AQJ96

♦ J109

♣ Q

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♥

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

Board: 177

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A98

♥ AK10986

♦ Q

♣ Q74

South:

♠ K10

♥ 2

♦ AKJ1082

♣ A1096

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♠<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 178

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ KJ6

♦ —

♣ KJ109832

South:

♠ A1082

♥ 1074

♦ AK1052

♣ A

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 179

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A94

♥ AKJ1094

♦ J108

♣ 9

South:

♠ KQ

♥ —

♦ KQ742

♣ QJ10872

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 180

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 42

♥ AQJ6

♦ AQJ1062

♣ 8

South:

♠ AKQ108653

♥ 104

♦ —

♣ KQ10

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♠
AP			



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 181	♠ AJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K75	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ862	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 3	

Board: 182	♠ K1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ8	

Board: 183	♠ KJ972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: NS	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKJ53	

Board: 184	♠ J753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A75	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 3	

Board: 185	♠ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J843	
Vul: Both	♦ AK75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ A	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 181  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AJ82  
♥ K75  
♦ KQ862  
♣ 3

South:  
♠ K43  
♥ AQ62  
♦ 1097  
♣ AJ8

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 182  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ K1032  
♥ 10  
♦ AKJ73  
♣ AQ8

South:  
♠ AQ85  
♥ KQJ872  
♦ 2  
♣ K9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force  
2. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 183  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ972  
♥ 8  
♦ AK  
♣ AKJ53

South:  
♠ A5  
♥ AK6543  
♦ J32  
♣ 74

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 184  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J753  
♥ A75  
♦ AQJ105  
♣ 3

South:  
♠ A842  
♥ K10  
♦ 8  
♣ AQJ1094

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 185  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 21  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ AKQ9  
♥ J843  
♦ AK75  
♣ A

South:  
♠ J643  
♥ A765  
♦ J4  
♣ KQJ

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 181	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ62	
Vul: EW	♦ 1097	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ8	

Board: 182	♠ AQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ872	
Vul: None	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K9	

Board: 183	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6543	
Vul: NS	♦ J32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 74	

Board: 184	♠ A842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K10	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ1094	

Board: 185	♠ J643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A765	
Vul: Both	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ82

♥ K75

♦ KQ862

♣ 3

South:

♠ K43

♥ AQ62

♦ 1097

♣ AJ8

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ K1032

♥ 10

♦ AKJ73

♣ AQ8

South:

♠ AQ85

♥ KQJ872

♦ 2

♣ K9

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KJ972

♥ 8

♦ AK

♣ AKJ53

South:

♠ A5

♥ AK6543

♦ J32

♣ 74

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 184

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ J753

♥ A75

♦ AQJ105

♣ 3

South:

♠ A842

♥ K10

♦ 8

♣ AQJ1094

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 185

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AKQ9

♥ J843

♦ AK75

♣ A

South:

♠ J643

♥ A765

♦ J4

♣ KQJ

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 6NT AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 186	♠ Q1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ1082	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	
Board: 187	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ832	
Board: 188	♠ K852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K63	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ86	
Board: 189	♠ KJ1065	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ76	
Vul: Both	♦ AK3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 3	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 186

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ Q1087

♥ AJ8

♦ AKJ1082

♣ —

South:

♠ AKJ92

♥ 96

♦ Q

♣ KQ763

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 187

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 7

♥ QJ8

♦ AK102

♣ KJ832

South:

♠ AQJ1063

♥ A73

♦ 5

♣ AQ6

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 188

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K852

♥ K63

♦ K8

♣ AJ86

South:

♠ J73

♥ AJ109

♦ AQJ106

♣ K

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 189

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ KJ1065

♥ QJ76

♦ AK3

♣ 3

South:

♠ A73

♥ A

♦ Q986

♣ KQ1052

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	5♥	Pass	6♣
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Pass	Pass	X	6NT
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 186	♠ AKJ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ763	
Board: 187	♠ AQJ1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A73	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ6	
Board: 188	♠ J73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ109	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	
Board: 189	♠ A73	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ Q986	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ1052	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 186

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ Q1087

♥ AJ8

♦ AKJ1082

♣ —

South:

♠ AKJ92

♥ 96

♦ Q

♣ KQ763

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 187

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 7

♥ QJ8

♦ AK102

♣ KJ832

South:

♠ AQJ1063

♥ A73

♦ 5

♣ AQ6

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 188

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K852

♥ K63

♦ K8

♣ AJ86

South:

♠ J73

♥ AJ109

♦ AQJ106

♣ K

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 189

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ KJ1065

♥ QJ76

♦ AK3

♣ 3

South:

♠ A73

♥ A

♦ Q986

♣ KQ1052

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4♦ <sup>5</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>6</sup>
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Pass	5♥	Pass	6♣
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Pass	Pass	X	6NT
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

6. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 190	♠ J98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ8	
Vul: None	♦ AJ53	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q52	
Board: 191	♠ KQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ10876	
Board: 192	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK72	
Vul: Both	♦ 86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ9432	
Board: 193	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ64	
Vul: None	♦ AQ962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 963	
Board: 194	♠ KQ8432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 64	
Vul: NS	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A83	
Board: 195	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10732	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J98	♠ Q764		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ KJ8	♥ AQ76	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ53	♦ 2	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q52	♣ AK86				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ109	♠ 87				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 5	♥ AQJ1092	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ K4	♦ AQ52	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ10876	♣ 5	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 3	♠ AKJ952		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AK72	♥ 984	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 86	♦ AJ95	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ9432	♣ —				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AKJ876				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AJ64	♥ 983	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ962	♦ 5	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ 963	♣ A74	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ8432	♠ J		1♠	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ 64	♥ AQ9532	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A5	♦ KQJ4	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A83	♣ J4				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 195

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ J

♥ KJ9

♦ KQ107

♣ K10732

South:

♠ AKQ8653

♥ A632

♦ 2

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 190	♠ Q764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ76	
Vul: None	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK86	

Board: 191	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ1092	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 5	

Board: 192	♠ AKJ952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 984	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

Board: 193	♠ AKJ876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 983	
Vul: None	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A74	

Board: 194	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9532	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J4	

Board: 195	♠ AKQ8653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A632	
Vul: EW	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J98	♠ Q764		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ KJ8	♥ AQ76	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ53	♦ 2	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ Q52	♣ AK86				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ109	♠ 87				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 5	♥ AQJ1092	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ K4	♦ AQ52	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ10876	♣ 5	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 3	♠ AKJ952		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AK72	♥ 984	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 86	♦ AJ95	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ9432	♣ —				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AKJ876				1♠
Vul: None	♥ AJ64	♥ 983	Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ962	♦ 5	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ 963	♣ A74	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ8432	♠ J		1♠	Pass	2♥
Vul: NS	♥ 64	♥ AQ9532	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A5	♦ KQJ4	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A83	♣ J4				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 195

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ J

♥ KJ9

♦ KQ107

♣ K10732

South:

♠ AKQ8653

♥ A632

♦ 2

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♣	Pass	4♠
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AP



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 196	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: None	♦ AJ72	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ1083	

Board: 197	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ9642	
Vul: NS	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K65	

Board: 198	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K53	
Vul: EW	♦ 109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ10754	

Board: 199	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ1076	
Vul: Both	♦ J84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ104	

Board: 200	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ843	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 15  
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
 ♠ J2  
 ♥ A9  
 ♦ AJ72  
 ♣ QJ1083

South:  
 ♠ KQ1093  
 ♥ KJ842  
 ♦ K3  
 ♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 197  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
 ♠ 2  
 ♥ AKQ9642  
 ♦ Q8  
 ♣ K65

South:  
 ♠ AQ9873  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ AK103  
 ♣ 73

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 198  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 16  
 Contract: 7♣ N

North:  
 ♠ A  
 ♥ K53  
 ♦ 109  
 ♣ AQJ10754

South:  
 ♠ KQ1062  
 ♥ A109  
 ♦ A865  
 ♣ K

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
 2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 199  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ —  
 ♥ AQJ1076  
 ♦ J84  
 ♣ AJ104

South:  
 ♠ AQ8742  
 ♥ 9  
 ♦ AQ6  
 ♣ Q62

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 200

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K

♥ K6

♦ KQJ8

♣ AQJ843

South:

♠ AQ1042

♥ AQJ9743

♦ —

♣ 6

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 196	♠ KQ1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ842	
Vul: None	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

Board: 197	♠ AQ9873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ AK103	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 73	

Board: 198	♠ KQ1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A109	
Vul: EW	♦ A865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 199	♠ AQ8742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q62	

Board: 200	♠ AQ1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ9743	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 15  
 Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
 ♠ J2  
 ♥ A9  
 ♦ AJ72  
 ♣ QJ1083

South:  
 ♠ KQ1093  
 ♥ KJ842  
 ♦ K3  
 ♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
AP			

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 197  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
 ♠ 2  
 ♥ AKQ9642  
 ♦ Q8  
 ♣ K65

South:  
 ♠ AQ9873  
 ♥ 5  
 ♦ AK103  
 ♣ 73

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 198  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 16  
 Contract: 7♣ N

North:  
 ♠ A  
 ♥ K53  
 ♦ 109  
 ♣ AQJ10754

South:  
 ♠ KQ1062  
 ♥ A109  
 ♦ A865  
 ♣ K

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
 2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 199  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ —  
 ♥ AQJ1076  
 ♦ J84  
 ♣ AJ104

South:  
 ♠ AQ8742  
 ♥ 9  
 ♦ AQ6  
 ♣ Q62

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 200

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K

♥ K6

♦ KQJ8

♣ AQJ843

South:

♠ AQ1042

♥ AQJ9743

♦ —

♣ 6

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 201	♠ A8743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: EW	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K64	
Board: 202	♠ 1065	East Bids XA♠♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ32	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q87	
Board: 203	♠ AQJ1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ952	
Vul: None	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	
Board: 204	♠ 976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A842	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9	
Board: 205	♠ AQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9852	
Vul: Both	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A8743

♥ AQ83

♦ 5

♣ K64

South:

♠ K9

♥ 42

♦ AQ10987

♣ AJ9

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦

Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥X S

North:

♠ 1065

♥ KJ32

♦ AQ5

♣ Q87

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AQ1086

♦ K873

♣ 2

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

1♥

Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥

Pass 6♥

Pass Pass XA♠♠ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ AQJ1093

♥ KJ952

♦ A6

♣ —

South:

♠ K85

♥ A6

♦ KJ7

♣ AQJ98

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass 1♠

Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥

Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 5♣

Pass 7NT AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ 976

♥ A842

♦ AKJ93

♣ 9

South:

♠ AKJ83

♥ KQJ

♦ 6

♣ K862

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass

1♠

Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥

Pass 6♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠



Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ84

♥ AJ9852

♦ Q8

♣ 8

South:

♠ 63

♥ —

♦ A1094

♣ AKQJ1062

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 201	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 42	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ10987	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ9	
Board: 202	♠ AKQ	East Bids XA♠♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1086	
Vul: Both	♦ K873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 2	
Board: 203	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A6	
Vul: None	♦ KJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQJ98	
Board: 204	♠ AKJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K862	
Board: 205	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ A1094	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQJ1062	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A8743

♥ AQ83

♦ 5

♣ K64

South:

♠ K9

♥ 42

♦ AQ10987

♣ AJ9

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦

Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥X S

North:

♠ 1065

♥ KJ32

♦ AQ5

♣ Q87

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AQ1086

♦ K873

♣ 2

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

1♥

Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 3♦<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥

Pass 6♥

Pass Pass XA♠♠ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ AQJ1093

♥ KJ952

♦ A6

♣ —

South:

♠ K85

♥ A6

♦ KJ7

♣ AQJ98

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass 1♠

Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥

Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 5♣

Pass 7NT AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ 976

♥ A842

♦ AKJ93

♣ 9

South:

♠ AKJ83

♥ KQJ

♦ 6

♣ K862

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass

1♠

Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠<sup>2</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 5♥

Pass 6♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ84

♥ AJ9852

♦ Q8

♣ 8

South:

♠ 63

♥ —

♦ A1094

♣ AKQJ1062

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 206	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: None	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ QJ7543	
Board: 207	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 73	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ1065	
Board: 208	♠ J653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: Both	♦ A83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A752	
Board: 209	♠ A1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1063	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ104	
Board: 210	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 976	
Vul: NS	♦ AK84	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ86	
Board: 211	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ A10842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ10854	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♣ N

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ 4

♦ AK6

♣ QJ7543

South:

♠ J65

♥ AKJ95

♦ Q984

♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	AP	

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 8

♥ 73

♦ AKQ108

♣ KJ1065

South:

♠ AKQJ32

♥ AQ52

♦ J4

♣ 4

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ J653

♥ K8

♦ A83

♣ A752

South:

♠ KQ107

♥ AJ95

♦ KQ97

♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♠
	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A1085

♥ 1063

♦ 9

♣ AKQ104

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ92

♦ AKJ1074

♣ 83

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ 9

♥ 976

♦ AK84

♣ AKQ86

South:

♠ AKQ864

♥ AJ84

♦ J9

♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
	AP		

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A

♥ 5

♦ A10842

♣ KQ10854

South:

♠ KQ1084

♥ AKJ862

♦ 7

♣ 7

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 206	♠ J65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ95	
Vul: None	♦ Q984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	
Board: 207	♠ AKQJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ52	
Vul: NS	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 4	
Board: 208	♠ KQ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ95	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K	
Board: 209	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ92	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ1074	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 83	
Board: 210	♠ AKQ864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ84	
Vul: NS	♦ J9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10	
Board: 211	♠ KQ1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ862	
Vul: EW	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♣ N

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ 4

♦ AK6

♣ QJ7543

South:

♠ J65

♥ AKJ95

♦ Q984

♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	AP	

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 8

♥ 73

♦ AKQ108

♣ KJ1065

South:

♠ AKQJ32

♥ AQ52

♦ J4

♣ 4

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ J653

♥ K8

♦ A83

♣ A752

South:

♠ KQ107

♥ AJ95

♦ KQ97

♣ K

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♠
	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A1085

♥ 1063

♦ 9

♣ AKQ104

South:

♠ 7

♥ AQ92

♦ AKJ1074

♣ 83

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ 9

♥ 976

♦ AK84

♣ AKQ86

South:

♠ AKQ864

♥ AJ84

♦ J9

♣ 10

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
	AP		

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A

♥ 5

♦ A10842

♣ KQ10854

South:

♠ KQ1084

♥ AKJ862

♦ 7

♣ 7

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 212	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ AQ542	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J1098	

Board: 213	♠ A1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ98	
Vul: NS	♦ A872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 6	

Board: 214	♠ Q986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q94	

Board: 215	♠ AK52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ86	
Vul: Both	♦ A96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ 10	

Board: 216	♠ AKQJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1087	
Vul: NS	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK103	

Board: 217	♠ K1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ94	
Vul: EW	♦ AK85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ J	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 212  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ K5  
♥ K8  
♦ AQ542  
♣ J1098

South:  
♠ AJ9832  
♥ AQ542  
♦ —  
♣ AQ

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 213  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ A1095  
♥ AQ98  
♦ A872  
♣ 6

South:  
♠ KQJ  
♥ KJ76  
♦ J53  
♣ K109

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 214  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ Q986  
♥ KJ  
♦ AJ86  
♣ Q94

South:  
♠ AK42  
♥ 109  
♦ K  
♣ AK8762

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 215  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 20  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ AK52  
♥ AKQ86  
♦ A96  
♣ 10

South:  
♠ J83  
♥ 109  
♦ KJ7  
♣ AKJ82

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 216  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AKQJ98  
♥ 1087  
♦ —  
♣ AK103

South:  
♠ 3  
♥ AKJ5  
♦ AK942  
♣ 965

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

Board: 217

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K1096

♥ AQ94

♦ AK85

♣ J

South:

♠ A43

♥ K62

♦ J2

♣ AQ832

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 212	♠ AJ9832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ542	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ	

Board: 213	♠ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ76	
Vul: NS	♦ J53	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K109	

Board: 214	♠ AK42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK8762	

Board: 215	♠ J83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ82	

Board: 216	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ5	
Vul: NS	♦ AK942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 965	

Board: 217	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K62	
Vul: EW	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ832	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 212  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ K5  
♥ K8  
♦ AQ542  
♣ J1098

South:  
♠ AJ9832  
♥ AQ542  
♦ —  
♣ AQ

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 213  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ A1095  
♥ AQ98  
♦ A872  
♣ 6

South:  
♠ KQJ  
♥ KJ76  
♦ J53  
♣ K109

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 214  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ Q986  
♥ KJ  
♦ AJ86  
♣ Q94

South:  
♠ AK42  
♥ 109  
♦ K  
♣ AK8762

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 215  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 20  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ AK52  
♥ AKQ86  
♦ A96  
♣ 10

South:  
♠ J83  
♥ 109  
♦ KJ7  
♣ AKJ82

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 216  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AKQJ98  
♥ 1087  
♦ —  
♣ AK103

South:  
♠ 3  
♥ AKJ5  
♦ AK942  
♣ 965

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
	AP		

Board: 217

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K1096

♥ AQ94

♦ AK85

♣ J

South:

♠ A43

♥ K62

♦ J2

♣ AQ832

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 218	♠ AK9853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q865	
Board: 219	♠ Q109754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A953	
Vul: None	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8	
Board: 220	♠ AQJ1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ732	
Board: 221	♠ 9872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	
Board: 222	♠ QJ8753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ5	
Vul: None	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ42	
Board: 223	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J1062	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 218

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AK9853

♥ Q

♦ J5

♣ Q865

South:

♠ 2

♥ AKJ976

♦ K103

♣ KJ10

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ Q109754

♥ A953

♦ AK

♣ 8

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 64

♦ J872

♣ AQ952

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
	AP		

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ AQJ1097

♥ 5

♦ A

♣ KJ732

South:

♠ K

♥ KQJ1074

♦ KJ732

♣ 10

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 9872

♥ AQJ5

♦ KQJ8

♣ K

South:

♠ J6

♥ K10

♦ A53

♣ AQ8652

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ8753

♥ KJ5

♦ —

♣ AQ42

South:

♠ K

♥ 842

♦ AKQ106

♣ K1086

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ A95

♥ K

♦ AJ972

♣ J1062

South:

♠ KJ104

♥ A10653

♦ KQ8

♣ A

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♦	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 218	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ976	
Vul: Both	♦ K103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ10	
Board: 219	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 64	
Vul: None	♦ J872	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ952	
Board: 220	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ1074	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10	
Board: 221	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ A53	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ8652	
Board: 222	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 842	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K1086	
Board: 223	♠ KJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10653	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 218

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AK9853

♥ Q

♦ J5

♣ Q865

South:

♠ 2

♥ AKJ976

♦ K103

♣ KJ10

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ Q109754

♥ A953

♦ AK

♣ 8

South:

♠ AJ

♥ 64

♦ J872

♣ AQ952

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ AQJ1097

♥ 5

♦ A

♣ KJ732

South:

♠ K

♥ KQJ1074

♦ KJ732

♣ 10

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♥	AP	
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1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 9872

♥ AQJ5

♦ KQJ8

♣ K

South:

♠ J6

♥ K10

♦ A53

♣ AQ8652

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ8753

♥ KJ5

♦ —

♣ AQ42

South:

♠ K

♥ 842

♦ AKQ106

♣ K1086

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ A95

♥ K

♦ AJ972

♣ J1062

South:

♠ KJ104

♥ A10653

♦ KQ8

♣ A

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♦	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 224	♠ KQJ862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: Both	♦ J32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ2	

Board: 225	♠ AQ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ5	
Vul: None	♦ 10653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 5	

Board: 226	♠ KQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ Q103	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ8743	

Board: 227	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ9765	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A874	

Board: 228	♠ AKQJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: None	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q86	

Board: 229	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ109853	
Vul: NS	♦ A107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 224	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ862	♠ 10		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ K764	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J32	♦ AKQ	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ2	♣ KQ964	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ83	♠ 1095				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AKQ5	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 10653	♦ AKQ	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 5	♣ AKJ92	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ6	♠ A95		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ A76	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q103	♦ AJ9765	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ8743	♣ 6				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ9				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ9765	♥ A103	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ A1064	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A874	♣ 1092				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ54	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ J10	♥ AK962	Pass	3♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 15	♦ Q4	♦ AK87	Pass	5♠	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 17	♣ Q86	♣ K93	AP			
Contract: 6N S						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠



Board: 229

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 5

♥ QJ109853

♦ A107

♣ AK

South:

♠ KQJ82

♥ A

♦ Q64

♣ 9864

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 224	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K764	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ964	

Board: 225	♠ 1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ92	

Board: 226	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A76	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ9765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

Board: 227	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A103	
Vul: EW	♦ A1064	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1092	

Board: 228	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK962	
Vul: None	♦ AK87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K93	

Board: 229	♠ KQJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ Q64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9864	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 224	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQJ862	♠ 10		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ 8	♥ K764	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ J32	♦ AKQ	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 17	♣ AJ2	♣ KQ964	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ83	♠ 1095				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AKQ5	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 10653	♦ AKQ	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 5	♣ AKJ92	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ6	♠ A95		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ A76	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q103	♦ AJ9765	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ8743	♣ 6				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q	♠ AJ9				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ9765	♥ A103	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ A1064	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A874	♣ 1092				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKQJ54	♠ 3		1♠	Pass	2♥
Vul: None	♥ J10	♥ AK962	Pass	3♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 15	♦ Q4	♦ AK87	Pass	5♠	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 17	♣ Q86	♣ K93	AP			
Contract: 6N S						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 229

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 5

♥ QJ109853

♦ A107

♣ AK

South:

♠ KQJ82

♥ A

♦ Q64

♣ 9864

West	North	East	South
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			1♠
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 230	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q10942	
Vul: EW	♦ J942	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK10	

Board: 231	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 63	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKJ765	

Board: 232	♠ Q10542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A765	

Board: 233	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK1093	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J53	

Board: 234	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ 98762	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1098	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 230

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ Q10942

♦ J942

♣ AK10

South:

♠ AJ95

♥ J

♦ A108765

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

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

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 231

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A

♥ 63

♦ QJ92

♣ AKJ765

South:

♠ KQ10854

♥ KJ

♦ AK7

♣ Q10

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 6NT AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 232

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ Q10542

♥ A

♦ AJ7

♣ A765

South:

♠ 3

♥ KQJ10964

♦ KQ

♣ K98

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 233

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K

♥ AK1093

♦ KJ86

♣ J53

South:

♠ AQ10742

♥ Q72

♦ A73

♣ 10

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♠

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Splitter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 234  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ K  
♥ A8  
♦ 98762  
♣ AQ1098

South:  
♠ AQ8  
♥ KQ753  
♦ A  
♣ J764

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 230	♠ AJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ A108765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ	

Board: 231	♠ KQ10854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AK7	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q10	

Board: 232	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ10964	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K98	

Board: 233	♠ AQ10742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q72	
Vul: EW	♦ A73	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10	

Board: 234	♠ AQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ753	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J764	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 230

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ Q

♥ Q10942

♦ J942

♣ AK10

South:

♠ AJ95

♥ J

♦ A108765

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

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

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 231

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ A

♥ 63

♦ QJ92

♣ AKJ765

South:

♠ KQ10854

♥ KJ

♦ AK7

♣ Q10

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♣ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 6NT AP

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 232

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ Q10542

♥ A

♦ AJ7

♣ A765

South:

♠ 3

♥ KQJ10964

♦ KQ

♣ K98

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 233

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K

♥ AK1093

♦ KJ86

♣ J53

South:

♠ AQ10742

♥ Q72

♦ A73

♣ 10

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup> Pass 5♠

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Splitter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 234  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6♣ N

North:  
♠ K  
♥ A8  
♦ 98762  
♣ AQ1098

South:  
♠ AQ8  
♥ KQ753  
♦ A  
♣ J764

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 235	♠ J75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ943	
Vul: None	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ6	

Board: 236	♠ AQ1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ62	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1032	

Board: 237	♠ AKJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ109	
Vul: Both	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 5	

Board: 238	♠ K842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 94	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q5	

Board: 239	♠ KJ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ96	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKJ2	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J75

♥ AKQ943

♦ 2

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ AK109

♥ 82

♦ QJ95

♣ K95

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ1095

♥ —

♦ AJ62

♣ J1032

South:

♠ 2

♥ AK9653

♦ Q

♣ KQ654

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AKJ102

♥ KQJ109

♦ A6

♣ 5

South:

♠ 83

♥ A2

♦ QJ97

♣ AJ942

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ K842

♥ 94

♦ AKJ104

♣ Q5

South:

♠ QJ103

♥ KQJ1072

♦ —

♣ AK2

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♠

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

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♠ AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ52

♥ QJ96

♦ A

♣ AKJ2

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ K107

♦ K973

♣ 873

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 235	♠ AK109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 82	
Vul: None	♦ QJ95	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K95	
Board: 236	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9653	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ654	
Board: 237	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ97	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ942	
Board: 238	♠ QJ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ1072	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK2	
Board: 239	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K107	
Vul: NS	♦ K973	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 873	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 235

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J75

♥ AKQ943

♦ 2

♣ AQ6

South:

♠ AK109

♥ 82

♦ QJ95

♣ K95

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ1095

♥ —

♦ AJ62

♣ J1032

South:

♠ 2

♥ AK9653

♦ Q

♣ KQ654

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AKJ102

♥ KQJ109

♦ A6

♣ 5

South:

♠ 83

♥ A2

♦ QJ97

♣ AJ942

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 4♥ AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ K842

♥ 94

♦ AKJ104

♣ Q5

South:

♠ QJ103

♥ KQJ1072

♦ —

♣ AK2

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♠

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

Pass 4NT<sup>4</sup> Pass 5♦

Pass 5♠ AP

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ52

♥ QJ96

♦ A

♣ AKJ2

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ K107

♦ K973

♣ 873

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 240	♠ AKQJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: Both	♦ 43	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A62	

Board: 241	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ764	
Vul: None	♦ KQ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK9	

Board: 242	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ6	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ6532	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A9	

Board: 243	♠ AJ953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: EW	♦ Q872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK9	

Board: 244	♠ J1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ108	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AKQJ105

♥ A7

♦ 43

♣ A62

South:

♠ 7

♥ KJ105

♦ KQJ8

♣ K1075

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q

♥ QJ764

♦ KQ85

♣ AK9

South:

♠ AJ1085

♥ A2

♦ A102

♣ 862

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 64

♥ AQ6

♦ AQ6532

♣ A9

South:

♠ AKQ32

♥ J872

♦ 4

♣ QJ2

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 243

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ953

♥ 7

♦ Q872

♣ AK9

South:

♠ KQ7

♥ KQJ1094

♦ K93

♣ 8

West North East South

1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 244

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ J1086

♥ Q

♦ AQJ2

♣ AJ108

South:

♠ AK752

♥ KJ53

♦ 3

♣ KQ6

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 240	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ105	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K1075	

Board: 241	♠ AJ1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: None	♦ A102	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 862	

Board: 242	♠ AKQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J872	
Vul: NS	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ2	

Board: 243	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ1094	
Vul: EW	♦ K93	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	

Board: 244	♠ AK752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ53	
Vul: None	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AKQJ105

♥ A7

♦ 43

♣ A62

South:

♠ 7

♥ KJ105

♦ KQJ8

♣ K1075

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q

♥ QJ764

♦ KQ85

♣ AK9

South:

♠ AJ1085

♥ A2

♦ A102

♣ 862

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 64

♥ AQ6

♦ AQ6532

♣ A9

South:

♠ AKQ32

♥ J872

♦ 4

♣ QJ2

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 243

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ953

♥ 7

♦ Q872

♣ AK9

South:

♠ KQ7

♥ KQJ1094

♦ K93

♣ 8

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 244

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ J1086

♥ Q

♦ AQJ2

♣ AJ108

South:

♠ AK752

♥ KJ53

♦ 3

♣ KQ6

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	4♥ <sup>4</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 245	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1086	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ932	

Board: 246	♠ A982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ105	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 247	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q985	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ953	

Board: 248	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 93	
Vul: NS	♦ AK642	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ865	

Board: 249	♠ KQ8654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ864	

Board: 250	♠ 986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ97	
Vul: Both	♦ J4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ3	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 245

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 4

♥ 1086

♦ AKQ8

♣ AJ932

South:

♠ AK1053

♥ KJ95

♦ 9

♣ KQ6

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 246

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ A982

♥ AKJ105

♦ QJ94

♣ —

South:

♠ KQ10

♥ Q

♦ A832

♣ Q10953

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 247

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ10

♥ Q985

♦ A

♣ KQ953

South:

♠ K875

♥ K

♦ K8762

♣ A62

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ 4

♥ 93

♦ AK642

♣ AJ865

South:

♠ KQJ10932

♥ AQ85

♦ —

♣ K10

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3♣	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 249

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ8654

♥ —

♦ K8

♣ KQ864

South:

♠ J2

♥ AQJ983

♦ Q9

♣ A103

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP



Board: 250

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 986

♥ AQJ97

♦ J4

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ AKQ543

♥ 4

♦ A87

♣ J104

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 245	♠ AK1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ95	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ6	

Board: 246	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ A832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q10953	

Board: 247	♠ K875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ K8762	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A62	

Board: 248	♠ KQJ10932	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ85	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10	

Board: 249	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ983	
Vul: EW	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A103	

Board: 250	♠ AKQ543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: Both	♦ A87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J104	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 245

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 4

♥ 1086

♦ AKQ8

♣ AJ932

South:

♠ AK1053

♥ KJ95

♦ 9

♣ KQ6

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 246

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ A982

♥ AKJ105

♦ QJ94

♣ —

South:

♠ KQ10

♥ Q

♦ A832

♣ Q10953

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 247

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ10

♥ Q985

♦ A

♣ KQ953

South:

♠ K875

♥ K

♦ K8762

♣ A62

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ 4

♥ 93

♦ AK642

♣ AJ865

South:

♠ KQJ10932

♥ AQ85

♦ —

♣ K10

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3♣	Pass	6♠
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 249

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ8654

♥ —

♦ K8

♣ KQ864

South:

♠ J2

♥ AQJ983

♦ Q9

♣ A103

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

Board: 250

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 986

♥ AQJ97

♦ J4

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ AKQ543

♥ 4

♦ A87

♣ J104

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 251	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ94	
Vul: None	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ872	
Board: 252	♠ KQ86432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 4	
Board: 253	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ72	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A95	
Board: 254	♠ AQJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ K1085	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1093	
Board: 255	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ98	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK9754	
Board: 256	♠ 104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1052	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ1054	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQ94

♦ J2

♣ QJ872

South:

♠ KJ98652

♥ J

♦ K6

♣ A93

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♠

AP

Board: 252

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ KQ86432

♥ AJ5

♦ KQ

♣ 4

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ73

♦ AJ762

♣ AK109

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 5♠ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 253

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 8

♥ KJ72

♦ KQ765

♣ A95

South:

♠ AKQ1064

♥ A85

♦ 2

♣ QJ4

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQJ32

♥ K

♦ K1085

♣ 1093

South:

♠ 10

♥ Q985

♦ AQ2

♣ AJ875

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K7

♥ AJ98

♦ Q

♣ AK9754

South:

♠ Q54

♥ 52

♦ AK9832

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 104

♥ KQ

♦ Q1052

♣ AJ1054

South:

♠ AKQ9762

♥ 952

♦ A3

♣ 3

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 251	♠ KJ98652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A93	

Board: 252	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ73	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK109	

Board: 253	♠ AKQ1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A85	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ4	

Board: 254	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q985	
Vul: None	♦ AQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ875	

Board: 255	♠ Q54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 52	
Vul: NS	♦ AK9832	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ	

Board: 256	♠ AKQ9762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 952	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 3	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 251

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 7

♥ AKQ94

♦ J2

♣ QJ872

South:

♠ KJ98652

♥ J

♦ K6

♣ A93

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 4♠

AP

Board: 252

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ KQ86432

♥ AJ5

♦ KQ

♣ 4

South:

♠ —

♥ KQ73

♦ AJ762

♣ AK109

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 5♠ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 253

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 8

♥ KJ72

♦ KQ765

♣ A95

South:

♠ AKQ1064

♥ A85

♦ 2

♣ QJ4

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQJ32

♥ K

♦ K1085

♣ 1093

South:

♠ 10

♥ Q985

♦ AQ2

♣ AJ875

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K7

♥ AJ98

♦ Q

♣ AK9754

South:

♠ Q54

♥ 52

♦ AK9832

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 104

♥ KQ

♦ Q1052

♣ AJ1054

South:

♠ AKQ9762

♥ 952

♦ A3

♣ 3

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2NT	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 257	♠ J982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ54	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

Board: 258	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1098	
Vul: NS	♦ 965	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ	

Board: 259	♠ KQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ K97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK1084	

Board: 260	♠ 765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 93	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ63	

Board: 261	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK8654	
Vul: NS	♦ AK32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10	

Board: 262	♠ 7532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ986	
Vul: EW	♦ A86	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J982	♠ AKQ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ54	♥ 10876	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ7	♦ K6	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 18	♣ K	♣ AQ76	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 258	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A95	♠ QJ10		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q1098	♥ AJ32	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ 965	♦ KQJ104	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AKJ	♣ 8				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 259	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ108	♠ 2				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K	♥ AJ864	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ K97	♦ AJ82	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AK1084	♣ QJ3	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 260	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 765	♠ AKQJ10		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 93	♥ KQJ7	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ KQJ2	♦ 6	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ AQ63	♣ K52	Pass	5♦	Pass	5♠
Contract: 5♠ S			AP			
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♠			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 261	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ QJ9				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AK8654	♥ 103	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK32	♦ Q105	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ 10	♣ AKJ63	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 262

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 7532

♥ AKJ986

♦ A86

♣ —

South:

♠ 1096

♥ 3

♦ QJ105

♣ AKQJ5

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 257	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10876	
Vul: None	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ76	

Board: 258	♠ QJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ32	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	

Board: 259	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ864	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ3	

Board: 260	♠ AKQJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ7	
Vul: None	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K52	

Board: 261	♠ QJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 103	
Vul: NS	♦ Q105	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ63	

Board: 262	♠ 1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQJ5	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 257	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J982	♠ AKQ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ54	♥ 10876	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 15	♦ AQJ7	♦ K6	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 18	♣ K	♣ AQ76	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ N			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 258	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A95	♠ QJ10		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q1098	♥ AJ32	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 14	♦ 965	♦ KQJ104	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AKJ	♣ 8				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 259	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ108	♠ 2				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K	♥ AJ864	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 18	♦ K97	♦ AJ82	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AK1084	♣ QJ3	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 260	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 765	♠ AKQJ10		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 93	♥ KQJ7	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ KQJ2	♦ 6	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>
South HCP: 19	♣ AQ63	♣ K52	Pass	5♦	Pass	5♠
Contract: 5♠ S			AP			
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♠			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			

Board: 261	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 52	♠ QJ9				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AK8654	♥ 103	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK32	♦ Q105	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ 10	♣ AKJ63	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 262

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 7532

♥ AKJ986

♦ A86

♣ —

South:

♠ 1096

♥ 3

♦ QJ105

♣ AKQJ5

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 263	♠ AK1095432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: Both	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A4	

Board: 264	♠ AKJ9742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A75	
Vul: NS	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J5	

Board: 265	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1098764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 104	

Board: 266	♠ A872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q105	
Vul: Both	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1084	

Board: 267	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1042	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 263

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♠ N

North:

♠ AK1095432

♥ 8

♦ Q8

♣ A4

South:

♠ Q6

♥ AKJ963

♦ A103

♣ K2

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	Pass	7♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 264

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ9742

♥ A75

♦ J

♣ J5

South:

♠ 6

♥ Q864

♦ AQ5

♣ AK1093

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ —

♥ AK6

♦ AK1098764

♣ 104

South:

♠ AQJ53

♥ 103

♦ J

♣ A8753

West	North	East	South
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1♠

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A872

♥ Q105

♦ A9

♣ A1084

South:

♠ Q654

♥ AKJ86

♦ KJ6

♣ J

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ

♥ J1042

♦ AKJ653

♣ 6

South:

♠ KJ54

♥ KQ3

♦ 4

♣ A9853

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 263	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ963	
Vul: Both	♦ A103	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K2	

Board: 264	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q864	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK1093	

Board: 265	♠ AQJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 103	
Vul: EW	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A8753	

Board: 266	♠ Q654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ86	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J	

Board: 267	♠ KJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	
Vul: None	♦ 4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A9853	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 263

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♠ N

North:

♠ AK1095432

♥ 8

♦ Q8

♣ A4

South:

♠ Q6

♥ AKJ963

♦ A103

♣ K2

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	Pass	7♠
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 264

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ9742

♥ A75

♦ J

♣ J5

South:

♠ 6

♥ Q864

♦ AQ5

♣ AK1093

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
------	----	------	----

Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ —

♥ AK6

♦ AK1098764

♣ 104

South:

♠ AQJ53

♥ 103

♦ J

♣ A8753

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
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Pass	6♦	AP	
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West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5♦
------	----	------	----

Pass	5NT	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A872

♥ Q105

♦ A9

♣ A1084

South:

♠ Q654

♥ AKJ86

♦ KJ6

♣ J

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ

♥ J1042

♦ AKJ653

♣ 6

South:

♠ KJ54

♥ KQ3

♦ 4

♣ A9853

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 268	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1042	
Vul: EW	♦ J109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ86	

Board: 269	♠ 6543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A983	

Board: 270	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1086	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1096	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A82	

Board: 271	♠ AQ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 754	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10	

Board: 272	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ K9653	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J5	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 268

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ A1042

♦ J109

♣ AKQ86

South:

♠ AQ85

♥ KQ983

♦ AQ2

♣ 9

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5♥ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 269

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 6543

♥ AKQ10

♦ 2

♣ A983

South:

♠ K72

♥ 75

♦ AKQ1093

♣ 74

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 270

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J

♥ K1086

♦ KQ1096

♣ A82

South:

♠ A10842

♥ AQ3

♦ J

♣ QJ65

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 271

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ98

♥ 754

♦ AKQ94

♣ 10

South:

♠ K1054

♥ AJ106

♦ 8

♣ KQJ3

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Fourth suit game force



Board: 272

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ2

♥ KJ2

♦ K9653

♣ J5

South:

♠ 74

♥ Q9543

♦ A

♣ AK1098

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 268	♠ AQ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ983	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 9	

Board: 269	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ1093	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 74	

Board: 270	♠ A10842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: None	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ65	

Board: 271	♠ K1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ106	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ3	

Board: 272	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9543	
Vul: Both	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK1098	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 268

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7♥ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ A1042

♦ J109

♣ AKQ86

South:

♠ AQ85

♥ KQ983

♦ AQ2

♣ 9

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5♥ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 269

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 6543

♥ AKQ10

♦ 2

♣ A983

South:

♠ K72

♥ 75

♦ AKQ1093

♣ 74

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 270

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J

♥ K1086

♦ KQ1096

♣ A82

South:

♠ A10842

♥ AQ3

♦ J

♣ QJ65

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 3NT AP

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 271

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ98

♥ 754

♦ AKQ94

♣ 10

South:

♠ K1054

♥ AJ106

♦ 8

♣ KQJ3

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠<sup>1</sup> Pass 2♠

Pass 4♠ AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 272

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ2

♥ KJ2

♦ K9653

♣ J5

South:

♠ 74

♥ Q9543

♦ A

♣ AK1098

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 273	♠ A5432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A9753	

Board: 274	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ84	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ643	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 64	

Board: 275	♠ AQ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ543	
Vul: EW	♦ K43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q	

Board: 276	♠ Q10753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1052	
Vul: None	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10	

Board: 277	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ6	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J105	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A5432	♠ 107				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 7	♥ AKQJ2	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ	♦ A75	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ A9753	♣ 1042	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. New Minor Forcing			

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 7	♠ AKJ42		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ84	♥ K97	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AKQ643	♦ 9	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 64	♣ AK103				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 275	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ97	♠ K5		1♥	Pass	1NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQ543	♥ K106	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
North HCP: 17	♦ K43	♦ 1062	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥
South HCP: 13	♣ Q	♣ AK865	Pass	6♥	AP	
Contract: 6♥ N			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♥			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 276	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10753	♠ K		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: None	♥ AK1052	♥ J	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ A7	♦ QJ8642	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10	♣ AQJ52				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ AKQ6

♦ AQ1042

♣ J105

South:

♠ AK654

♥ 10953

♦ K5

♣ K3

West	North	East	South
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1♠

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 273	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ2	
Vul: None	♦ A75	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1042	

Board: 274	♠ AKJ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K97	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK103	

Board: 275	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K106	
Vul: EW	♦ 1062	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK865	

Board: 276	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ QJ8642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ52	

Board: 277	♠ AK654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10953	
Vul: EW	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K3	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 273	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A5432	♠ 107				1♥
Vul: None	♥ 7	♥ AKQJ2	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ	♦ A75	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ A9753	♣ 1042	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. New Minor Forcing			

Board: 274	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 7	♠ AKJ42				
Vul: NS	♥ AJ84	♥ K97		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 14	♦ AKQ643	♦ 9	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 64	♣ AK103	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 275	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ97	♠ K5				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ543	♥ K106	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K43	♦ 1062	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 13	♣ Q	♣ AK865	Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♥
Contract: 6♥ N			Pass	6♥	AP	
			1. New Minor Forcing			
			2. 3♥			
			3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

Board: 276	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q10753	♠ K				
Vul: None	♥ AK1052	♥ J		1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A7	♦ QJ8642	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
South HCP: 14	♣ 10	♣ AQJ52	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 2

♥ AKQ6

♦ AQ1042

♣ J105

South:

♠ AK654

♥ 10953

♦ K5

♣ K3

West	North	East	South
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1♠

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 278	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7543	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ82	

Board: 279	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A72	
Vul: NS	♦ A10532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ65	

Board: 280	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 974	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ743	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K5	

Board: 281	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K984	
Vul: None	♦ A8532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK7	

Board: 282	♠ AJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ652	
Vul: EW	♦ Q95	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ 7543

♦ 8

♣ AKJ82

South:

♠ AJ962

♥ AK2

♦ AQ52

♣ 9

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♦ Pass 7♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. King ask by 5NT

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 8

♥ A72

♦ A10532

♣ KQ65

South:

♠ AKJ653

♥ KQJ864

♦ —

♣ 2

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A2

♥ 974

♦ AQJ743

♣ K5

South:

♠ KJ9

♥ AJ10

♦ K

♣ J109864

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 7

♥ K984

♦ A8532

♣ AK7

South:

♠ A9853

♥ AQ10

♦ J6

♣ QJ9

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AJ74

♥ KQ652

♦ Q95

♣ Q

South:

♠ K2

♥ —

♦ AKJ732

♣ AKJ64

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
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AP			
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 278	♠ AJ962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK2	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 9	

Board: 279	♠ AKJ653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ864	
Vul: NS	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

Board: 280	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J109864	

Board: 281	♠ A9853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: None	♦ J6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ9	

Board: 282	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKJ64	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 7♠ S

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ 7543

♦ 8

♣ AKJ82

South:

♠ AJ962

♥ AK2

♦ AQ52

♣ 9

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>4</sup>

Pass 6♦ Pass 7♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

4. King ask by 5NT

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 8

♥ A72

♦ A10532

♣ KQ65

South:

♠ AKJ653

♥ KQJ864

♦ —

♣ 2

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♣ Pass 4♥

AP

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A2

♥ 974

♦ AQJ743

♣ K5

South:

♠ KJ9

♥ AJ10

♦ K

♣ J109864

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 7

♥ K984

♦ A8532

♣ AK7

South:

♠ A9853

♥ AQ10

♦ J6

♣ QJ9

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AJ74

♥ KQ652

♦ Q95

♣ Q

South:

♠ K2

♥ —

♦ AKJ732

♣ AKJ64

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 283	♠ QJ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ7	
Vul: Both	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8762	

Board: 284	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ95	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ102	

Board: 285	♠ A853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ632	
Vul: Both	♦ A84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 3	

Board: 286	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ105	
Vul: None	♦ Q6	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A8642	

Board: 287	♠ AK432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J105	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ64	♠ K8				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ KQ7	♥ A63	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K	♦ QJ8752	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 12	♣ A8762	♣ Q3	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K74	♠ A532		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 105	♥ K9763	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ95	♦ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ102	♣ KJ8	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A853	♠ 10				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ632	♥ KJ54	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ A84	♦ KJ9	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 3	♣ A9652	Pass	3♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♥ N			Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♥
			Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q	♠ AKJ3				
Vul: None	♥ AKQ105	♥ 3		1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ Q6	♦ AJ1083	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ A8642	♣ 953	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 287

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AK432

♥ 9

♦ AJ53

♣ J105

South:

♠ Q765

♥ AQJ52

♦ Q

♣ KQ4

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♦
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 283	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A63	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ8752	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q3	

Board: 284	♠ A532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9763	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ8	

Board: 285	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ54	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A9652	

Board: 286	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 953	

Board: 287	♠ Q765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ52	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ4	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 283	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ64	♠ K8				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ KQ7	♥ A63	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K	♦ QJ8752	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 12	♣ A8762	♣ Q3	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 284	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K74	♠ A532		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 105	♥ K9763	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ95	♦ A	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ102	♣ KJ8	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 285	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A853	♠ 10				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ632	♥ KJ54	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 14	♦ A84	♦ KJ9	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 3	♣ A9652	Pass	3♦ <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>4</sup>
Contract: 6♥ N			Pass	4NT <sup>5</sup>	Pass	5♥
			Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus  
 2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
 3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper  
 4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper  
 5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 286	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q	♠ AKJ3				
Vul: None	♥ AKQ105	♥ 3		1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ Q6	♦ AJ1083	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ A8642	♣ 953	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 287

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ N

North:

♠ AK432

♥ 9

♦ AJ53

♣ J105

South:

♠ Q765

♥ AQJ52

♦ Q

♣ KQ4

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♦
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Pass	5♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 288	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	
Vul: None	♦ AK93	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ532	

Board: 289	♠ AK97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ10984	
Vul: NS	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J6	

Board: 290	♠ J84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A763	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1098	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10	

Board: 291	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK96543	
Vul: Both	♦ K2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ2	

Board: 292	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ1064	
Vul: NS	♦ K9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1073	

Board: 293	♠ AQ852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ109	
Vul: EW	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J96	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ 10  
♥ A96  
♦ AK93  
♣ KQ532

South:  
♠ AJ542  
♥ K832  
♦ QJ6  
♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 289  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ AK97  
♥ KQJ10984  
♦ —  
♣ J6

South:  
♠ 6  
♥ A  
♦ AKQ1087  
♣ A10852

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 290  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J84  
♥ A763  
♦ AK1098  
♣ 10

South:  
♠ A10632  
♥ J54  
♦ 4  
♣ AKJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
	AP		

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

Board: 291  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ 8  
♥ AK96543  
♦ K2  
♣ AQ2

South:  
♠ AKQJ4  
♥ Q10  
♦ A109  
♣ K95

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 292  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ K2  
♥ AKJ1064  
♦ K9  
♣ 1073

South:  
♠ AJ1086  
♥ —  
♦ A852  
♣ AQJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
	AP		



Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AQ852

♥ AQ109

♦ J

♣ J96

South:

♠ K106

♥ J76

♦ KQ52

♣ K83

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 288	♠ AJ542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K832	
Vul: None	♦ QJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	
Board: 289	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ1087	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A10852	
Board: 290	♠ A10632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J54	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ2	
Board: 291	♠ AKQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: Both	♦ A109	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K95	
Board: 292	♠ AJ1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ A852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQJ2	
Board: 293	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J76	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ52	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K83	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 288  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ 10  
♥ A96  
♦ AK93  
♣ KQ532

South:  
♠ AJ542  
♥ K832  
♦ QJ6  
♣ A

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 289  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ AK97  
♥ KQJ10984  
♦ —  
♣ J6

South:  
♠ 6  
♥ A  
♦ AKQ1087  
♣ A10852

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 290  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J84  
♥ A763  
♦ AK1098  
♣ 10

South:  
♠ A10632  
♥ J54  
♦ 4  
♣ AKJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
	AP		

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

Board: 291  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 19  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ 8  
♥ AK96543  
♦ K2  
♣ AQ2

South:  
♠ AKQJ4  
♥ Q10  
♦ A109  
♣ K95

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 292  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ K2  
♥ AKJ1064  
♦ K9  
♣ 1073

South:  
♠ AJ1086  
♥ —  
♦ A852  
♣ AQJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
	AP		

Board: 293

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ AQ852

♥ AQ109

♦ J

♣ J96

South:

♠ K106

♥ J76

♦ KQ52

♣ K83

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	3♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 294	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10874	
Vul: Both	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 876	

Board: 295	♠ K865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ764	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1073	

Board: 296	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1075	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ72	

Board: 297	♠ AQJ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ43	
Vul: Both	♦ 64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 298	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: NS	♦ 74	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ9652	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A8  
♥ AQ10874  
♦ Q3  
♣ 876

South:

♠ KQJ62  
♥ 2  
♦ A982  
♣ A53

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K865  
♥ AQ764  
♦ —  
♣ A1073

South:

♠ QJ  
♥ K85  
♦ AJ1062  
♣ QJ8

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♥  
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 296

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 5  
♥ K1075  
♦ AJ74  
♣ KQ72

South:

♠ AQ1094  
♥ AQ94  
♦ 3  
♣ AJ9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 297

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ92  
♥ AKQ43  
♦ 64  
♣ 5

South:

♠ 5  
♥ 1075  
♦ A73  
♣ AKJ876

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 298

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ9  
♥ Q7  
♦ 74  
♣ KJ9652

South:

♠ 8753  
♥ AK1064  
♦ AK10  
♣ 3

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 294	♠ KQJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ A982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A53	

Board: 295	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K85	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ8	

Board: 296	♠ AQ1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ94	
Vul: EW	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ9	

Board: 297	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1075	
Vul: Both	♦ A73	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ876	

Board: 298	♠ 8753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK1064	
Vul: NS	♦ AK10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 3	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 294

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A8  
♥ AQ10874  
♦ Q3  
♣ 876

South:

♠ KQJ62  
♥ 2  
♦ A982  
♣ A53

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 295

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ K865  
♥ AQ764  
♦ —  
♣ A1073

South:

♠ QJ  
♥ K85  
♦ AJ1062  
♣ QJ8

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♥  
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 296

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 5  
♥ K1075  
♦ AJ74  
♣ KQ72

South:

♠ AQ1094  
♥ AQ94  
♦ 3  
♣ AJ9

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♥ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	2NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 297

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ92  
♥ AKQ43  
♦ 64  
♣ 5

South:

♠ 5  
♥ 1075  
♦ A73  
♣ AKJ876

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 298

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ9  
♥ Q7  
♦ 74  
♣ KJ9652

South:

♠ 8753  
♥ AK1064  
♦ AK10  
♣ 3

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
Pass	3NT	AP	



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 299	♠ AKQ10862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ107	
Vul: Both	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ —	

Board: 300	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K73	
Vul: None	♦ A7642	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 93	

Board: 301	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ10973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A106	

Board: 302	♠ AJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK863	
Vul: EW	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K94	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 299

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AKQ10862

♥ AQJ107

♦ 7

♣ —

South:

♠ —

♥ K82

♦ AKQ103

♣ A8743

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 300

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ KQ10

♥ K73

♦ A7642

♣ 93

South:

♠ AJ987

♥ A5

♦ 10

♣ KJ1086

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 301

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 10

♥ KQ2

♦ AJ10973

♣ A106

South:

♠ AQJ97

♥ A8

♦ 86

♣ QJ42

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 302

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ96

♥ AK863

♦ 8

♣ K94

South:

♠ K542

♥ 5

♦ AQ9653

♣ A3

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 5♦ Pass 5♠

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠



## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 299	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K82	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ103	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A8743	

Board: 300	♠ AJ987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: None	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ1086	

Board: 301	♠ AQJ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: NS	♦ 86	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ42	

Board: 302	♠ K542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ9653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A3	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 299

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ AKQ10862

♥ AQJ107

♦ 7

♣ —

South:

♠ —

♥ K82

♦ AKQ103

♣ A8743

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥<sup>1</sup> Pass 2NT

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>2</sup>

Pass 5♠ Pass 5NT<sup>3</sup>

Pass 6♦ Pass 7♥

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 300

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ KQ10

♥ K73

♦ A7642

♣ 93

South:

♠ AJ987

♥ A5

♦ 10

♣ KJ1086

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♣<sup>1</sup>

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

Pass 3♦<sup>4</sup> Pass 4♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 301

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 10

♥ KQ2

♦ AJ10973

♣ A106

South:

♠ AQJ97

♥ A8

♦ 86

♣ QJ42

West North East South

1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 302

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ AJ96

♥ AK863

♦ 8

♣ K94

South:

♠ K542

♥ 5

♦ AQ9653

♣ A3

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♠ Pass 4♠

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 5♦ Pass 5♠

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 303	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK106	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ 10	
Board: 304	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A72	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ1032	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J87	
Board: 305	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7542	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ9	
Board: 306	♠ AKJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A74	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J852	
Board: 307	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ632	
Vul: NS	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ875	
Board: 308	♠ A963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ983	
Vul: EW	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ109	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 21  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 7N N

North:  
 ♠ AK5  
 ♥ AK106  
 ♦ AQJ87  
 ♣ 10

South:  
 ♠ 10  
 ♥ 432  
 ♦ K42  
 ♣ AKQ864

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♦
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
 2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 304  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ J  
 ♥ A72  
 ♦ AKJ1032  
 ♣ J87

South:  
 ♠ A9432  
 ♥ QJ10  
 ♦ 9  
 ♣ AQ96

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 305  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
 ♠ —  
 ♥ K7542  
 ♦ KQJ82  
 ♣ AQ9

South:  
 ♠ KJ972  
 ♥ Q63  
 ♦ A10  
 ♣ K65

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 306  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 16  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ AKJ108  
 ♥ A74  
 ♦ 9  
 ♣ J852

South:  
 ♠ 4  
 ♥ KQ2  
 ♦ A8652  
 ♣ AK93

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 307  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 12  
 Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
 ♠ K  
 ♥ KQ632  
 ♦ Q8  
 ♣ KQ875

South:  
 ♠ AQ109754  
 ♥ —  
 ♦ AJ7  
 ♣ J102

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
AP			



Board: 308

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ A963

♥ AJ983

♦ —

♣ AJ109

South:

♠ KQJ2

♥ —

♦ AQJ8754

♣ K8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 303	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 432	
Vul: None	♦ K42	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ864	
Board: 304	♠ A9432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ96	
Board: 305	♠ KJ972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q63	
Vul: EW	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K65	
Board: 306	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ2	
Vul: Both	♦ A8652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK93	
Board: 307	♠ AQ109754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J102	
Board: 308	♠ KQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ8754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 303  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 21  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 7N N

North:  
♠ AK5  
♥ AK106  
♦ AQJ87  
♣ 10

South:  
♠ 10  
♥ 432  
♦ K42  
♣ AKQ864

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	6♦
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 304  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J  
♥ A72  
♦ AKJ1032  
♣ J87

South:  
♠ A9432  
♥ QJ10  
♦ 9  
♣ AQ96

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 305  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ —  
♥ K7542  
♦ KQJ82  
♣ AQ9

South:  
♠ KJ972  
♥ Q63  
♦ A10  
♣ K65

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 306  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AKJ108  
♥ A74  
♦ 9  
♣ J852

South:  
♠ 4  
♥ KQ2  
♦ A8652  
♣ AK93

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 307  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ K  
♥ KQ632  
♦ Q8  
♣ KQ875

South:  
♠ AQ109754  
♥ —  
♦ AJ7  
♣ J102

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♠
AP			

Board: 308

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ A963

♥ AJ983

♦ —

♣ AJ109

South:

♠ KQJ2

♥ —

♦ AQJ8754

♣ K8

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 309	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ942	
Vul: Both	♦ 9432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K9	

Board: 310	♠ 964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ983	
Vul: None	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K105	

Board: 311	♠ A8643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ2	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K	

Board: 312	♠ Q102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J96	
Vul: Both	♦ AK852	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q9	

Board: 313	♠ KJ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ963	
Vul: None	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A63	

Board: 314	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: Both	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ10764	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ J9875				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ942	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 9432	♦ AJ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ K9	♣ A7432	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 964	♠ AKJ8		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQJ983	♥ 7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A	♦ Q752	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ K105	♣ A973				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8643	♠ 102				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ2	♥ KJ4	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ64	♦ KJ2	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ A10974	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 312	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q102	♠ AKJ754		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J96	♥ A103	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AK852	♦ 3	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9	♣ K84				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ74	♠ 105				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AQ963	♥ K	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 9	♦ AKJ752	Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 15	♣ A63	♣ KJ95	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 314

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J6

♥ K96

♦ K

♣ AKQ10764

South:

♠ KQ109

♥ AJ52

♦ AQ32

♣ 9

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 309	♠ J9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A7432	

Board: 310	♠ AKJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: None	♦ Q752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A973	

Board: 311	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10974	

Board: 312	♠ AKJ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K84	

Board: 313	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ752	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ95	

Board: 314	♠ KQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ52	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ J9875				1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQJ942	♥ K	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ 9432	♦ AJ	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♣ K9	♣ A7432	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 310	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 964	♠ AKJ8		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ KQJ983	♥ 7	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ A	♦ Q752	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ K105	♣ A973				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 311	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8643	♠ 102				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ2	♥ KJ4	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ64	♦ KJ2	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 12	♣ K	♣ A10974	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 312	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q102	♠ AKJ754		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ J96	♥ A103	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AK852	♦ 3	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ Q9	♣ K84				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 313	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ74	♠ 105				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AQ963	♥ K	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 14	♦ 9	♦ AKJ752	Pass	2♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 15	♣ A63	♣ KJ95	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
Contract: 3N S			AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 314

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J6

♥ K96

♦ K

♣ AKQ10764

South:

♠ KQ109

♥ AJ52

♦ AQ32

♣ 9

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 315	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ7	
Vul: None	♦ K6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ9874	

Board: 316	♠ KQ873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ K952	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A932	

Board: 317	♠ AK10974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: None	♦ KJ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Board: 318	♠ J108764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: NS	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	

Board: 319	♠ A10863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: EW	♦ A10754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 320	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ985	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J82	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 5

♥ KQ7

♦ K6

♣ AKQ9874

South:

♠ AQ10632

♥ J42

♦ AJ83

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 316

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ KQ873

♥ —

♦ K952

♣ A932

South:

♠ 2

♥ AKQ9

♦ AJ87

♣ QJ107

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass 2♣

Pass	4♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
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AP

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 317

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AK10974

♥ KQ

♦ KJ65

♣ 10

South:

♠ J6

♥ AJ53

♦ Q104

♣ KQ86

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

Board: 318

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ J108764

♥ AKQ9

♦ A8

♣ K

South:

♠ A

♥ 1087

♦ KQJ954

♣ A72

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass 2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

Board: 319

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ A10863

♥ QJ

♦ A10754

♣ A

South:

♠ K52

♥ AK103

♦ J3

♣ J872

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 320

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ KQJ985

♦ 3

♣ J82

South:

♠ AJ2

♥ —

♦ KJ7654

♣ KQ74

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 315	♠ AQ10632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J42	
Vul: None	♦ AJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ —	
Board: 316	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ107	
Board: 317	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ53	
Vul: None	♦ Q104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ86	
Board: 318	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1087	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A72	
Board: 319	♠ K52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK103	
Vul: EW	♦ J3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J872	
Board: 320	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ7654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ74	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 5

♥ KQ7

♦ K6

♣ AKQ9874

South:

♠ AQ10632

♥ J42

♦ AJ83

♣ —

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 316

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ KQ873

♥ —

♦ K952

♣ A932

South:

♠ 2

♥ AKQ9

♦ AJ87

♣ QJ107

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass 2♣

Pass	4♥ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♣
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AP

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 317

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AK10974

♥ KQ

♦ KJ65

♣ 10

South:

♠ J6

♥ AJ53

♦ Q104

♣ KQ86

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

Board: 318

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ J108764

♥ AKQ9

♦ A8

♣ K

South:

♠ A

♥ 1087

♦ KQJ954

♣ A72

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass 2♦

Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

Board: 319

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ A10863

♥ QJ

♦ A10754

♣ A

South:

♠ K52

♥ AK103

♦ J3

♣ J872

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 320

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ KQJ985

♦ 3

♣ J82

South:

♠ AJ2

♥ —

♦ KJ7654

♣ KQ74

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 321	♠ AQ1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ973	
Vul: NS	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 2	
Board: 322	♠ A64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ42	
Vul: EW	♦ 43	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q632	
Board: 323	♠ KQ10953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1096	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	
Board: 324	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: None	♦ AK10985	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ8	
Board: 325	♠ 983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ52	
Vul: EW	♦ A9432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	
Board: 326	♠ 942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: Both	♦ A9765	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1053

♥ KQ973

♦ Q5

♣ 2

South:

♠ J742

♥ A82

♦ AJ6

♣ QJ7

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A64

♥ AQ42

♦ 43

♣ Q632

South:

♠ KQ1053

♥ K963

♦ AJ10

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ10953

♥ 1096

♦ AJ6

♣ A

South:

♠ 86

♥ AK5

♦ 83

♣ KQJ1054

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 8

♥ QJ10

♦ AK10985

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ AQ102

♥ K984

♦ —

♣ KQ1076

West	North	East	South
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1♦ Pass 2♣

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 983

♥ AQ52

♦ A9432

♣ K

South:

♠ K106

♥ K76

♦ Q10

♣ A10852

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 326

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 942

♥ Q

♦ A9765

♣ AQJ8

South:

♠ AQJ73

♥ AJ653

♦ J

♣ 96

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♠	AP	

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 321	♠ J742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A82	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ7	
Board: 322	♠ KQ1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K963	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 4	
Board: 323	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK5	
Vul: Both	♦ 83	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ1054	
Board: 324	♠ AQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K984	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ1076	
Board: 325	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K76	
Vul: EW	♦ Q10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10852	
Board: 326	♠ AQJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ653	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 96	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ1053

♥ KQ973

♦ Q5

♣ 2

South:

♠ J742

♥ A82

♦ AJ6

♣ QJ7

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ A64

♥ AQ42

♦ 43

♣ Q632

South:

♠ KQ1053

♥ K963

♦ AJ10

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	2♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3 ♠

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ10953

♥ 1096

♦ AJ6

♣ A

South:

♠ 86

♥ AK5

♦ 83

♣ KQJ1054

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ 8

♥ QJ10

♦ AK10985

♣ AJ8

South:

♠ AQ102

♥ K984

♦ —

♣ KQ1076

West	North	East	South
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1♦ Pass 2♣

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

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 983

♥ AQ52

♦ A9432

♣ K

South:

♠ K106

♥ K76

♦ Q10

♣ A10852

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 326

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 942

♥ Q

♦ A9765

♣ AQJ8

South:

♠ AQJ73

♥ AJ653

♦ J

♣ 96

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 327	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: None	♦ AQ1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q64	

Board: 328	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ65	
Vul: NS	♦ J109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK108	

Board: 329	♠ J9743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K85	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

Board: 330	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J97	
Vul: None	♦ A76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ93	

Board: 331	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ5	
Vul: NS	♦ Q10974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 327

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AK43

♥ 4

♦ AQ1083

♣ Q64

South:

♠ J6

♥ AQ872

♦ 7

♣ AJ872

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 328

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 82

♥ KQ65

♦ J109

♣ AK108

South:

♠ AQ

♥ A9872

♦ A7432

♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
	AP		

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 329

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ J9743

♥ K85

♦ AKJ6

♣ K

South:

♠ AKQ8

♥ 1043

♦ 2

♣ AQ642

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 330

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ AQ9

♥ J97

♦ A76

♣ QJ93

South:

♠ J74

♥ AKQ10863

♦ 84

♣ K

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥



Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A83

♥ AQJ5

♦ Q10974

♣ 9

South:

♠ J9

♥ K42

♦ AJ

♣ KJ10862

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 327	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ872	
Vul: None	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ872	

Board: 328	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9872	
Vul: NS	♦ A7432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

Board: 329	♠ AKQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1043	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ642	

Board: 330	♠ J74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ10863	
Vul: None	♦ 84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K	

Board: 331	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K42	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ10862	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 327

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AK43

♥ 4

♦ AQ1083

♣ Q64

South:

♠ J6

♥ AQ872

♦ 7

♣ AJ872

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 328

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 82

♥ KQ65

♦ J109

♣ AK108

South:

♠ AQ

♥ A9872

♦ A7432

♣ 2

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
	AP		

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 329

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ J9743

♥ K85

♦ AKJ6

♣ K

South:

♠ AKQ8

♥ 1043

♦ 2

♣ AQ642

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	4♣ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 330

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ AQ9

♥ J97

♦ A76

♣ QJ93

South:

♠ J74

♥ AKQ10863

♦ 84

♣ K

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A83

♥ AQJ5

♦ Q10974

♣ 9

South:

♠ J9

♥ K42

♦ AJ

♣ KJ10862

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 332	♠ QJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ1063	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J3	
Board: 333	♠ AK42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9764	
Board: 334	♠ AQ9876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K853	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A2	
Board: 335	♠ K542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ842	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	
Board: 336	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A74	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ7632	
Board: 337	♠ KQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ1092	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 332  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ QJ7  
♥ Q7  
♦ KQJ1063  
♣ J3

South:  
♠ 8632  
♥ AK10  
♦ A  
♣ AK842

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 333  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ AK42  
♥ —  
♦ KQJ97  
♣ 9764

South:  
♠ Q76  
♥ AK109872  
♦ —  
♣ AK2

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 334  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQ9876  
♥ K853  
♦ 7  
♣ A2

South:  
♠ 10  
♥ A74  
♦ AKQJ3  
♣ K1094

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 335  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ K542  
♥ KJ8  
♦ KJ842  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ AJ93  
♥ A74  
♦ A75  
♣ 954

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 336  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 7♠ S

North:  
♠ 64  
♥ A74  
♦ AQ  
♣ AQ7632

South:  
♠ AKQJ97  
♥ 2  
♦ KJ1082  
♣ K

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
2. King ask by available bid

Board: 337

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ102

♥ QJ10

♦ J

♣ KQ1092

South:

♠ A864

♥ A5

♦ A97654

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 332	♠ 8632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK842	
Board: 333	♠ Q76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK109872	
Vul: None	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK2	
Board: 334	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A74	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1094	
Board: 335	♠ AJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A74	
Vul: EW	♦ A75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 954	
Board: 336	♠ AKQJ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ1082	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	
Board: 337	♠ A864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: NS	♦ A97654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 4	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 332  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ QJ7  
♥ Q7  
♦ KQJ1063  
♣ J3

South:  
♠ 8632  
♥ AK10  
♦ A  
♣ AK842

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 333  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 4♥ S

North:  
♠ AK42  
♥ —  
♦ KQJ97  
♣ 9764

South:  
♠ Q76  
♥ AK109872  
♦ —  
♣ AK2

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 334  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ AQ9876  
♥ K853  
♦ 7  
♣ A2

South:  
♠ 10  
♥ A74  
♦ AKQJ3  
♣ K1094

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 335  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ K542  
♥ KJ8  
♦ KJ842  
♣ Q

South:  
♠ AJ93  
♥ A74  
♦ A75  
♣ 954

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 336  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 7♠ S

North:  
♠ 64  
♥ A74  
♦ AQ  
♣ AQ7632

South:  
♠ AKQJ97  
♥ 2  
♦ KJ1082  
♣ K

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣  
2. King ask by available bid

Board: 337

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQ102

♥ QJ10

♦ J

♣ KQ1092

South:

♠ A864

♥ A5

♦ A97654

♣ 4

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 338	♠ 854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ8643	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ5	

Board: 339	♠ AQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ63	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K1072	

Board: 340	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK8753	
Vul: None	♦ 105	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A83	

Board: 341	♠ AKQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ J7543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A98	

Board: 342	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ65	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10643	

Board: 343	♠ AKJ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 75	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 338

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 854

♥ K

♦ AJ8643

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ AKJ96

♥ Q984

♦ Q

♣ K94

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 339

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ5

♥ KQ63

♦ 9

♣ K1072

South:

♠ 42

♥ A95

♦ AK762

♣ Q93

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 340

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ Q7

♥ AK8753

♦ 105

♣ A83

South:

♠ KJ32

♥ 10

♦ AQ863

♣ KJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 341

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ AKQ3

♥ 10

♦ J7543

♣ A98

South:

♠ 8

♥ KJ764

♦ AK8

♣ K764

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 342

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK10

♥ AKQ65

♦ 6

♣ 10643

South:

♠ Q762

♥ 2

♦ AKQ5

♣ AJ87

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 343

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKJ98

♥ 75

♦ AQJ832

♣ —

South:

♠ 2

♥ K8

♦ K10

♣ AKQ108743

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♦	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 338	♠ AKJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q984	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K94	
Board: 339	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A95	
Vul: Both	♦ AK762	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q93	
Board: 340	♠ KJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ AQ863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ2	
Board: 341	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ764	
Vul: EW	♦ AK8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K764	
Board: 342	♠ Q762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ87	
Board: 343	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ108743	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 338

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ 854

♥ K

♦ AJ8643

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ AKJ96

♥ Q984

♦ Q

♣ K94

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 339

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQJ5

♥ KQ63

♦ 9

♣ K1072

South:

♠ 42

♥ A95

♦ AK762

♣ Q93

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 340

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ Q7

♥ AK8753

♦ 105

♣ A83

South:

♠ KJ32

♥ 10

♦ AQ863

♣ KJ2

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	2♥	Pass	2♠
Pass	2NT	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 341

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ N

North:

♠ AKQ3

♥ 10

♦ J7543

♣ A98

South:

♠ 8

♥ KJ764

♦ AK8

♣ K764

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 342

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK10

♥ AKQ65

♦ 6

♣ 10643

South:

♠ Q762

♥ 2

♦ AKQ5

♣ AJ87

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 343

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKJ98

♥ 75

♦ AQJ832

♣ —

South:

♠ 2

♥ K8

♦ K10

♣ AKQ108743

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♦	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 344	♠ Q1097642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ A93	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK4	
Board: 345	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ43	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	
Board: 346	♠ 542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ72	
Vul: None	♦ K62	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q10	
Board: 347	♠ AJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K98642	
Vul: NS	♦ 5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ	
Board: 348	♠ KQ94	East Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ985	
HCP: 12	♣ 93	You bid first.
Board: 349	♠ A862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ A763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK75	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 344

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ Q1097642

♥ —

♦ A93

♣ AK4

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKJ92

♦ QJ

♣ Q10875

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 345

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KJ7

♥ AKJ43

♦ KJ98

♣ 9

South:

♠ AQ42

♥ Q87

♦ Q102

♣ Q86

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 346

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 542

♥ AKQ72

♦ K62

♣ Q10

South:

♠ AKJ6

♥ J

♦ A1054

♣ AK98

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

Board: 347

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AJ76

♥ K98642

♦ 5

♣ KQ

South:

♠ K5

♥ AQ7

♦ AJ987

♣ A76

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 348

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ94

♥ 4

♦ AQJ985

♣ 93

South:

♠ 872

♥ AKJ106

♦ 3

♣ AQ64

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	X <sup>1</sup>	XX
2♣	Pass	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Two suit takeout double

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ A862

♥ A

♦ A763

♣ AK75

South:

♠ QJ54

♥ KJ1052

♦ KQ

♣ 93

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 344	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ92	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q10875	

Board: 345	♠ AQ42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q87	
Vul: Both	♦ Q102	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q86	

Board: 346	♠ AKJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ A1054	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AK98	

Board: 347	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ7	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ987	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A76	

Board: 348	♠ 872	East Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ106	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: EW	♦ 3	
HCP: 14	♣ AQ64	Partner bids first.

Board: 349	♠ QJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1052	
Vul: None	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 93	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 344

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ Q1097642

♥ —

♦ A93

♣ AK4

South:

♠ 3

♥ AKJ92

♦ QJ

♣ Q10875

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 345

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KJ7

♥ AKJ43

♦ KJ98

♣ 9

South:

♠ AQ42

♥ Q87

♦ Q102

♣ Q86

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 346

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 20

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ 542

♥ AKQ72

♦ K62

♣ Q10

South:

♠ AKJ6

♥ J

♦ A1054

♣ AK98

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

Board: 347

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ AJ76

♥ K98642

♦ 5

♣ KQ

South:

♠ K5

♥ AQ7

♦ AJ987

♣ A76

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 348

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ94

♥ 4

♦ AQJ985

♣ 93

South:

♠ 872

♥ AKJ106

♦ 3

♣ AQ64

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠	X <sup>1</sup>	XX
2♣	Pass	Pass	3♥
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. Two suit takeout double

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ A862

♥ A

♦ A763

♣ AK75

South:

♠ QJ54

♥ KJ1052

♦ KQ

♣ 93

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 350	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q52	

Board: 351	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ952	
Vul: EW	♦ AK106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ5	

Board: 352	♠ 82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A6432	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A86	

Board: 353	♠ AK85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK752	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 732	

Board: 354	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q108	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ75	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1052	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 350

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q5

♥ QJ9

♦ AQJ107

♣ Q52

South:

♠ J104

♥ AK632

♦ 3

♣ AJ43

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 351

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ952

♦ AK106

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ AKJ754

♥ 1086

♦ Q

♣ A94

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 352

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 82

♥ A6432

♦ KQ7

♣ A86

South:

♠ AJ543

♥ —

♦ A1094

♣ KJ74

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. New Minor Forcing

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 353

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AK85

♥ AK752

♦ K

♣ 732

South:

♠ Q7

♥ J63

♦ AQJ87

♣ A98



Board: 354

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AK8

♥ Q108

♦ KQ75

♣ 1052

South:

♠ QJ9754

♥ AJ

♦ 10

♣ KQ83

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 350	♠ J104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK632	
Vul: NS	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ43	

Board: 351	♠ AKJ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1086	
Vul: EW	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A94	

Board: 352	♠ AJ543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ A1094	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ74	

Board: 353	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J63	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A98	

Board: 354	♠ QJ9754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: EW	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ83	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 350

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ Q5

♥ QJ9

♦ AQJ107

♣ Q52

South:

♠ J104

♥ AK632

♦ 3

♣ AJ43

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 351

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q

♥ AJ952

♦ AK106

♣ KQ5

South:

♠ AKJ754

♥ 1086

♦ Q

♣ A94

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♥	AP	

1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 352

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 82

♥ A6432

♦ KQ7

♣ A86

South:

♠ AJ543

♥ —

♦ A1094

♣ KJ74

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	AP	

1. New Minor Forcing

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

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♥

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 353

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AK85

♥ AK752

♦ K

♣ 732

South:

♠ Q7

♥ J63

♦ AQJ87

♣ A98

Board: 354

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AK8

♥ Q108

♦ KQ75

♣ 1052

South:

♠ QJ9754

♥ AJ

♦ 10

♣ KQ83

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 355	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ9732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K	
Board: 356	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9873	
Vul: None	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ5	
Board: 357	♠ A764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ8753	
Board: 358	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ10863	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ	
Board: 359	♠ J9864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ94	
Board: 360	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ1087	
Vul: NS	♦ J432	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q94	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 355  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ K85  
♥ A8  
♦ AQJ9732  
♣ K

South:  
♠ AQJ  
♥ J932  
♦ 8  
♣ AQ863

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 356  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ K3  
♥ A9873  
♦ Q9  
♣ AKQ5

South:  
♠ AQJ94  
♥ K  
♦ K763  
♣ 862

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 357  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ A764  
♥ AK  
♦ 2  
♣ AJ8753

South:  
♠ KQJ  
♥ J65  
♦ AKQ876  
♣ 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 358  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ Q52  
♥ K9  
♦ AQ10863  
♣ QJ

South:  
♠ A863  
♥ AQ2  
♦ 9  
♣ K10843

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 359  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J9864  
♥ 4  
♦ KJ  
♣ AKQ94

South:  
♠ 32  
♥ KQJ72  
♦ AQ42  
♣ 53

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 360

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ —

♥ AKQ1087

♦ J432

♣ Q94

South:

♠ AKQ7

♥ 5

♦ 10765

♣ A1032

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 355	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J932	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ863	

Board: 356	♠ AQJ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ K763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 862	

Board: 357	♠ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J65	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ876	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 10	

Board: 358	♠ A863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ2	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10843	

Board: 359	♠ 32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ72	
Vul: None	♦ AQ42	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 53	

Board: 360	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 5	
Vul: NS	♦ 10765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1032	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 355  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ K85  
♥ A8  
♦ AQJ9732  
♣ K

South:  
♠ AQJ  
♥ J932  
♦ 8  
♣ AQ863

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 356  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ K3  
♥ A9873  
♦ Q9  
♣ AKQ5

South:  
♠ AQJ94  
♥ K  
♦ K763  
♣ 862

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	3♦ <sup>1</sup>
Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 357  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ A764  
♥ AK  
♦ 2  
♣ AJ8753

South:  
♠ KQJ  
♥ J65  
♦ AKQ876  
♣ 10

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 358  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ Q52  
♥ K9  
♦ AQ10863  
♣ QJ

South:  
♠ A863  
♥ AQ2  
♦ 9  
♣ K10843

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♦	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 359  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J9864  
♥ 4  
♦ KJ  
♣ AKQ94

South:  
♠ 32  
♥ KQJ72  
♦ AQ42  
♣ 53

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 360

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ —

♥ AKQ1087

♦ J432

♣ Q94

South:

♠ AKQ7

♥ 5

♦ 10765

♣ A1032

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 361	♠ AKQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10874	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J2	

Board: 362	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ932	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K73	

Board: 363	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A64	
Vul: NS	♦ J64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ865	

Board: 364	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ932	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A873	

Board: 365	♠ KQ764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ104	
Vul: None	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ97	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
♠ AKQ7  
♥ KQ10874  
♦ J  
♣ J2

South:  
♠ 6543  
♥ A  
♦ K643  
♣ AQ63

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 362  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ 10  
♥ AQ932  
♦ AKQ2  
♣ K73

South:  
♠ AQ972  
♥ —  
♦ 8764  
♣ AQJ6

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 363  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J  
♥ A64  
♦ J64  
♣ AKJ865

South:  
♠ AKQ754  
♥ KJ72  
♦ Q85  
♣ —

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 364  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J7  
♥ J  
♦ KQJ932  
♣ A873

South:  
♠ A1093  
♥ A8532  
♦ A  
♣ J109

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
	AP		

Board: 365  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 7♠ N

North:  
♠ KQ764  
♥ AQ104  
♦ —  
♣ AQ97

South:  
♠ A1082  
♥ KJ93  
♦ AKQ65  
♣ —

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

1. Splinter  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠  
3. King ask by 5NT

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 361	♠ 6543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ K643	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ63	

Board: 362	♠ AQ972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ 8764	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ6	

Board: 363	♠ AKQ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ72	
Vul: NS	♦ Q85	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 364	♠ A1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8532	
Vul: EW	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J109	

Board: 365	♠ A1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ93	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ65	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ —	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 361  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
♠ AKQ7  
♥ KQ10874  
♦ J  
♣ J2

South:  
♠ 6543  
♥ A  
♦ K643  
♣ AQ63

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 362  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ 10  
♥ AQ932  
♦ AKQ2  
♣ K73

South:  
♠ AQ972  
♥ —  
♦ 8764  
♣ AQJ6

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 363  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 4♠ S

North:  
♠ J  
♥ A64  
♦ J64  
♣ AKJ865

South:  
♠ AKQ754  
♥ KJ72  
♦ Q85  
♣ —

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 364  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J7  
♥ J  
♦ KQJ932  
♣ A873

South:  
♠ A1093  
♥ A8532  
♦ A  
♣ J109

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
	AP		

Board: 365  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 17  
Contract: 7♠ N

North:  
♠ KQ764  
♥ AQ104  
♦ —  
♣ AQ97

South:  
♠ A1082  
♥ KJ93  
♦ AKQ65  
♣ —

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

1. Splinter  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠  
3. King ask by 5NT



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 366	♠ Q6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: NS	♦ A8432	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A742	

Board: 367	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A872	
Vul: EW	♦ K87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ973	

Board: 368	♠ KJ1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: NS	♦ A9832	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	

Board: 369	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10973	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 6	

Board: 370	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ9873	
Vul: Both	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10	

Board: 371	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ62	
Vul: None	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ6542	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q6	♠ J1052		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ AK9764	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A8432	♦ K	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A742	♣ Q3				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ J7532				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A872	♥ KQ	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K87	♦ AQ954	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ973	♣ J	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1094	♠ —		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ K3	♥ J1095	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ A9832	♦ KQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K	♣ AQJ972				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 369	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A10973	♥ Q6	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ62	♦ K107	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 6	♣ AQ10984				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 370	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q52	♠ KJ104		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ9873	♥ 2	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A5	♦ J7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10	♣ AKQ642				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 371

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♥ N

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKQ62

♦ 8

♣ AJ6542

South:

♠ KQJ105

♥ 1097

♦ KJ95

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♥	Pass	4♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♥	AP	
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1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 366	♠ J1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9764	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q3	

Board: 367	♠ J7532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ954	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J	

Board: 368	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1095	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ972	

Board: 369	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: EW	♦ K107	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ10984	

Board: 370	♠ KJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ J7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ642	

Board: 371	♠ KQJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1097	
Vul: None	♦ KJ95	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q6	♠ J1052		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ AK9764	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 12	♦ A8432	♦ K	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A742	♣ Q3				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ J7532				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A872	♥ KQ	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K87	♦ AQ954	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ973	♣ J	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ1094	♠ —		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ K3	♥ J1095	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ A9832	♦ KQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K	♣ AQJ972				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 369	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A10973	♥ Q6	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ62	♦ K107	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 6	♣ AQ10984				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 370	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q52	♠ KJ104		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ9873	♥ 2	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 15	♦ A5	♦ J7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 10	♣ AKQ642				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 371

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 5♥ N

North:

♠ 3

♥ AKQ62

♦ 8

♣ AJ6542

South:

♠ KQJ105

♥ 1097

♦ KJ95

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♥	Pass	4♣ <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♥	AP	
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1. Splinter

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 372	♠ K42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 52	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A9843	

Board: 373	♠ 87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ852	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ82	

Board: 374	♠ K9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ94	
Vul: None	♦ K2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K6	

Board: 375	♠ AJ1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q10743	

Board: 376	♠ K83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A8	

Board: 377	♠ K1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A102	
Vul: None	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ542	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 372

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K42

♥ 52

♦ AJ5

♣ A9843

South:

♠ AQJ83

♥ AQJ4

♦ Q64

♣ 6

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 373

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 87

♥ AJ852

♦ 6

♣ AKQ82

South:

♠ KQ5

♥ Q3

♦ AK10942

♣ J6

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 374

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K9875

♥ KQ94

♦ K2

♣ K6

South:

♠ A

♥ A8765

♦ AJ1065

♣ AJ

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 5♠

Pass 6♣ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 375

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ1065

♥ A2

♦ A

♣ Q10743

South:

♠ KQ7

♥ Q5

♦ K109873

♣ A8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 376

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K83

♥ 53

♦ AKJ543

♣ A8

South:

♠ A542

♥ AKQ10

♦ 6

♣ Q765

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP



Board: 377

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ K1094

♥ A102

♦ K

♣ KQ542

South:

♠ A82

♥ Q764

♦ AQJ97

♣ 9

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

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 372	♠ AQJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ Q64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 6	
Board: 373	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: Both	♦ AK10942	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J6	
Board: 374	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8765	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ	
Board: 375	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ K109873	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A8	
Board: 376	♠ A542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q765	
Board: 377	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q764	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ97	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 372

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K42

♥ 52

♦ AJ5

♣ A9843

South:

♠ AQJ83

♥ AQJ4

♦ Q64

♣ 6

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦<sup>1</sup>

Pass 2♠<sup>2</sup> Pass 4♠

AP

1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

Board: 373

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 87

♥ AJ852

♦ 6

♣ AKQ82

South:

♠ KQ5

♥ Q3

♦ AK10942

♣ J6

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 4♣ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 374

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K9875

♥ KQ94

♦ K2

♣ K6

South:

♠ A

♥ A8765

♦ AJ1065

♣ AJ

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♥ Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup>

Pass 5♦ Pass 5♠

Pass 6♣ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 375

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ1065

♥ A2

♦ A

♣ Q10743

South:

♠ KQ7

♥ Q5

♦ K109873

♣ A8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 376

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K83

♥ 53

♦ AKJ543

♣ A8

South:

♠ A542

♥ AKQ10

♦ 6

♣ Q765

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 377

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ K1094

♥ A102

♦ K

♣ KQ542

South:

♠ A82

♥ Q764

♦ AQJ97

♣ 9

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
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AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 378	♠ 964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: NS	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK10865	

Board: 379	♠ KQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AK8742	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J76	

Board: 380	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: NS	♦ A1076	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ943	

Board: 381	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ108543	

Board: 382	♠ J95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK8543	

Board: 383	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q764	
Vul: EW	♦ AK8543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 378	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 964	♠ KJ83		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ AQ	♥ KJ765	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 72	♦ A84	Pass	3♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK10865	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ108	♠ AJ3				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ QJ543	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK8742	♦ Q3	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ J76	♣ Q105	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q7	♠ AK9654		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ K4	♥ AQ3	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12	♦ A1076	♦ KJ2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ943	♣ 7				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ K763				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J4	♥ A108	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 4	♦ AKQ102	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AKQ108543	♣ 9	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J95	♠ KQ2		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A86	♥ KQ1052	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ A8532	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AK8543	♣ —				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 383

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J8

♥ Q764

♦ AK8543

♣ A

South:

♠ K92

♥ AK95

♦ J7

♣ J953

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 378	♠ KJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ765	
Vul: NS	♦ A84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 379	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ543	
Vul: EW	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q105	

Board: 380	♠ AK9654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 7	

Board: 381	♠ K763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A108	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ102	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 9	

Board: 382	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1052	
Vul: NS	♦ A8532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 383	♠ K92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK95	
Vul: EW	♦ J7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J953	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 378	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 964	♠ KJ83		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ AQ	♥ KJ765	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ 72	♦ A84	Pass	3♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK10865	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 379	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ108	♠ AJ3				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ —	♥ QJ543	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK8742	♦ Q3	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ J76	♣ Q105	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 380	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q7	♠ AK9654		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ K4	♥ AQ3	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 12	♦ A1076	♦ KJ2	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ943	♣ 7				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 381	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A8	♠ K763				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J4	♥ A108	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 4	♦ AKQ102	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ AKQ108543	♣ 9	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 382	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J95	♠ KQ2		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A86	♥ KQ1052	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q	♦ A8532	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AK8543	♣ —				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 383

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ J8

♥ Q764

♦ AK8543

♣ A

South:

♠ K92

♥ AK95

♦ J7

♣ J953

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 384	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ843	
Vul: Both	♦ 94	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ53	
Board: 385	♠ AQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ108	
Vul: None	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ64	
Board: 386	♠ 1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ10872	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K83	
Board: 387	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ108	
Vul: Both	♦ 9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ Q1032	
Board: 388	♠ KQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q62	
Vul: None	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ1065	
Board: 389	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: NS	♦ AK104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AKQJ53	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 384	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KQ9752		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ843	♥ 6	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 94	♦ AKJ3	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ53	♣ 96				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ8	♠ 76				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ108	♥ Q65	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ 8	♦ AQJ973	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ64	♣ K8				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 386	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1097	♠ AQJ43		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ QJ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ10872	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K83	♣ AJ1062				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 387	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ7	♠ K84				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ108	♥ J	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 17	♦ 9	♦ AQJ54	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1032	♣ J654				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 388	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ72	♠ AJ965		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q62	♥ KJ3	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ 5	♦ AQ94	Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ1065	♣ 3	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 389

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ QJ

♥ 6

♦ AK104

♣ AKQJ53

South:

♠ AK3

♥ A10752

♦ J62

♣ 86

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 384	♠ KQ9752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 96	

Board: 385	♠ 76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q65	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ973	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K8	

Board: 386	♠ AQJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ7	
Vul: EW	♦ —	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ1062	

Board: 387	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ54	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J654	

Board: 388	♠ AJ965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ3	
Vul: None	♦ AQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 3	

Board: 389	♠ AK3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A10752	
Vul: NS	♦ J62	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 86	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 384	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ KQ9752		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AQ843	♥ 6	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 94	♦ AKJ3	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KJ53	♣ 96				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ8	♠ 76				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ108	♥ Q65	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ 8	♦ AQJ973	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ64	♣ K8				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 386	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1097	♠ AQJ43		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ A	♥ QJ7	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ10872	♦ —	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ K83	♣ AJ1062				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 387	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ7	♠ K84				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ108	♥ J	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 17	♦ 9	♦ AQJ54	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1032	♣ J654				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 388	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ72	♠ AJ965		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ Q62	♥ KJ3	Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 12	♦ 5	♦ AQ94	Pass	3♣ <sup>2</sup>	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 15	♣ AJ1065	♣ 3	AP			
Contract: 4♠ S						

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 389

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ QJ

♥ 6

♦ AK104

♣ AKQJ53

South:

♠ AK3

♥ A10752

♦ J62

♣ 86

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 390	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1065	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ10973	
Board: 391	♠ QJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ K7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK108654	
Board: 392	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ9652	
Vul: NS	♦ Q842	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ	
Board: 393	♠ Q94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ9854	
Vul: EW	♦ K5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9	
Board: 394	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ632	
Vul: None	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ QJ4	
Board: 395	♠ AJ7532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 390	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 6432		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ AQ9843	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ Q1065	♦ AK8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ10973	♣ —				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ2	♠ K43				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ K9632	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K7	♦ AQ83	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK108654	♣ 2				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ KQJ972		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KJ9652	♥ A	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 14	♦ Q842	♦ A63	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ	♣ 984				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q94	♠ A85				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ9854	♥ J103	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ K5	♦ QJ10	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 9	♣ A1032	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ N						

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♥

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK5	♠ QJ6		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ632	♥ A	Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ	♦ K1096	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ4	♣ AK952				
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 395

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ7532

♥ J

♦ KQ96

♣ A6

South:

♠ K6

♥ KQ1042

♦ 2

♣ KQ1085

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 390	♠ 6432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9843	
Vul: Both	♦ AK8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

Board: 391	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9632	
Vul: None	♦ AQ83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 2	

Board: 392	♠ KQJ972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ A63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 984	

Board: 393	♠ A85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J103	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1032	

Board: 394	♠ QJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ K1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK952	

Board: 395	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1042	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ1085	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 390	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK	♠ 6432		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J	♥ AQ9843	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 15	♦ Q1065	♦ AK8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ10973	♣ —				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ2	♠ K43				1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ K9632	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K7	♦ AQ83	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AK108654	♣ 2				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ KQJ972		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ KJ9652	♥ A	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 14	♦ Q842	♦ A63	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ	♣ 984				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q94	♠ A85				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ9854	♥ J103	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ K5	♦ QJ10	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♥ <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 12	♣ 9	♣ A1032	Pass	4♥	AP	
Contract: 4♥ N						

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3♥

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK5	♠ QJ6		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ632	♥ A	Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ	♦ K1096	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ QJ4	♣ AK952				
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 395

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ7532

♥ J

♦ KQ96

♣ A6

South:

♠ K6

♥ KQ1042

♦ 2

♣ KQ1085

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♣
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Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 396	♠ 1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ43	
Vul: EW	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 762	

Board: 397	♠ J53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ83	

Board: 398	♠ KJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 763	
Vul: NS	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1084	

Board: 399	♠ AQ643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 6	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q42	

Board: 400	♠ K1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ752	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	

Board: 401	♠ K53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ6432	
Vul: None	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1032	♠ A96		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ43	♥ —	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ K3	♦ A974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 762	♣ AKQ1084				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 397	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J53	♠ K102				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ AQ1094	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQJ63	♦ 109	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ KQ83	♣ AJ6	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 398	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ5	♠ A104		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 763	♥ A105	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK6	♦ QJ10953	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ J1084	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 399	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ643	♠ —				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 6	♥ AQJ8542	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ43	♦ A1096	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ Q42	♣ K10				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 400	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1098	♠ AJ3		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ QJ752	♥ 6	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ6	♦ A1084	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q	♣ A10974				
Contract: 3N N						



Board: 401

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K53

♥ AJ6432

♦ 2

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ AJ104

♥ —

♦ AKJ1054

♣ K32

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 396	♠ A96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ A974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ1084	
Board: 397	♠ K102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1094	
Vul: Both	♦ 109	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ6	
Board: 398	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A105	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ10953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K	
Board: 399	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ8542	
Vul: EW	♦ A1096	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K10	
Board: 400	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 6	
Vul: Both	♦ A1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A10974	
Board: 401	♠ AJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ1054	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K32	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 396	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1032	♠ A96		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ43	♥ —	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ K3	♦ A974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 762	♣ AKQ1084				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 397	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J53	♠ K102				1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 2	♥ AQ1094	Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQJ63	♦ 109	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ KQ83	♣ AJ6	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 398	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ5	♠ A104		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 763	♥ A105	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK6	♦ QJ10953	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ J1084	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 399	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ643	♠ —				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 6	♥ AQJ8542	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ43	♦ A1096	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ Q42	♣ K10				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 400	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1098	♠ AJ3		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ QJ752	♥ 6	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ6	♦ A1084	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q	♣ A10974				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 401

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K53

♥ AJ6432

♦ 2

♣ AQJ

South:

♠ AJ104

♥ —

♦ AKJ1054

♣ K32

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 402	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ73	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 54	

Board: 403	♠ AKJ754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK105	

Board: 404	♠ K10654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A107	
Vul: None	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ87	

Board: 405	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10542	
Vul: NS	♦ 973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	

Board: 406	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK843	
Vul: Both	♦ J7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A985	

Board: 407	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ72	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 402			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♠ A9	♠ KQJ86	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 18	♥ AJ73	♥ KQ6	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 16	♦ AKQ84	♦ J	Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
Contract: 7N S	♣ 54	♣ A1097	Pass	7♦	Pass	7NT
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Board: 403			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: Both	♠ AKJ754	♠ 3	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♥ 76	♥ AJ109	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♦ 10	♦ AQ652	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ AK105	♣ J64				

Board: 404			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ K10654	♠ 9		1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♥ A107	♥ KQ432	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♦ K	♦ AQ74	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ AJ87	♣ Q109				

Board: 405			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: NS	♠ AQJ	♠ 105	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 15	♥ AQ10542	♥ K	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♦ 973	♦ AKJ2	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N	♣ Q	♣ K98632				

Board: 406			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♠ J5	♠ AKQ84	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♥ AK843	♥ 10	AP			
South HCP: 15	♦ J7	♦ A108542				
Contract: 2♦ S	♣ A985	♣ Q				

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Board: 407

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q106

♥ J

♦ AKQJ8

♣ QJ72

South:

♠ K983

♥ AQ973

♦ 2

♣ A85

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 402	♠ KQJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ6	
Vul: EW	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A1097	
Board: 403	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ109	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ652	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J64	
Board: 404	♠ 9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ432	
Vul: None	♦ AQ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q109	
Board: 405	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K98632	
Board: 406	♠ AKQ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: Both	♦ A108542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q	
Board: 407	♠ K983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ973	
Vul: None	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A85	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 402			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♠ A9	♠ KQJ86	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 18	♥ AJ73	♥ KQ6	Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
South HCP: 16	♦ AKQ84	♦ J	Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
Contract: 7N S	♣ 54	♣ A1097	Pass	7♦	Pass	7NT
			AP			

1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 403			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: Both	♠ AKJ754	♠ 3	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♥ 76	♥ AJ109	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♦ 10	♦ AQ652	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ AK105	♣ J64				

Board: 404			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: None	♠ K10654	♠ 9		1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 15	♥ A107	♥ KQ432	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 13	♦ K	♦ AQ74	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ AJ87	♣ Q109				

Board: 405			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: NS	♠ AQJ	♠ 105	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 15	♥ AQ10542	♥ K	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♦ 973	♦ AKJ2	AP			
Contract: 4♥ N	♣ Q	♣ K98632				

Board: 406			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♥	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♠ J5	♠ AKQ84	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♥ AK843	♥ 10	AP			
South HCP: 15	♦ J7	♦ A108542				
Contract: 2♦ S	♣ A985	♣ Q				

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 407

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q106

♥ J

♦ AKQJ8

♣ QJ72

South:

♠ K983

♥ AQ973

♦ 2

♣ A85

West	North	East	South
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			1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
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AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 408	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ1093	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 104	

Board: 409	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ106	
Vul: EW	♦ 6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ96	

Board: 410	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ732	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1074	

Board: 411	♠ AQJ973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K106	
Vul: NS	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A98	

Board: 412	♠ AQJ853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK7	
Vul: EW	♦ 97	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 73	

Board: 413	♠ AKJ854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K7	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K1092	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ4	♠ 632		1♥	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ AKQJ1093	♥ —	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 6	♦ AKQ10874	Pass	6♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 104	♣ KJ2				
Contract: 6♥ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ10	♠ Q862				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ106	♥ A75	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ 6	♦ AQ43	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 12	♣ AKQ96	♣ 52	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ K984		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ KQ732	♥ A	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ	♦ A94	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A1074	♣ QJ862				
Contract: 5♣ S						

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ973	♠ 86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K106	♥ AQ73	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K	♦ AJ84	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ A98	♣ Q52	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ853	♠ 10		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK7	♥ 8432	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ 97	♦ AKQ	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ 73	♣ KJ1082	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 413

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ854

♥ K7

♦ J

♣ K1092

South:

♠ Q9

♥ Q542

♦ AKQ94

♣ J8

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 408	♠ 632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ10874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ2	
Board: 409	♠ Q862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A75	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ43	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 52	
Board: 410	♠ K984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ A94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ862	
Board: 411	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ73	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q52	
Board: 412	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8432	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ1082	
Board: 413	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q542	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ94	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J8	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 408	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ4	♠ 632		1♥	Pass	2♦
Vul: NS	♥ AKQJ1093	♥ —	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 6	♦ AKQ10874	Pass	6♥	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 104	♣ KJ2				
Contract: 6♥ N						

Board: 409	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ10	♠ Q862				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ106	♥ A75	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ 6	♦ AQ43	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 12	♣ AKQ96	♣ 52	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 410	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ K984		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ KQ732	♥ A	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠ <sup>1</sup>
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ	♦ A94	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A1074	♣ QJ862				
Contract: 5♣ S						

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 411	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ973	♠ 86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K106	♥ AQ73	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ K	♦ AJ84	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ A98	♣ Q52	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 412	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ853	♠ 10		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK7	♥ 8432	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ 97	♦ AKQ	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 13	♣ 73	♣ KJ1082	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 413

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AKJ854

♥ K7

♦ J

♣ K1092

South:

♠ Q9

♥ Q542

♦ AKQ94

♣ J8

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 414	♠ K8	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1074	
Vul: NS	♦ K762	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J3	
Board: 415	♠ K1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK10875	
Board: 416	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q97	
Vul: Both	♦ A87532	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ2	
Board: 417	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ84	
Vul: None	♦ KQ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ1075	
Board: 418	♠ AKQ9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: EW	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 83	
Board: 419	♠ AQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KJ32	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 414  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 17  
 Contract: 6♦X S

North:  
 ♠ K8  
 ♥ KQ1074  
 ♦ K762  
 ♣ J3

South:  
 ♠ AQ74  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ AQJ43  
 ♣ 1052

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♦	Pass	Pass
X	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 415  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ K1073  
 ♥ Q  
 ♦ Q5  
 ♣ AK10875

South:  
 ♠ AQJ  
 ♥ KJ1053  
 ♦ K106  
 ♣ 93

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 416  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ Q  
 ♥ Q97  
 ♦ A87532  
 ♣ KJ2

South:  
 ♠ KJ1083  
 ♥ A5  
 ♦ Q  
 ♣ A10754

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 417  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 15  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ 5  
 ♥ KJ84  
 ♦ KQ6  
 ♣ KJ1075

South:  
 ♠ KQJ974  
 ♥ AQ  
 ♦ J109  
 ♣ Q3

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 418  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 15  
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
 ♠ AKQ9875  
 ♥ 32  
 ♦ K4  
 ♣ 83

South:  
 ♠ 10  
 ♥ Q1096  
 ♦ AQ9  
 ♣ AK1075

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 419

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ72

♥ AQJ3

♦ 10

♣ KJ32

South:

♠ 963

♥ K108

♦ AKQJ84

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 414	♠ AQ74	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 1052	
Board: 415	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ1053	
Vul: EW	♦ K106	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 93	
Board: 416	♠ KJ1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A10754	
Board: 417	♠ KQJ974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ J109	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q3	
Board: 418	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1096	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK1075	
Board: 419	♠ 963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K108	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQJ84	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 414  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 17  
 Contract: 6♦X S

North:  
 ♠ K8  
 ♥ KQ1074  
 ♦ K762  
 ♣ J3

South:  
 ♠ AQ74  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ AQJ43  
 ♣ 1052

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♦
Pass	3♦	Pass	4♦
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♦	Pass	Pass
X	AP		

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 415  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ K1073  
 ♥ Q  
 ♦ Q5  
 ♣ AK10875

South:  
 ♠ AQJ  
 ♥ KJ1053  
 ♦ K106  
 ♣ 93

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 416  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ Q  
 ♥ Q97  
 ♦ A87532  
 ♣ KJ2

South:  
 ♠ KJ1083  
 ♥ A5  
 ♦ Q  
 ♣ A10754

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

Board: 417  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 15  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ 5  
 ♥ KJ84  
 ♦ KQ6  
 ♣ KJ1075

South:  
 ♠ KQJ974  
 ♥ AQ  
 ♦ J109  
 ♣ Q3

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 418  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 12  
 South HCP: 15  
 Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
 ♠ AKQ9875  
 ♥ 32  
 ♦ K4  
 ♣ 83

South:  
 ♠ 10  
 ♥ Q1096  
 ♦ AQ9  
 ♣ AK1075

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 419

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQ72

♥ AQJ3

♦ 10

♣ KJ32

South:

♠ 963

♥ K108

♦ AKQJ84

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 420	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ AJ1072	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 73	

Board: 421	♠ AQ107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1062	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ —	

Board: 422	♠ KJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J102	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ107	

Board: 423	♠ KQ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ KQJ654	

Board: 424	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK98	
Vul: NS	♦ J104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J104	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 420  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ106  
♥ K8  
♦ AJ1072  
♣ 73

South:  
♠ AQ9  
♥ AQ1097  
♦ Q  
♣ A1086

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 421  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AQ107  
♥ Q1062  
♦ AJ1095  
♣ —

South:  
♠ J43  
♥ 9  
♦ KQ4  
♣ AK10654

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 422  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
♠ KJ62  
♥ J102  
♦ 2  
♣ AQJ107

South:  
♠ AQ874  
♥ K8  
♦ AK843  
♣ 2

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

1. Cue bid, surplus  
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper  
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 423  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 20  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ KQ108  
♥ KQ  
♦ A  
♣ KQJ654

South:  
♠ AJ3  
♥ A107  
♦ KQ109862  
♣ —

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦



Board: 424

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A72

♥ AK98

♦ J104

♣ J104

South:

♠ K84

♥ QJ5432

♦ AQ2

♣ K

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 420	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1097	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A1086	

Board: 421	♠ J43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ4	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK10654	

Board: 422	♠ AQ874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: Both	♦ AK843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 2	

Board: 423	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A107	
Vul: None	♦ KQ109862	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ —	

Board: 424	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ5432	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 420  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ KJ106  
♥ K8  
♦ AJ1072  
♣ 73

South:  
♠ AQ9  
♥ AQ1097  
♦ Q  
♣ A1086

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 421  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ AQ107  
♥ Q1062  
♦ AJ1095  
♣ —

South:  
♠ J43  
♥ 9  
♦ KQ4  
♣ AK10654

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 422  
Dealer: N  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 12  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
♠ KJ62  
♥ J102  
♦ 2  
♣ AQJ107

South:  
♠ AQ874  
♥ K8  
♦ AK843  
♣ 2

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

1. Cue bid, surplus  
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper  
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper  
4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 423  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 20  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ KQ108  
♥ KQ  
♦ A  
♣ KQJ654

South:  
♠ AJ3  
♥ A107  
♦ KQ109862  
♣ —

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 424

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A72

♥ AK98

♦ J104

♣ J104

South:

♠ K84

♥ QJ5432

♦ AQ2

♣ K

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	3♥	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 425	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ8754	
Vul: EW	♦ J9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K962	
Board: 426	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A102	
Vul: None	♦ 9872	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ863	
Board: 427	♠ KQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ9	
Board: 428	♠ AJ10976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A73	
Vul: EW	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A4	
Board: 429	♠ 62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ1064	
Vul: Both	♦ AK754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	
Board: 430	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 65	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ986	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q5	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 425	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ AJ1094				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AQ8754	♥ 9	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ J9	♦ AK82	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ K962	♣ A73	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 426	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ AJ76		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A102	♥ QJ85	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 9872	♦ KQJ6	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ863	♣ 9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 427	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ94	♠ 1083				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ AKJ107	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ QJ97	♦ A862	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ9	♣ 3				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 428	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ10976	♠ K		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ A73	♥ K84	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ 64	♦ KQ73	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A4	♣ KJ1052				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 429	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 62	♠ AJ83				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ1064	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AK754	♦ QJ2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 6	♣ KQ74				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 430

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ10

♥ 65

♦ AQJ986

♣ Q5

South:

♠ A643

♥ AK103

♦ 2

♣ A932

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 425	♠ AJ1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: EW	♦ AK82	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A73	

Board: 426	♠ AJ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ85	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9	

Board: 427	♠ 1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ107	
Vul: NS	♦ A862	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 3	

Board: 428	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K84	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ1052	

Board: 429	♠ AJ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ74	

Board: 430	♠ A643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK103	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A932	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 425	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K	♠ AJ1094				1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AQ8754	♥ 9	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ J9	♦ AK82	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ K962	♣ A73	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 426	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ —	♠ AJ76		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A102	♥ QJ85	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 9872	♦ KQJ6	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AKQ863	♣ 9				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 427	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ94	♠ 1083				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q	♥ AKJ107	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♦ QJ97	♦ A862	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQJ9	♣ 3				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 428	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ10976	♠ K		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ A73	♥ K84	Pass	2♠	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ 64	♦ KQ73	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ A4	♣ KJ1052				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 429	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 62	♠ AJ83				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ1064	♥ J8	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 13	♦ AK754	♦ QJ2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 6	♣ KQ74				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 430

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ10

♥ 65

♦ AQJ986

♣ Q5

South:

♠ A643

♥ AK103

♦ 2

♣ A932

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
AP			

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 431	♠ A854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	

Board: 432	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q9	
Vul: Both	♦ AK943	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 984	

Board: 433	♠ 10762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: EW	♦ AK2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ952	

Board: 434	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J93	
Vul: Both	♦ J92	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ852	

Board: 435	♠ AKJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ62	
Vul: None	♦ 10632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10	

Board: 436	♠ 76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A5	
Vul: NS	♦ AK9854	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A43	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A854	♠ K9				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AJ10	♥ 752	Pass	1♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ1065	♦ A4	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ AKQ965	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 432	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K85	♠ A1042		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q9	♥ AKJ10	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK943	♦ J	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 984	♣ K653				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 433	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10762	♠ AQ4				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K	♥ AQ9653	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ AK2	♦ J5	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ952	♣ Q4	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
Contract: 5♥ S			Pass	5♥	AP	

Board: 434	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K	♠ AQ109		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J93	♥ A1062	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ J92	♦ K654	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AQJ852	♣ 6				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 435	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ7	♠ 5				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AJ62	♥ K43	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ 10632	♦ AK97	Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
South HCP: 17	♣ 10	♣ AQJ64	Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6♥ N			Pass	6♦	Pass	6♥
			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 76

♥ A5

♦ AK9854

♣ A43

South:

♠ AKQJ

♥ QJ963

♦ 2

♣ 865

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 431	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 752	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AKQ965	
Board: 432	♠ A1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ J	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K653	
Board: 433	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ9653	
Vul: EW	♦ J5	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q4	
Board: 434	♠ AQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1062	
Vul: Both	♦ K654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	
Board: 435	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K43	
Vul: None	♦ AK97	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQJ64	
Board: 436	♠ AKQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ963	
Vul: NS	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 865	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 431	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A854	♠ K9				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AJ10	♥ 752	Pass	1♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 13	♦ KJ1065	♦ A4	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ 7	♣ AKQ965	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 432	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K85	♠ A1042		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q9	♥ AKJ10	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK943	♦ J	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ 984	♣ K653				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 433	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10762	♠ AQ4				1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K	♥ AQ9653	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 14	♦ AK2	♦ J5	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ KJ952	♣ Q4	Pass	4♥	Pass	4♠
Contract: 5♥ S			Pass	5♥	AP	

Board: 434	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K	♠ AQ109		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J93	♥ A1062	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ J92	♦ K654	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AQJ852	♣ 6				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 435	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ7	♠ 5				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AJ62	♥ K43	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ 10632	♦ AK97	Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
South HCP: 17	♣ 10	♣ AQJ64	Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT <sup>2</sup>
Contract: 6♥ N			Pass	6♦	Pass	6♥
			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
2. King ask by 5NT

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 76

♥ A5

♦ AK9854

♣ A43

South:

♠ AKQJ

♥ QJ963

♦ 2

♣ 865

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	3♣
Pass	3NT	AP	



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 437	♠ AJ8763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ2	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ —	

Board: 438	♠ Q96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ A432	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ102	

Board: 439	♠ AK832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9543	

Board: 440	♠ Q65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ94	
Vul: EW	♦ A52	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 97	

Board: 441	♠ AQ872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ QJ107	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 437	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ8763	♠ Q5				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ2	♥ J8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 20	♦ AQ9	♦ K106	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ —	♣ AK8542	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 438	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q96	♠ A87		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ KQ953	Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 18	♦ A432	♦ Q1097	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 13	♣ AKJ102	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N						

Board: 439	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK832	♠ Q4				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 9	♥ AQJ72	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ3	♦ KJ1085	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 9543	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 440	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q65	♠ A2		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ94	♥ 2	Pass	2NT	Pass	6♣
North HCP: 12	♦ A52	♦ 106	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 97	♣ AKQJ8632				
Contract: 6♣ S						

Board: 441  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
♠ AQ872  
♥ K  
♦ AQJ  
♣ QJ107

South:  
♠ KJ6  
♥ AJ654  
♦ K106  
♣ 86

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

1. New Minor Forcing  
2. 3 ♠  
3. Cue bid, surplus  
4. Cue bid, surplus  
5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 437	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: Both	♦ K106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK8542	

Board: 438	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ953	
Vul: None	♦ Q1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	

Board: 439	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ72	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1085	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ K	

Board: 440	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: EW	♦ 106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQJ8632	

Board: 441	♠ KJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ654	
Vul: None	♦ K106	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 86	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 437	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ8763	♠ Q5				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ2	♥ J8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 20	♦ AQ9	♦ K106	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ —	♣ AK8542	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 438	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q96	♠ A87		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A	♥ KQ953	Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
North HCP: 18	♦ A432	♦ Q1097	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
South HCP: 13	♣ AKJ102	♣ Q	AP			
Contract: 6♦ N						

Board: 439	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK832	♠ Q4				1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 9	♥ AQJ72	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ3	♦ KJ1085	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ 9543	♣ K				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 440	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q65	♠ A2		1♥	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ94	♥ 2	Pass	2NT	Pass	6♣
North HCP: 12	♦ A52	♦ 106	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 97	♣ AKQJ8632				
Contract: 6♣ S						

Board: 441  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 19  
South HCP: 12  
Contract: 4♠ N

North:  
♠ AQ872  
♥ K  
♦ AQJ  
♣ QJ107

South:  
♠ KJ6  
♥ AJ654  
♦ K106  
♣ 86

West	North	East	South
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1♥

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	2NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	3♠
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Pass	3NT <sup>4</sup>	Pass	4♦ <sup>5</sup>
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, surplus

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 442	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 95	
Vul: NS	♦ J95	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ863	

Board: 443	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK109	
Vul: Both	♦ 3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 20	♣ AKQ85	

Board: 444	♠ AJ987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK84	
Vul: NS	♦ 85	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 32	

Board: 445	♠ QJ1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K873	
Vul: EW	♦ K	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK5	

Board: 446	♠ K732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ1062	
Vul: Both	♦ J9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A7	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 442

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ3

♥ 95

♦ J95

♣ AQ863

South:

♠ K109654

♥ KQ

♦ A872

♣ K

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 443

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 20

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A82

♥ AK109

♦ 3

♣ AKQ85

South:

♠ K74

♥ Q43

♦ AK982

♣ 104

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 444

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ987

♥ AK84

♦ 85

♣ 32

South:

♠ K

♥ J10

♦ A1064

♣ AKQ1086

West North East South

1♠ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 445

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ QJ1098

♥ K873

♦ K

♣ AK5

South:

♠ A43

♥ Q

♦ AQ10984

♣ 873

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♠

AP

Board: 446

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K732

♥ AJ1062

♦ J9

♣ A7

South:

♠ AQ4

♥ —

♦ KQ7652

♣ KJ102

West North East South

1♥ Pass 2♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP



## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 442	♠ K109654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: NS	♦ A872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K	

Board: 443	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q43	
Vul: Both	♦ AK982	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 104	

Board: 444	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J10	
Vul: NS	♦ A1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ1086	

Board: 445	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ10984	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 873	

Board: 446	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ102	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 442	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ3	♠ K109654		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ 95	♥ KQ	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 13	♦ J95	♦ A872	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 15	♣ AQ863	♣ K				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 443	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A82	♠ K74				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK109	♥ Q43	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 20	♦ 3	♦ AK982	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AKQ85	♣ 104	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 444	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ987	♠ K		1♠	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ AK84	♥ J10	Pass	2♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ 85	♦ A1064	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ 32	♣ AKQ1086				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 445	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ QJ1098	♠ A43				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K873	♥ Q	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ K	♦ AQ10984	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♠
South HCP: 12	♣ AK5	♣ 873	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 446	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K732	♠ AQ4		1♥	Pass	2♦
Vul: Both	♥ AJ1062	♥ —	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J9	♦ KQ7652	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ A7	♣ KJ102				
Contract: 3N N						

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 447	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1063	
Vul: None	♦ AK5432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Board: 448	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ8653	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ74	

Board: 449	♠ AKQ1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ K5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 21	♣ AQ104	

Board: 450	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ4	
Vul: None	♦ A10843	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J85	

Board: 451	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ97	
Vul: NS	♦ A98732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J10	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 447

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 7♦ N

North:

♠ AK5

♥ 1063

♦ AK5432

♣ A

South:

♠ Q10

♥ AQJ8

♦ QJ10

♣ 10843

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT
Pass	7♦	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 448

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ Q4

♥ —

♦ AKQ8653

♣ AJ74

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ AKQ1064

♦ 7

♣ K93

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 449

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AKQ1054

♥ K

♦ K5

♣ AQ104

South:

♠ J92

♥ AQJ932

♦ A2

♣ K2

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 450

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 6

♥ AKJ4

♦ A10843

♣ J85

South:

♠ AKQ74

♥ Q75

♦ 2

♣ K942

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 451

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K

♥ KQ97

♦ A98732

♣ J10

South:

♠ AQ8532

♥ AJ86

♦ —

♣ A85

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♠	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 447	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ8	
Vul: None	♦ QJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10843	

Board: 448	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ1064	
Vul: EW	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K93	

Board: 449	♠ J92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ932	
Vul: Both	♦ A2	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K2	

Board: 450	♠ AKQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q75	
Vul: None	♦ 2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K942	

Board: 451	♠ AQ8532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ86	
Vul: NS	♦ —	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A85	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 447

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 7♦ N

North:

♠ AK5

♥ 1063

♦ AK5432

♣ A

South:

♠ Q10

♥ AQJ8

♦ QJ10

♣ 10843

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	1♠ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	1NT
Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♥ <sup>2</sup>
Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♦
Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT
Pass	7♦	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 448

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ Q4

♥ —

♦ AKQ8653

♣ AJ74

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ AKQ1064

♦ 7

♣ K93

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

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 449

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 21

South HCP: 15

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AKQ1054

♥ K

♦ K5

♣ AQ104

South:

♠ J92

♥ AQJ932

♦ A2

♣ K2

West	North	East	South
			1♥
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♥
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♠
Pass	7NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 450

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 6

♥ AKJ4

♦ A10843

♣ J85

South:

♠ AKQ74

♥ Q75

♦ 2

♣ K942

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

1. New Minor Forcing

Board: 451

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ K

♥ KQ97

♦ A98732

♣ J10

South:

♠ AQ8532

♥ AJ86

♦ —

♣ A85

West	North	East	South
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1♠

Pass	2♦	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4♥	Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>
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Pass	5♠	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥



## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 452	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK9653	
Vul: Both	♦ 53	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ J4	

Board: 453	♠ KJ1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: None	♦ 10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK854	

Board: 454	♠ KQJ973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ 54	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A7	

Board: 455	♠ A1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ J974	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ —	

Board: 456	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ8	
Vul: None	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ97542	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 452

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK7

♥ AK9653

♦ 53

♣ J4

South:

♠ Q6432

♥ 2

♦ AKQ9

♣ Q82

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 453

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KJ1043

♥ KQ

♦ 10

♣ AK854

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ 7632

♦ AQJ5

♣ 63

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 454

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ KQJ973

♥ KJ4

♦ 54

♣ A7

South:

♠ 8

♥ AQ1086

♦ AQ108

♣ K83

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 455

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ A1074

♥ AKQJ6

♦ J974

♣ —

South:

♠ KQ83

♥ —

♦ KQ85

♣ KQ983

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 456

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 5

♥ AJ8

♦ QJ

♣ AQ97542

South:

♠ KQJ62

♥ 1095

♦ AK62

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
AP			

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 452	♠ Q6432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 2	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q82	

Board: 453	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 7632	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 63	

Board: 454	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ1086	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K83	

Board: 455	♠ KQ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ85	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ983	

Board: 456	♠ KQJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1095	
Vul: None	♦ AK62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 6	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 452

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AK7

♥ AK9653

♦ 53

♣ J4

South:

♠ Q6432

♥ 2

♦ AKQ9

♣ Q82

West	North	East	South
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	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 453

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ KJ1043

♥ KQ

♦ 10

♣ AK854

South:

♠ AQ9

♥ 7632

♦ AQJ5

♣ 63

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♠ <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	4NT <sup>3</sup>	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. New Minor Forcing

2. 3♠

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 454

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ KQJ973

♥ KJ4

♦ 54

♣ A7

South:

♠ 8

♥ AQ1086

♦ AQ108

♣ K83

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 455

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 15

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ A1074

♥ AKQJ6

♦ J974

♣ —

South:

♠ KQ83

♥ —

♦ KQ85

♣ KQ983

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦ <sup>1</sup>	Pass	2NT
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Pass	4♠	Pass	4NT <sup>2</sup>
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Pass	5♥	Pass	5♠
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 456

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 5

♥ AJ8

♦ QJ

♣ AQ97542

South:

♠ KQJ62

♥ 1095

♦ AK62

♣ 6

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
AP			

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 457	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ63	
Vul: NS	♦ 7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ965	

Board: 458	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ953	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1083	

Board: 459	♠ J1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ97	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	

Board: 460	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J762	
Vul: NS	♦ AK532	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 3	

Board: 461	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK2	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ984	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9654	

Board: 462	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K73	
Vul: Both	♦ Q5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K1073	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 457  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 16  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
 ♠ K3  
 ♥ AKQ63  
 ♦ 7  
 ♣ KJ965

South:  
 ♠ AQ106  
 ♥ 985  
 ♦ AKJ54  
 ♣ 2

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

1. Fourth suit game force  
 2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 458  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N N

North:  
 ♠ K105  
 ♥ AQ953  
 ♦ A3  
 ♣ 1083

South:  
 ♠ AQ87  
 ♥ —  
 ♦ KJ8  
 ♣ A97642

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 459  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: Both  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
 ♠ J1074  
 ♥ AKJ97  
 ♦ AJ4  
 ♣ 7

South:  
 ♠ A8  
 ♥ Q1085  
 ♦ 932  
 ♣ AK92

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 460  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
 ♠ AK5  
 ♥ J762  
 ♦ AK532  
 ♣ 3

South:  
 ♠ 974  
 ♥ AK53  
 ♦ 8  
 ♣ AQ1052

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 461  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 14  
 Contract: 3N S

North:  
 ♠ J  
 ♥ AK2  
 ♦ KQ984  
 ♣ 9654

South:  
 ♠ AK976  
 ♥ Q85  
 ♦ A3  
 ♣ J82

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	AP	



Board: 462

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ K73

♦ Q5

♣ K1073

South:

♠ 97

♥ AQ86542

♦ K98

♣ A

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	4♥
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 457	♠ AQ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 985	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ54	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 2	

Board: 458	♠ AQ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A97642	

Board: 459	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1085	
Vul: Both	♦ 932	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK92	

Board: 460	♠ 974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK53	
Vul: NS	♦ 8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1052	

Board: 461	♠ AK976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q85	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J82	

Board: 462	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ86542	
Vul: Both	♦ K98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 457  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 16  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 6♥ N

North:  
♠ K3  
♥ AKQ63  
♦ 7  
♣ KJ965

South:  
♠ AQ106  
♥ 985  
♦ AKJ54  
♣ 2

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

1. Fourth suit game force  
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 458  
Dealer: N  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N N

North:  
♠ K105  
♥ AQ953  
♦ A3  
♣ 1083

South:  
♠ AQ87  
♥ —  
♦ KJ8  
♣ A97642

West	North	East	South
	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	2NT	Pass	3♠
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 459  
Dealer: S  
Vul: Both  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ J1074  
♥ AKJ97  
♦ AJ4  
♣ 7

South:  
♠ A8  
♥ Q1085  
♦ 932  
♣ AK92

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
Pass	2NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	3♥
Pass	4♥	AP	

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 460  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 4♥ N

North:  
♠ AK5  
♥ J762  
♦ AK532  
♣ 3

South:  
♠ 974  
♥ AK53  
♦ 8  
♣ AQ1052

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	2♣
Pass	2♥	Pass	4♥
AP			

Board: 461  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 14  
Contract: 3N S

North:  
♠ J  
♥ AK2  
♦ KQ984  
♣ 9654

South:  
♠ AK976  
♥ Q85  
♦ A3  
♣ J82

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♦	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	AP	

Board: 462

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AQ52

♥ K73

♦ Q5

♣ K1073

South:

♠ 97

♥ AQ86542

♦ K98

♣ A

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠	Pass	4♥
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AP

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 463	♠ K874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10974	
Vul: None	♦ Q	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ10	
Board: 464	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ9532	
Vul: EW	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q106	
Board: 465	♠ K432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK76	
Vul: Both	♦ K872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	
Board: 466	♠ J964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A52	
Vul: None	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ765	
Board: 467	♠ 1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q87	
Vul: NS	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ543	
Board: 468	♠ KQJ9852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10	

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 463

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ K874

♥ K10974

♦ Q

♣ AQ10

South:

♠ A1092

♥ AQJ3

♦ AJ8

♣ K2

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♣

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 464

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ Q52

♥ KQ9532

♦ A

♣ Q106

South:

♠ AK10987

♥ 4

♦ KQ3

♣ KJ5

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♥

Pass 5♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 465

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K432

♥ AK76

♦ K872

♣ 7

South:

♠ QJ9

♥ Q1082

♦ AJ9

♣ QJ9

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 466

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J964

♥ A52

♦ Q

♣ AQ765

South:

♠ KQ8

♥ J94

♦ AK10753

♣ 10

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 467

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 1043

♥ Q87

♦ A

♣ AKQ543

South:

♠ AJ6

♥ A654

♦ QJ92

♣ 62

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 468

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ9852

♥ K6

♦ A82

♣ 10

South:

♠ 7

♥ A75

♦ Q107

♣ AK9863

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♠	AP	

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 463	♠ A1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ3	
Vul: None	♦ AJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K2	
Board: 464	♠ AK10987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 4	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ5	
Board: 465	♠ QJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1082	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ9	
Board: 466	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J94	
Vul: None	♦ AK10753	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10	
Board: 467	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A654	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ92	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 62	
Board: 468	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A75	
Vul: Both	♦ Q107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK9863	



## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 463

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7♥ N

North:

♠ K874

♥ K10974

♦ Q

♣ AQ10

South:

♠ A1092

♥ AQJ3

♦ AJ8

♣ K2

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 4♥

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♣

Pass 5♦ Pass 6♣

Pass 7♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 464

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 5♠ S

North:

♠ Q52

♥ KQ9532

♦ A

♣ Q106

South:

♠ AK10987

♥ 4

♦ KQ3

♣ KJ5

West North East South

1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♠

Pass 4NT<sup>1</sup> Pass 5♥

Pass 5♠ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 465

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K432

♥ AK76

♦ K872

♣ 7

South:

♠ QJ9

♥ Q1082

♦ AJ9

♣ QJ9

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 466

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J964

♥ A52

♦ Q

♣ AQ765

South:

♠ KQ8

♥ J94

♦ AK10753

♣ 10

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 467

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 1043

♥ Q87

♦ A

♣ AKQ543

South:

♠ AJ6

♥ A654

♦ QJ92

♣ 62

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 468

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KQJ9852

♥ K6

♦ A82

♣ 10

South:

♠ 7

♥ A75

♦ Q107

♣ AK9863

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♠	AP	

## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 469	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A74	
Vul: None	♦ AQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q109763	

Board: 470	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ1086	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ6	

Board: 471	♠ K97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ1063	
Vul: EW	♦ 4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 472	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ987652	

Board: 473	♠ AK10974	West Doubles 5♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 7	

Board: 474	♠ AKQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ5	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ 7	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 469  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 14  
 South HCP: 13  
 Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
 ♠ Q  
 ♥ A74  
 ♦ AQ5  
 ♣ Q109763

South:  
 ♠ K87432  
 ♥ QJ  
 ♦ 97  
 ♣ AK2

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♠	Pass	5♣
AP			

Board: 470  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 18  
 South HCP: 16  
 Contract: 6N N

North:  
 ♠ K8  
 ♥ KQ1086  
 ♦ AJ7  
 ♣ AJ6

South:  
 ♠ AQ103  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ K1096  
 ♣ K842

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 471  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: EW  
 North HCP: 15  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6N S

North:  
 ♠ K97  
 ♥ KQ1063  
 ♦ 4  
 ♣ AQJ9

South:  
 ♠ AQ4  
 ♥ A98  
 ♦ KQ82  
 ♣ K76

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 472  
 Dealer: N  
 Vul: None  
 North HCP: 13  
 South HCP: 18  
 Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
 ♠ QJ  
 ♥ K  
 ♦ K10  
 ♣ KJ987652

South:  
 ♠ AK109653  
 ♥ QJ109  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	6♠
AP			

Board: 473  
 Dealer: S  
 Vul: NS  
 North HCP: 17  
 South HCP: 15  
 Contract: 6N N

North:  
 ♠ AK10974  
 ♥ A  
 ♦ KQJ54  
 ♣ 7

South:  
 ♠ Q62  
 ♥ K105  
 ♦ 6  
 ♣ AKQJ63

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♦
X	6NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 474

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ AKQ93

♥ KQ5

♦ AJ104

♣ 7

South:

♠ 4

♥ A86

♦ KQ7

♣ AKQJ93

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	Pass	7NT
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AP

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 469	♠ K87432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: None	♦ 97	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK2	

Board: 470	♠ AQ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ K1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K842	

Board: 471	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ82	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K76	

Board: 472	♠ AK109653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ109	
Vul: None	♦ A	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A	

Board: 473	♠ Q62	West Doubles 5♦ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K105	
Vul: NS	♦ 6	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQJ63	

Board: 474	♠ 4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQJ93	

# South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 469  
Dealer: S  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 14  
South HCP: 13  
Contract: 5♣ N

North:  
♠ Q  
♥ A74  
♦ AQ5  
♣ Q109763

South:  
♠ K87432  
♥ QJ  
♦ 97  
♣ AK2

West	North	East	South
			1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	4♠	Pass	5♣
AP			

Board: 470  
Dealer: N  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 18  
South HCP: 16  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ K8  
♥ KQ1086  
♦ AJ7  
♣ AJ6

South:  
♠ AQ103  
♥ A  
♦ K1096  
♣ K842

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 471  
Dealer: S  
Vul: EW  
North HCP: 15  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 6N S

North:  
♠ K97  
♥ KQ1063  
♦ 4  
♣ AQJ9

South:  
♠ AQ4  
♥ A98  
♦ KQ82  
♣ K76

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
Pass	6NT	AP	

Board: 472  
Dealer: N  
Vul: None  
North HCP: 13  
South HCP: 18  
Contract: 6♠ S

North:  
♠ QJ  
♥ K  
♦ K10  
♣ KJ987652

South:  
♠ AK109653  
♥ QJ109  
♦ A  
♣ A

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	6♠
AP			

Board: 473  
Dealer: S  
Vul: NS  
North HCP: 17  
South HCP: 15  
Contract: 6N N

North:  
♠ AK10974  
♥ A  
♦ KQJ54  
♣ 7

South:  
♠ Q62  
♥ K105  
♦ 6  
♣ AKQJ63

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT <sup>1</sup>	Pass	5♦
X	6NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 474

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 19

Contract: 7N S

North:

♠ AKQ93

♥ KQ5

♦ AJ104

♣ 7

South:

♠ 4

♥ A86

♦ KQ7

♣ AKQJ93

West	North	East	South
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	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	Pass	7NT
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AP			
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## North hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 475

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

HCP: 14

♠ Q642

♥ K5

♦ 9

♣ AKQ953

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 475

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ Q642

♥ K5

♦ 9

♣ AKQ953

South:

♠ AKJ9

♥ Q82

♦ AJ854

♣ J

West	North	East	South
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1♦

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

1. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

## South hands (Practice Page)

**South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP.**

Board: 475

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

HCP: 16

♠ AKJ9

♥ Q82

♦ AJ854

♣ J

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

## South opens and North has a misfit with 13+ HCP. Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 475

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ Q642

♥ K5

♦ 9

♣ AKQ953

South:

♠ AKJ9

♥ Q82

♦ AJ854

♣ J

West	North	East	South
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1♦

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

1. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠