

Board 1

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 8
♥ A 8 7
♦ 9 4 2
♣ T 7 4 2

♠ A T 9 7 6

♥ 6

♦ A T 7 5 3

♣ 8 5



♠ 3 2

♥ J T 9 3 2

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ 9 3

♠ Q 5 4

♥ K Q 5 4

♦ J

♣ A K Q J 6

Shape 5152 2542 3415 3334

HCP 8 6 18 8

Losers 7 8 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 2

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 5
♥ T 9 7
♦ 8 6 2
♣ A J T 5

♠ Q J 8 7 3
♥ A Q J 6 5 3
♦ T
♣ K



♠ K
♥ 4 2
♦ J 7 4 3
♣ Q 9 8 4 3 2

♠ A 6 4 2
♥ K 8
♦ A K Q 9 5
♣ 7 6

Shape 5611 1246 4252 3334

HCP 13 6 16 5

Losers 5 8 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♠ by North

Board 3

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6 3
♥ J 9 8
♦ T 7 6 4
♣ J 8 4

♠ A J T 4 2

♥ A 6 5 4 2

♦ 8

♣ K 9

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|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q 5

♥ K T 7 3

♦ A 3

♣ A T 6 3

Shape 5512 2164 3424 3343

HCP 12 10 16 2

Losers 6 6 6 12

♠ 9 8
♥ Q
♦ K Q J 9 5 2
♣ Q 7 5 2

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

4NT

Pass

5 ♣²

Pass

5 ♦

Dbl

5 ♥³

Pass

7 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !S queen and !H king

7 ♠ by North

Board 4

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7 4

♥ K Q 9 8 2

♦ A J

♣ Q 7 2

♠ J 6

♥ 4

♦ K T 9 8 5

♣ A T 9 6 3

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|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A T 3

♥ T 7 6 5 3

♦ 7 4 2

♣ 8 5

♠ K Q 9 5 2

♥ A J

♦ Q 6 3

♣ K J 4

Shape 2155 3532 5233 3523

HCP 8 4 16 12

Losers 7 10 6 7

West

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3 ♥ X by West

North

*EPBot*2 ♥²

Dbl

East

EPBot

3 ♥

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

Board 5

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9

♥ K 8 7 2

♦ T 8 7 4 3

♣ K 8 2

♠ K J 7 4 2

♥ A Q J T 6 3

♦ -

♣ 9 4



♠ T 8 5 3

♥ 9 5

♦ K Q 6 5 2

♣ T 5

♠ A Q 6

♥ 4

♦ A J 9

♣ A Q J 7 6 3

Shape 5602 4252 3136 1453

HCP 11 5 18 6

Losers 5 8 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

4 ♥

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 6

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 6 5 2

♥ 6 5 2

♦ A K 4

♣ J T 3

♠ K 9 8 7 4 3

♥ -

♦ 6 5

♣ K Q 7 6 5



♠ Q J

♥ J 9 8 4

♦ Q J T 8 7 3

♣ 9

♠ A

♥ A K Q T 7 3

♦ 9 2

♣ A 8 4 2

Shape 6025 2461 1624 4333

HCP 8 7 17 8

Losers 5 8 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 7

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 4 3 2

♥ 8

♦ A Q 5 4 2

♣ 5 2

♠ A Q J 6 5

♥ J 7 5

♦ -

♣ J 9 7 4 3

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|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 7

♥ A 6 4 3 2

♦ T 8 7 3

♣ K T

♠ K

♥ K Q T 9

♦ K J 9 6

♣ A Q 8 6

Shape 5305 2542 1444 5152

HCP 9 7 18 6

Losers 7 8 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 8

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 5
♥ T 9 2
♦ 8 4 3 2
♣ Q 9 3 2

♠ 4

♥ A K J 6 3

♦ K Q T 9 7

♣ 7 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 7 6 3 2

♥ Q 7 5

♦ J 6

♣ 8 4

♠ K J 9 8

♥ 8 4

♦ A 5

♣ A K J T 6

Shape 1552 6322 4225 2344

HCP 13 9 16 2

Losers 5 7 6 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

3♦

Pass

3♣

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by North

Board 9

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K Q 7 4

♥ T 7 3

♦ K 6

♣ J 9 6 4

♠ T

♥ 5

♦ Q T 8 5 3

♣ A K T 8 7 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 5 3 2

♥ J 9 8 4 2

♦ A 9 4 2

♣ -

♠ A 9 8 6

♥ A K Q 6

♦ J 7

♣ Q 5 3

Shape 1156 4540 4423 4324

HCP 9 6 16 9

Losers 5 8 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠³

Pass

3 ♣⁴

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1N-2S transfer to clubs

4. automat

5 ♣ by South

Board 10

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ T 9 5 4
♦ 6 3
♣ A Q 9 5 3

♠ A Q 6 5 2

♥ J 3 2

♦ K 8 7 5 2

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 7 3
♥ Q 8
♦ Q J 9
♣ 8 7 6 4 2

♠ K T 9

♥ A K 7 6

♦ A T 4

♣ K J T

Shape 5350 3235 3433 2425

HCP 10 6 18 6

Losers 6 10 7 8

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 3 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 11

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T
 ♥ T 6 5 4 3
 ♦ A K Q T 7 4
 ♣ 4

♠ K Q J 8 6

♥ 9

♦ 8 2

♣ K Q 5 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 5 4

♥ 7 2

♦ J 9 3

♣ J 9 8 7 6

♠ A 7 3 2

♥ A K Q J 8

♦ 6 5

♣ A T

Shape 5125 3235 4522 1561

HCP 11 2 18 9

Losers 5 11 5 5

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♦ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♦ ² |
| Dbf | 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♣ ³ |
| Pass | 5 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

Board 12

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 8 6 5
 ♥ T 8 6 4 3
 ♦ K 8 6 2
 ♣ -

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

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|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

Shape 1057 4432 4414 4540

HCP 12 8 17 3

Losers 5 8 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Splinter

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 13

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 6 3

♥ 5 3

♦ K J 9 8 5 3

♣ A 2

♠ Q J T 8 7 2

♥ 6

♦ Q

♣ K Q T 4 3



♠ K 5 4

♥ A K J

♦ A 6 4 2

♣ J 7 5

♠ A

♥ Q T 9 8 7 4 2

♦ T 7

♣ 9 8 6

Shape 6115 1723 3343 3262

HCP 10 6 16 8

Losers 5 7 8 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹
4 ♠

4 ♠ by North

Board 14

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 4 3
♥ 9 7 2
♦ T 8 4 3 2
♣ T 6

♠ A Q J T 7
♥ K J T 6 4 3
♦ 9
♣ 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 9 8 5
♥ 5
♦ K Q J 7
♣ K 7 5 4

♠ 2
♥ A Q 8
♦ A 6 5
♣ A Q J 9 8 3

Shape 5611 4144 1336 3352

HCP 11 12 17 0

Losers 5 6 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 15

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q
♥ K J T 9
♦ 8 4
♣ K 8 7 4 3 2

♠ T 6 5 4 3

♥ A 7

♦ A 6 5 3 2

♣ T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 8 2

♥ 6 5 4

♦ Q 7

♣ Q 9 6 5

♠ A K 7

♥ Q 8 3 2

♦ K J T 9

♣ A J

Shape 5251 4324 3442 1426

HCP 8 5 18 9

Losers 7 10 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 16

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 4
♥ 9 5 4
♦ A Q J 4
♣ A J 9 6 5

♠ K Q T 8 7 5 2

♥ T

♦ -

♣ K T 7 3 2



♠ J 9 6 3

♥ 7 3

♦ T 9 6 5 3 2

♣ Q

♠ A

♥ A K Q J 8 6 2

♦ K 8 7

♣ 8 4

Shape 7105 4261 1732 1345

HCP 8 3 17 12

Losers 4 9 4 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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|------|------------------|------|------------------|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 3 ♥ ³ |
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|------|------------------|------|------------------|
| Pass | 5 ♦ ⁴ | Pass | 6 ♣ ⁵ |
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| Pass | 6 ♥ | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4. Exclusion, for !H

5. 3 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 17

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 5 3

♥ K Q T 8 7 5 4 2

♦ 8 3

♣ -

♠ 9 7

♥ 9

♦ J 9 7 6 4

♣ A K Q 8 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 8 6 4 2

♥ J 6

♦ 5 2

♣ 9 7 3 2

♠ K Q J

♥ A 3

♦ A K Q T

♣ J T 6 4

Shape 2155 5224 3244 3820

HCP 10 1 20 9

Losers 6 10 5 5

West

EPBot

4♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

6♣ by South

North

EPBot

Pass

6♣

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1♣¹

Dbl

Board 18

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8
♥ 9 5 3 2
♦ Q J
♣ K Q 9 7 6 2

♠ 5
♥ K T 8 7 6
♦ A T 9 6 3
♣ J 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 9 6 4 3
♥ A J 4
♦ 7 2
♣ T 8 5

♠ A Q J T 7 2
♥ Q
♦ K 8 5 4
♣ A 4

Shape 1552 5323 6142 1426

HCP 8 8 16 8

Losers 7 9 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
| 2 ♣ | 2 ♥ | 4 ♣ | 4 ♠ |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 19

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 3 2

♥ 8 6 4 3

♦ 6

♣ T 8 7 2

♠ 6

♥ T

♦ K Q J T 9 4

♣ A K Q J 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 8 4

♥ A 9 5 2

♦ 8 5 3 2

♣ 5 4

♠ A K J 7 5

♥ K Q J 7

♦ A 7

♣ 9 3

Shape 1165 3442 5422 4414

HCP 16 4 18 2

Losers 3 10 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♦

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

4♦

Pass

2♠

Pass

5♠²

Pass

4NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

6♦ by North

Board 20

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7 6
♥ 7
♦ Q 8 7 4 3 2
♣ J 8 2

♠ 8 5

♥ A K T 8 5 2

♦ -

♣ Q 9 6 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 4 3

♥ 9 6 4 3

♦ A J 9 6

♣ K 7 4

♠ A K J T 9 2

♥ Q J

♦ K T 5

♣ A T

Shape 2605 2443 6232 3163

HCP 9 8 18 5

Losers 5 9 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 5 ♦ | Pass | 6 ♣ ³ |
| Pass | 6 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 3 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 21

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3
♥ T 9 2
♦ A 9 6 4
♣ 9 5 4 3

♠ A T 7 6 5

♥ -

♦ K Q 3

♣ Q T 8 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 4 2
♥ J 8 5 4 3
♦ T 7 5 2
♣ K J

♠ K Q J 9

♥ A K Q 7 6

♦ J 8

♣ A 7

Shape 5035 2542 4522 2344

HCP 11 5 20 4

Losers 5 9 4 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|----------|-----------------|------|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | Pass | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2♠ | Pass | 2♥ |
| Pass | 5♦ ³ | Pass | 4NT |
| All Pass | | | 6♠ |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6♠ by North

Board 22

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 4 3
♥ 8 7 4 2
♦ A Q 2
♣ Q T 8

♠ A K T 7 5

♥ 5 3

♦ K T 9 8 4

♣ 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 6
♥ A 9
♦ J 7 5 3
♣ J 9 7 3 2

♠ Q J 2

♥ K Q J T 6

♦ 6

♣ A K 6 4

Shape 5251 2245 3514 3433

HCP 10 6 16 8

Losers 6 9 5 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 23

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 5 4
♥ A K 7 5 4 3
♦ K
♣ 9 3

♠ A J T 9 2

♥ -

♦ Q J 9 8 2

♣ J 7 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6
♥ T 9 6 2
♦ T 6 5 3
♣ 8 5 4

♠ 8 3

♥ Q J 8

♦ A 7 4

♣ A K Q T 2

Shape 5053 2443 2335 4612

HCP 9 0 16 15

Losers 7 11 6 5

West

EPBot

1 ♥

2 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

EPBot

1 ♠

3 ♥²

5 ♣

East

EPBot

Pass

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♣

3 ♠

5 ♣ by South

Board 24

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K
♥ K T 9 4
♦ 9 8 5
♣ T 7 6 4 3

♠ A 9 6 5 3

♥ J 8 5 3 2

♦ K J 6

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 7 4 2
♥ A 7 6
♦ 7 2
♣ Q 8 5 2

♠ Q T 8

♥ Q

♦ A Q T 4 3

♣ A K J 9

Shape 5530 4324 3154 1435

HCP 9 7 18 6

Losers 7 9 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 25

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8
 ♥ K J T 9 6
 ♦ Q J 8 5 3
 ♣ 3

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

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 2
 ♥ A 2
 ♦ T 7 6 2
 ♣ K 9 8 5 2

♠ A K 7 6 5 3
 ♥ 8
 ♦ A K 9 4
 ♣ Q 4

Shape 3505 2245 6142 2551

HCP 9 7 16 8

Losers 6 8 5 7

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♠ by South

Board 26

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 2
♥ J 6 5 3 2
♦ Q 5
♣ Q T 9 7

♠ 3

♥ A Q T 9 4

♦ J 6

♣ K 8 5 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A K Q 8 7 6 5 4

♥ 8

♦ T 9 3 2

♣ -

♠ J 9

♥ K 7

♦ A K 8 7 4

♣ A J 6 2

Shape 1525 8140 2254 2524

HCP 10 9 16 5

Losers 6 4 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

4 ♠

1 ♣¹

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ X by East

Board 27

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 3 2
♥ K Q 6 2
♦ Q T 7
♣ A J

♠ Q
♥ A 9 8 7 5
♦ 8 5
♣ K T 8 6 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 7 6 5
♥ T 4
♦ 9 6
♣ Q 9 7 5 2

♠ A K 9 4
♥ J 3
♦ A K J 4 3 2
♣ 4

Shape 1525 4225 4261 4432

HCP 9 2 16 13

Losers 7 9 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 28

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 6 4

♥ 9

♦ A 7 6 3

♣ A 8 6 4

♠ 3

♥ K T 8 3 2

♦ Q 8

♣ Q J T 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 7 5 2

♥ J 7 6

♦ T 5 2

♣ 9 7

♠ A Q 8

♥ A Q 5 4

♦ K J 9 4

♣ K 3

Shape 1525 5332 3442 4144

HCP 8 1 19 12

Losers 7 11 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

3♦

Pass

4♥³

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4♥ by North

Board 29

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6
 ♥ T 8
 ♦ Q J 7 3 2
 ♣ T 9 6 2

♠ K Q J 9 2
 ♥ K Q 9 6 5 3
 ♦ A
 ♣ 8

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 8 5 4
 ♥ 4
 ♦ T 8 6
 ♣ Q J 7 5 3

♠ A 3
 ♥ A J 7 2
 ♦ K 9 5 4
 ♣ A K 4

Shape 5611 4135 2443 2254

HCP 15 3 19 3

Losers 3 9 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♣ ² |
| Pass | 5NT ³ | Pass | 6 ♥ ⁴ |
| Pass | 7 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

7 ♥ by North

Board 30

South Deals
None Vul

♠ T 5
♥ 9 8 6 5
♦ 7 6
♣ K 9 8 5 4

♠ 4 3 2
♥ A K Q 3 2
♦ J T 8 5 2
♣ -



♠ K J 7 6
♥ J T 4
♦ -
♣ Q J T 6 3 2

♠ A Q 9 8
♥ 7
♦ A K Q 9 4 3
♣ A 7

Shape 3550 4306 4162 2425
HCP 10 8 19 3
Losers 6 7 3 9

| West | North | East | South |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 6 ♦ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |
| 6 ♦ by South | | | |

Board 31

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K J T 7 6 5

♥ J 7 6

♦ K 8 6

♣ -

♠ 3

♥ A Q 4 3 2

♦ Q T

♣ T 8 6 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 4 2

♥ K T 8 5

♦ 9 4 2

♣ J 7 4

♠ Q 8

♥ 9

♦ A J 7 5 3

♣ A K Q 9 2

Shape 1525 3433 2155 7330

HCP 8 4 16 12

Losers 7 11 5 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♠

2 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

3 ♦

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♠ by West

Board 32

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 3 2
 ♥ K T 9 7 6 3
 ♦ 4 3
 ♣ K Q

♠ A Q J 6 5
 ♥ -
 ♦ Q J T 9 5 2
 ♣ 9 5



♠ T 9 4
 ♥ J 8 4 2
 ♦ 7
 ♣ T 7 4 3 2

♠ 8 7
 ♥ A Q 5
 ♦ A K 8 6
 ♣ A J 8 6

Shape 5062 3415 2344 3622

HCP 10 1 18 11

Losers 5 10 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | Pass |
| Pass | 4 ♦ | Pass | 4 ♥ ² |
| Dbl | 5 ♥ | Dbl | 5NT ³ |
| Pass | 7 ♦ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !D

3. 3 out of 4

7 ♦ by North

Board 33

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 7 6
♥ T 9 5 3
♦ Q J 2
♣ A Q 5

♠ 8
♥ A 6
♦ A T 9 7 5
♣ J T 6 3 2



♠ 9 4 3
♥ Q 7 2
♦ 8 6 4 3
♣ K 9 8

♠ A K Q J 5 2
♥ K J 8 4
♦ K
♣ 7 4

Shape 1255 3343 6412 3433

HCP 9 5 17 9

Losers 7 10 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 34

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 4
 ♥ Q 7 5 4
 ♦ 7 6 4 2
 ♣ Q 7

♠ K T 7 5 2

♥ 2

♦ Q 3

♣ K 9 8 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 6 3

♥ A 9 6 3

♦ A J 8 5

♣ J 3

♠ A Q

♥ K J T 8

♦ K T 9

♣ A T 6 5

Shape 5125 3442 2434 3442

HCP 8 10 17 5

Losers 7 9 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 35
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ K 9 4 2
♥ A 9 8 6
♦ J 7
♣ K T 9

♠ 7
♥ T 2
♦ A 9 6 5 4
♣ A J 7 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ T 8 5 3
♥ Q 7 5 4
♦ T 3
♣ Q 6 5

♠ A Q J 6
♥ K J 3
♦ K Q 8 2
♣ 8 4

Shape 1255 4423 4342 4423
HCP 9 4 16 11
Losers 7 9 6 8

| | | | |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |
| 3NT by South | | | |

Board 36

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q J T
♥ K 8 2
♦ A 9 8 7 5 4 3
♣ -

♠ K 7 6 5 4

♥ 4

♦ K 2

♣ K Q J 6 3

W N E S

♠ A 9 3

♥ A Q 9 7

♦ Q J 6

♣ A 5 4

♠ 8 2

♥ J T 6 5 3

♦ T

♣ T 9 8 7 2

Shape 5125 2515 3433 3370

HCP 12 1 17 10

Losers 5 9 7 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

3 ♦

3 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 37

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 5 4 3

♥ Q 3

♦ 9 8 4 3

♣ 7 4

♠ J

♥ T 9 8 6 2

♦ A 5

♣ K T 9 8 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 6 2

♥ 5 4

♦ K J 7 6

♣ Q J 5 3

♠ A Q T 8

♥ A K J 7

♦ Q T 2

♣ A 6

Shape 1525 3244 4432 5242

HCP 8 10 20 2

Losers 7 8 5 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 38

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 5 4 3
♥ J 7 6 5 4
♦ 4
♣ Q T 2

♠ Q 6
♥ K Q 9 3 2
♦ J 9 8 5 2
♣ 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 7 2
♥ A 8
♦ Q T 7 6
♣ J 9 7 3

♠ K J 9 8
♥ T
♦ A K 3
♣ A K 8 5 4

Shape 2551 3244 4135 4513

HCP 8 11 18 3

Losers 7 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 39

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8

♥ Q 8 7 6 4 3 2

♦ 7 3

♣ T 5

♠ Q

♥ J 9

♦ J 8 6 5 2

♣ A Q J 9 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A T 6 5 2

♥ T 5

♦ K T 9 4

♣ 3 2

♠ K 9 7 4 3

♥ A K

♦ A Q

♣ K 8 7 4

Shape 1255 5242 5224 2722

HCP 11 7 19 3

Losers 7 8 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹Pass 1 ♥² Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 3 ♣

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♥

Pass 4NT Pass 5 ♣³

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♣ by South

Board 40

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5 2
♥ 8
♦ A J 9 3 2
♣ 9 8 6 3 2

♠ K 9
♥ Q 9 7 6 4 3
♦ K 7 6 5 4
♣ -



♠ T 4 3
♥ K J T 5
♦ Q 8
♣ A J T 5

♠ A Q J 8 7 6
♥ A 2
♦ T
♣ K Q 7 4

Shape 2650 3424 6214 2155

HCP 8 11 16 5

Losers 5 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 41

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 4 3
♥ 8 6 5
♦ T 8 7 6 3
♣ J 2

♠ T 9

♥ K Q J 9 7

♦ -

♣ K Q 9 8 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J 8 6 5

♥ 4 3

♦ A J 2

♣ T 7 6

♠ K 7 2

♥ A T 2

♦ K Q 9 5 4

♣ A 4

Shape 2506 5233 3352 3352

HCP 11 10 16 3

Losers 4 9 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 2 out of 4

6♥ by North

Board 42

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 5
♥ Q 7 6 4 3
♦ 4
♣ J 9 8 6 4

♠ A Q 6 3 2

♥ 8

♦ K J T 9 2

♣ K 7



♠ J 7
♥ K J T 5 2
♦ Q 8 7 6
♣ T 2

♠ K 9 8 4

♥ A 9

♦ A 5 3

♣ A Q 5 3

Shape 5152 2542 4234 2515

HCP 13 7 17 3

Losers 5 8 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♦ ² |
| Pass | 7 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♠ by North

Board 43

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 7 5 3

♥ J 6 5 4 2

♦ 4

♣ Q 5

♠ 8

♥ K

♦ A J 9 7 3 2

♣ A T 9 8 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 2

♥ Q 9 8 3

♦ 8 5

♣ J 6 4 3 2

♠ A K T 6 4

♥ A T 7

♦ K Q T 6

♣ K

Shape 1165 2425 5341 5512

HCP 12 4 19 5

Losers 6 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=1

7 ♦ by North

Board 44

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 6
♥ A T
♦ Q T 9 7 6 5
♣ T 5 4 2

♠ K T 7 3 2

♥ J 5

♦ A 8 4 3 2

♣ 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J 8 5 4
♥ Q 7 6 3 2
♦ -
♣ Q 8 3

♠ A 9

♥ K 9 8 4

♦ K J

♣ A K J 9 6

Shape 5251 5503 2425 1264

HCP 8 7 19 6

Losers 7 6 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♦ Pass Pass 2NT

Pass 3 ♥ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by South

Board 45

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 6
♥ K T 7 6 3
♦ J
♣ 6 5 4 3

♠ K J 9 7 4 2

♥ J 5

♦ -

♣ A K T 9 7



♠ T 5 3
♥ 8 2
♦ 8 6 4 3 2
♣ J 8 2

♠ A

♥ A Q 9 4

♦ A K Q T 9 7 5

♣ Q

Shape 6205 3253 1471 3514

HCP 12 1 21 6

Losers 5 11 2 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♦ |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | Pass | 5NT |
| Pass | 6 ♣ | Pass | 6NT |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

6NT by South

Board 46

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 4 3

♥ 2

♦ A J 9 3

♣ Q T 8 6

♠ 8

♥ K Q J 9 6 3

♦ Q 8 7 4 2

♣ 5



♠ K J 6 2

♥ T 7 4

♦ K T 6 5

♣ 3 2

♠ A T 7 5

♥ A 8 5

♦ -

♣ A K J 9 7 4

Shape 1651 4342 4306 4144

HCP 8 7 16 9

Losers 5 9 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 47

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 4 3 2
♥ 3 2
♦ J T 8 4 3 2
♣ 6

♠ A K Q T 8

♥ J 6

♦ 7

♣ J 7 4 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 6 5

♥ Q T 7

♦ K 6 5

♣ K 9 8 5

♠ J

♥ A K 9 8 5 4

♦ A Q 9

♣ A Q T

Shape 5215 3334 1633 4261

HCP 11 8 20 1

Losers 6 9 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 48

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5
 ♥ Q 9 8 7 4 2
 ♦ J 8
 ♣ Q 6 5

♠ J
 ♥ A J
 ♦ A Q T 6 5
 ♣ 8 7 4 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A K 8 2
 ♥ K 6 3
 ♦ K 9 3
 ♣ K T 9

♠ Q T 9 6 4 3
 ♥ T 5
 ♦ 7 4 2
 ♣ A J

Shape 1255 6232 4333 2623

HCP 12 7 16 5

Losers 6 8 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♦ by North

Board 49

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 3
♥ T 7
♦ K J 8 4
♣ K T 4 3

♠ K J 9 8 5

♥ 8 3

♦ T

♣ A Q 7 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 2
♥ A 9 4 2
♦ 9 6 3 2
♣ 9 5

♠ A 4

♥ K Q J 6 5

♦ A Q 7 5

♣ J 8

Shape 5215 3442 2542 3244

HCP 10 6 17 7

Losers 6 9 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♦ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 50

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 8 7 6 5 3

♥ -

♦ 9

♣ J 9 7 5 2

♠ Q 2

♥ T

♦ A Q 8 4 3

♣ K 8 6 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J

♥ Q J 8 4 2

♦ J T 7 5 2

♣ Q T

♠ A K 4

♥ A K 9 7 6 5 3

♦ K 6

♣ A

Shape 2155 1552 3721 7015

HCP 11 7 21 1

Losers 6 8 3 7

West

EPBot

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

North

*EPBot*3 ♠²

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

4 ♥

4 ♥ by South

Board 51

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q 6 2

♥ J T 8 2

♦ 9 7 5

♣ J T

♠ K J 9 5 4

♥ 9 6

♦ A 6 4 3 2

♣ 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 7 3

♥ 7 5

♦ Q J

♣ A 9 8 7 5 4

♠ T

♥ A K Q 4 3

♦ K T 8

♣ K Q 3 2

Shape 5251 3226 1534 4432

HCP 8 7 17 8

Losers 7 9 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 52

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 8 3

♥ A 8 6

♦ 9 8

♣ J 7 4 2

♠ A K 6 5 4

♥ 3

♦ Q T 6 5 4

♣ T 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 9 7 2

♥ K Q J 7 5 2

♦ 3

♣ 8 5

♠ -

♥ T 9 4

♦ A K J 7 2

♣ A K Q 9 3

Shape 5152 4612 0355 4324

HCP 9 8 17 6

Losers 6 6 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

4 ♦

Pass

3NT

Pass

6 ♦

5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

6 ♦ by South

Board 53

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 4
♥ J 5
♦ A Q 9
♣ T 9 7 6 4 2

♠ K Q 8 7 5
♥ Q
♦ K J 7 5 4 3
♣ K



♠ J 9 2
♥ T 7 6 2
♦ T 8 6 2
♣ 8 5

♠ A 6 3
♥ A K 9 8 4 3
♦ -
♣ A Q J 3

Shape 5161 3442 3604 2236

HCP 14 1 18 7

Losers 5 11 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Board 54

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8 4

♥ 7 6 5 2

♦ Q T 7 4

♣ 2

♠ Q 2

♥ A

♦ A 9 8 6 2

♣ 9 8 7 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6 3

♥ K J

♦ J 5 3

♣ A Q J 5 3

♠ A K J 5

♥ Q T 9 8 4 3

♦ K

♣ K T

Shape 2155 3235 4612 4441

HCP 10 12 16 2

Losers 7 8 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 55

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ A K J 9 7 3
♥ 8
♦ T 9 6
♣ T 5 3

♠ 2
♥ K Q 6 5 2
♦ A K 8 7 4
♣ 9 2



♠ 8 4
♥ J T 9 7 3
♦ J 3 2
♣ J 7 6

♠ Q T 6 5
♥ A 4
♦ Q 5
♣ A K Q 8 4

Shape 1552 2533 4225 6133
HCP 12 3 17 8
Losers 5 11 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♠ | Dbl | Pass | 3 ♣ |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 56

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4
♥ 9 8 7 2
♦ A T 8 7 2
♣ 9 8 6

♠ K T 8 5 3

♥ A K

♦ Q J 9 5 4

♣ Q

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 6 2

♥ Q 4

♦ 6 3

♣ J T 5 3 2

♠ A Q 7

♥ J T 6 5 3

♦ K

♣ A K 7 4

Shape 5251 4225 3514 1453

HCP 15 4 17 4

Losers 5 10 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|------------------|
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♠ ² |
|------|-----|------|------------------|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

5 ♠ by North

Board 57

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -
 ♥ 9 4
 ♦ J T 8 2
 ♣ Q T 9 8 7 6 4

♠ A T 9 5 4

♥ A T 8 5 2

♦ 7

♣ A 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 7 6 3 2

♥ K 7 3

♦ Q 5 4

♣ 5 3

♠ Q J 8

♥ Q J 6

♦ A K 9 6 3

♣ K J

Shape 5512 5332 3352 0247

HCP 12 8 17 3

Losers 6 8 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !S queen and !C king

6 ♠ by North

Board 58

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 6 4
♥ K Q 8 6 4
♦ K T 7
♣ 7

♠ 2
♥ J 7
♦ A Q 8 4 3
♣ K Q 9 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 5 3
♥ T 3 2
♦ 9 6 5 2
♣ J T 4

♠ A K Q J 7
♥ A 9 5
♦ J
♣ A 8 6 5

Shape 1255 3343 5314 4531

HCP 12 1 19 8

Losers 5 12 5 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4NT by South

Board 59

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 5 4 3 2

♥ 8 7 4 3

♦ 6 4

♣ 5 3

♠ 7 6

♥ Q T 9 5 2

♦ K Q T 9 8

♣ A



♠ K J 8

♥ 6

♦ A J 3 2

♣ K T 6 4 2

♠ A Q T

♥ A K J

♦ 7 5

♣ Q J 9 8 7

Shape 2551 3145 3325 5422

HCP 11 12 17 0

Losers 5 7 6 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

4 ♦

Pass

4NT

Pass

5 ♣³

Pass

6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 60

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ J 9 3
♦ J 8 7 6 2
♣ 9 4 3

♠ T 9 2

♥ A T 6 5 4

♦ A Q T 9 3

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q J 6 3

♥ 7 2

♦ 5 4

♣ K 7 6 2

♠ A 7 5

♥ K Q 8

♦ K

♣ A Q J T 8 5

Shape 3550 5224 3316 2353

HCP 10 9 19 2

Losers 6 7 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 61

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J T 8 5 4

♥ 8 5 2

♦ A Q J 5

♣ -

♠ 9

♥ A Q J 7 6

♦ T 8

♣ K 6 5 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6

♥ T 9

♦ 7 6 3 2

♣ Q T 9 8 7

♠ K Q 3 2

♥ K 4 3

♦ K 9 4

♣ A J 2

Shape 1525 2245 4333 6340

HCP 10 2 16 12

Losers 6 9 7 6

West

EPBot

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by North

North

EPBot

3 ♥

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

4 ♥

Board 62

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8

♥ 5 3 2

♦ J 8 6 4 2

♣ T 9 3 2

♠ A K J T 9 5 2

♥ A K T 8 4

♦ -

♣ 8

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 6 4 3

♥ J 9 7

♦ A T 9 7 5

♣ 5

♠ 7

♥ Q 6

♦ K Q 3

♣ A K Q J 7 6 4

Shape 7501 4351 1237 1354

HCP 15 7 17 1

Losers 3 8 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

5 ♣²

Pass

4NT

All Pass

6NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6NT by South

Board 63

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 7 6 5 3
♥ 9 7 6
♦ T 9 7 5
♣ 2

♠ A K Q 9 2

♥ T 5 4 3 2

♦ -

♣ Q J 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 4

♥ K 8

♦ A 8 4 3

♣ T 9 8 7 5

♠ 8

♥ A Q J

♦ K Q J 6 2

♣ A K 4 3

Shape 5503 2245 1354 5341

HCP 12 8 20 0

Losers 5 8 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by North

Board 64

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 8 7 5 4

♥ 3 2

♦ A 4

♣ T 8 2

♠ A Q J 6 2

♥ K T 9 8 5

♦ K 9 3

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ -

♥ Q 7 6 4

♦ J T 8 7 2

♣ 7 6 4 3

♠ T 3

♥ A J

♦ Q 6 5

♣ A K Q J 9 5

Shape 5530 0454 2236 6223

HCP 13 3 17 7

Losers 5 8 5 8

West

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by North

North

EPBot

Pass

3 ♥

East

EPBot

Pass

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

3 ♣

4 ♥

Board 65

South Deals

None Vul

♠ -

♥ A T 9 8 7 6 4 3 2

♦ J 4

♣ J 8

♠ Q T 9 5 2

♥ Q

♦ K 5

♣ K Q 7 4 2

W N
E S

♠ A 7 4

♥ 5

♦ Q T 7 6 3 2

♣ T 9 3

♠ K J 8 6 3

♥ K J

♦ A 9 8

♣ A 6 5

Shape 5125 3163 5233 0922

HCP 12 6 16 6

Losers 5 8 7 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♣¹

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by West

Board 66

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 3
♥ A T 8 6
♦ K 6
♣ J 9 8 7 3

♠ K 8 7 5 2

♥ 7

♦ A Q J 9 8

♣ T 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 4
♥ J 5 4 3 2
♦ 7 4 3
♣ 4 2

♠ Q T 6

♥ K Q 9

♦ T 5 2

♣ A K Q 5

Shape 5152 3532 3334 2425

HCP 10 2 16 12

Losers 6 11 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 67

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 8 7 6

♥ 2

♦ J 9 8

♣ A T 7 5 3

♠ A T 5 3 2

♥ K 9 8 7 4

♦ Q

♣ Q 8



♠ 9 4

♥ Q J 6 5 3

♦ A T 6

♣ 9 6 4

♠ K Q

♥ A T

♦ K 7 5 4 3 2

♣ K J 2

Shape 5512 2533 2263 4135

HCP 11 7 16 6

Losers 7 9 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by North

Board 68

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 5
♥ Q 8 7 6 4
♦ 5
♣ K Q J 6 3

♠ K J 6 4 3

♥ A J 5 3 2

♦ T 3

♣ 2



♠ 9 7 2
♥ K 9
♦ 9 7 4 2
♣ A T 8 5

♠ A Q 8

♥ T

♦ A K Q J 8 6

♣ 9 7 4

Shape 5521 3244 3163 2515

HCP 9 7 16 8

Losers 7 9 5 6

West

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

EPBot

Dbl

3NT

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♦

3NT by North

Board 69

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 5
♥ K T 9 8 7 5
♦ A 9 7 5
♣ -

♠ T 7 6 4 2

♥ J

♦ 8 6

♣ A Q J T 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 3

♥ 6 4 3 2

♦ T 4 3 2

♣ 9 6 5

♠ A K 9

♥ A Q

♦ K Q J

♣ K 8 7 3 2

Shape 5125 2443 3235 3640

HCP 8 0 22 10

Losers 7 11 5 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♥ Dbl Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by South

Board 70

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 5
♥ J T 8 5 3
♦ J T 8 5 2
♣ 6

♠ Q J 9 6 2

♥ A

♦ Q

♣ J 9 7 5 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T 4 3

♥ 6 2

♦ K 9 4 3

♣ K Q 8

♠ A 7

♥ K Q 9 7 4

♦ A 7 6

♣ A T 4

Shape 5116 4243 2533 2551

HCP 10 11 17 2

Losers 6 7 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 71

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 8 3

♥ T 4

♦ T 9 8 5

♣ Q J 5

♠ Q J 6 4 2

♥ A J 9 7 5

♦ 7

♣ 4 2



♠ K 7 5

♥ K 3 2

♦ A Q J 6 3 2

♣ 8

♠ A

♥ Q 8 6

♦ K 4

♣ A K T 9 7 6 3

Shape 5512 3361 1327 4243

HCP 8 13 16 3

Losers 7 6 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

2 ♦

3 ♣

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♣ by South

Board 72

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 3

♥ A K T 9 7 4 2

♦ 9 6 5

♣ 9 6

♠ A J T 6 5

♥ 8

♦ K Q 7 3 2

♣ 7 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 4

♥ Q J 6 5 3

♦ T 8

♣ K 5 2

♠ K Q 7 2

♥ -

♦ A J 4

♣ A Q J T 8 3

Shape 5152 3523 4036 1732

HCP 10 6 17 7

Losers 6 9 4 7

West

EPBot

3♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

6♠ by North

North

EPBot

3♠

5NT³

East

EPBot

4♥

Pass

South

*EPBot*1♣¹5♥²

6♠

Board 73
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ Q 5
 ♥ A T 7 5
 ♦ 8 7 4 3
 ♣ 4 3 2

♠ K 6
 ♥ K J 9 8 4
 ♦ 6
 ♣ K J T 9 7

N
 W E
 S

♠ A 9 8 7
 ♥ 6 3 2
 ♦ A K Q T
 ♣ A 8

♠ J T 4 3 2
 ♥ Q
 ♦ J 9 5 2
 ♣ Q 6 5

Shape 2515 5143 4342 2443
 HCP 11 6 17 6
 Losers 6 9 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 74

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ A Q 9 4
♥ Q T 3
♦ T 8 5 4 3
♣ Q

♠ K J T 5 3 2
♥ K J 9 7 5
♦ -
♣ 8 6



♠ 7 6
♥ 8 4
♦ Q J 7 6 2
♣ T 5 4 3

♠ 8
♥ A 6 2
♦ A K 9
♣ A K J 9 7 2

Shape 6502 2254 1336 4351
HCP 8 3 19 10
Losers 6 9 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 1 ♠ | 3 ♦ | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 4 ♥ | | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

4 ♥ by North

Board 75

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 6
♥ J T 8 4
♦ 9 6 4 3 2
♣ J

♠ -
♥ A K 9 6 5 2
♦ A 5
♣ A K Q 8 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 9 4 2
♥ 7
♦ T 8 7
♣ 5 4 3 2

♠ A K J 5 3
♥ Q 3
♦ K Q J
♣ T 9 6

Shape 0625 5134 5233 3451

HCP 20 2 16 2

Losers 2 9 7 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass | 3NT |
| Pass | 7NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

7NT by South

Board 76

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 7 2

♥ 9 7

♦ K T 8 6

♣ J 8 4

♠ Q 9 8 6 3

♥ A K Q 8 2

♦ 9 3

♣ 9



♠ 4

♥ J T 6 5 3

♦ Q 5 4

♣ Q T 6 2

♠ A T 5

♥ 4

♦ A J 7 2

♣ A K 7 5 3

Shape 5521 1534 3145 4243

HCP 11 5 16 8

Losers 5 8 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 77

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 2
♥ J 7 6
♦ T 9 7
♣ J 8 7 5 4 2

♠ 9 4 3

♥ -

♦ 8 6 5 4 3

♣ A K Q 9 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J 8 7 6 5

♥ K 9 8 5 2

♦ A 2

♣ -

♠ K Q T

♥ A Q T 4 3

♦ K Q J

♣ T 6

Shape 3055 6520 3532 1336

HCP 9 12 17 2

Losers 6 5 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

1♠

1♣¹

3♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 78

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q T 8 7 4

♥ 8 6

♦ J 8

♣ K Q 7 5

♠ K 9 2

♥ Q J 9 4 3

♦ A Q 9 6 4

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 5 3

♥ A T 7 5

♦ T 7 5 3 2

♣ 4 3

♠ A J 6

♥ K 2

♦ K

♣ A J T 9 8 6 2

Shape 3550 2452 3217 5224

HCP 12 4 16 8

Losers 5 9 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

3NT

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by North

Board 79

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A T 3 2
♥ A 9 8 5 3
♦ 9 5 3
♣ J

♠ K Q J 5 4

♥ J

♦ 4

♣ K 8 7 6 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 7 6

♥ T 2

♦ Q T 6 2

♣ Q T 2

♠ -

♥ K Q 7 6 4

♦ A K J 8 7

♣ A 9 3

Shape 5116 4243 0553 4531

HCP 10 4 17 9

Losers 5 9 4 8

West

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♣ by South

North

EPBot

1 ♠

3 ♣

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♦

Board 80

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 9 8 6 5

♥ J T 9 5 2

♦ J 8

♣ T

♠ 7

♥ A 8 7 4 3

♦ Q 7

♣ K 9 6 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 4 3 2

♥ K 6

♦ 9 4 3 2

♣ A 5 4

♠ K Q J

♥ Q

♦ A K T 6 5

♣ Q J 8 7

Shape 1525 4243 3154 5521

HCP 9 7 18 6

Losers 7 9 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♦

All Pass

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 81

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 5 4 2
♥ K Q 5 4
♦ 9 7
♣ J 3 2

♠ K T

♥ A T 9 8 6

♦ 5

♣ Q T 8 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 8 6 3

♥ J 7

♦ J T 6 4 3 2

♣ 9

♠ J 9 7

♥ 3 2

♦ A K Q 8

♣ A K 7 6

Shape 2515 4261 3244 4423

HCP 9 4 17 10

Losers 6 8 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♦

Pass

2♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 82

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ Q 2
♥ -
♦ Q J T 9 6 5 2
♣ J 8 4 3

♠ K J 8 6 3
♥ J 9 7 6 3 2
♦ K 3
♣ -



♠ A T 7 4
♥ A Q 5
♦ -
♣ T 9 7 6 5 2

♠ 9 5
♥ K T 8 4
♦ A 8 7 4
♣ A K Q

Shape 5620 4306 2443 2074
HCP 8 10 16 6
Losers 6 6 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 3♦ | 3♥ | Pass | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4♥ |

1. 16+ HCP

4♥ by North

Board 83

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 5 3
♥ A Q 9 4 2
♦ K J
♣ J T 8 6

♠ A K Q J 6

♥ J T 8 6 3

♦ Q 7

♣ 7



♠ T 9 2

♥ 5

♦ 8 6 5 3 2

♣ 9 5 4 3

♠ 8 7 4

♥ K 7

♦ A T 9 4

♣ A K Q 2

Shape 5521 3154 3244 2524

HCP 13 0 16 11

Losers 6 10 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

Dbl

2NT

Pass

1 ♣¹

1NT

2NT by South

Board 84

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 9 8

♥ Q 9 4

♦ 9 6

♣ 8 7 3 2

♠ A 7 6 4 3

♥ A 2

♦ K Q 5 3 2

♣ J



♠ J 5

♥ T 7 6

♦ J 8 4

♣ A T 6 5 4

♠ K 2

♥ K J 8 5 3

♦ A T 7

♣ K Q 9

Shape 5251 2335 2533 4324

HCP 14 6 16 4

Losers 5 10 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

4NT

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4NT by South

Board 85

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 7 5 4
♥ 9 7 4
♦ -
♣ A Q T 8 5

♠ A 6
♥ Q 8 5 3 2
♦ Q J 9 7 6
♣ 6



♠ Q T 3
♥ J 6
♦ 8 5 4 2
♣ K J 9 3

♠ K 9 2
♥ A K T
♦ A K T 3
♣ 7 4 2

Shape 2551 3244 3343 5305

HCP 9 7 17 7

Losers 6 9 7 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------|------|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | Pass | 1♣ ¹ |
| 2♠ ³ | 3♥ | Pass | 1NT |
| 4♥ | | | |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Cappelletti, 5M5+m

4♥ by North

Board 86

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 4 2

♥ Q 9 6 3 2

♦ K J

♣ 9 4 3

♠ A K Q 5 3

♥ 5

♦ A 9 7 6 2

♣ J 8



♠ J T 8 6

♥ T 7

♦ T 8 3

♣ T 6 5 2

♠ 7

♥ A K J 8 4

♦ Q 5 4

♣ A K Q 7

Shape 5152 4234 1534 3523

HCP 14 1 19 6

Losers 5 11 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

5 ♥²

Pass

4NT

All Pass

6NT

1. 16+ HCP

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

6NT by South

Board 87

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 4 3

♥ 8 5 2

♦ J T 2

♣ K 7 3

♠ K Q 8 7 6

♥ A T 4

♦ -

♣ A J 5 4 2



♠ T 5

♥ J 3

♦ 9 8 6 4

♣ Q T 9 8 6

♠ A 2

♥ K Q 9 7 6

♦ A K Q 7 5 3

♣ -

Shape 5305 2245 2560 4333

HCP 14 3 18 5

Losers 5 9 2 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !H queen and !D king

6 ♥ by South

Board 88
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ T 8 5 2
 ♥ 9 3
 ♦ J 9 5 2
 ♣ T 6 5

♠ Q 9 7 6 4
 ♥ Q J T 6 4
 ♦ 6
 ♣ K 9



♠ A J
 ♥ A 2
 ♦ 8 7 3
 ♣ A Q 7 4 3 2

♠ K 3
 ♥ K 8 7 5
 ♦ A K Q T 4
 ♣ J 8

Shape 5512 2236 2452 4243
 HCP 8 15 16 1
 Losers 6 6 5 11

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 2 ♣ | 2 ♦ |
| 4 ♣ | Pass | Pass | Dbl |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♣ X by East

Board 89

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7

♥ Q J T 8 5 4 2

♦ T 6 4 3

♣ J

♠ K 2

♥ A

♦ A Q J 9 5

♣ Q 6 5 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 5 4 3

♥ 9 7 6

♦ 8 2

♣ K T 8 7 3

♠ A Q J T 9 8 6

♥ K 3

♦ K 7

♣ A 9

Shape 2155 3325 7222 1741

HCP 16 3 17 4

Losers 4 10 4 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

3♥

Pass

Pass

Pass

All Pass

3NT

4NT

5NT³

7♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

1♣¹

4♠

5♠²6♥⁴

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

7♠ by South

Board 90

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7 6 5 4

♥ -

♦ J T 9 3

♣ A K 7 6

♠ A J T 9 3 2

♥ K T 8 6 2

♦ 6

♣ 5



♠ K 8

♥ Q 5 3

♦ 8 7 2

♣ J 9 8 3 2

♠ -

♥ A J 9 7 4

♦ A K Q 5 4

♣ Q T 4

Shape 6511 2335 0553 5044

HCP 8 6 16 10

Losers 6 9 4 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

1 ♠

Dbl

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

4NT

Pass

5 ♥²

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

5 ♥ by South

Board 91

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 7 3

♥ T 8 7

♦ Q 9

♣ J T 8 6

♠ 8

♥ Q 9 5 3 2

♦ A K 6 4 2

♣ 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 6 5 2

♥ 6 4

♦ J 8 3

♣ A K 9 7

♠ A Q T 4

♥ A K J

♦ T 7 5

♣ Q 5 4

Shape 1552 4234 4333 4324

HCP 9 11 16 4

Losers 6 8 7 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 92

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 5 4
♥ K 9 4 3
♦ 9 7
♣ A Q 8 7

♠ T
♥ A Q J 6 5
♦ J T 8 6 4
♣ 6 4



♠ J 7 6 3
♥ T 8 2
♦ Q 3 2
♣ T 9 2

♠ K Q 9 8 2
♥ 7
♦ A K 5
♣ K J 5 3

Shape 1552 4333 5134 3424

HCP 8 3 16 13

Losers 7 11 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 93

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 6 5
 ♥ T 6 3 2
 ♦ -
 ♣ 9 7 6 5 4

♠ A J 3

♥ -

♦ A 8 6 5 3

♣ A T 8 3 2



♠ 9 7 4 2

♥ A J 7

♦ T 7 4 2

♣ K J

♠ K Q

♥ K Q 9 8 5 4

♦ K Q J 9

♣ Q

Shape 3055 4342 2641 4405

HCP 13 9 18 0

Losers 6 9 4 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by North

Board 94

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 5 2
♥ Q J 9 3 2
♦ Q
♣ J 8 7 3

♠ K J T 6 3

♥ K 7

♦ A T 9 5 3

♣ 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 4
♥ 8 6 4
♦ J 8 7 6
♣ Q 6 4 2

♠ Q 9 7

♥ A T 5

♦ K 4 2

♣ A K T 9

Shape 5251 2344 3334 3514

HCP 11 7 16 6

Losers 6 9 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 95

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q
♥ A T 8 5 3 2
♦ 7 5 4
♣ Q J 2

♠ A J 9 6 3

♥ K 7

♦ J

♣ 8 7 6 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 8 5 4

♥ Q 4

♦ T 9 6 2

♣ K T 5

♠ K 7 2

♥ J 9 6

♦ A K Q 8 3

♣ A 9

Shape 5215 4243 3352 1633

HCP 9 5 17 9

Losers 7 10 6 8

West

EPBot

2♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♠ by South

North

EPBot

Dbl

4♠

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1♣¹

2♠

Board 96

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K T 7 6 5 4 2

♥ 3

♦ T 9 5

♣ T 2

♠ 3

♥ Q J 7 6 5 2

♦ Q

♣ Q J 9 8 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J

♥ A 9

♦ K J 8 7 4 3

♣ A 7 6 3

♠ A Q 9 8

♥ K T 8 4

♦ A 6 2

♣ K 5

Shape 1615 1264 4432 7132

HCP 8 13 16 3

Losers 6 6 6 8

West

EPBot

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

North

*EPBot*3 ♦²

East

EPBot

Dbl

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

4 ♥

4 ♥ by South

Board 97

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5
♥ J 9 7 5
♦ J 9 8 6 5 3
♣ 8 5

♠ Q J T 9 6

♥ Q

♦ 7 2

♣ A K 9 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 7 3

♥ A 8 4

♦ T 4

♣ Q J T 4 3

♠ A K 4 2

♥ K T 6 3 2

♦ A K Q

♣ 7

Shape 5125 3325 4531 1462

HCP 12 7 19 2

Losers 6 9 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Board 98
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ 4 3 2
 ♥ 6 5 4 3
 ♦ 8 7 6 4
 ♣ 7 5

♠ A Q J 6 5

♥ T 9

♦ -

♣ K 9 8 4 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 7

♥ K Q J 8

♦ Q J 9 5 2

♣ J 6

♠ K 9 8

♥ A 7 2

♦ A K T 3

♣ A Q T

Shape 5206 2452 3343 3442

HCP 10 10 20 0

Losers 5 7 6 11

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1♥ ² | Pass | 3NT |
| Pass | 4♣ | Pass | 4NT ³ |
| Pass | 7♣ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=3 out of 4

7♣ by South

Board 99

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q 9 3

♥ 9 5

♦ 8 7 2

♣ T 8 6 3

♠ 6 4

♥ K J T 6 2

♦ A K J T 9 6

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 5

♥ 8 7 4

♦ 5

♣ K Q J 9 7 5 2

♠ K J 8 7 2

♥ A Q 3

♦ Q 4 3

♣ A 4

Shape 2560 2317 5332 4234

HCP 12 6 16 6

Losers 5 7 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

4♥

Pass

5♣²

Dbl

Pass

Pass

5♦

Pass

5♠³

Pass

6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. !H queen and !S king

6♥ by North

Board 100

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K J 7 6 5 3 2
♥ J 9 8 6
♦ 8 2
♣ -

♠ 4

♥ A K 7 5 3 2

♦ 7

♣ Q T 5 3 2

N

W E

S

♠ Q 9

♥ T 4

♦ Q 9 6 3

♣ A J 9 7 6

♠ A T 8

♥ Q

♦ A K J T 5 4

♣ K 8 4

Shape 1615 2245 3163 7420
HCP 9 9 17 5
Losers 5 8 6 7

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 3 ♠ | 4 ♥ | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♥ by North | | | |

Board 101

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 8 5
♥ K 7 4
♦ Q J 8 4 2
♣ J 7

♠ A J 7 6 4
♥ -
♦ T 5
♣ K T 9 6 5 3

N
W E
 S

♠ T 9 2
♥ Q J 8 6 5 3
♦ K 7 6
♣ 2

♠ Q 3
♥ A T 9 2
♦ A 9 3
♣ A Q 8 4

Shape 5026 3631 2434 3352
HCP 8 6 16 10
Losers 6 8 7 8

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 5 ♣ | | 1NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 5 ♣ by South | | | |

Board 102

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T
♥ Q J 8 7 6
♦ K T 9 8 6
♣ Q 3

♠ K
♥ 9 5
♦ Q J 5 3 2
♣ A T 9 7 6



♠ Q 9 8 7 6 3 2
♥ 3 2
♦ 4
♣ K 8 4

♠ A J 5 4
♥ A K T 4
♦ A 7
♣ J 5 2

Shape 1255 7213 4423 1552

HCP 10 5 17 8

Losers 7 7 7 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|----------|-----------------|----|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | 2♠ | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 3NT |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 103
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ Q 3 2
 ♥ K Q
 ♦ J 8 5 4
 ♣ J 9 5 3

♠ K T 8 7 6 4
 ♥ -
 ♦ K 7 6 3 2
 ♣ A 2



♠ A J
 ♥ A J 7 6 5 4
 ♦ Q 9
 ♣ K Q 4

♠ 9 5
 ♥ T 9 8 3 2
 ♦ A T
 ♣ T 8 7 6

Shape 6052 2524 2623 3244
 HCP 10 4 17 9
 Losers 5 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 104

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 7 6
♥ J T 8 7 5
♦ A K
♣ Q 7 6 2

♠ K T 9 8 5 2
♥ 4
♦ Q 9 7 6 3
♣ K



♠ Q
♥ Q 6 3
♦ J T 8 5 4
♣ J T 8 5

♠ A J 4 3
♥ A K 9 2
♦ 2
♣ A 9 4 3

Shape 6151 1354 4414 2524
HCP 8 6 16 10
Losers 6 9 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ by North | | | |

Board 105

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 4
♥ A 5
♦ Q T 9 8 7 3
♣ 7 6

♠ K J 8 6 3
♥ Q J 9 7 2
♦ 2
♣ A T



♠ A 7 5
♥ T
♦ A K J 5 4
♣ K J 9 2

♠ T 2
♥ K 8 6 4 3
♦ 6
♣ Q 8 5 4 3

Shape 5512 2515 3154 3262
HCP 11 5 16 8
Losers 6 7 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 2♦ | 3♦ | Pass | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 3NT |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 106

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 6 4
♥ 6 4 3
♦ 9
♣ Q 9 8 5 2

♠ Q 5 3
♥ J 9 7 5 2
♦ A J 6 4 3
♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 7
♥ K Q
♦ K Q 8 7
♣ J T 7 4

♠ A K 2
♥ A T 8
♦ T 5 2
♣ A K 6 3

Shape 3550 3244 3334 4315

HCP 8 11 18 3

Losers 7 8 7 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 107

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5
♥ A Q T 8 7
♦ J 5
♣ J 8 7 5 3

♠ A K T 4 3
♥ 5
♦ K T 9 7 6 4
♣ 9

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 7 6 2
♥ J 6 4
♦ 8 3
♣ A 6 4

♠ Q J
♥ K 9 3 2
♦ A Q 2
♣ K Q T 2

Shape 5161 5323 2434 1525

HCP 10 5 17 8

Losers 5 10 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|----------|------------------|------|------------------|
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 3 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| All Pass | | | 3 ♠ |

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3 ♠ by North

Board 108

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 7 5 4 2

♥ Q 2

♦ J 4

♣ J 8 4

♠ 6

♥ T

♦ A 9 6 5 3 2

♣ A K 5 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T

♥ 9 6 5 3

♦ K T 7

♣ T 9 7 6

♠ A Q J 3

♥ A K J 8 7 4

♦ Q 8

♣ Q

Shape 1165 2434 4621 6223

HCP 11 6 19 4

Losers 5 9 5 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !H queen

6 ♦ by North

Board 109

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 5 3
♥ A J 7 5 4
♦ Q T 7
♣ J 4

♠ K Q J 6 2

♥ 8 2

♦ 3

♣ A 9 6 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 7 4
♥ Q 9 3
♦ J 8 6 5 2
♣ 8

♠ A

♥ K T 6

♦ A K 9 4

♣ K Q T 7 2

Shape 5215 4351 1345 3532

HCP 10 3 19 8

Losers 6 9 4 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♣ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 110

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T

♥ Q 8 3

♦ J 9 2

♣ A T 8 7 2

♠ -

♥ A K 9 5 2

♦ Q 7 4

♣ J 9 6 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 8 7 6 4 3 2

♥ J 6

♦ 8 6 3

♣ -

♠ A Q 5

♥ T 7 4

♦ A K T 5

♣ K Q 4

Shape 0535 8230 3343 2335

HCP 10 2 18 10

Losers 6 8 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

3 ♠

1 ♣¹

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 111
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ 3
 ♥ J T 8 6 4
 ♦ 9 8 3
 ♣ A 9 6 2

♠ K Q J 9 6

♥ Q

♦ -

♣ J T 8 7 5 4 3

N
 W E
 S

♠ A 8 7 2

♥ K 7

♦ Q J T 7 6 5 4

♣ -

♠ T 5 4

♥ A 9 5 3 2

♦ A K 2

♣ K Q

Shape 5107 4270 3532 1534

HCP 9 10 16 5

Losers 5 5 7 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|-----|------|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 3 ♦ | Pass |
|------|------------------|-----|------|

| | | | |
|-----|------|------|-----|
| 5 ♦ | Pass | Pass | Dbl |
|-----|------|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ X by East

Board 112
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 2
 ♥ J 8 6 3 2
 ♦ 9 7 3
 ♣ J 8 4 2

♠ K J T 8 6 4
 ♥ 5
 ♦ K Q 8 5 4
 ♣ 3

N
 W E
 S

♠ Q 5 3
 ♥ A Q T 9
 ♦ T 6 2
 ♣ K 9 7

♠ A 9 7
 ♥ K 7 4
 ♦ A J
 ♣ A Q T 6 5

Shape 6151 3433 3325 1534
 HCP 9 11 18 2
 Losers 5 8 6 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=0/5 or 3/5
4. no !S queen

6 ♠ by South

Board 113
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ K 8 6 4
 ♥ T 6
 ♦ J T 7 5 3
 ♣ 8 5

♠ Q 9 7 5 2
 ♥ Q J 8 7 5
 ♦ 2
 ♣ A 6



♠ T 3
 ♥ A 4 2
 ♦ A K Q 6
 ♣ K J T 2

♠ A J
 ♥ K 9 3
 ♦ 9 8 4
 ♣ Q 9 7 4 3

Shape 5512 2335 2344 4252
 HCP 9 10 17 4
 Losers 6 8 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 114
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ 9 7 6 4
♥ K 8 4 3
♦ 9 8 4
♣ Q 3

♠ A K Q 5 3
♥ -
♦ Q J 7
♣ K J T 7 2

♠ 8
♥ Q J T 7 5
♦ T 6 5 2
♣ 6 5 4

N
W E
S

♠ J T 2
♥ A 9 6 2
♦ A K 3
♣ A 9 8

Shape 5035 1543 3433 4432
HCP 16 3 16 5
Losers 4 9 8 10

| | | | |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| Pass | 5 ♥ ² | Pass | 6 ♣ ³ |
| Pass | 7 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. Exclusion, for !S
- 3. 2 out of 4

7 ♠ by North

Board 115

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 8 6 4

♥ J 9 7 3

♦ Q 3

♣ A T 9

♠ A J T 5 3

♥ T 6

♦ 6

♣ K Q 7 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 7 2

♥ 8 4 2

♦ T 8 7 4

♣ J 6 3

♠ 9

♥ A K Q 5

♦ A K J 9 5 2

♣ 8 4

Shape 5215 3343 1462 4423

HCP 10 3 17 10

Losers 6 11 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 116

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K T 8
 ♥ 2
 ♦ K 4 2
 ♣ J 9 6 4 3 2

♠ J 4

♥ K J 8 6 3

♦ A T 9 8 7 3

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 7 6 5
 ♥ T 7 5
 ♦ Q J 6 5
 ♣ 8 5

♠ Q 9 3 2

♥ A Q 9 4

♦ -

♣ A K Q T 7

Shape 2560 4342 4405 3136

HCP 9 7 17 7

Losers 6 9 3 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 117

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 2
♥ K 9 8 5 2
♦ A 8 3
♣ 5 3

♠ Q 8

♥ 7

♦ J 9 7 6 2

♣ A Q T 7 2

W N E S

♠ K T 9 5

♥ A Q

♦ K 5 4

♣ K J 9 4

♠ A 6 4 3
♥ J T 6 4 3
♦ Q T
♣ 8 6

Shape 2155 4522 4234 3532

HCP 9 7 16 8

Losers 7 9 7 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|--|--|
| Pass | 2NT | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 118

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 3

♥ T 8 6 4 3

♦ T 9 7 6 4 2

♣ -

♠ K 8

♥ K

♦ A Q J 5 3

♣ J T 9 8 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 9 6 4

♥ J 9

♦ 8

♣ A 7 4 3 2

♠ A 7 5 2

♥ A Q 7 5 2

♦ K

♣ K Q 5

Shape 2155 5215 4513 2560

HCP 14 7 18 1

Losers 6 7 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♦

Pass

1♣¹

2♥

Pass

3♣

Pass

4NT

Pass

5♦²

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♦ by North

Board 119

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 8 6 2

♥ Q

♦ K J 9 7 6

♣ J 7

♠ A 3

♥ J T 9 4 2

♦ Q

♣ K 9 8 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 7 5 4

♥ 7 5

♦ T 8 5 2

♣ T 5 2

♠ Q T

♥ A K 8 6 3

♦ A 4 3

♣ A Q 6

Shape 2515 4243 2533 5152

HCP 10 1 19 10

Losers 7 11 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

4NT

Pass

3NT

Pass

7 ♥

5 ♦³

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♥ by North

Board 120

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 8 7 5 3

♥ 9

♦ 8 6 4

♣ J 9 8 5

♠ -

♥ J 5 3

♦ A J T 9 5

♣ K Q T 7 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J 9

♥ T 8 6

♦ K 7 3

♣ A 6 4 3

♠ K Q 6 4 2

♥ A K Q 7 4 2

♦ Q 2

♣ -

Shape 0355 3334 5620 5134

HCP 11 12 16 1

Losers 6 9 3 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

5 ♠³

Pass

6 ♦⁴

Pass

6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !H

4. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 121

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ J T 9 8 5 2
♥ Q J T
♦ K 5
♣ 6 2

♠ Q 4 3
♥ K 9 8 4 3
♦ Q J 9 6 2
♣ -



♠ 7 6
♥ A 6
♦ T 8 4
♣ A J T 9 8 3

♠ A K
♥ 7 5 2
♦ A 7 3
♣ K Q 7 5 4

Shape 3550 2236 2335 6322
HCP 8 9 16 7
Losers 6 8 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♠ | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♣ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by North

Board 122

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 2
 ♥ 7 4
 ♦ J 9 5 4
 ♣ A K T 9 6

♠ A K Q 9 8

♥ Q J 8 6 2

♦ 8 3

♣ 3



♠ 7 6 5 4
 ♥ 9 5 3
 ♦ 6 2
 ♣ J 8 7 2

♠ T 3

♥ A K T

♦ A K Q T 7

♣ Q 5 4

Shape 5521 4324 2353 2245

HCP 12 1 18 9

Losers 5 11 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♦ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 4 ♥ | Pass | 4NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

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|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 5 ♦ ² | Pass | 5 ♥ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♥ by North

Board 123

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 5

♥ 4 3

♦ T 9 6

♣ Q J T 9 3

♠ Q J 8 6 4

♥ Q 9 7 5 2

♦ 2

♣ A 2



♠ A K 3

♥ K J T 8 6

♦ 7 4

♣ 8 6 5

♠ T 2

♥ A

♦ A K Q J 8 5 3

♣ K 7 4

Shape 5512 3523 2173 3235

HCP 9 11 17 3

Losers 6 8 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♦

All Pass

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 124

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 7
 ♥ 4 2
 ♦ J 6 5 4
 ♣ T 9 5 3 2

♠ K T 8 5 2

♥ A Q J 6 3

♦ 7

♣ 8 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 6 4 3

♥ T

♦ A T 8 3 2

♣ K Q 7

♠ A 9

♥ K 9 8 7 5

♦ K Q 9

♣ A J 4

Shape 5512 4153 2533 2245

HCP 10 10 17 3

Losers 6 7 6 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 125

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5 4
♥ 9 4
♦ A J T 7 6 5 4
♣ K 8

♠ A 9 8 7 2
♥ A Q T 6 5
♦ 9
♣ 9 3



♠ Q J 6 3
♥ J 8 7 3
♦ 3
♣ T 7 6 2

♠ K T
♥ K 2
♦ K Q 8 2
♣ A Q J 5 4

Shape 5512 4414 2245 2272

HCP 10 4 18 8

Losers 6 9 4 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|-----|-----|------|-------------------------|
| 3 ♦ | 3 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ 3NT |
|-----|-----|------|-------------------------|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by South

Board 126

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8

♥ T 3 2

♦ 9 6 5 3

♣ 9 8 7 5

♠ K T 9 5 2

♥ K 9 8 6 4

♦ J

♣ K 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 7 6

♥ A J 7 5

♦ K 8 7

♣ J T 3

♠ Q 4 3

♥ Q

♦ A Q T 4 2

♣ A Q 6 2

Shape 5512 3433 3154 2344

HCP 10 10 16 4

Losers 6 10 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 127

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 8 3

♥ T 8

♦ A 9 8 6

♣ T 7 3

♠ -

♥ A K Q J 6

♦ K Q J 4 2

♣ 8 6 2



♠ Q 7 5 4

♥ 7 5 4 2

♦ 7 5 3

♣ 9 5

♠ A K J 6 2

♥ 9 3

♦ T

♣ A K Q J 4

Shape 0553 4432 5215 4243

HCP 16 2 18 4

Losers 4 10 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

6NT by South

Board 128

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ A K 8 6 4 2
♥ 5 3
♦ Q 2
♣ Q 5 4

♠ J
♥ Q J 8 6 2
♦ T 7
♣ A J 9 8 7



♠ Q T
♥ T 9 7 4
♦ J 5 4 3
♣ T 6 3

♠ 9 7 5 3
♥ A K
♦ A K 9 8 6
♣ K 2

Shape 1525 2443 4252 6223
HCP 9 3 17 11
Losers 7 11 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 3NT |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 129

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 6
♥ K J 6 5
♦ T 9 5 3
♣ 9 6 5

♠ K T 7 5 2

♥ T 9 8 7 3

♦ K

♣ A J

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 4
♥ 4 2
♦ A Q J 8 7 4
♣ Q 4 2

♠ A Q J 3

♥ A Q

♦ 6 2

♣ K T 8 7 3

Shape 5512 2263 4225 2443

HCP 11 9 16 4

Losers 7 7 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♠ by South

Board 130

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 7 2
♥ J 8 5
♦ K J 3
♣ A 9 6 4

♠ Q
♥ K Q T 9 6
♦ Q 9 7 6 2
♣ 8 3



♠ J 9 8 6 5 3
♥ 7 4 3
♦ 8
♣ K Q T

♠ A K 4
♥ A 2
♦ A T 5 4
♣ J 7 5 2

Shape 1552 6313 3244 3334

HCP 9 6 16 9

Losers 6 8 7 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|-----|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 2 ♠ | 2NT |
|------|------------------|-----|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 3 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 131

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 7
♥ J T
♦ 8 4 2
♣ K T 7 5 4

♠ 9 6 5 4 2

♥ A 9 7 5 4

♦ T 5

♣ A



♠ K J 8 3
♥ Q 8 6 3 2
♦ K 7
♣ J 9

♠ A

♥ K

♦ A Q J 9 6 3

♣ Q 8 6 3 2

Shape 5521 4522 1165 3235

HCP 8 10 16 6

Losers 7 7 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 132

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 6
♥ T 8
♦ A 8 7 5 3
♣ J T 7 4

♠ Q J T 9 8

♥ 5 2

♦ K J T 9 4

♣ A

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 5 3
♥ J 9 4
♦ Q 6 2
♣ Q 9 8 6

♠ A 4 2

♥ A K Q 7 6 3

♦ -

♣ K 5 3 2

Shape 5251 3334 3604 2254

HCP 11 8 16 5

Losers 6 9 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by North

Board 133

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q T 7 3
♥ 8 4 3 2
♦ -
♣ 9 8 7 5 4

♠ A J 5 4 2
♥ A Q T 9 6
♦ 8 4 2
♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9
♥ 7
♦ A 9 7 6 5 3
♣ A J T 6 3

♠ K 8 6
♥ K J 5
♦ K Q J T
♣ K Q 2

Shape 5530 1165 3343 4405

HCP 11 9 18 2

Losers 6 6 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|----------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | 2NT ³ | 1♣ ¹ |
| 5♣ | Pass | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | Dbl |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Unusual 2NT

5♣X by West

Board 134

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 6 4 3
 ♥ J T 9 8 7
 ♦ A 4
 ♣ 8 6

♠ 5

♥ 4 3

♦ Q J T 6 5

♣ A K Q 7 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J 9 2

♥ 5

♦ 9 7 2

♣ J T 9 4 3

♠ K Q T 7

♥ A K Q 6 2

♦ K 8 3

♣ 5

Shape 1255 4135 4531 4522

HCP 12 6 17 5

Losers 5 9 4 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5 ♦ by North

Board 135

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 7
♥ 5 4 3 2
♦ 3
♣ J T 7 5 4

♠ T 9 6 5 3

♥ Q T 9

♦ A Q J 4 2

♣ -



♠ A J 8 4
♥ J 7
♦ K T 8 6
♣ 6 3 2

♠ 2

♥ A K 8 6

♦ 9 7 5

♣ A K Q 9 8

Shape 5350 4243 1435 3415

HCP 9 9 16 6

Losers 6 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 136

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 9 7
♥ 8 6
♦ A J T 9 5 4 3
♣ T 4

♠ K
♥ Q J T 9 3
♦ 6
♣ Q 9 8 6 3 2

N
W E
S

♠ Q J T 8 6 4 3
♥ -
♦ Q 8 7 2
♣ K 7

♠ A 5 2
♥ A K 7 5 4 2
♦ K
♣ A J 5

Shape 1516 7042 3613 2272
HCP 8 8 19 5
Losers 6 5 6 8

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 3♦ | 3♥ | 5♦ | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 5♥ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 5♥ by North | | | |

Board 137

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 5
 ♥ Q 8 7 2
 ♦ Q 6 2
 ♣ J 9 4 2

♠ Q 9 8 7 6

♥ A T 6 5 4

♦ A

♣ Q 6



♠ T 2

♥ J

♦ T 9 8 7 5 4 3

♣ K 8 3

♠ A K 4 3

♥ K 9 3

♦ K J

♣ A T 7 5

Shape 5512 2173 4324 2434

HCP 12 4 18 6

Losers 6 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Board 138

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 5 3
♥ T 2
♦ Q T 9 6 4
♣ A T 9

♠ A Q J 7 2

♥ J 9 8 7 4 3

♦ -

♣ Q 6



♠ K T
♥ K Q 6 5
♦ 8 7 5 2
♣ 8 3 2

♠ 8 6 4

♥ A

♦ A K J 3

♣ K J 7 5 4

Shape 5602 2443 3145 3253

HCP 10 8 16 6

Losers 6 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 139

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 6
 ♥ 7 4 3
 ♦ Q J 8 5 3
 ♣ 7 3 2

♠ 4

♥ 9 2

♦ K T 6 4 2

♣ A K 9 8 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A K 9 5 3

♥ J T 8 6

♦ 7

♣ Q J T

♠ Q J 8 7 2

♥ A K Q 5

♦ A 9

♣ 6 5

Shape 1255 5413 5422 2353

HCP 10 11 16 3

Losers 6 7 5 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 140

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7
♥ Q J 4 3
♦ J T 8
♣ K T 6 4 3

♠ Q T 6 3 2
♥ A T 8 7 5 2
♦ -
♣ Q 8



♠ K J 9 8 5 4
♥ K
♦ Q 7 3 2
♣ 7 5

♠ A
♥ 9 6
♦ A K 9 6 5 4
♣ A J 9 2

Shape 5602 6142 1264 1435

HCP 8 9 16 7

Losers 6 7 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 141

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 4 3

♥ Q 8 2

♦ 8 5

♣ 9 5 4 2

♠ A Q J 7 6

♥ K 4

♦ 9 7 6 4 3

♣ 7



♠ 5

♥ T 7 6

♦ A Q J T

♣ A J T 8 6

♠ K T 2

♥ A J 9 5 3

♦ K 2

♣ K Q 3

Shape 5251 1345 3523 4324

HCP 10 12 16 2

Losers 6 7 6 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹Pass 1 ♥² Pass 2 ♥

Pass 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♣ Dbl 4 ♦

Pass 4NT Pass 5 ♥³

Pass 5 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

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

5 ♠ by North

Board 142

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 8 7 6 4
♥ Q J T 8 6 5
♦ J
♣ -

♠ K 5

♥ -

♦ Q 9 7 6 5

♣ K 9 8 6 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 2

♥ A 7 3

♦ T 8 4 3

♣ J 7 5

♠ 9 3

♥ K 9 4 2

♦ A K 2

♣ A Q T 4

Shape 2056 3343 2434 6610

HCP 8 11 16 5

Losers 5 9 6 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|--|--|
| Pass | 2NT | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 143

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J T
 ♥ 7 6 5 4 3 2
 ♦ 7 4
 ♣ A 3

♠ K Q 8 5 2

♥ 9

♦ Q J 9 8 3

♣ 7 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 3

♥ J T 8

♦ A T 5

♣ T 9 8 4 2

♠ 7 6 4

♥ A K Q

♦ K 6 2

♣ K Q J 5

Shape 5152 2335 3334 3622

HCP 8 5 18 9

Losers 6 10 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

Pass

All Pass

1 ♠

3 ♥

4 ♠

Pass

Pass

1 ♣¹2 ♥²

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

Board 144

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 7 2

♥ Q T 4 2

♦ T 5 3

♣ J 4

♠ J 6 3

♥ K J 9 6 3

♦ A Q J 8 6

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 8

♥ 8

♦ 7 2

♣ Q T 9 7 6 5 3 2

♠ A 9 5 4

♥ A 7 5

♦ K 9 4

♣ A K 8

Shape 3550 2128 4333 4432

HCP 12 5 18 5

Losers 6 6 7 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

4♣

1♣¹

4NT

Pass

5♥²

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

5♥ by North

Board 145

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 3
 ♥ Q 7 4 3
 ♦ 3
 ♣ 7 5 4 3 2

♠ K Q 6 4 2
 ♥ A
 ♦ Q J 9 8 5 4
 ♣ T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 5
 ♥ J T 2
 ♦ T 6
 ♣ A K J 8 6

♠ A 7
 ♥ K 9 8 6 5
 ♦ A K 7 2
 ♣ Q 9

Shape 5161 3325 2542 3415

HCP 12 9 16 3

Losers 4 9 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by North

Board 146

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K Q 8

♥ J 9 7

♦ 7 6 4

♣ J T 6

♠ 4 3

♥ A Q 8 4 2

♦ Q J 8 5 3

♣ 4



♠ T 9 6 2

♥ 6 5 3

♦ T 9

♣ K 8 7 2

♠ J 7 5

♥ K T

♦ A K 2

♣ A Q 9 5 3

Shape 2551 4324 3235 4333

HCP 9 3 17 11

Losers 6 10 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹Pass 1 ♥² Pass 1NT

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♦ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 147

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8 7

♥ 6 5

♦ J 6 5 4

♣ Q 7 5

♠ A Q J 4 3

♥ Q 9 4 3 2

♦ 3

♣ T 9



♠ 6 5

♥ A J 8

♦ T 8 7

♣ A J 6 4 3

♠ K 2

♥ K T 7

♦ A K Q 9 2

♣ K 8 2

Shape 5512 2335 2353 4243

HCP 9 10 18 3

Losers 6 9 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 148

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ K J 7 5 4
♥ K Q 8 6
♦ Q J 3
♣ 5

♠ A 8 3
♥ J 9 5 4 2
♦ -
♣ K T 8 4 2



♠ Q T 2
♥ A
♦ A K 5 4 2
♣ Q J 6 3

♠ 9 6
♥ T 7 3
♦ T 9 8 7 6
♣ A 9 7

Shape 3505 2353 3154 5431
HCP 8 4 16 12
Losers 7 10 5 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♠ | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♦ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by North

Board 149

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ K Q 6 3 2
♥ Q 5 3 2
♦ 6
♣ A 9 5

♠ J 9 8 7 5
♥ K
♦ J
♣ K 8 7 6 4 3



♠ T 4
♥ T 7 6 4
♦ A 9 3 2
♣ J T 2

♠ A
♥ A J 9 8
♦ K Q T 8 7 5 4
♣ Q

Shape 5116 2443 1471 5413
HCP 8 5 16 11
Losers 7 10 4 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♠ | Pass | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Dbl | Rdbl | 2 ♥ | 3 ♦ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 3 ♦ by South | | | |

Board 150

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 7 6 5 4

♥ K T 7 5

♦ J 7

♣ J

♠ J 2

♥ A Q J 9 6

♦ Q T 9 6 3

♣ 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 3

♥ 8 4 3

♦ A 8 5 4

♣ 7 6 4 2

♠ K Q 9

♥ 2

♦ K 2

♣ A K Q T 9 8 3

Shape 2551 2344 3127 6421

HCP 10 8 17 5

Losers 6 9 3 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♣

All Pass

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 151

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ 8 5

♦ 9 8 2

♣ T 9 5

♠ -

♥ Q 4

♦ K J T 7 6

♣ K J 8 6 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 9 6 2

♥ 9 6

♦ Q 5 4

♣ Q 7 2

♠ A 4 3

♥ A K J T 7 3 2

♦ A 3

♣ A

Shape 0256 5233 3721 5233

HCP 10 5 20 5

Losers 6 9 4 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by North

Board 152

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 7 2
♥ Q T
♦ 9 5 4
♣ T 9 7 6 2

♠ K J T 9 5
♥ K 9 7 6 5 4 2
♦ Q
♣ -



♠ Q 8 4
♥ 3
♦ J 7 2
♣ K Q J 8 5 4

♠ 6 3
♥ A J 8
♦ A K T 8 6 3
♣ A 3

Shape 5710 3136 2362 3235

HCP 9 9 16 6

Losers 5 7 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|------|-----------------|------|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | Pass | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 4♥ | | 2♦ |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♥ by North

Board 153

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 7
♥ K J 3
♦ 8 6 5 3
♣ K 8 2

♠ A 6 5 3 2

♥ T 8 2

♦ -

♣ A J T 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K J

♥ 9 7 6 4

♦ Q J T 9 7

♣ 6 5

♠ Q 8 4

♥ A Q 5

♦ A K 4 2

♣ Q 9 7

Shape 5305 2452 3343 3343

HCP 9 7 17 7

Losers 7 8 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 154

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 3 2
 ♥ 9
 ♦ K 2
 ♣ A T 8 7 6 3

♠ 7

♥ A K J T 5 4

♦ T 9 7 6 5

♣ 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q J T
 ♥ Q 6 3
 ♦ J 8 4 3
 ♣ 4 2

♠ A 6 5 4

♥ 8 7 2

♦ A Q

♣ K Q J 9

Shape 1651 4342 4324 4126

HCP 8 9 16 7

Losers 6 8 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

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

6♥ by North

Board 155

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J T 8 7

♥ A 4 3

♦ 9 8 7

♣ T 3

♠ 5

♥ 9 2

♦ K Q 6 4 2

♣ K 8 6 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 4

♥ T 8 7 6

♦ J T 5 3

♣ A Q J 9

♠ A Q 9 6 3 2

♥ K Q J 5

♦ A

♣ 7 2

Shape 1255 1444 6412 5332

HCP 8 8 16 8

Losers 6 8 4 9

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♠²

3NT

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2NT

3NT by South

Board 156

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 4
 ♥ T 8 4
 ♦ J 9 8
 ♣ K 9 6 5 3

♠ A 9 7 3 2

♥ A

♦ A K

♣ J T 7 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 5
 ♥ J 7 6 3 2
 ♦ 6 5 4 2
 ♣ 8

♠ K 8 6

♥ K Q 9 5

♦ Q T 7 3

♣ A Q

Shape 5125 3541 3442 2335

HCP 16 3 16 5

Losers 5 9 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6NT by North

Board 157

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 5 3

♥ 5 2

♦ J T 6 5 2

♣ 7 4

♠ -

♥ A J T 8 7

♦ K 9 8

♣ K T 6 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 9 6 4

♥ 9 3

♦ Q 7

♣ A Q 9 3

♠ A Q 8 2

♥ K Q 6 4

♦ A 4 3

♣ J 8

Shape 0535 5224 4432 4252

HCP 11 9 16 4

Losers 6 8 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2♦

Pass

3♥³

Pass

5♠

Pass

6♦⁴

Pass

6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. 2 out of 4

6♥ by North

Board 158
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ K 9
 ♥ K 9 6 2
 ♦ A 9 8 3
 ♣ J T 8

♠ Q J 8 7 4
 ♥ T
 ♦ T 6
 ♣ A Q 9 6 5



♠ A T 3
 ♥ A Q 8 4
 ♦ K Q J 7 2
 ♣ 2

♠ 6 5 2
 ♥ J 7 5 3
 ♦ 5 4
 ♣ K 7 4 3

Shape 5125 3424 3451 2443
 HCP 9 4 16 11
 Losers 6 10 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 159

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 5
 ♥ 9 8 7 6 4
 ♦ 4 3
 ♣ J 8 7 4

♠ K Q J 8 3

♥ 3

♦ A J T 9 2

♣ 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 4 2
 ♥ Q J T
 ♦ Q 8 7 5
 ♣ 9 6 2

♠ 9 7 6

♥ A K 5 2

♦ K 6

♣ A K Q T

Shape 5152 3343 3424 2524

HCP 11 9 19 1

Losers 6 9 5 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

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

6 ♠ by South

Board 160

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 7
♥ A T 8 7 5 3
♦ 9 8
♣ T 7

♠ T 3
♥ K J 9 6 2
♦ Q
♣ A Q 8 5 2



♠ 9 2
♥ 4
♦ J T 7 6 5 4
♣ K 9 6 3

♠ K Q J 6 5 4
♥ Q
♦ A K 3 2
♣ J 4

Shape 2515 2164 6142 3622

HCP 12 4 16 8

Losers 6 8 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by South

Board 161

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 3
♥ Q 9 8 7 3
♦ 9 6 2
♣ J 9 7

♠ T 9 8 5 2
♥ 5
♦ A Q T 5 3
♣ Q 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 6 4
♥ J T 6 4
♦ K J 4
♣ K T 4

♠ A Q J
♥ A K 2
♦ 8 7
♣ A 8 6 5 2

Shape 5152 3433 3325 2533

HCP 8 11 18 3

Losers 7 9 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 162

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T 2

♥ A K T 4 3 2

♦ T 9 5

♣ 7

♠ A 9 8 6 4

♥ -

♦ A Q J 8 4

♣ T 9 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ -

♥ J 9 8 5

♦ 7 6 3 2

♣ J 8 6 5 3

♠ K Q 7 5 3

♥ Q 7 6

♦ K

♣ A K Q 4

Shape 5053 0445 5314 3631

HCP 11 2 19 8

Losers 6 9 4 8

West

EPBot

2 ♥

Pass

Pass

All Pass

North

EPBot

Dbl

5 ♥²

6 ♠

East

EPBot

4 ♥

Dbl

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

4 ♠

5 ♠³

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 2 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 163

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A T 6 5

♥ K 7 3

♦ 7 5 3

♣ 9 8 6

♠ Q J 7 4 3

♥ 2

♦ A Q T 9 8

♣ K 2



♠ K 9 8 2

♥ J T 8 5 4

♦ 6

♣ 5 4 3

♠ -

♥ A Q 9 6

♦ K J 4 2

♣ A Q J T 7

Shape 5152 4513 0445 4333

HCP 12 4 17 7

Losers 5 9 4 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !D queen and !C king

7 ♦ by North

Board 164

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ Q 8 6 4
♦ Q J 5 3
♣ K 7 2

♠ K 9 7 5 3

♥ A T 5 3 2

♦ K T

♣ 9



♠ A J T 6 2

♥ 9

♦ 9 7 2

♣ J T 8 6

♠ Q

♥ K J 7

♦ A 8 6 4

♣ A Q 5 4 3

Shape 5521 5134 1345 2443

HCP 10 6 16 8

Losers 6 9 6 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 165

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q T 8 4 3

♥ 8

♦ 7 6 4

♣ T 7 5

♠ -

♥ Q T 5 3 2

♦ K J 9 8 5

♣ Q 9 6

W N E S

♠ K J 7 5 2

♥ 7 6

♦ A Q T 2

♣ 4 2

♠ 9 6

♥ A K J 9 4

♦ 3

♣ A K J 8 3

Shape 0553 5242 2515 6133

HCP 8 10 16 6

Losers 6 7 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

Dbl

4 ♠

1 ♣¹

5 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

5 ♥ by South

Board 166

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9
♥ J 9
♦ K 9 8 7 5 3
♣ Q T 9 3

♠ Q T 7 4 2
♥ K Q 5 3 2
♦ 6
♣ J 4



♠ J 5 3
♥ T 7 4
♦ Q J 2
♣ A 6 5 2

♠ A K 8 6
♥ A 8 6
♦ A T 4
♣ K 8 7

Shape 5512 3334 4333 1264

HCP 8 8 18 6

Losers 6 10 7 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 167

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 5
♥ J 8 5
♦ T 5 4 2
♣ Q 9 8 2

♠ A K J 9 8

♥ 4

♦ K J 7 6 3

♣ J 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 7 4 3 2

♥ Q 7 2

♦ 9

♣ A T 3

♠ -

♥ A K T 9 6 3

♦ A Q 8

♣ K 6 5 4

Shape 5152 6313 0634 2344

HCP 13 8 16 3

Losers 6 7 4 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by North

Board 168

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 3
 ♥ 6 5
 ♦ T 9 3
 ♣ A Q T 7 6 5

♠ A Q J T 9 4 2

♥ A K T 7 2

♦ J

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 5
 ♥ 9 8 4
 ♦ Q 8 2
 ♣ J 9 8 4 2

♠ K 6

♥ Q J 3

♦ A K 7 6 5 4

♣ K 3

Shape 7510 2335 2362 2236

HCP 15 3 16 6

Losers 3 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6NT by South

Board 169

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K J 3

♥ T 3 2

♦ 2

♣ J T 8 5 4 3

♠ A 9

♥ 9 8 7 6 4

♦ A J T 9 3

♣ 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 5 2

♥ Q 5

♦ Q 7 6 5 4

♣ A Q 7

♠ Q 8 7 6 4

♥ A K J

♦ K 8

♣ K 9 6

Shape 2551 3253 5323 3316

HCP 9 10 16 5

Losers 7 8 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 170

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 5
♥ K Q T 4 3
♦ K 8 6
♣ J 6 4

♠ K 6 3

♥ -

♦ J 9 7 3 2

♣ A Q 5 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 8 4
♥ J 9 8 5 2
♦ Q
♣ T 9 8

♠ A Q 9 2

♥ A 7 6

♦ A T 5 4

♣ K 7

Shape 3055 4513 4342 2533

HCP 10 4 17 9

Losers 6 10 6 8

West

EPBot

1 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3 ♥ by West

North

*EPBot*2 ♥²

East

EPBot

3 ♥

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Board 171

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 7
♥ 9 7 3
♦ J T 7 6 5 3 2
♣ -

♠ -

♥ A Q J 8 5 4 2

♦ 8

♣ J 9 8 4 2

W N E S

♠ T 9 6 5 2
♥ 6
♦ A K Q 4
♣ Q 5 3

♠ A K 8 4 3

♥ K T

♦ 9

♣ A K T 7 6

Shape 0715 5143 5215 3370

HCP 8 11 17 4

Losers 5 6 4 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

3 ♦

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♥

6 ♥

5 ♦

1 ♣¹

Dbl

6 ♥ by North

Board 172

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 5 2
♥ 4 2
♦ A K J T 5 3
♣ J 2

♠ A K J 4 3

♥ T 5

♦ 9

♣ 9 8 7 5 3



♠ T 9 8 6

♥ J 9 3

♦ Q 8 2

♣ A T 4

♠ Q

♥ A K Q 8 7 6

♦ 7 6 4

♣ K Q 6

Shape 5215 4333 1633 3262

HCP 8 7 16 9

Losers 7 10 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♦ 2 ♠ Pass 3 ♥

Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by South

Board 173

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6
 ♥ K
 ♦ J 6 4 2
 ♣ J T 9 7 6 4 3

♠ A K 8 5 2

♥ Q J T 9 8 7

♦ K T

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 7 3

♥ 4 3 2

♦ Q 7 5

♣ 8 5 2

♠ J 9 4

♥ A 6 5

♦ A 9 8 3

♣ A K Q

Shape 5620 4333 3343 1147

HCP 13 4 18 5

Losers 4 10 7 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 5 ♣ ² | Pass | 5 ♠ ³ |
| Pass | 6 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 174

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 4 3
 ♥ A T 6 2
 ♦ A 9 8 5
 ♣ Q 8

♠ K Q 9 7 6

♥ K J 4

♦ -

♣ K J 9 7 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T
 ♥ 9 8 7 5
 ♦ J 7 4 3 2
 ♣ T 6 2

♠ A J 5 2

♥ Q 3

♦ K Q T 6

♣ A 4 3

Shape 5305 1453 4243 3442

HCP 13 1 16 10

Losers 5 10 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 2 out of 4

6♠ by North

Board 175

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 4
♥ A T 8 5
♦ 9 7
♣ 9 7 4 2

♠ K 7
♥ K 9 7 6 4
♦ Q J T 8 5
♣ 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q T 9 2
♥ -
♦ 6 4 2
♣ J T 8 5 3

♠ 6 5 3
♥ Q J 3 2
♦ A K 3
♣ A K Q

Shape 2551 5035 3433 3424

HCP 9 7 19 5

Losers 6 7 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 176
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ 8 7
♥ J T 6 4 2
♦ T 9 8 7 4
♣ 5

♠ A K Q T 6
♥ 9 5
♦ -
♣ K T 8 7 6 2



♠ 5 4 3 2
♥ K Q 8
♦ 6 3
♣ Q J 9 4

♠ J 9
♥ A 7 3
♦ A K Q J 5 2
♣ A 3

Shape 5206 4324 2362 2551
HCP 12 8 19 1
Losers 4 8 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass | 3 ♦ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 6NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 6NT by North | | | |

Board 177
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 8 5 4
 ♥ T 7 2
 ♦ K J 2
 ♣ A J T 8

♠ A Q T 3 2
 ♥ -
 ♦ Q 8 4
 ♣ K Q 7 6 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ -
 ♥ Q 9 8 5 4 3
 ♦ T 9 5
 ♣ 9 4 3 2

♠ K J 9 7 6
 ♥ A K J 6
 ♦ A 7 6 3
 ♣ -

Shape 5035 0634 5440 3334
 HCP 13 2 16 9
 Losers 4 8 5 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 5 ♥ ² | Pass | 6 ♣ ³ |
| Pass | 6 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

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

6 ♠ by North

Board 178

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 6
♥ K T 3
♦ A Q 9 5 2
♣ 9 6 3

♠ 7
♥ Q 5
♦ K J T 8 4
♣ Q T 7 5 2

W N
S E

♠ K T 9 5 2
♥ A 9 8 6 4 2
♦ 6
♣ 8

♠ A Q J 4 3
♥ J 7
♦ 7 3
♣ A K J 4

Shape 1255 5611 5224 2353

HCP 8 7 16 9

Losers 7 6 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♣¹

1 ♦ Pass 1 ♥ 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♣ by South

Board 179

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ -
♥ 3 2
♦ A J 7 5 4 3
♣ J T 8 5 3

♠ K 7 5 4 2

♥ A T 8 5 4

♦ T

♣ K Q

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J 9

♥ K J 9 7 6

♦ K 6 2

♣ A 4

Shape 5512 5134 3532 0265

HCP 12 6 16 6

Losers 6 8 7 7

♠ Q T 8 6 3
♥ Q
♦ Q 9 8
♣ 9 7 6 2

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2♦

3♦

Pass

3♥

Pass

4NT

Pass

5♣²

Pass

6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♥ by South

Board 180

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 2
♥ J T 7 6
♦ 7 6 5 3
♣ 9 7

♠ A Q 7 6 4

♥ 4

♦ T

♣ A 8 6 5 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K J 8 3

♥ Q 3 2

♦ K 9 8 4 2

♣ K

♠ 5

♥ A K 9 8 5

♦ A Q J

♣ Q J T 3

Shape 5116 4351 1534 3442

HCP 10 12 17 1

Losers 5 7 5 11

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 181

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 5 4 2

♥ Q 9

♦ A 7 6

♣ 7 4 3 2

♠ K

♥ 4

♦ Q J 8 5 2

♣ A Q J 9 8 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 8 7

♥ J 6 5 3 2

♦ T 9 4

♣ 5

♠ A T 6 3

♥ A K T 8 7

♦ K 3

♣ K T

Shape 1156 4531 4522 4234

HCP 13 2 17 8

Losers 5 10 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♣ | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 4 ♣ | Pass | 4NT |
| Pass | 5 ♦ ² | Pass | 5 ♥ |
| Pass | 5 ♠ ³ | Pass | 6 ♣ |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !C queen and !S king

6 ♣ by South

Board 182

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 7 2
 ♥ 7 4
 ♦ Q 8 7 2
 ♣ K J 9 8

♠ K Q 5 4 3

♥ 8 3 2

♦ A 9 6 4 3

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8
 ♥ K J T 9 6 5
 ♦ T
 ♣ 7 6 5 4 3

♠ J T 9 6

♥ A Q

♦ K J 5

♣ A Q T 2

Shape 5350 1615 4234 3244

HCP 9 4 17 10

Losers 6 7 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. 1 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 183
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ T 9 8
 ♥ K T 9 6
 ♦ 8 7 5 4 2
 ♣ 6

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

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 7 5 2
 ♥ A 7
 ♦ Q J T 6
 ♣ A Q J

♠ 3
 ♥ 8 5
 ♦ A K 9 3
 ♣ K T 7 5 4 3

Shape 5503 1246 4243 3451
 HCP 11 10 16 3
 Losers 6 6 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Super acceptance after NT
4. 2 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 184

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K Q 8 7 5

♥ J T

♦ T 9 7 6

♣ K 2

♠ A T 6 4 2

♥ A Q 8 5 3

♦ -

♣ J 7 3



♠ 3

♥ 7 4

♦ K J 8 4 3 2

♣ T 8 6 5

♠ J 9

♥ K 9 6 2

♦ A Q 5

♣ A Q 9 4

Shape 5503 1264 2434 5242

HCP 11 4 16 9

Losers 6 8 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♥

1 ♣¹

2 ♥ by North

Board 185

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 9 7 3 2

♥ Q J 4 3

♦ Q T 5

♣ 7

♠ J

♥ -

♦ J 8 7 6 4

♣ A Q J 9 8 6 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 8 4

♥ 9 8 6 2

♦ 9 3

♣ K T 4 2

♠ A Q 6 5

♥ A K T 7 5

♦ A K 2

♣ 5

Shape 1057 3424 4531 5431

HCP 9 3 20 8

Losers 5 10 4 7

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♣ by South

North

*EPBot*2 ♠²

4 ♣

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

3 ♥

Board 186

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 4 2

♥ T 3 2

♦ K 4 3

♣ J 8 4

♠ 8

♥ A Q J 8 6 4

♦ 5

♣ A Q T 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 6 5

♥ 7 5

♦ Q J T 9 6 2

♣ 7 5

♠ A Q J T 3

♥ K 9

♦ A 8 7

♣ K 9 3

Shape 1615 3262 5233 4333

HCP 13 3 17 7

Losers 4 9 6 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=0

6 ♥ by North

Board 187
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ K 5 3 2
 ♥ 9 3 2
 ♦ 9 6 5 4
 ♣ T 8

♠ A T 9 8 6
 ♥ T 5
 ♦ K
 ♣ Q J 7 4 2



♠ Q 7 4
 ♥ 8 6
 ♦ J T 7 3 2
 ♣ 9 6 3

♠ J
 ♥ A K Q J 7 4
 ♦ A Q 8
 ♣ A K 5

Shape 5215 3253 1633 4342
 HCP 10 3 24 3
 Losers 7 10 3 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6NT by South

Board 188

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J 8 6 4 2

♥ A Q

♦ 9 8

♣ 8 7 2

♠ A 7

♥ T 9 7 5 2

♦ 7

♣ A J 9 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 9 5 3

♥ 3

♦ Q J T 6 5 2

♣ T 3

♠ T

♥ K J 8 6 4

♦ A K 4 3

♣ K Q 5

Shape 2515 4162 1543 6223

HCP 9 5 16 10

Losers 7 7 5 8

West

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ X by West

North

EPBot

Dbl

Dbl

East

EPBot

4 ♠

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

Board 189

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 6 5
♥ A 4 3
♦ T 7
♣ T 8 7 3 2

♠ A T

♥ K Q J T 7 6

♦ K Q 8 6 5

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K J 8 7 4 3 2

♥ 8 2

♦ J 4

♣ 9 4

♠ Q

♥ 9 5

♦ A 9 3 2

♣ A K Q J 6 5

Shape 2650 7222 1246 3325

HCP 15 5 16 4

Losers 3 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♥ by North

Board 190

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 9 8 6 5 4
♥ 7
♦ 8 5
♣ A K Q T 8

♠ K J
♥ A Q J T 9
♦ T 7 6 4 3
♣ 2



♠ T 7 2
♥ 6 4 3
♦ K 9
♣ J 9 7 6 4

♠ A Q 3
♥ K 8 5 2
♦ A Q J 2
♣ 5 3

Shape 2551 3325 3442 5125
HCP 11 4 16 9
Losers 6 10 6 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♥ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♥ by North | | | |

Board 191

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ A 9 5 4 3 2
♥ 9 6 5 2
♦ J 4
♣ 9

♠ -
♥ K T 7 4 3
♦ A T 6 5 2
♣ J 7 2



♠ K Q 8 6
♥ A Q 8
♦ K Q
♣ T 6 4 3

♠ J T 7
♥ J
♦ 9 8 7 3
♣ A K Q 8 5

Shape 0553 3145 4324 6421
HCP 8 11 16 5
Losers 7 7 6 8

| | | | |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♠ | Dbl | 4 ♠ | Dbl |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ X by West | | | |

Board 192

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 4 3
♥ 7 2
♦ T 9 7
♣ T 8 7 6 2

♠ 9
♥ A Q 8 4 3
♦ Q 8 5 4 3
♣ 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6 5 2
♥ J T 9 5
♦ J
♣ A Q J 9

♠ A Q J T 8
♥ K 6
♦ A K 6 2
♣ K 3

Shape 1552 4414 5242 3235

HCP 8 9 20 3

Losers 6 8 4 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 193

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4 2
♥ A Q 9 7 6 3
♦ Q 3
♣ 7 3 2

♠ Q 9

♥ K

♦ T 9 7 4 2

♣ A K J 5 4

N
W E
S

♠ A K J 5 3

♥ J T 8

♦ A K 6

♣ T 8

♠ T 8 7 6

♥ 5 4 2

♦ J 8 5

♣ Q 9 6

Shape 2155 4333 5332 2623

HCP 13 3 16 8

Losers 7 11 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3♠ by North

1♣¹

3♠²

Board 194

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 5
♥ J 7 3 2
♦ 7 6 3 2
♣ J T 6

♠ K J T 8 4

♥ K

♦ T 9

♣ Q 7 5 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 6 2
♥ Q T 8 6 5
♦ J
♣ A K 8 3

♠ A 9 3

♥ A 9 4

♦ A K Q 8 5 4

♣ 9

Shape 5125 3514 3361 2443

HCP 9 12 17 2

Losers 7 6 5 11

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 195

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 3 2
 ♥ Q J 8 5 4
 ♦ 9 8 7
 ♣ 3

♠ K J 7 6 5

♥ 2

♦ A T 6 5 4 2

♣ 8

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8

♥ K T 7 6 3

♦ K

♣ K J T 5 4 2

♠ A Q 4

♥ A 9

♦ Q J 3

♣ A Q 9 7 6

Shape 5161 1516 3235 4531

HCP 8 10 19 3

Losers 6 6 5 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Board 196

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 6 2

♥ J 9 3 2

♦ J 4 3

♣ 8 5 3

♠ 5

♥ A K T 6 5

♦ 6 5

♣ Q T 9 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A T 9 8 7 4

♥ 4

♦ T 9 8 2

♣ A J

♠ K J 3

♥ Q 8 7

♦ A K Q 7

♣ K 7 4

Shape 1525 6142 3343 3433

HCP 9 9 18 4

Losers 6 7 6 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

2 ♠

1 ♣¹

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 197

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 4
♥ K 2
♦ 5 4 2
♣ A Q 9 7 2

♠ A K J T 8

♥ Q J 7 4 3

♦ 7 3

♣ 4



♠ 7 6 2

♥ T 8 6 5

♦ Q J 8 6

♣ 6 3

♠ Q 3

♥ A 9

♦ A K T 9

♣ K J T 8 5

Shape 5521 3442 2245 3235

HCP 11 3 17 9

Losers 6 10 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 198

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 4
 ♥ 6 5 2
 ♦ K 8 3
 ♣ Q 9 7 4 3

♠ Q J 9 6 3

♥ A Q T 9 4

♦ T 4

♣ T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8
 ♥ 8 7 3
 ♦ Q J 9 5 2
 ♣ J 6 5 2

♠ K T 7 5 2

♥ K J

♦ A 7 6

♣ A K 8

Shape 5521 1354 5233 2335

HCP 9 4 18 9

Losers 6 9 6 8

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Board 199

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 6
 ♥ T 7 5
 ♦ Q T 8 6
 ♣ Q J 4

♠ 3
 ♥ A 3
 ♦ K J 9 4 2
 ♣ A T 8 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 7 4 2
 ♥ J 8 4 2
 ♦ A 7
 ♣ 9 7 3

♠ A K Q T 5
 ♥ K Q 9 6
 ♦ 5 3
 ♣ K 5

Shape 1255 4423 5422 3343

HCP 12 5 17 6

Losers 6 10 4 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by North

Board 200

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 6 5
♥ T 8 4
♦ Q 7 6 5 4
♣ 6 2

♠ 8

♥ A Q J 7 6 5

♦ K

♣ A T 9 8 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 9 4 3

♥ 3 2

♦ T 9 3

♣ K J 3

♠ A K 7 2

♥ K 9

♦ A J 8 2

♣ Q 5 4

Shape 1615 5233 4243 3352

HCP 14 5 17 4

Losers 5 10 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 201

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 5 2
♥ 8 5
♦ A T 7 6 5 3
♣ 6 5

♠ T 4

♥ -

♦ K Q 9 8 2

♣ A J T 8 7 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 8 7 6 3
♥ K 9 7 6 4 2
♦ 4
♣ 2

♠ A Q 9

♥ A Q J T 3

♦ J

♣ K Q 9 3

Shape 2056 5611 3514 3262

HCP 10 6 19 5

Losers 5 6 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 202

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 9
♥ Q J T 5
♦ 6 5
♣ J 8 4 3

♠ -

♥ 8 7 2

♦ A Q 4 3 2

♣ Q T 9 7 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 7 6 5 4 3

♥ K 6 3

♦ K 9 8 7

♣ -

♠ K J 8 2

♥ A 9 4

♦ J T

♣ A K 6 5

Shape 0355 6340 4324 3424

HCP 8 6 16 10

Losers 6 7 7 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
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| | | | |
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| Pass | 2NT | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 203

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J T 5

♥ J 5 4

♦ 6 4 3

♣ A 9 8

♠ 8 3

♥ K

♦ A K T 7 2

♣ 7 6 4 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 7 6 4 2

♥ 8 7 6 3 2

♦ 9

♣ J T

♠ A 9

♥ A Q T 9

♦ Q J 8 5

♣ K Q 5

Shape 2155 5512 2443 4333

HCP 10 4 18 8

Losers 7 8 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

4 ♠³

Pass

5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

5 ♦ by South

Board 204

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J T 9 7

♥ T 7

♦ K 6

♣ T 8 7 6

♠ -

♥ A Q 8 5 4

♦ A Q J 8 7 5 3

♣ 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6 4 2

♥ 9 6 2

♦ T 9

♣ Q J 9 4 2

♠ K Q 8 5 3

♥ K J 3

♦ 4 2

♣ A K 3

Shape 0571 3325 5323 5224

HCP 13 3 16 8

Losers 3 10 6 8

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

EPBot

3 ♥

6 ♦

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

4 ♥

6 ♦ by North

Board 205

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 5

♥ 9 7 3

♦ J T 6 3

♣ 9 8 7 3

♠ K T 8 6 3 2

♥ -

♦ A Q 9 4 2

♣ K 5



♠ 9 7 4

♥ A T 5 2

♦ 8 5

♣ A J 6 2

♠ A Q

♥ K Q J 8 6 4

♦ K 7

♣ Q T 4

Shape 6052 3424 2623 2344

HCP 12 9 17 2

Losers 4 9 5 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

4 ♠

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

5 ♥²

Pass

4NT

All Pass

5 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

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

5 ♠ by North

Board 206
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 9 8 7 6 5
 ♥ Q 5
 ♦ Q 9 5 2
 ♣ Q J

♠ T 4 2
 ♥ K J T 4 2
 ♦ -
 ♣ A K 7 5 2



♠ -
 ♥ 9 7 6 3
 ♦ K 7 6 4
 ♣ T 9 8 6 4

♠ A K Q J 3
 ♥ A 8
 ♦ A J T 8 3
 ♣ 3

Shape 3505 0445 5251 5242
 HCP 11 3 19 7
 Losers 6 8 4 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Splinter
4. A=1/5 or 4/5

7 ♠ by South

Board 207

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 4 2
♥ 9 7 5 2
♦ A K 8 5 2
♣ -

♠ Q 3

♥ T

♦ J T 9 7 4

♣ K Q T 8 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J 6 5

♥ J 6 3

♦ 6

♣ J 9 7 4 2

♠ K T 9

♥ A K Q 8 4

♦ Q 3

♣ A 6 3

Shape 2155 4315 3523 4450

HCP 8 7 18 7

Losers 7 9 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
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| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
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| Pass | 3NT | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 208

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ 4
♥ A J T 8 7
♦ K J 4
♣ J 9 8 4

♠ J T 9 6 3
♥ Q 4
♦ T
♣ K Q T 7 5

♠ A 8 7 5 2
♥ 9 6 3 2
♦ 8 3
♣ 6 2

N
W E
S

♠ K Q
♥ K 5
♦ A Q 9 7 6 5 2
♣ A 3

Shape 5215 5422 2272 1534
HCP 8 4 18 10
Losers 7 9 4 8

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♦ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♦ by South | | | |

Board 209

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 9 8 2

♥ 9 5 4

♦ 8 4 2

♣ J 9

♠ K T 5 4 3

♥ K Q T 6 3

♦ 6

♣ 7 3



♠ 7

♥ J 8 7 2

♦ K Q 9 7

♣ A 6 5 4

♠ A 6

♥ A

♦ A J T 5 3

♣ K Q T 8 2

Shape 5512 1444 2155 5332

HCP 8 10 18 4

Losers 6 7 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♦

All Pass

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 210

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J T
♥ K T 9 8 6 2
♦ J 5 2
♣ 4 3

♠ Q 7 6 3 2

♥ 7 3

♦ 6

♣ A Q 9 8 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 9 5 4

♥ Q 5

♦ Q T 9 4 3

♣ T 7

♠ K 8

♥ A J 4

♦ A K 8 7

♣ K J 6 2

Shape 5215 4252 2344 2632

HCP 8 8 19 5

Losers 6 8 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♥

Dbl

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by South

Board 211

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 2
♥ J T 8 7
♦ J T 8 5 2
♣ 8 4

♠ A T 9 5 3

♥ 6

♦ A

♣ A K Q J T 9

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 6 4

♥ 9 5 4

♦ 9 6 4

♣ 7 6 5 3

♠ K Q J

♥ A K Q 3 2

♦ K Q 7 3

♣ 2

Shape 5116 3334 3541 2452

HCP 18 0 20 2

Losers 3 12 3 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♠ ² |
| Pass | 7 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

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

7 ♠ by North

Board 212

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 9 6 5 4 3
♥ 2
♦ -
♣ J 7 5 3 2

♠ K J
♥ K J 9 7 4
♦ K T 8 5 3
♣ K

♠ N
♥ W E
♦ S
♣

♠ A 7
♥ A T 5 3
♦ A Q 7
♣ Q 9 8 6

Shape 2551 2353 2434 7105
HCP 14 7 16 3
Losers 6 9 6 6

| | | | |
|-------|-------|-------|-----------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| EPBot | EPBot | EPBot | EPBot |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |

3♠
All Pass
1. 16+ HCP

3♠ by West

Board 213

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A Q T 6 5

♥ A 7 2

♦ J

♣ A 8 6 5

♠ 4 3

♥ J

♦ A Q T 8 3

♣ Q T 9 7 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 7 2

♥ 9 8 3

♦ 9 5 4 2

♣ 4 2

♠ K J

♥ K Q T 6 5 4

♦ K 7 6

♣ K J

Shape 2155 4342 2632 5314

HCP 9 0 16 15

Losers 6 11 5 6

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♠²

Dbl

East

EPBot

3 ♠

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♠ X by West

Board 214

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 2
 ♥ 6 2
 ♦ T 8 6 3
 ♣ 9 7 6 3 2

♠ Q J T 7 4
 ♥ K Q 9 8 3
 ♦ 7 5
 ♣ 4



♠ K 8
 ♥ J T 7 4
 ♦ A Q 2
 ♣ K Q 8 5

♠ A 6 5 3
 ♥ A 5
 ♦ K J 9 4
 ♣ A J T

Shape 5521 2434 4243 2245

HCP 8 15 17 0

Losers 6 6 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♠ by South

Board 215

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ 8 5
♥ K Q J 8 4
♦ A J 8 7 6
♣ 6

♠ Q J T 6 2
♥ 5
♦ K 9
♣ A 9 8 5 4



♠ 9 4 3
♥ T 6 3
♦ 5 4 3
♣ K 7 3 2

♠ A K 7
♥ A 9 7 2
♦ Q T 2
♣ Q J T

Shape 5125 3334 3433 2551
HCP 10 3 16 11
Losers 6 11 7 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♣ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ by North | | | |

Board 216

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 8 6
♥ J T 8 6
♦ Q T 8
♣ 6 5 3

♠ K J 7 5 2

♥ 7 5

♦ A

♣ A T 9 7 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 3

♥ Q 9 2

♦ K 7 6 3 2

♣ Q J 8

♠ A Q 4

♥ A K 4 3

♦ J 9 5 4

♣ K 2

Shape 5215 2353 3442 3433

HCP 12 8 17 3

Losers 6 8 6 11

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♠ ² |
| Pass | 6 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♠ by North

Board 217

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9
 ♥ 8 7 3
 ♦ K T
 ♣ A Q 9 8 6 5 4

♠ Q J 7 6 4 2

♥ A K Q 9 4

♦ 4 2

♣ -



♠ T 8 3
 ♥ T 2
 ♦ Q 6 5 3
 ♣ J 7 3 2

♠ A K 5

♥ J 6 5

♦ A J 9 8 7

♣ K T

Shape 6520 3244 3352 1327

HCP 12 3 16 9

Losers 4 10 7 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 3 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Board 218

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6
 ♥ T 3 2
 ♦ Q T 9 7 5 4
 ♣ Q 9 6

♠ K Q J 9 4

♥ Q 4

♦ -

♣ K J 8 7 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 3 2

♥ J 5

♦ A K 8 6 3 2

♣ 3 2

♠ A T 7 5

♥ A K 9 8 7 6

♦ J

♣ A T

Shape 5206 3262 4612 1363

HCP 12 8 16 4

Losers 5 8 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 5 ♦ ² | Dbl | 5 ♠ ³ |
| Pass | 6 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 3 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Board 219

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 7 5
♥ 7 6
♦ 9 5
♣ A J T 8 4 3 2

♠ K J T 9 8 2
♥ 5
♦ K Q 8 7 3
♣ 9



♠ A 6 3
♥ A Q T 9 8 4
♦ T 2
♣ 7 6

♠ Q 4
♥ K J 3 2
♦ A J 6 4
♣ K Q 5

Shape 6151 3622 2443 2227
HCP 9 10 16 5
Losers 5 7 7 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |
| 3♣ | 3♠ | Pass | 3NT |
| Pass | 4♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4♠ by North | | | |

Board 220

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 8 6
 ♥ K 7
 ♦ J 9 6 3 2
 ♣ 9 8

♠ A K Q 7 5

♥ A J 9 5 4 3

♦ -

♣ 6 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 4 3 2

♥ 6 2

♦ 8 5

♣ A J 7 4 3

♠ -

♥ Q T 8

♦ A K Q T 7 4

♣ K Q T 2

Shape 5602 4225 0364 4252

HCP 14 6 16 4

Losers 4 9 3 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 0 out of 4

4. !H queen and !C king

6 ♥ by North

Board 221

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 8 5

♥ A 9

♦ J 8 6

♣ Q T 8 3

♠ -

♥ Q J 8 7 5

♦ A Q T 5 4 3

♣ 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6 4 3

♥ K 6 3 2

♦ K 7 2

♣ 9 7

♠ A K Q 9 2

♥ T 4

♦ 9

♣ A K J 5 2

Shape 0562 4432 5215 4234

HCP 9 6 17 8

Losers 5 9 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 222

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J T 8
♥ A J T 9 6 2
♦ 9 7
♣ 6

♠ K 7 4 3 2

♥ 8

♦ Q 3

♣ A 5 4 3 2

W N E S

♠ A 6

♥ K Q 7 5

♦ A K 8

♣ J T 9 8

♠ 9 5

♥ 4 3

♦ J T 6 5 4 2

♣ K Q 7

Shape 5125 2263 2434 4621

HCP 9 6 17 8

Losers 7 8 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♣¹

2 ♥

Dbl

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by South

Board 223

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K Q J T 9 8 7 3

♥ 5 4 3

♦ 9 7

♣ -

♠ A

♥ K 6

♦ Q T 8 6 5

♣ K J 7 4 2



♠ 6 4

♥ Q 7

♦ A K J 4 3

♣ A Q 9 5

Shape 1255 2614 2254 8320

HCP 13 5 16 6

Losers 5 8 6 6

♠ 5 2

♥ A J T 9 8 2

♦ 2

♣ T 8 6 3

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

4♠

4NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

1♣¹

4NT by North

Board 224

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 4
 ♥ K 9 8 5
 ♦ A 5
 ♣ T 9 8 6 3

♠ A J T 9 8 7

♥ J

♦ Q J 8 6 2

♣ 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6 3 2
 ♥ 7 6 3 2
 ♦ T 7 4 3
 ♣ K J

♠ K 5

♥ A Q T 4

♦ K 9

♣ A Q 7 5 2

Shape 6151 3442 2425 2425

HCP 9 4 18 9

Losers 6 10 4 8

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. Texas
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. no !S queen

6 ♠ by South

Board 225

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 4 3
♥ K 8 7 5 2
♦ J 8 6
♣ 6 2

♠ 9 8

♥ 4

♦ A 7 5 4 3

♣ A K 7 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T 6 5

♥ Q J 9 3

♦ Q T 2

♣ T 3

♠ A Q 7 2

♥ A T 6

♦ K 9

♣ Q J 9 8

Shape 2155 4432 4324 3532

HCP 11 8 16 5

Losers 6 8 6 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

4♠³

Pass

5♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

5♣ by South

Board 226

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 6
 ♥ Q T 8 7
 ♦ Q 8 3 2
 ♣ 7 4

♠ Q 9

♥ J

♦ K J 7 6 5

♣ A J 9 8 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 5 3

♥ A 6 5 3 2

♦ T

♣ K T 6 2

♠ A K T 4 2

♥ K 9 4

♦ A 9 4

♣ Q 3

Shape 2155 3514 5332 3442

HCP 12 7 16 5

Losers 7 8 7 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♦ by North

Board 227

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 4 3
 ♥ Q J T 9 8
 ♦ Q 5 4 3
 ♣ 5

♠ A T 9 7 6

♥ K 6

♦ T

♣ K J 8 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 5

♥ 7 5 4 2

♦ K 9 8 2

♣ Q 9 4 3

♠ Q J 8 2

♥ A 3

♦ A J 7 6

♣ A T 7

Shape 5215 1444 4243 3541

HCP 11 5 16 8

Losers 6 8 7 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

Pass

All Pass

1 ♠

4NT

5 ♠

3 ♥

Pass

1 ♣¹

4 ♠

5 ♣²

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

Board 228

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7 4 2

♥ 6

♦ K T

♣ J T 9 5 4 3

♠ J T 9 5 3

♥ Q J T 9 5

♦ A 6

♣ 2



♠ A 8 6

♥ 8 7

♦ Q 7 5 3

♣ K 8 7 6

♠ K

♥ A K 4 3 2

♦ J 9 8 4 2

♣ A Q

Shape 5521 3244 1552 4126

HCP 8 9 17 6

Losers 7 8 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 229

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ K T 8
♥ A 9 2
♦ K Q 5 4 3
♣ K 6

♠ Q 9
♥ J T 6 4 3
♦ -
♣ A J 9 8 5 4

N
W E
 S

♠ 6 2
♥ 8
♦ J T 9 8 7 6
♣ T 7 3 2

♠ A J 7 5 4 3
♥ K Q 7 5
♦ A 2
♣ Q

Shape 2506 2164 6421 3352
HCP 8 1 16 15
Losers 7 9 5 6

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1NT | 2 ♣ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 3 ♥ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

4 ♥ by North

Board 230

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ J 8 7 6 5 2
♥ 8
♦ A T 7 2
♣ A 2

♠ 4
♥ Q T 9 7 2
♦ Q 6
♣ K Q 9 7 3



♠ A T 3
♥ J 4
♦ 9 8 5 3
♣ J 8 5 4

♠ K Q 9
♥ A K 6 5 3
♦ K J 4
♣ T 6

Shape 1525 3244 3532 6142
HCP 9 6 16 9
Losers 6 10 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♥ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♥ by North | | | |

Board 231

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 7 2
♥ J 6 4
♦ A J 9 7 4
♣ T 2

♠ A K Q J T 5

♥ A Q 5 3 2

♦ T

♣ 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 4 3

♥ T 8 7

♦ Q 6 2

♣ 9 6 5 3

♠ 6

♥ K 9

♦ K 8 5 3

♣ A K Q J 8 7

Shape 6511 3334 1246 3352

HCP 16 2 16 6

Losers 3 11 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6NT by South

Board 232

South Deals
None Vul

♠ K Q 5 4
♥ J 5
♦ Q 4
♣ A 9 5 4 2

♠ A 3
♥ T 6 4 3 2
♦ A T 6 5 3
♣ 6



♠ T 9 8 6 2
♥ 9 8 7
♦ J 7 2
♣ K T

♠ J 7
♥ A K Q
♦ K 9 8
♣ Q J 8 7 3

Shape 2551 5332 2335 4225
HCP 8 4 16 12
Losers 7 10 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2♦ | Pass | 2♥ |
| Pass | 2NT | Pass | 3♥ |
| Pass | 4♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial

4♥ by North

Board 233

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8 6

♥ T 9 7 3

♦ 8

♣ K J 3 2

♠ 7

♥ K Q 6 4 2

♦ A 6 5 4 2

♣ 7 5



♠ A J 5 2

♥ J 5

♦ J 9 7 3

♣ A T 6

♠ K Q 4 3

♥ A 8

♦ K Q T

♣ Q 9 8 4

Shape 1552 4243 4234 4414

HCP 9 11 16 4

Losers 6 9 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

1NT

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 234

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8
♥ T 7 3
♦ K Q 7 5 4 2
♣ 6 5 2

♠ A T 9 6 5
♥ K Q 8 5 4
♦ 9
♣ T 4



♠ 4
♥ A J 9
♦ T 8 6 3
♣ Q 9 8 7 3

♠ K Q J 7 3 2
♥ 6 2
♦ A J
♣ A K J

Shape 5512 1345 6223 1363
HCP 9 7 19 5
Losers 6 8 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

4♠ by South

Board 235

South Deals
None Vul

♠ A
♥ Q T 7 5
♦ A Q T 9 3 2
♣ 5 2

♠ T 9 7 6 3
♥ K
♦ K 8
♣ A T 9 6 4



♠ J 8 5 4
♥ 4 2
♦ J 7 6 5 4
♣ 8 3

♠ K Q 2
♥ A J 9 8 6 3
♦ -
♣ K Q J 7

Shape 5125 4252 3604 1462
HCP 10 2 16 12
Losers 7 10 4 5

| West | North | East | South |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 1 ♠ | 4 ♦ | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | Dbl | | Pass |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♦ X by West | | | |

Board 236
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ J 3
♥ K T 8 3
♦ T 5 3
♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ K 9 8 5 2
♥ A J 9 7 6 5
♦ Q 4
♣ -

N
W E
S

♠ T 4
♥ 2
♦ K J 9 6
♣ K Q J T 5 4

♠ A Q 7 6
♥ Q 4
♦ A 8 7 2
♣ A 7 6

Shape 5620 2146 4243 2434
HCP 10 10 16 4
Losers 6 6 7 10

| | | | |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 2 ♣ | 2NT |
| 4 ♣ | 4 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |
| 4 ♥ by North | | | |

Board 237

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 9 4 2

♥ J 9 5 2

♦ 9 8 3

♣ 5

♠ Q

♥ Q T 8 6 3

♦ A 2

♣ K 9 8 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 6 5 3

♥ 7 4

♦ Q J T 7 6 5

♣ 4

♠ K 8 7

♥ A K

♦ K 4

♣ A Q J T 7 6

Shape 1525 4261 3226 5431

HCP 11 3 20 6

Losers 6 8 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

3NT

Pass

4 ♠

Pass

4 ♦

All Pass

5 ♣

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♣ by South

Board 238

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 6 2

♥ T 8 3

♦ Q 8 7 2

♣ J T

♠ J

♥ A Q 6 5 4

♦ A 6

♣ Q 9 4 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 7

♥ J 9 7

♦ J T 9 3

♣ K 7 6 5

♠ A Q 8 5 4 3

♥ K 2

♦ K 5 4

♣ A 8

Shape 1525 2344 6232 4342

HCP 13 5 16 6

Losers 5 10 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

3♣

Pass

3♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by North

Board 239

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 2
 ♥ Q 9 4
 ♦ 9 7 6 2
 ♣ 7 6 5

♠ A K 8 5 3

♥ 8 7 6 5 2

♦ J 8 5

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 6 4
 ♥ A K
 ♦ K T 4
 ♣ J T 8 3

♠ 7

♥ J T 3

♦ A Q 3

♣ A K Q 9 4 2

Shape 5530 4234 1336 3343

HCP 8 11 16 5

Losers 7 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 240
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ T 9 2
 ♥ T 9 4
 ♦ K 7 6 5
 ♣ 8 4 3

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



♠ A 6 5 4
 ♥ J 8
 ♦ Q T 8 3
 ♣ T 5 2

♠ J
 ♥ A K 7
 ♦ A J 9 4 2
 ♣ A Q J 7

Shape 5503 4243 1354 3343
 HCP 10 7 20 3
 Losers 5 9 5 11

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 241

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 3 2
 ♥ 6 5
 ♦ K 8 7 5 4
 ♣ T 8 5 3

♠ K Q T 7 4

♥ K Q T 9 2

♦ A

♣ 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 6 5

♥ J 8 4

♦ J 6 2

♣ K 7 2

♠ A J

♥ A 7 3

♦ Q T 9 3

♣ A Q J 9

Shape 5512 4333 2344 2254

HCP 14 5 18 3

Losers 4 11 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 242

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 8 6 5

♥ Q 7 6 5

♦ T 7 6 4

♣ 8

♠ 2

♥ 4 2

♦ Q J 5 3 2

♣ A J T 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 7

♥ K J T 9 8 3

♦ K 9

♣ 9 3

♠ K J 9 4 3

♥ A

♦ A 8

♣ K Q 7 6 5

Shape 1255 3622 5125 4441

HCP 8 13 17 2

Losers 7 6 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♥X by East

1♣¹

2♠

1♥²

Dbl

2♥

Board 243

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 6
♥ A K 9 5 4
♦ J 8 5
♣ J 8

♠ Q 9 7 5 3

♥ Q J 8 7 3

♦ K 2

♣ 2



♠ 4
♥ T 6
♦ Q T 9 4 3
♣ A T 9 5 4

♠ A K J 2

♥ 2

♦ A 7 6

♣ K Q 7 6 3

Shape 5521 1255 4135 3532

HCP 8 6 17 9

Losers 6 7 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

1 ♥ 3 ♠

Pass 4 ♣ 4 ♦

Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by South

Board 244

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 6
♥ Q 6 3
♦ A T 7 6 3
♣ Q J

♠ A J 9 8 2

♥ K J

♦ 2

♣ T 6 4 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 4

♥ T 8 4 2

♦ J 9 5 4

♣ K 8 5

♠ K 5 3

♥ A 9 7 5

♦ K Q 8

♣ A 9 7

Shape 5215 2443 3433 3352

HCP 9 4 16 11

Losers 7 10 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♦

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♣

All Pass

1NT

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♣ by South

Board 245

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7
 ♥ A K 5
 ♦ Q 8 5 3 2
 ♣ 8 4 2

♠ K Q J 4 2

♥ Q

♦ T

♣ Q J T 9 7 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6 5 3
 ♥ J T 9 6 3 2
 ♦ J 9 4
 ♣ 5

♠ A T 9

♥ 8 7 4

♦ A K 7 6

♣ A K 6

Shape 5116 3631 3343 2353

HCP 11 2 18 9

Losers 5 10 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♣ by South

Board 246

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J
 ♥ J 9 8 5
 ♦ T 6 4 3
 ♣ Q 6 5

♠ K T 7 6 3

♥ Q T 6 4 3

♦ A 2

♣ 8



♠ 8 5 4 2

♥ A 2

♦ 8 5

♣ J T 7 4 2

♠ Q 9

♥ K 7

♦ K Q J 9 7

♣ A K 9 3

Shape 5521 4225 2254 2443

HCP 9 5 18 8

Losers 6 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 247

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 7 2

♥ A 8

♦ 9 8 7 6

♣ Q 6 5

♠ 5

♥ 4 3

♦ A K 5 4 3

♣ A 9 4 3 2



♠ 6 4 3

♥ K T 9 6 5

♦ Q J T

♣ T 8

♠ A K Q J 8

♥ Q J 7 2

♦ 2

♣ K J 7

Shape 1255 3532 5413 4243

HCP 11 6 17 6

Losers 6 9 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 248

South Deals
None Vul

♠ A K 5 2
♥ 8 5
♦ A K 7
♣ J 6 5 2

♠ Q J T 6 3
♥ -
♦ Q T 6 5 2
♣ K 9 8



♠ 9 7 4
♥ T 9 4
♦ J 9 8 4 3
♣ T 3

♠ 8
♥ A K Q J 7 6 3 2
♦ -
♣ A Q 7 4

Shape 5053 3352 1804 4234
HCP 8 1 16 15
Losers 6 11 2 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1NT | 2 ♠ | Pass | 6 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

6 ♥ by South

Board 249

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 4
 ♥ T 9
 ♦ J T
 ♣ K Q J 9 5 3

♠ K Q J 8 3

♥ K Q J 4 3

♦ -

♣ T 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 2

♥ 6 5

♦ A 9 8 7 4 3

♣ 8 7

♠ A 6

♥ A 8 7 2

♦ K Q 6 5 2

♣ A 6

Shape 5503 3262 2452 3226

HCP 12 4 17 7

Losers 5 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 250

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q J T 9 6

♥ A 8 2

♦ 8 6

♣ 9 5

♠ 5

♥ K Q T 7 6 4

♦ T

♣ Q J T 7 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 7 4 3 2

♥ -

♦ Q 9 7 5 4 3

♣ 6 3

♠ K

♥ J 9 5 3

♦ A K J 2

♣ A K 8 4

Shape 1615 5062 1444 6322

HCP 8 2 19 11

Losers 5 7 6 7

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ X by West

North

EPBot

2 ♥

Dbl

East

EPBot

4 ♠

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

Board 251

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 5 2
♥ J 8 6 5
♦ T 6 3
♣ 9 4 2

♠ Q T 8 7 4

♥ A

♦ K Q 7 5 2

♣ A 5



♠ K 3

♥ Q 7 4 3 2

♦ 9 4

♣ J T 6 3

♠ A 9 6

♥ K T 9

♦ A J 8

♣ K Q 8 7

Shape 5152 2524 3334 3433

HCP 15 6 17 2

Losers 4 8 7 12

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♠ by North

Board 252

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 7 5 3

♥ J 8 7 5

♦ Q 5

♣ 8 6

♠ Q

♥ A K T 6 2

♦ K 9 8 7 3 2

♣ 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A K T 4 2

♥ 9 3

♦ J T 4

♣ J 5 3

♠ J 6

♥ Q 4

♦ A 6

♣ A K Q T 9 7 2

Shape 1561 5233 2227 5422

HCP 12 9 16 3

Losers 5 9 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♣

Pass

3NT

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

4 ♦

Pass

5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

5 ♣ by South

Board 253
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ T 8 6 5
 ♥ T 5 4
 ♦ 8 5
 ♣ A T 7 6

♠ K J 9 4 2
 ♥ K 8
 ♦ 4
 ♣ K J 5 3 2



♠ A 7 3
 ♥ Q J 7 6 2
 ♦ T 7 2
 ♣ Q 9

♠ Q
 ♥ A 9 3
 ♦ A K Q J 9 6 3
 ♣ 8 4

Shape 5215 3532 1372 4324
 HCP 11 9 16 4
 Losers 6 9 5 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♦ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 254

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J
♥ 9 7
♦ 8 5 2
♣ J 9 8 7 6 2

♠ T 8 5

♥ -

♦ A J T 9 6

♣ A Q T 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 7 6 4

♥ A J 5 4

♦ K Q 7 3

♣ K

♠ K 9 3 2

♥ K Q T 8 6 3 2

♦ 4

♣ 3

Shape 3055 4711 4441 2236

HCP 11 8 17 4

Losers 6 5 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|-----|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 3 ♥ | 3NT |
|------|------------------|-----|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 255

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5
♥ A 8 7 3
♦ Q 8 6
♣ J T 7 4

♠ 6 4

♥ 4

♦ A T 9 4 3

♣ A K 9 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J T 7 3

♥ 6 2

♦ J 5 2

♣ 8 6 5

♠ A K 8 2

♥ K Q J T 9 5

♦ K 7

♣ Q

Shape 2155 5233 4621 2434

HCP 11 4 18 7

Losers 6 10 4 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4 ♥ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 256

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 4

♥ -

♦ 8 7 6 3

♣ A K J T 6 3

♠ A K 8 7 5 2

♥ K T 9 3 2

♦ 2

♣ 5



♠ 9

♥ Q 8 7 6 5 4

♦ 5 4

♣ Q 9 7 4

♠ J 6 3

♥ A J

♦ A K Q J T 9

♣ 8 2

Shape 6511 1624 3262 3046

HCP 10 4 16 10

Losers 5 7 6 6

West

EPBot

2 ♣

Pass

Pass

All Pass

North

EPBot

2 ♠

4NT

5 ♠

East

EPBot

3 ♣

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

3 ♠

5 ♥²

1. 16+ HCP

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

5 ♠ by North

Board 257
South Deals
None Vul

♠ -
♥ T 6 5
♦ A Q J T 9 2
♣ T 9 7 3

♠ K T 9 8 6
♥ K Q J 9 2
♦ 6
♣ J 5



♠ A Q J 5 3
♥ A 7 4 3
♦ 3
♣ K Q 4

♠ 7 4 2
♥ 8
♦ K 8 7 5 4
♣ A 8 6 2

Shape 5512 3154 5413 0364
HCP 10 7 16 7
Losers 6 8 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 2♦ | 3♦ | 5♦ | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | Dbl |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 5♦ X by West | | | |

Board 258
South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ T 8 5 2
♥ 6 4
♦ 6 5 2
♣ T 8 4 2

♠ J
♥ Q J 8 7 5
♦ K Q T 9 4
♣ J 7

N
W E
 S

♠ K Q 9 7 6 4
♥ 2
♦ A J 8
♣ 9 5 3

♠ A 3
♥ A K T 9 3
♦ 7 3
♣ A K Q 6

Shape 1552 6133 2524 4234
HCP 10 10 20 0
Losers 6 7 4 11

| | | | |
|---------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1♥ ² | 2♠ | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |

3NT by South

Board 259

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T
 ♥ T 8 7
 ♦ K 8 4 2
 ♣ J T 8 6 3

♠ A J 9 4 3 2

♥ A Q J 9 3

♦ -

♣ 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 8 7 5
 ♥ 5 4
 ♦ J T 9 7 5
 ♣ K 5

♠ Q 6

♥ K 6 2

♦ A Q 6 3

♣ A Q 9 7

Shape 6502 4252 2344 1345

HCP 12 7 17 4

Losers 5 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 260

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ Q 5 2
♥ T 9
♦ Q J 7
♣ K 9 7 5 4

♠ K 3
♥ A K 7 5 4
♦ K 8 6 4 2
♣ 8



♠ T 9 8 4
♥ Q 8 3 2
♦ T 9
♣ J 6 2

♠ A J 7 6
♥ J 6
♦ A 5 3
♣ A Q T 3

Shape 2551 4423 4234 3235
HCP 13 3 16 8
Losers 5 10 7 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 261

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K T 6 5 4 3

♥ 7

♦ Q 6

♣ 9 8 4 3

♠ Q

♥ A

♦ A J T 7 5 4

♣ T 7 6 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 7 2

♥ T 9 8 6 5 3 2

♦ -

♣ Q J

♠ A 8

♥ K Q J 4

♦ K 9 8 3 2

♣ A K

Shape 1165 4702 2452 6124

HCP 11 4 20 5

Losers 6 8 4 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

Pass

All Pass

3 ♣²5 ♥³6 ♣⁵

4 ♠

Pass

Pass

1 ♣¹

4NT

5NT⁴

7 ♦

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

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

4. King ask by 5NT

5. K=0

7 ♦ by South

Board 262

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J T 4
 ♥ J 7 4 3
 ♦ Q T 7 6
 ♣ Q 6

♠ A K Q 9 5

♥ 9

♦ A J 9 3 2

♣ 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 6 2

♥ Q T 8 6 5

♦ 5 4

♣ T 9 7

♠ 7 3

♥ A K 2

♦ K 8

♣ A K J 8 4 2

Shape 5152 3523 2326 3442

HCP 14 2 18 6

Losers 5 10 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 263

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 3
♥ Q 6
♦ Q 9 7 6 5 4
♣ T 6

♠ 5

♥ A 9 8 5 2

♦ J 3

♣ K Q 7 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K J 9 8
♥ J T 7 4 3
♦ K 2
♣ 9 3

♠ A 7 6 4 2

♥ K

♦ A T 8

♣ A J 8 4

Shape 1525 4522 5134 3262

HCP 10 8 16 6

Losers 6 8 7 8

| West | North | East | South |
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| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 264

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 6 4 2

♥ T 2

♦ 9 6 3

♣ Q J T 5

♠ K J

♥ 8 7 6 4 3

♦ A J T 8 5

♣ 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 9 3

♥ Q J 5

♦ K 7 4

♣ 9 7 6

♠ 8 7 5

♥ A K 9

♦ Q 2

♣ A K 8 3 2

Shape 2551 4333 3325 4234

HCP 9 12 16 3

Losers 7 8 7 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

1♣¹

1NT

Pass

2♦

Pass

2♥

Pass

3NT

Pass

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♥ by North

Board 265

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 5
♥ A Q 8 5 3
♦ T 4
♣ A T 4 3

♠ A J 7 4 2

♥ 9 4

♦ A 9 8 3 2

♣ Q



♠ 9 6
♥ J 7 6 2
♦ J 6 5
♣ J 8 7 6

♠ K Q 8 3

♥ K T

♦ K Q 7

♣ K 9 5 2

Shape 5251 2434 4234 2524

HCP 11 3 16 10

Losers 7 11 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

1 ♠

4 ♣

4 ♥

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♣¹

2 ♠

4 ♦

4 ♠

Board 266

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 6 3
 ♥ Q 8 3
 ♦ T 9 3 2
 ♣ J 8 3 2

♠ K Q T 9 4

♥ 6 4

♦ A Q J 8 4

♣ 9

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 7 5 2
 ♥ T 9
 ♦ 7 6 5
 ♣ A K 6 4

♠ A J

♥ A K J 7 5 2

♦ K

♣ Q T 7 5

Shape 5251 4234 2614 2344

HCP 12 7 18 3

Losers 5 9 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by South

Board 267

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 8 6 5 3

♥ T 5

♦ J

♣ J T 7 6 4

♠ A K Q J 4

♥ 8 6

♦ A 8 5 4 2

♣ Q



♠ T 7

♥ 7 4 2

♦ Q T 9 6 3

♣ 9 5 3

♠ 2

♥ A K Q J 9 3

♦ K 7

♣ A K 8 2

Shape 5251 2353 1624 5215

HCP 16 2 20 2

Losers 5 10 3 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !H queen and !C king

7NT by North

Board 268

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 5 3 2

♥ 9 4

♦ J 8 2

♣ 8 4 2

♠ K 7

♥ K Q 8 6 3

♦ Q 9 5 4 3

♣ J



♠ A 4

♥ T 2

♦ T 7 6

♣ A 9 7 6 5 3

♠ Q T 8 6

♥ A J 7 5

♦ A K

♣ K Q T

Shape 2551 2236 4423 5233

HCP 11 8 19 2

Losers 5 8 5 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

3♦

Pass

2NT

Pass

4NT

Pass

4♥³

All Pass

5♥⁴

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

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

5♥ by North

Board 269

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 3
 ♥ Q 7 6 4
 ♦ 7 3
 ♣ 8 6 5 4

♠ A K 7 6 5

♥ K 9

♦ T 9 8 6 4

♣ K



♠ Q J 8 2
 ♥ J 8 2
 ♦ Q J 5
 ♣ J T 9

♠ 4

♥ A T 5 3

♦ A K 2

♣ A Q 7 3 2

Shape 5251 4333 1435 3424

HCP 13 8 17 2

Losers 6 10 5 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. no !D queen

6 ♦ by North

Board 270

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 6 2
♥ 8 5
♦ 9 8 6
♣ J T 9 8 5

♠ J 4 3

♥ A K J 4 3

♦ T 7 4 3 2

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A K T 5

♥ T 9 6 2

♦ Q J 5

♣ 4 2

♠ 9 8 7

♥ Q 7

♦ A K

♣ A K Q 7 6 3

Shape 3550 4432 3226 3235

HCP 9 10 18 3

Losers 7 8 5 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♣ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 271

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 7
♥ Q J T 9 2
♦ J 8 3 2
♣ 9

♠ -
♥ A 7 6 5 3
♦ Q 9 7
♣ A T 7 5 2

W N E S

♠ A 4 2
♥ 8 4
♦ A K T
♣ K Q 8 6 3

♠ K J T 8 6 5 3
♥ K
♦ 6 5 4
♣ J 4

Shape 0535 7132 3235 3541

HCP 10 8 16 6

Losers 6 8 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

3 ♠

1 ♣¹

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by East

Board 272

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 4 3
♥ Q J 7 6 5
♦ A J
♣ Q 8 4

♠ A Q J 6 5 2

♥ 8

♦ K T 6 4 2

♣ J



♠ T 9 8

♥ T 4

♦ 9 7

♣ K T 9 7 6 3

♠ K

♥ A K 9 3 2

♦ Q 8 5 3

♣ A 5 2

Shape 6151 3226 1543 3523

HCP 11 3 16 10

Losers 5 9 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

3 ♠

4 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

3NT

Board 273

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 9 7 3

♥ T 8

♦ K Q

♣ Q T 9 5

♠ K 8

♥ K Q 7 6 5

♦ A T 7 6 3

♣ 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 4 2

♥ 9 4 3

♦ 9 5

♣ J 6 4 3 2

♠ A 6 5

♥ A J 2

♦ J 8 4 2

♣ A K 8

Shape 2551 3325 3343 5224

HCP 12 3 17 8

Losers 5 10 8 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=1

6 ♥ by North

Board 274

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 9 8 6 4

♥ 9 6

♦ K 6 4

♣ 9 6 2

♠ 5

♥ A Q 7 5 4 3 2

♦ Q 9 8 7 2

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 2

♥ K T 8

♦ J

♣ Q J T 8 7 3

♠ A J 7 3

♥ J

♦ A T 5 3

♣ A K 5 4

Shape 1750 3316 4144 5233

HCP 8 9 17 6

Losers 4 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 275
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ Q 4 2
 ♥ Q T 5
 ♦ K 9 6 2
 ♣ J 9 7

♠ K T 8 5 3
 ♥ 9
 ♦ A J 8 5 3
 ♣ Q 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 9 7
 ♥ A K 4 3
 ♦ Q T 7 4
 ♣ K 6

♠ J 6
 ♥ J 8 7 6 2
 ♦ -
 ♣ A T 8 5 4 3

Shape 5152 2506 3442 3343
 HCP 10 6 16 8
 Losers 7 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 276

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 7 2
♥ J T
♦ A 7
♣ T 9 8 4 3 2

♠ T 3
♥ A 9 7 6 3
♦ Q J 8 6 2
♣ Q



♠ J 9 8
♥ Q 8 5
♦ K T 9
♣ J 7 6 5

♠ A Q 6 5 4
♥ K 4 2
♦ 5 4 3
♣ A K

Shape 2551 3334 5332 3226

HCP 9 7 16 8

Losers 7 10 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
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| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 277

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 7 3
♥ 4
♦ T 8 5 4 3
♣ K T 3

♠ 6 5
♥ J T 6 3 2
♦ Q
♣ A Q 8 6 2



♠ Q T
♥ K 9 8 7
♦ K 7 6 2
♣ 9 7 5

♠ A K 9 4 2
♥ A Q 5
♦ A J 9
♣ J 4

Shape 2515 2443 5332 4153

HCP 9 8 19 4

Losers 7 9 6 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 278
South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ J T 8 6
♥ T 9 8 5
♦ K 2
♣ J 6 4

♠ A K Q 5 3
♥ 4 2
♦ 6
♣ A K Q T 2

N
W E
 S

♠ 7 4 2
♥ 7 3
♦ 8 7 4 3
♣ 9 8 5 3

♠ 9
♥ A K Q J 6
♦ A Q J T 9 5
♣ 7

Shape 5215 3244 1561 4423
HCP 18 0 17 5
Losers 3 11 3 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| Pass | 5NT | Pass | 6NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 6NT by North | | | |

Board 279

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 7 6
 ♥ 8 6 5 3 2
 ♦ J T 7
 ♣ 8 2

♠ K Q 8 5 2

♥ J

♦ A Q 8 4 3

♣ K 9



♠ 4
 ♥ Q T 9 7
 ♦ 6 5 2
 ♣ Q J T 6 4

♠ A T 9 3

♥ A K 4

♦ K 9

♣ A 7 5 3

Shape 5152 1435 4324 3532

HCP 15 5 18 2

Losers 4 8 6 11

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♣ ² |
| Pass | 7 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

7 ♠ by North

Board 280

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K J 7 4

♥ K J 5 3

♦ 9 3

♣ 8 3 2

♠ A T 9 8 3

♥ A Q 7 6 4

♦ 8

♣ T 7



♠ Q 6 5

♥ T 9 2

♦ K J 5 2

♣ 9 5 4

♠ 2

♥ 8

♦ A Q T 7 6 4

♣ A K Q J 6

Shape 5512 3343 1165 4423

HCP 10 6 16 8

Losers 6 10 3 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

3 ♣

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 281

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K 4
♥ 9 6 5 3
♦ T 7 4 2
♣ 6 2

♠ 9 3

♥ Q J 8 7 2

♦ A

♣ J T 5 4 3

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|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 8 5

♥ T

♦ K 9 6 5 3

♣ K 8 7

♠ Q 7 6 2

♥ A K 4

♦ Q J 8

♣ A Q 9

Shape 2515 4153 4333 3442

HCP 8 7 18 7

Losers 7 8 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 282

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 6
 ♥ 9 4
 ♦ T 8 6 2
 ♣ J 8 7 6 2

♠ A 5

♥ T 8 7 6 5

♦ 4

♣ A K T 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 8 7 2

♥ A J 3

♦ J 9 7 5 3

♣ 4

♠ Q J 9 4 3

♥ K Q 2

♦ A K Q

♣ Q 9

Shape 2515 4351 5332 2245

HCP 11 9 19 1

Losers 6 8 5 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 283

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J T 8 6 5 3

♥ T 8

♦ 6 3

♣ Q 9 4

♠ K

♥ A 7 6 5 3

♦ 2

♣ A K J 8 3 2

W N E S

♠ 9 7 4

♥ K Q J 4 2

♦ 9 7

♣ 7 6 5

♠ A Q 2

♥ 9

♦ A K Q J T 8 5 4

♣ T

Shape 1516 3523 3181 6223

HCP 15 6 16 3

Losers 5 9 3 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♣¹

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 4 ♦

Pass 5 ♣ Pass 6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

6 ♦ by South

Board 284

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 3 2
♥ Q J 7 5 3
♦ Q 7
♣ K 5 3

♠ K J 9 7 6

♥ 6

♦ A J 6 3 2

♣ T 4

W N E S

♠ A 4

♥ A K 8 4

♦ K T 4

♣ A Q 8 2

Shape 5152 3334 2434 3523

HCP 9 3 20 8

Losers 7 11 5 9

♠ Q T 5
♥ T 9 2
♦ 9 8 5
♣ J 9 7 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

3NT

3NT by South

Board 285

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 7 6 5 4 3

♥ K 9 6

♦ -

♣ Q 9 6 2

♠ T

♥ 2

♦ A K J 5 4 3

♣ T 8 7 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 8 2

♥ A J 8 7 5 3

♦ Q 9 8 2

♣ -

♠ A Q J

♥ Q T 4

♦ T 7 6

♣ A K J 5

Shape 1165 3640 3334 6304

HCP 8 10 17 5

Losers 6 6 7 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹Pass 1 ♥² Pass 1NTPass 3 ♣³ Pass 3 ♦⁴Pass 4 ♣ Pass 4 ♠⁵

Pass 5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

4. automat

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

5 ♦ by South

Board 286

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 5
♥ 7 5 3 2
♦ K Q 5 3
♣ 8 5

♠ 2

♥ K Q J 9 6

♦ 9 8 7 6 4

♣ K 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J T 7 6 3

♥ T 4

♦ -

♣ Q J 9 7 6

♠ K 9 4

♥ A 8

♦ A J T 2

♣ A T 3 2

Shape 1552 6205 3244 3442

HCP 9 6 16 9

Losers 6 6 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

2 ♠

2NT

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 287

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ 6 4
♦ A J 9 8 5 3
♣ Q 5 3

♠ A Q 7 3 2

♥ J T 7 5 3

♦ T

♣ K 7

W N
S E

♠ K T 9 5

♥ A K Q 9 8

♦ Q 4

♣ A J

♠ J 6

♥ 2

♦ K 7 6 2

♣ T 9 8 6 4 2

Shape 5512 2146 4522 2263

HCP 10 4 19 7

Losers 6 8 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♦

3 ♦

4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♦ by West

1 ♣¹

Board 288

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 7
 ♥ 8 7
 ♦ 6 5 4 2
 ♣ T 8 5 2

♠ T 5

♥ A Q 9 5 4

♦ T

♣ K Q J 7 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 8 6 4 3

♥ J T 6

♦ K Q 3

♣ 4 3

♠ A K 2

♥ K 3 2

♦ A J 9 8 7

♣ A 9

Shape 2515 5332 3352 3244

HCP 12 7 19 2

Losers 5 9 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=1

7 ♥ by North

Board 289

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 2
 ♥ 8 7 6 3
 ♦ T 2
 ♣ Q T 9 8

♠ K Q J T 5 3

♥ Q

♦ Q J 9 6 4

♣ 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 4

♥ A J T 5 2

♦ 7 3

♣ J 7 3 2

♠ 9 8

♥ K 9 4

♦ A K 8 5

♣ A K 5 4

Shape 6151 2524 2344 3424

HCP 11 10 17 2

Losers 5 8 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Dbl | Rdbl |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 290

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 2
 ♥ Q T 5 4 3
 ♦ J 7
 ♣ T 9 5 3 2

♠ K J T 8 7

♥ 9 6

♦ A T 9 8 5

♣ A

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 6 3
 ♥ 7 2
 ♦ K 6 4 2
 ♣ Q 8 7 6

♠ Q 9 5 4

♥ A K J 8

♦ Q 3

♣ K J 4

Shape 5251 3244 4423 1525

HCP 12 9 16 3

Losers 6 8 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

3. !S queen and !C king

6 ♠ by North

Board 291

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 7 6 4 2

♥ 9 6 4 2

♦ J T 3

♣ -

♠ -

♥ A T 8 7 3

♦ A Q 8

♣ T 9 6 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T 5 3

♥ J 5

♦ 5 4 2

♣ A Q J 2

♠ A J 9

♥ K Q

♦ K 9 7 6

♣ K 8 7 3

Shape 0535 4234 3244 6430

HCP 10 11 16 3

Losers 6 8 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 292

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 9 5 2

♥ 8 2

♦ J T 9 4 2

♣ 6

♠ A 6 4

♥ -

♦ A K 7 6 3

♣ 9 8 7 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ -

♥ Q T 9 7 6 3

♦ 8 5

♣ K Q T 3 2

♠ J T 8 7 3

♥ A K J 5 4

♦ Q

♣ A J

Shape 3055 0625 5512 5251

HCP 11 7 16 6

Losers 6 5 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

5 ♥³

Pass

5NT⁴

Pass

6 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 1 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 293

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 7 5 3 2

♥ Q 8

♦ 8 6 3

♣ K 9 2

♠ -

♥ T 6 3

♦ A Q J T 4

♣ J 8 6 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 6

♥ A K 7 5 4 2

♦ 7 2

♣ Q 7 5

♠ A K Q T 8 4

♥ J 9

♦ K 9 5

♣ A T

Shape 0355 2623 6232 5233

HCP 8 9 17 6

Losers 7 7 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1NT

2 ♥

3 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3 ♠ by South

Board 294

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9
♥ A J 9 5
♦ J 6 5
♣ 8 6 5 3

♠ A Q 7 6 3

♥ 2

♦ K Q 8 3 2

♣ Q 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 5 2

♥ 8 7 6 4

♦ 9 7

♣ K J 9 4

♠ K J 4

♥ K Q T 3

♦ A T 4

♣ A T 7

Shape 5152 3424 3433 2434

HCP 13 4 17 6

Losers 5 10 7 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 295
South Deals
Both Vul

♠ T 9 8 6
♥ K 8 7 6
♦ T 8 7 4
♣ 6

♠ K Q J 5 3
♥ T 4
♦ 9
♣ Q T 5 4 2

N
W E
S

♠ 4 2
♥ 5 3 2
♦ J 5 2
♣ J 9 8 7 3

♠ A 7
♥ A Q J 9
♦ A K Q 6 3
♣ A K

Shape 5215 2335 2452 4441
HCP 8 2 27 3
Losers 6 11 2 9

| | | | |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 7NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |
| 7NT by South | | | |

Board 296
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ T 9 7 6
 ♥ 7 2
 ♦ J 2
 ♣ T 9 8 5 3

♠ J 8 5 4 2
 ♥ K T
 ♦ A Q T 5 3
 ♣ 6



♠ A K Q 3
 ♥ A 5
 ♦ 8 4
 ♣ K Q J 4 2

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

Shape 5251 0742 4225 4225
 HCP 10 10 19 1
 Losers 6 5 4 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|----------|-----------------|----|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | 3♥ | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 3NT |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 297

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ Q 6 4
♥ 2
♦ A T 6 5 3
♣ A K 8 7

♠ J T 9 8 7
♥ A Q 9 8 7
♦ 2
♣ J 9



♠ A K 3
♥ J
♦ K Q J 9 7
♣ Q 4 3 2

♠ 5 2
♥ K T 6 5 4 3
♦ 8 4
♣ T 6 5

Shape 5512 2623 3154 3154
HCP 8 3 16 13
Losers 7 9 5 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | | 2 ♠ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ by North | | | |

Board 298

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A K T 9 8 5

♥ Q J 7 5 4

♦ Q

♣ 9

♠ 6

♥ T 2

♦ J T 9 7 5

♣ A K T 8 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 4 3

♥ 9 8 6 3

♦ 6 2

♣ 7 6 5 3

♠ J 7 2

♥ A K

♦ A K 8 4 3

♣ Q J 2

Shape 1255 3424 3253 6511

HCP 8 2 18 12

Losers 7 10 6 5

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

Pass

All Pass

2 ♠²3 ♠³

4NT

6 ♦

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♣¹

3 ♦

4 ♦

5 ♣⁴

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. limit raise or better in !D

4. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by South

Board 299
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 9 7
 ♥ Q 8 3
 ♦ Q T 8 4
 ♣ Q 9 8 3

♠ A K 4 3 2
 ♥ 2
 ♦ 6 5
 ♣ J T 7 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J 6
 ♥ A K J 5
 ♦ K J 7 3 2
 ♣ K

♠ T 8 5
 ♥ T 9 7 6 4
 ♦ A 9
 ♣ A 6 2

Shape 5125 3523 3451 2344
 HCP 8 8 18 6
 Losers 7 9 6 8

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

- 16+ HCP
- artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 300

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ Q 3
♥ A K 9 6 5
♦ 9 5 4
♣ T 9 4

♠ A J 9 8 7 5 2
♥ J
♦ -
♣ K Q 8 6 2



♠ 6 4
♥ T 8 3 2
♦ K J 7 3
♣ 7 5 3

♠ K T
♥ Q 7 4
♦ A Q T 8 6 2
♣ A J

Shape 7105 2443 2362 2533
HCP 11 4 16 9
Losers 4 10 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♥ | 3 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♠ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ by North | | | |

Board 301

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ J 4 2
♥ 6 5 4 3 2
♦ Q 5 4
♣ A J

♠ A
♥ A J
♦ K 9 7 6 2
♣ Q 8 7 5 4

♠ T 8 7 5 3
♥ Q 7
♦ T 8 3
♣ T 6 3

N
W E
S

♠ K Q 9 6
♥ K T 9 8
♦ A J
♣ K 9 2

Shape 1255 5233 4423 3532
HCP 14 2 16 8
Losers 5 11 6 9

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2♦ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 302
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 9 6
 ♥ 7 6 5 4
 ♦ Q 7 5 3
 ♣ 9 7 5

♠ A T 8 7 2

♥ 8

♦ T 9

♣ A K Q J 4

N
 W E
 S

♠ 4

♥ Q J 9 3 2

♦ K J 8 6

♣ 8 6 3

♠ K Q J 5 3

♥ A K T

♦ A 4 2

♣ T 2

Shape 5125 1543 5332 2443

HCP 14 7 17 2

Losers 5 8 6 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !S queen and !H king

7 ♠ by North

Board 303

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 7 6
♥ J 5 4 3 2
♦ J 9 8
♣ T 7 3

♠ J T 9

♥ -

♦ A T 7 3 2

♣ A 9 8 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 5 2
♥ T 7
♦ K Q 6 4
♣ J 6 5

♠ K 8 4 3

♥ A K Q 9 8 6

♦ 5

♣ K Q

Shape 3055 4243 4612 2533

HCP 9 12 17 2

Losers 7 7 4 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 304

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3
♥ K Q J 8 7 6 5 4
♦ T
♣ 9 6 2

♠ K J 8 6 5
♥ -
♦ 7 6 3
♣ A K 7 5 3



♠ T 7 4
♥ 9 3
♦ K Q 5 4 2
♣ Q T 8

♠ A Q 9 2
♥ A T 2
♦ A J 9 8
♣ J 4

Shape 5035 3253 4342 1813
HCP 11 7 16 6
Losers 6 8 7 6

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |

4♥ Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♥X by West

Board 305

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A T 6 3

♥ 6 4 3

♦ Q 7 3

♣ J 5 3

♠ 4 2

♥ K T 8 7 2

♦ A K T 9 8

♣ Q



♠ 9 8 7

♥ Q 9

♦ J 6 5 2

♣ 9 8 6 2

♠ K Q J 5

♥ A J 5

♦ 4

♣ A K T 7 4

Shape 2551 3244 4315 4333

HCP 12 3 18 7

Losers 6 11 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

3♥

Pass

4♣

Pass

4♦

Pass

4NT

Pass

5♥²

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

5♥ by North

Board 306

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K 5
♥ A K T 6 4 3 2
♦ 7 4 2
♣ 8

♠ Q J T 6 4 3
♥ 8
♦ Q T 8 6 5
♣ K



♠ 8 2
♥ Q J 7 5
♦ 9 3
♣ Q T 7 4 3

♠ A 9 7
♥ 9
♦ A K J
♣ A J 9 6 5 2

Shape 6151 2425 3136 2731

HCP 8 5 17 10

Losers 6 8 6 6

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 3♥ | 3♠ | 4♥ | 1♣ ¹ |
| | | | 4♠ |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♠ by North

Board 307
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 5 4 3
 ♥ 8 7 4
 ♦ 9 8 4
 ♣ K Q 9 5

♠ Q J T 8 7
 ♥ 5
 ♦ K 3
 ♣ A J 7 6 2



♠ A K 9
 ♥ K Q J T 9 6
 ♦ A J T
 ♣ T

♠ 6 2
 ♥ A 3 2
 ♦ Q 7 6 5 2
 ♣ 8 4 3

Shape 5125 2353 3631 3334
 HCP 11 6 18 5
 Losers 6 9 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by North

Board 308

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 6

♥ A 9 5 2

♦ 9 4

♣ K Q J 5 4

♠ A

♥ Q J 8 7 3

♦ 8

♣ A T 8 7 3 2



♠ Q J 8 7 5 4 3 2

♥ T 6 4

♦ 7 3

♣ -

♠ K 9

♥ K

♦ A K Q J T 6 5 2

♣ 9 6

Shape 1516 8320 2182 2425

HCP 11 3 16 10

Losers 5 7 4 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

3 ♠

4 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♦ by South

Board 309

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 8 6 5 4

♥ 6

♦ Q J 2

♣ T 9 7 5

♠ -

♥ J 9 7

♦ K 6 5 4 3

♣ A Q J 6 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 7 3

♥ Q 5 4 3 2

♦ A T 9 8

♣ 4

♠ A K Q J 2

♥ A K T 8

♦ 7

♣ K 8 2

Shape 0355 3541 5413 5134

HCP 11 6 20 3

Losers 6 8 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹Pass 1 ♥² Pass 1 ♠

Pass 2 ♦ Pass 2 ♥

Pass 3 ♣ Pass 3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 310
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ K 8 6
 ♥ 5 4 2
 ♦ T 4 3
 ♣ Q T 7 3

♠ T 9 7 4 2
 ♥ A K J 6 3
 ♦ -
 ♣ A 4 2



♠ Q J 5
 ♥ 9
 ♦ 8 7 6 5 2
 ♣ J 9 8 5

♠ A 3
 ♥ Q T 8 7
 ♦ A K Q J 9
 ♣ K 6

Shape 5503 3154 2452 3334
 HCP 12 4 19 5
 Losers 6 9 4 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. King ask by 5NT
4. K=0

7NT by South

Board 311

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A 9 2

♥ 4

♦ J 9 4

♣ Q J 9 6 4 3

♠ J T 6 5 3

♥ -

♦ A Q 7 6 3

♣ K 7 5



♠ Q 7 4

♥ K T 9 7 3

♦ T 5 2

♣ T 8

♠ K 8

♥ A Q J 8 6 5 2

♦ K 8

♣ A 2

Shape 5053 3532 2722 3136

HCP 10 5 17 8

Losers 6 9 4 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 312

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 8 7 2

♥ T 9 8 6

♦ 6 5

♣ 7 3

♠ 3

♥ A K Q 3 2

♦ A T 7 4 3

♣ K 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 6 5

♥ 7 4

♦ J 9 8

♣ J 9 5 4

♠ K J 4

♥ J 5

♦ K Q 2

♣ A Q T 8 2

Shape 1552 4234 3235 5422

HCP 16 2 16 6

Losers 4 11 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♣ |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3NT |
| Pass | 4 ♣ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♦ ² |
| Pass | 6NT | | |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

6NT by South

Board 313

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ 5 3
♥ Q 8
♦ Q 9 8 5 4 3 2
♣ 8 5

♠ K
♥ K J T 9 6 4
♦ J
♣ A Q T 9 4

♠ Q 9 7 6 4 2
♥ 7 5 2
♦ K 6
♣ J 3

♠ A J T 8
♥ A 3
♦ A T 7
♣ K 7 6 2

N
W E
S

Shape 1615 6322 4234 2272
HCP 14 6 16 4
Losers 5 8 7 8

| | | | |
|-------------|-------|-------|-----------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| EPBot | EPBot | EPBot | EPBot |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2♥ | Pass | 3NT |
| Pass | 4♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4♥ by North | | | |

Board 314

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 5
♥ K Q T 9 2
♦ T 7 2
♣ 8 6

♠ K 9 8 7 6 3

♥ 3

♦ 3

♣ A Q J 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 4

♥ J 6

♦ Q J 9 8 6 5 4

♣ K T 7

♠ A Q 2

♥ A 8 7 5 4

♦ A K

♣ 9 5 4

Shape 6115 1273 3523 3532

HCP 10 7 17 6

Losers 5 7 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

3♦

1♣¹

3NT

Pass

4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♠ by North

Board 315

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 6 3 2

♥ T 7 3

♦ K 8 5

♣ 9 6 4

♠ K 4

♥ 8

♦ Q T 9 7 3

♣ K Q T 8 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 9 7

♥ Q 4

♦ J 6 2

♣ J 7 5 2

♠ J T 5

♥ A K J 9 6 5 2

♦ A 4

♣ A

Shape 2155 4234 3721 4333

HCP 10 10 17 3

Losers 5 9 5 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

2♥

Pass

3NT

Pass

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♥ by North

1♣¹

Board 316

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 4 2
♥ 9 4
♦ A Q 7 5 4
♣ 9 7 3

♠ -
♥ K 7 6 3 2
♦ K J 8 3 2
♣ J 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 8 6 3
♥ A J T
♦ T 9
♣ A K T 8

♠ K Q T 9 7 5
♥ Q 8 5
♦ 6
♣ Q 6 2

Shape 0553 6313 4324 3253

HCP 8 9 16 7

Losers 7 6 7 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|----------|-----------------|----|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | 2♠ | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 3NT |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 317

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 4
♥ T 8 2
♦ 5 3 2
♣ Q T 6 5 4

♠ K J 9 6 3

♥ K 9 6 5 3

♦ J 6

♣ 3



♠ 7 2

♥ J

♦ A K Q T 9 4

♣ K 8 7 2

♠ A Q T 5

♥ A Q 7 4

♦ 8 7

♣ A J 9

Shape 5521 2164 4423 2335

HCP 8 13 17 2

Losers 7 5 6 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

2 ♦

1 ♣¹
3 ♦³

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. both majors

4 ♥ by North

Board 318

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 7 5 3

♥ 9 7 2

♦ Q 4

♣ Q 9 6

♠ A Q 8 6 2

♥ -

♦ J 6

♣ J T 8 7 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T

♥ J 8 6 4

♦ A 9 7 5 3 2

♣ K 5

♠ J 4

♥ A K Q T 5 3

♦ K T 8

♣ A 3

Shape 5026 1462 2632 5323

HCP 8 8 17 7

Losers 6 7 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 319

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K T 9 7 2

♥ J 9 5 4

♦ 5

♣ 8 4 2

♠ J

♥ 8 7

♦ A J T 3 2

♣ A J 9 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 8 3

♥ K T 3

♦ 8 7 6 4

♣ T 7

♠ 6 5 4

♥ A Q 6 2

♦ K Q 9

♣ K Q 6

Shape 1255 4342 3433 5413

HCP 11 9 16 4

Losers 7 8 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

4 ♠³

Pass

5 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

5 ♣ by South

Board 320
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ J T 9 3
 ♥ K Q 4 3
 ♦ T 7
 ♣ 7 5 4

♠ K 8 7 5 4
 ♥ J 2
 ♦ K Q J 9 8
 ♣ A



♠ A Q 6
 ♥ A T 9
 ♦ A 5 4
 ♣ Q 6 3 2

♠ 2
 ♥ 8 7 6 5
 ♦ 6 3 2
 ♣ K J T 9 8

Shape 5251 1435 3334 4423
 HCP 14 4 16 6
 Losers 5 9 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. A=0/5 or 3/5
3. !S queen no !H king no !C king no !D king

6 ♠ by North

Board 321

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7 3
♥ Q J 8 7 6
♦ 8 7
♣ 6 4 2

♠ 8
♥ K T 5 4 2
♦ K Q J T 6
♣ 7 5



♠ J T 6 5
♥ A 9
♦ 9 5 4 3
♣ A J 3

♠ A K Q 4 2
♥ 3
♦ A 2
♣ K Q T 9 8

Shape 1552 4243 5125 3523

HCP 9 10 18 3

Losers 6 9 3 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 322

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 4

♥ T

♦ K 4 3

♣ K Q J T 9 3 2

♠ A 7 6 5 3

♥ Q J 9 8 7

♦ J T 5

♣ -



♠ T 2

♥ K 6 5 3 2

♦ Q 9 6

♣ 8 7 4

♠ K Q J 8

♥ A 4

♦ A 8 7 2

♣ A 6 5

Shape 5530 2533 4243 2137

HCP 8 5 18 9

Losers 7 9 6 6

West

EPBot

3 ♣

Pass

All Pass

North

EPBot

3 ♠

4 ♠

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹4 ♣²

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

4 ♠ by North

Board 323

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 7
♥ T 9 7 5 3 2
♦ 6 3
♣ K 8

♠ A 5 2

♥ -

♦ A 9 8 5 4

♣ A J 7 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K J

♥ A K J 8

♦ K Q J T

♣ Q T 5

Shape 3055 5323 2443 3622

HCP 13 4 20 3

Losers 6 9 5 9

♠ Q T 6 4 3
♥ Q 6 4
♦ 7 2
♣ 9 6 4

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Splinter

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6NT by South

Board 324

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ A K 7 6
♥ 2
♦ K Q J 9 8 5
♣ 8 2

♠ J T
♥ Q J 7 6 5
♦ 4
♣ K J T 7 3



♠ 5 4 3
♥ T 9 8 4
♦ 7 3 2
♣ Q 5 4

♠ Q 9 8 2
♥ A K 3
♦ A T 6
♣ A 9 6

Shape 2515 3433 4333 4162
HCP 8 2 17 13
Losers 7 11 7 5

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 1 ♥ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 3 ♣ | | 2NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 3 ♣ by South | | | |

Board 325

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q T 5 3

♥ Q 9 8 3

♦ 8 7

♣ 6 4 3

♠ 6

♥ A K J 5 4

♦ Q 5

♣ Q J T 8 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 7

♥ 2

♦ J T 6 4 3 2

♣ K 7 5

♠ A K 8 4 2

♥ T 7 6

♦ A K 9

♣ A 9

Shape 1525 3163 5332 4423

HCP 13 5 18 4

Losers 6 9 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♣ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♣ ² |
| Pass | 5 ♦ | Pass | 5 ♥ ³ |
| Pass | 5 ♠ ⁴ | Pass | 6 ♦ ⁵ |
| Pass | 6 ♥ | | |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. no !H queen

4. King ask by available bid

5. K=2

6 ♥ by North

Board 326

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 2
♥ J 7 6 5
♦ A K J T 5
♣ J 7

♠ A K J 6 3

♥ 9 8 4 3 2

♦ 6

♣ T 6



♠ 5

♥ Q

♦ Q 9 8 7 3

♣ Q 9 5 4 3 2

♠ Q 9 8 7 4

♥ A K T

♦ 4 2

♣ A K 8

Shape 5512 1156 5323 2452

HCP 8 6 16 10

Losers 7 6 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♦

3 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

1 ♠

4 ♠

2 ♦

1 ♣¹

2 ♠

Board 327

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 5 3

♥ -

♦ 7 6 5 3

♣ K Q J 6 4 3

♠ -

♥ Q T 9 8 6 5

♦ A Q T 8 2

♣ 5 2



♠ A Q 9 7 4 2

♥ K 7 4 3

♦ 4

♣ 9 8

♠ K T 8 6

♥ A J 2

♦ K J 9

♣ A T 7

Shape 0652 6412 4333 3046

HCP 8 9 16 7

Losers 5 6 8 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

2 ♠

1 ♣¹

2NT

Pass

6 ♥

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

6 ♥X by North

Board 328

South Deals

None Vul

♠ T 9 8 7 4

♥ J 9 3

♦ A K 4 2

♣ 3

♠ K Q

♥ Q 7 6 5 4 2

♦ Q J 9 5 3

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6 5 3 2

♥ -

♦ T 8 7

♣ K T 9 7 6 5

♠ A J

♥ A K T 8

♦ 6

♣ A Q J 8 4 2

Shape 2650 4036 2416 5341

HCP 10 3 19 8

Losers 5 8 4 8

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

All Pass

North

EPBot

3 ♥

5 ♣²5 ♠³

East

EPBot

4 ♠

Pass

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

4NT

5 ♦

6 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

3. !H queen and !S king

6 ♥ by North

Board 329

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A Q T 9 8 2

♥ Q 9 3

♦ J 9

♣ 7 5

♠ 3

♥ K J 8 6 5

♦ A Q T 8 4

♣ 8 2

N
W E
S

♠ 6 4

♥ T 7 4 2

♦ K 6 5 3 2

♣ Q 9

♠ K J 7 5

♥ A

♦ 7

♣ A K J T 6 4 3

Shape 1552 2452 4117 6322

HCP 10 5 16 9

Losers 6 9 4 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♣¹

2 ♠

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2 ♠ X by West

Board 330
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ J 5 4
 ♥ K T 5 2
 ♦ 8 5
 ♣ K 9 4 3

♠ K Q T 9 2
 ♥ 6
 ♦ A Q 6 4 3
 ♣ 8 7



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

♠ A 8 7 6 3
 ♥ A J 4 3
 ♦ K 9 2
 ♣ A

Shape 5152 0436 5431 3424
 HCP 11 6 16 7
 Losers 5 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Board 331

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A Q 5
♥ Q 7 2
♦ 9 2
♣ Q 9 5 3 2

♠ 8 7

♥ A J T 6 4

♦ Q J 8 5 3

♣ 6



♠ T 2

♥ K 8 5 3

♦ K T 6 4

♣ T 8 4

♠ K J 9 6 4 3

♥ 9

♦ A 7

♣ A K J 7

Shape 2551 2443 6124 3325

HCP 8 6 16 10

Losers 7 9 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 332

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 5
♥ T 4 3 2
♦ T 8 6
♣ Q 6 5

♠ 8 7

♥ -

♦ A Q 7 5 2

♣ A J T 8 7 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 9 6 3 2

♥ J 6 5

♦ K J 9 3

♣ 3

♠ A T 4

♥ A K Q 9 8 7

♦ 4

♣ K 9 2

Shape 2056 5341 3613 3433

HCP 11 8 16 5

Losers 5 8 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 333

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 3
 ♥ K J T 8 7 2
 ♦ 6 5
 ♣ T 8 4

♠ Q 9 8 5 4

♥ 3

♦ -

♣ A K Q J 9 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 2

♥ Q 5 4

♦ T 9 7 3 2

♣ 7 6

♠ A 7 6

♥ A 9 6

♦ A K Q J 8 4

♣ 3

Shape 5107 3352 3361 2623

HCP 12 3 18 7

Losers 3 10 5 8

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♣ by South

Board 334

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 8 3
♥ 9 6 3
♦ J T 7
♣ T 7 5 4

♠ A Q 9 6 2
♥ K J 7 5 4 2
♦ Q
♣ 6



♠ J T 5 4
♥ T 8
♦ 8 6 5 4 2
♣ 9 8

♠ 7
♥ A Q
♦ A K 9 3
♣ A K Q J 3 2

Shape 5611 4252 1246 3334

HCP 12 1 23 4

Losers 5 10 3 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 335

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 8 6 5 4
♥ 9 8 7 6 3
♦ 8 2
♣ 5

♠ Q 9

♥ A Q T 4 2

♦ Q T 5 4 3

♣ T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K J 7 3

♥ J 5

♦ A 9 6

♣ A 9 7 6

♠ A 2

♥ K

♦ K J 7

♣ K Q J 8 4 3 2

Shape 2551 4234 2137 5521

HCP 10 13 17 0

Losers 6 8 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♣

All Pass

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 336

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 7 5

♥ 9 5 2

♦ K Q 7 5

♣ J 6

♠ 9

♥ K Q

♦ A T 9 6 2

♣ T 8 7 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 3 2

♥ T 8 6 4 3

♦ 8 4

♣ K 4 3

♠ K J 8 6 4

♥ A J 7

♦ J 3

♣ A Q 9

Shape 1255 3523 5323 4342

HCP 9 7 16 8

Losers 7 9 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 337

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 9 8 5 2

♥ Q 9 5 2

♦ K

♣ Q J T

♠ J T

♥ K J 8 7 6

♦ Q J 9 7 3

♣ 8



♠ 6 4 3

♥ 3

♦ T 8 6 4 2

♣ K 9 6 2

♠ A K 7

♥ A T 4

♦ A 5

♣ A 7 5 4 3

Shape 2551 3154 3325 5413

HCP 8 3 19 10

Losers 7 9 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3NT

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 338

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 5
 ♥ 8 6 3 2
 ♦ K 2
 ♣ 9 8 7 6

♠ 7

♥ T

♦ Q J 9 6 5 3

♣ A Q J 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 3 2

♥ K Q 9 7 4

♦ 7 4

♣ T 5 3

♠ K Q T 9 6 4

♥ A J 5

♦ A T 8

♣ K

Shape 1165 3523 6331 3424

HCP 10 5 17 8

Losers 5 9 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 339

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 5 4

♥ K Q J T 8 4 3

♦ 6 4

♣ 3

♠ J 2

♥ -

♦ J 9 8 5 3 2

♣ K Q J 6 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6

♥ A 9 7 5 2

♦ A T 7

♣ T 8 7 2

♠ A K Q T 9 8 3

♥ 6

♦ K Q

♣ A 9 4

Shape 2065 1534 7123 3721

HCP 8 8 18 6

Losers 6 8 4 7

West

EPBot

3 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

North

EPBot

4 ♦

5 ♣²

East

EPBot

4 ♥

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

4NT

5 ♠

5 ♠ by South

Board 340

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K
♥ A K 6 5
♦ 7 4
♣ Q 6 5 4 3 2

♠ J T 6 5 4 2

♥ Q T

♦ K Q T 8 3

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 7 3

♥ J 8 7

♦ J 2

♣ T 9 8 7

♠ A Q

♥ 9 4 3 2

♦ A 9 6 5

♣ A K J

Shape 6250 4324 2443 1426

HCP 8 2 18 12

Losers 6 11 7 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 341

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 9 5
♥ 4 3
♦ K 9 2
♣ K J 5 3 2

♠ Q 8 7 3 2

♥ K T 8 5 2

♦ 5

♣ A 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ -

♥ Q J 9 6

♦ Q J 8 7 6 3

♣ 8 7 6

♠ A K J 6 4

♥ A 7

♦ A T 4

♣ Q T 9

Shape 5512 0463 5233 3235

HCP 9 6 18 7

Losers 6 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4 ♠ by South

Board 342

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 3
♥ K 6 4 2
♦ K 5 4 2
♣ J 4 3

♠ A Q 9 6 5

♥ Q T 8 7 3

♦ T 7

♣ 7



♠ K J 7 4 2
♥ 9 5
♦ J 9 6
♣ T 9 6

♠ 8

♥ A J

♦ A Q 8 3

♣ A K Q 8 5 2

Shape 5521 5233 1246 2443

HCP 8 5 20 7

Losers 6 10 3 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♣ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 343

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8
♥ A Q 6 4
♦ 7 2
♣ K J 9 5 4

♠ T 6 5 3 2
♥ 7 5
♦ A K J T 8
♣ 6



♠ 9 7 4
♥ J 9 8
♦ 9 5 4
♣ Q T 8 3

♠ A K Q
♥ K T 3 2
♦ Q 6 3
♣ A 7 2

Shape 5251 3334 3433 2425

HCP 8 3 18 11

Losers 7 11 6 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 344

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 8 7
♥ K J 7 6 5
♦ 5 2
♣ 8 7 3

♠ A 6 5 3 2

♥ T

♦ 7

♣ K Q J 5 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 4

♥ 2

♦ A Q T 8 6 4 3

♣ 9 6

♠ K J

♥ A Q 9 8 4 3

♦ K J 9

♣ A T

Shape 5116 3172 2632 3523

HCP 10 6 18 6

Losers 5 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♣ by South

Board 345

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K 7
 ♥ A 9 4
 ♦ T 6 4
 ♣ J T 4 3 2

♠ Q J T 6 3

♥ K T 8 7 5

♦ 8

♣ Q 5



♠ 8 4 2

♥ 6

♦ K Q 7 5 3 2

♣ K 7 6

♠ A 9 5

♥ Q J 3 2

♦ A J 9

♣ A 9 8

Shape 5512 3163 3433 2335

HCP 8 8 16 8

Losers 7 7 8 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 346

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5
 ♥ J T 8 7 4 2
 ♦ 9 8 7
 ♣ A 9 4

♠ A Q 9 8 3

♥ Q

♦ J 5

♣ K 8 7 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 7 6 4 2

♥ 9 5

♦ Q

♣ Q J 6 2

♠ K

♥ A K 6 3

♦ A K T 6 4 3 2

♣ T

Shape 5125 6214 1471 1633

HCP 12 6 17 5

Losers 6 8 4 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♥ | Dbl | Pass | 4 ♦ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♣ ² |
| Pass | 5 ♦ | Pass | 6 ♦ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♦ by South

Board 347

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 9 7 2

♥ J T 7

♦ A 8 4 3

♣ Q 2

♠ A Q J T 4

♥ 9 8

♦ 5

♣ K J T 9 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 6 5 3

♥ K 6 4 2

♦ 2

♣ 8 5 4 3

♠ -

♥ A Q 5 3

♦ K Q J T 9 7 6

♣ A 7

Shape 5215 4414 0472 4342

HCP 11 3 16 10

Losers 6 9 3 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 4 ♦ |
| Pass | 5 ♣ | Pass | 5 ♦ |
| Pass | 6 ♦ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

6 ♦ by South

Board 348

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K T 8 2

♥ 8 5

♦ 9 7 5 4

♣ J T 6

♠ 7 6 5 4 3

♥ -

♦ A K J

♣ Q 9 7 4 2



♠ -

♥ Q J 7 2

♦ Q T 6 3 2

♣ A 8 5 3

♠ A Q J 9

♥ A K T 9 6 4 3

♦ 8

♣ K

Shape 5035 0454 4711 4243

HCP 10 9 17 4

Losers 6 6 4 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 349

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 7 4 3
 ♥ A 8 4 2
 ♦ -
 ♣ T 9 8 6 3

♠ 8

♥ K Q J 9 3

♦ A K J T 6 2

♣ 7



♠ J 6 5

♥ 7 6

♦ Q 9 7 5 4

♣ K 4 2

♠ A K Q 9 2

♥ T 5

♦ 8 3

♣ A Q J 5

Shape 1561 3253 5224 4405

HCP 14 6 16 4

Losers 4 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

5 ♥ by North

Board 350

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q T 7 3

♥ Q J

♦ T 6 4

♣ T 9 6 2

♠ 9 5 2

♥ -

♦ Q J 8 3 2

♣ K Q J 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 8 4

♥ T 8 7 5 4

♦ A 7 5

♣ 8 5

♠ A J 6

♥ A K 9 6 3 2

♦ K 9

♣ A 7

Shape 3055 3532 3622 4234

HCP 9 7 19 5

Losers 6 9 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2NT

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 351

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ K J T 9 6 4 3

♥ 7 6 4 3

♦ J

♣ 7

♠ 5

♥ J

♦ K Q 9 8 3 2

♣ A 9 8 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 8

♥ Q 9 2

♦ 7 6 5

♣ J T 6 5 3

♠ A 7 2

♥ A K T 8 5

♦ A T 4

♣ K Q

Shape 1165 2335 3532 7411

HCP 10 5 20 5

Losers 5 10 6 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

3 ♠

Pass

Pass

All Pass

4 ♦

5 ♠²6 ♣⁴

Pass

Pass

Pass

1 ♣¹

4NT

5NT³

6NT

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=0

6NT by South

Board 352

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 6 5
♥ T 8 5
♦ 4
♣ T 9 7 6 5

♠ K T 7 4 3
♥ 3 2
♦ A K J T 8
♣ J



♠ A J 2
♥ Q J 9 4
♦ 5 2
♣ Q 8 3 2

♠ 8
♥ A K 7 6
♦ Q 9 7 6 3
♣ A K 4

Shape 5251 3424 1453 4315
HCP 12 10 16 2
Losers 6 8 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 4 ♦ |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | Pass | 5 ♣ |
| Pass | 6 ♦ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 6 ♦ by South | | | |

Board 353

South Deals
None Vul

♠ K J T 5 3
♥ J 7 5 3
♦ A 6 3
♣ 3

♠ A Q 9 8 4
♥ Q T 9 8 6
♦ J
♣ 5 4



♠ -
♥ 4 2
♦ T 7 5 2
♣ K Q J T 8 7 2

♠ 7 6 2
♥ A K
♦ K Q 9 8 4
♣ A 9 6

Shape 5512 0247 3253 5431
HCP 9 6 16 9
Losers 6 6 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 1 ♠ | Dbl | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by North

Board 354

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 6 4
♥ A T 9 6 4 3
♦ A Q 2
♣ 3

♠ K 8 7 5 2
♥ -
♦ J 4 3
♣ A Q T 9 6



♠ J 9 3
♥ 7 5 2
♦ 8 7 6
♣ J 8 5 2

♠ A Q
♥ K Q J 8
♦ K T 9 5
♣ K 7 4

Shape 5035 3334 2443 3631
HCP 10 2 18 10
Losers 6 12 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♥ | Dbl | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 355

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 6
♥ Q J 7 5 4
♦ -
♣ Q T 7 6 3 2

♠ A K Q 9 7

♥ 3

♦ A 8 5 3 2

♣ 9 8



♠ T 8 5 4 3
♥ K T 8 6 2
♦ J 7
♣ 4

♠ 2

♥ A 9

♦ K Q T 9 6 4

♣ A K J 5

Shape 5152 5521 1264 2506

HCP 13 4 17 6

Losers 5 8 4 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

7 ♦ by South

Board 356

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 8 7 4 3

♥ K 8 5

♦ 9 7

♣ A 7 4

♠ -

♥ J 7 4

♦ A K T 4 3

♣ Q J T 8 2



♠ 9 2

♥ Q 9 3 2

♦ 8 6 2

♣ K 6 5 3

♠ A K Q J 6 5

♥ A T 6

♦ Q J 5

♣ 9

Shape 0355 2434 6331 5323

HCP 11 5 17 7

Losers 6 9 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3 ♠

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 357

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A K J 8 6

♥ T 9 8

♦ 9 5 4 3

♣ J

♠ -

♥ K 5 2

♦ K J T 8 7

♣ K T 8 7 4



♠ Q T 9 2

♥ 6 4

♦ Q 6

♣ 9 6 5 3 2

♠ 7 5 4 3

♥ A Q J 7 3

♦ A 2

♣ A Q

Shape 0355 4225 4522 5341

HCP 10 4 17 9

Losers 6 9 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

2 ♠²

3 ♠

1 ♣¹

3 ♠ by West

Board 358

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T
♥ A 9 5 2
♦ J 6 5
♣ T 8 4 3 2

♠ J 2

♥ Q J T 4 3

♦ A T 8 7 3

♣ 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 9 8 7 4 3

♥ K 8 6

♦ Q 2

♣ 9

♠ K 6 5

♥ 7

♦ K 9 4

♣ A K Q J 6 5

Shape 2551 7321 3136 1435

HCP 8 11 16 5

Losers 7 6 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

3 ♠

1 ♣¹

4 ♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♣ by South

Board 359

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 7 5 4 3

♥ 4

♦ K 7 5

♣ 9 8 5 3

♠ -

♥ K Q J T 5 2

♦ Q 9 8 6 4

♣ Q 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 8 6 2

♥ 9 3

♦ 3

♣ A K J T 2

♠ A K 9

♥ A 8 7 6

♦ A J T 2

♣ 7 4

Shape 0652 5215 3442 5134

HCP 10 9 16 5

Losers 5 7 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3 ♥³

Pass

5 ♠

Pass

6 ♦⁴

Pass

6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4. 2 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 360

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 4 2
♥ T 9 8 6 5 2
♦ T 4
♣ 6 3

♠ J
♥ J
♦ A J 9 7 5
♣ K Q T 9 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T 9 8 5
♥ -
♦ 8 6 3 2
♣ A 8 7 5

♠ A Q 7 3
♥ A K Q 7 4 3
♦ K Q
♣ J

Shape 1156 5044 4621 3622

HCP 12 7 21 0

Losers 5 7 3 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♣ | Pass | 2 ♥ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 4 ♣ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by South

Board 361

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A K T 6 3

♥ Q 9

♦ 8 4 3

♣ 7 6 2

♠ 7

♥ J 8 7 5 3

♦ Q 6

♣ K Q 9 4 3

W N E S

♠ Q 9 8 5

♥ K T 4 2

♦ J 9 2

♣ T 5

♠ J 4 2

♥ A 6

♦ A K T 7 5

♣ A J 8

Shape 1525 4432 3253 5233

HCP 8 6 17 9

Losers 7 9 7 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

3 ♣ by South

2 ♥

3 ♣

2 ♠

1 ♣¹

Pass

Board 362

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 5 3
 ♥ 8 4
 ♦ 4
 ♣ K T 6 4 3 2

♠ A Q
 ♥ K T 9 7 3
 ♦ A T 9 7 3
 ♣ 7



♠ 9 8 6 4 2
 ♥ J 5 2
 ♦ Q
 ♣ Q J 9 5

♠ K 7
 ♥ A Q 6
 ♦ K J 8 6 5 2
 ♣ A 8

Shape 2551 5314 2362 4216

HCP 13 6 17 4

Losers 6 9 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=2

6 ♥ by North

Board 363
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 9 7 5 2
 ♥ A T 8 2
 ♦ J 8 5
 ♣ 9 3

♠ K Q T 4 3
 ♥ K J 9 7 4
 ♦ Q 2
 ♣ 2



♠ 6
 ♥ Q 6 5
 ♦ A T 7 4 3
 ♣ T 8 7 5

♠ A J 8
 ♥ 3
 ♦ K 9 6
 ♣ A K Q J 6 4

Shape 5521 1354 3136 4432
 HCP 11 6 18 5
 Losers 6 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

5 ♠ by North

Board 364

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5 3
 ♥ J 9 6 3 2
 ♦ Q 9 4 3
 ♣ K 5

♠ 7 2

♥ K Q T 8 4

♦ -

♣ A Q 7 6 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 8 6 4

♥ 7

♦ T 5 2

♣ J T 8 3

♠ K J T 9

♥ A 5

♦ A K J 8 7 6

♣ 9

Shape 2506 5134 4261 2542

HCP 11 7 16 6

Losers 4 8 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 365

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5
♥ K J T 5
♦ J 9 3
♣ A Q 6 3 2

♠ K Q 9 4 2

♥ 8 3

♦ A 8 6 5 4

♣ 7



♠ J T 7 6 3

♥ 7 4 2

♦ -

♣ J T 9 5 4

♠ A 8

♥ A Q 9 6

♦ K Q T 7 2

♣ K 8

Shape 5251 5305 2452 1435

HCP 9 2 18 11

Losers 6 9 4 7

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 366

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q
♥ K J T 9 2
♦ 9 8 5 4 2
♣ 9 4

♠ K T 9 7 6

♥ 6 4

♦ 7

♣ A K 7 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 5 2

♥ 5 3

♦ A Q J T 6

♣ T 6 5

♠ A 8 4 3

♥ A Q 8 7

♦ K 3

♣ Q J 8

Shape 5215 3253 4423 1552

HCP 10 8 16 6

Losers 6 9 6 8

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♠ by South

Board 367

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A 6 5 4

♥ J T 5

♦ 8 7 2

♣ 8 3 2

♠ K 9 8 7 3

♥ 3 2

♦ J 6 5 4 3

♣ A

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T

♥ A 9 8 7 6

♦ Q 9

♣ Q J 9 4

♠ J 2

♥ K Q 4

♦ A K T

♣ K T 7 6 5

Shape 5251 2524 2335 4333

HCP 8 11 16 5

Losers 7 8 6 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 368

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3
 ♥ K Q J 9 6 5
 ♦ 7 3
 ♣ 9 8 7 2

♠ K T 5 4 2

♥ A 2

♦ Q T 8 6 5

♣ A



♠ 9 7

♥ 8 7 4

♦ 4 2

♣ Q J T 6 5 3

♠ A Q J 8 6

♥ T 3

♦ A K J 9

♣ K 4

Shape 5251 2326 5242 1624

HCP 13 3 18 6

Losers 5 9 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2♥

Pass

Pass

All Pass

Dbl

4NT

6♠

3♥

Pass

1♣¹4♥²5♠³

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !S

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

6♠ by South

Board 369

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 9 7
♥ K T 6 3
♦ A 4 3
♣ J 9 4

♠ 6
♥ Q 2
♦ K T 9 6 2
♣ K Q T 8 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T 8 5 4 3 2
♥ 9 8
♦ J 7
♣ 6 2

♠ A Q
♥ A J 7 5 4
♦ Q 8 5
♣ A 7 5

Shape 1255 7222 2533 3433

HCP 10 4 17 9

Losers 6 8 7 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|----------|-----------------|----|-----------------|
| Pass | 1♥ ² | 3♠ | 1♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 3NT |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 370

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 7
♥ K Q 7 5 4
♦ 9 7 5 4
♣ 8 2

♠ A Q T 8 5

♥ -

♦ Q J 8 6 2

♣ T 7 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 6 4 3 2

♥ J T 9 3

♦ A K T

♣ 4

♠ K

♥ A 8 6 2

♦ 3

♣ A K Q J 9 6 3

Shape 5053 5431 1417 2542

HCP 9 9 17 5

Losers 6 8 4 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♣ |
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 5 ♣ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♣ by South

Board 371

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 5
♥ K Q 7 5 4 2
♦ 5 4
♣ A 6

♠ J 6
♥ 3
♦ A K J 8 7
♣ T 9 5 4 3



♠ T 4 3
♥ T 9 8
♦ T 9 6 3
♣ J 8 2

♠ A K 9 7 2
♥ A J 6
♦ Q 2
♣ K Q 7

Shape 2155 3343 5323 3622

HCP 9 1 19 11

Losers 7 12 6 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♠ by South

Board 372

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 7 3 2

♥ 8 7 5 3

♦ 4 2

♣ T 9

♠ K 5

♥ A 9 6 4 2

♦ J

♣ K Q J 7 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J 4

♥ Q

♦ Q 9 8 7 6 3

♣ 8 5 2

♠ Q T 6

♥ K J T

♦ A K T 5

♣ A 4 3

Shape 2515 3163 3343 5422

HCP 14 9 17 0

Losers 5 8 7 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♥ by North

Board 373

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5
♥ A Q J 4 2
♦ 9 5 2
♣ Q 7 3

♠ A J 7 6 3

♥ T

♦ A J T 7 4

♣ 4 2

 N
W E
 S

♠ K Q 8 2

♥ K 9 6 3

♦ K 6

♣ A J 5

Shape 5152 2335 4423 2533

HCP 10 5 16 9

Losers 7 9 6 8

♠ T 4
♥ 8 7 5
♦ Q 8 3
♣ K T 9 8 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

1 ♠

4 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

2 ♠

Board 374

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ T 9 6 3
♥ A 2
♦ Q T 8 4 2
♣ K 7

♠ Q 5
♥ K 9 8 7 5 4
♦ -
♣ A J 9 4 2



♠ J 7 4
♥ Q 6 3
♦ 9 6 3
♣ Q 8 5 3

♠ A K 8 2
♥ J T
♦ A K J 7 5
♣ T 6

Shape 2605 3334 4252 4252
HCP 10 5 16 9
Losers 6 10 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 3 ♥ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♥ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♥ by North | | | |

Board 375

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 9 6
♥ Q 9 7 5 4 2
♦ 8 5
♣ 8 4

♠ Q J 8 4 2

♥ 6

♦ Q J 9 7 2

♣ A J



♠ T
♥ A J 8 3
♦ T 6 4 3
♣ T 9 6 5

♠ A 7 5 3

♥ K T

♦ A K

♣ K Q 7 3 2

Shape 5152 1444 4225 3622

HCP 11 5 19 5

Losers 6 9 4 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

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

5 ♠ by South

Board 376

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5
♥ 9 7 4 3
♦ 7 6
♣ Q J T 8 4 3

♠ K Q J T 3

♥ 2

♦ A K T 8 2

♣ 6 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 9 8 4 2

♥ J T 5

♦ 9 5 3

♣ 9 7

♠ 7 6

♥ A K Q 8 6

♦ Q J 4

♣ A K 2

Shape 5152 5332 2533 1426

HCP 13 5 19 3

Losers 5 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

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

6NT by South

Board 377

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8
 ♥ A K T 8 5
 ♦ J T
 ♣ K Q 3 2

♠ A K 7 4 3 2

♥ -

♦ 8 5

♣ J T 7 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9
 ♥ Q 9 7 6 4 2
 ♦ 7 3
 ♣ 9 8 6

♠ Q 6 5

♥ J 3

♦ A K Q 9 6 4 2

♣ A

Shape 6025 2623 3271 2524

HCP 8 3 16 13

Losers 6 9 4 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | 4 ♠ |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|------------------|
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♠ ² |
|------|-----|------|------------------|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

5 ♠ by North

Board 378
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ J 6 4 3 2
 ♥ K 4
 ♦ J T 7
 ♣ J 4 2

♠ 7
 ♥ J 9 8 7 5
 ♦ A 8
 ♣ K 9 8 7 6



♠ 5
 ♥ A Q T
 ♦ Q 6 5 4 3 2
 ♣ T 5 3

♠ A K Q T 9 8
 ♥ 6 3 2
 ♦ K 9
 ♣ A Q

Shape 1525 1363 6322 5233
 HCP 8 8 18 6
 Losers 7 7 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 379

South Deals
None Vul

♠ A Q T 7 4 3 2
♥ 7
♦ A 3
♣ 8 7 6

♠ -
♥ A Q 9 8 3 2
♦ T 4
♣ K J 5 4 2

N

W E

S

♠ K J 5
♥ K 5
♦ K Q 8 5 2
♣ A Q 3

Shape 0625 3442 3253 7123
HCP 10 2 18 10
Losers 5 11 5 6

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 3 ♠ | 4 ♥ | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♥ by North | | | |

Board 380

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 6 3
♥ Q 6 5 2
♦ J 8 3
♣ T 9 5

♠ K Q 5 4 2

♥ J T

♦ A

♣ J 8 6 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 7
♥ 8 4 3
♦ K T 9 6 5
♣ Q 7

♠ A 8

♥ A K 9 7

♦ Q 7 4 2

♣ A K 3

Shape 5215 3352 2443 3433

HCP 11 6 20 3

Losers 6 10 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 381

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J T 9 7 6 4

♥ T 3

♦ J T 8 6

♣ 8

♠ A 3

♥ A K J 9 4

♦ Q 9 7 4 2

♣ 9

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 2

♥ Q 6 5

♦ 3

♣ Q T 7 5 4 3 2

♠ K 8 5

♥ 8 7 2

♦ A K 5

♣ A K J 6

Shape 2551 2317 3334 6241

HCP 14 6 18 2

Losers 5 7 7 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

3♥

Pass

3♠

Pass

4♣

Pass

4NT

Pass

5♥²

Pass

5NT³

Pass

6♠⁴

Pass

7♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

3. King ask by 5NT

4. K=3

7♥ by North

Board 382

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 5
♥ A J 8 5 4 2
♦ J 5 4
♣ T 6 3

♠ Q 8 7 6 2

♥ Q T 9 6 3

♦ K 9

♣ A



♠ T 3
♥ K 7
♦ Q T 8 6 3 2
♣ Q 7 5

♠ A K J 9 4

♥ -

♦ A 7

♣ K J 9 8 4 2

Shape 5521 2263 5026 1633

HCP 11 7 16 6

Losers 5 7 4 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♥ | Dbl | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♣ ² |
| Pass | 5 ♠ | Pass | 6 ♠ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♠ by South

Board 383

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ K Q T 8 7 5
♥ 3
♦ Q 8
♣ Q 7 3 2

♠ J 4
♥ K Q J 7 5
♦ 4
♣ J 8 6 5 4



♠ 9 6 3 2
♥ T 6
♦ K J T 9 7 5 3
♣ -

♠ A
♥ A 9 8 4 2
♦ A 6 2
♣ A K T 9

Shape 2515 4270 1534 6124
HCP 8 4 19 9
Losers 7 7 5 6

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 2 ♠ | Dbl | 4 ♠ | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 5 ♥ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

5 ♥ by South

Board 384

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 8 7 3

♥ 9 8 6

♦ T 9

♣ Q J 9 2

♠ A K J 5 2

♥ K J T 7 3

♦ K 8

♣ 6



♠ T 9 4

♥ 5 4 2

♦ 4 2

♣ A 8 7 5 3

♠ 6

♥ A Q

♦ A Q J 7 6 5 3

♣ K T 4

Shape 5521 3325 1273 4324

HCP 15 4 16 5

Losers 5 10 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

4NT

Pass

4 ♦

Pass

6 ♦

5 ♠²

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

6 ♦ by South

Board 385
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ 7 4 3
 ♥ J 9 5 4 2
 ♦ K Q 5
 ♣ 6 2

♠ T 6
 ♥ T
 ♦ A T 6 4 3
 ♣ A 8 5 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A J
 ♥ A Q 8
 ♦ J 9 8 7
 ♣ K J T 9

♠ K Q 9 8 5 2
 ♥ K 7 6 3
 ♦ 2
 ♣ Q 7

Shape 2155 6412 2344 3532
 HCP 8 10 16 6
 Losers 7 6 7 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 2 ♠ | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 386

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 8 6 2

♥ Q 8

♦ A K 3

♣ Q 9 7 5

♠ 7

♥ J 3

♦ J 9 8 7 4

♣ A K T 8 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J 4

♥ T 7 5 4

♦ T 6 5

♣ J 4 3

♠ A K T 5 3

♥ A K 9 6 2

♦ Q 2

♣ 6

Shape 1255 3433 5521 4234

HCP 9 4 16 11

Losers 7 11 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♦

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 387

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 6 5 3

♥ 3

♦ 9 6

♣ A T 7 6 5 4 2

♠ J T 9 8 4

♥ K 5 2

♦ A K T 4 2

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 7

♥ Q J T 9

♦ J 7 5 3

♣ Q J 8

♠ A K 2

♥ A 8 7 6 4

♦ Q 8

♣ K 9 3

Shape 5350 2443 3523 3127

HCP 11 9 16 4

Losers 6 9 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

3 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

1 ♣¹

Board 388

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J T 6 5 4 2
♥ Q T 2
♦ 7 6
♣ J

♠ -
♥ A J 9 6 4 3
♦ 5 4
♣ A 8 7 6 5



♠ 9
♥ K 8 7
♦ Q J T 8 3
♣ T 9 4 2

♠ K Q 8 7 3
♥ 5
♦ A K 9 2
♣ K Q 3

Shape 0625 1354 5143 7321
HCP 9 6 17 8
Losers 6 8 4 7

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |

3 ♠
All Pass

4 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by North

Board 389

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ -
♥ J 3 2
♦ J 9 7 6 4
♣ A 7 6 5 3

♠ A J T 6 5 3 2

♥ 7

♦ -

♣ K J 8 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 8 7
♥ 9 6 4
♦ A Q T 5 3 2
♣ T

♠ K 9 4

♥ A K Q T 8 5

♦ K 8

♣ Q 9

Shape 7105 3361 3622 0355

HCP 9 8 17 6

Losers 5 7 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|--|--|
| Pass | 4 ♠ | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 390

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ Q J
♥ Q 9 8 7 6
♦ T 4
♣ A 9 5 4

♠ 8 6 5
♥ K J T 4 3
♦ A J 9 8 6
♣ -



♠ T 7 3 2
♥ 2
♦ 5 2
♣ K Q J T 8 3

♠ A K 9 4
♥ A 5
♦ K Q 7 3
♣ 7 6 2

Shape 3550 4126 4243 2524
HCP 9 6 16 9
Losers 7 7 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

- 1. 16+ HCP
- 2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 391

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 6 5

♥ J T 7 6 5 2

♦ T 6

♣ 4

♠ 4 2

♥ Q

♦ A K 9 7 2

♣ K J T 9 3



♠ T 9 7

♥ A 9 8 4

♦ Q 5 3

♣ 8 7 6

♠ A K Q 3

♥ K 3

♦ J 8 4

♣ A Q 5 2

Shape 2155 3433 4234 4621

HCP 13 6 19 2

Losers 6 10 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♦

Pass

1♣¹

3♦

Pass

4♦

Pass

4NT

Pass

5♥²

Pass

6♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

6♦ by North

Board 392

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 8 7

♥ A T 9 7 6 4 2

♦ 8 2

♣ 5

♠ 6

♥ J 5

♦ K J 9 5 4

♣ K 9 7 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J T 9 4

♥ Q 8 3

♦ -

♣ Q T 8 6 2

♠ K 5 3 2

♥ K

♦ A Q T 7 6 3

♣ A J

Shape 1255 5305 4162 3721

HCP 8 7 17 8

Losers 7 6 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

3♥

Pass

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

4NT

Pass

4♦

Pass

6♦

All Pass

5♠²

1. 16+ HCP

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

6♦ by South

Board 393

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 4 2
♥ T 3
♦ T 8
♣ 9 8 6 3 2

♠ J
♥ A 9 7 4 2
♦ Q J 7 6 2
♣ 7 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 7 6 5 3
♥ 8 6 5
♦ A 4
♣ A K Q

♠ A Q T
♥ K Q J
♦ K 9 5 3
♣ J T 5

Shape 1552 5323 3343 4225

HCP 8 16 16 0

Losers 7 6 7 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 2NT | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 4 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 394

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 8 4
♥ J T 7 4
♦ K Q 5
♣ T 7 4

♠ A J 6 5 2
♥ A Q 9 5 2
♦ 6
♣ Q 5



♠ T 9 7 3
♥ K 8 6
♦ T 9 4 2
♣ 3 2

♠ K
♥ 3
♦ A J 8 7 3
♣ A K J 9 8 6

Shape 5512 4342 1156 3433

HCP 13 3 16 8

Losers 6 10 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|------------------|
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 4 ♥ | | 2 ♣ |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♥ by North

Board 395

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9
♥ A J 9 8 6 5 2
♦ T 9 8
♣ 7 3

♠ J 7 4 3 2

♥ Q 7

♦ 7

♣ A Q J 8 5

W N
S E

♠ A K T 5

♥ T 4 3

♦ A Q

♣ K 6 4 2

♠ Q 8 6

♥ K

♦ K J 6 5 4 3 2

♣ T 9

Shape 5215 3172 4324 1732

HCP 10 9 16 5

Losers 7 7 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

3 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

3 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

4 ♠

Board 396

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 6 5
♥ 8 7 5 4 2
♦ -
♣ K 9 8 3 2

♠ J
♥ J 3
♦ K T 7 6 5
♣ A T 7 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 9 8 7 4
♥ A 9
♦ Q 8 4 3 2
♣ J

♠ A Q 3 2
♥ K Q T 6
♦ A J 9
♣ Q 5

Shape 1255 5251 4432 3505

HCP 9 10 18 3

Losers 7 6 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|--|--|
| Pass | 3NT | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 397

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 3
♥ 6 5 4 3 2
♦ 8 6 3
♣ 7 4 2

♠ 6 5

♥ -

♦ A K J T 9 5

♣ Q T 6 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q J 9 4 2

♥ K J T 9

♦ 4

♣ 9 8

♠ K T 7

♥ A Q 8 7

♦ Q 7 2

♣ A K J

Shape 2065 6412 3433 2533

HCP 10 11 19 0

Losers 5 6 6 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

2 ♠

3NT

Pass

4 ♦

Pass

5 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

5 ♦ by North

Board 398
South Deals
None Vul

♠ A T 9 4
♥ A 7 2
♦ J T 4
♣ Q T 3

♠ 8 6 5 3 2
♥ K Q J 9 6
♦ A Q
♣ 9

N
W E
 S

♠ 7
♥ T 8 5
♦ 9 8 6 5 3 2
♣ J 8 2

♠ K Q J
♥ 4 3
♦ K 7
♣ A K 7 6 5 4

Shape 5521 1363 3226 4333
HCP 12 1 16 11
Losers 6 10 5 9

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ by North | | | |

Board 399

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 5 3
♥ Q 3
♦ A T 8 5
♣ J 9 4

♠ -

♥ K J T 9 7

♦ J 7 6 4 2

♣ A 7 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 4
♥ 8 6 5 4 2
♦ Q 9
♣ K Q 8 2

♠ A K Q T 8 6 2

♥ A

♦ K 3

♣ T 6 5

Shape 0553 2524 7123 4243

HCP 9 7 16 8

Losers 7 8 4 10

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

4 ♠ by South

Board 400

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 3
♥ J 4
♦ Q J 9 8 6 3
♣ Q 7 4 3

♠ 9 5

♥ K Q 7 6 2

♦ 5

♣ A T 9 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 8 7 6 4

♥ T 8 5 3

♦ K

♣ J 6

♠ A K J 2

♥ A 9

♦ A T 7 4 2

♣ K 8

Shape 2515 6412 4252 1264

HCP 9 6 19 6

Losers 6 8 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 401

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A J 9 6

♥ T 2

♦ J 4 2

♣ Q J 8 5

♠ T

♥ A Q J 6 5 4 3

♦ Q T 9 8 3

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 5 4 2

♥ 9 7

♦ K 7 6 5

♣ 9 7 2

♠ K Q 8 3

♥ K 8

♦ A

♣ A K T 6 4 3

Shape 1750 4243 4216 4234

HCP 9 3 19 9

Losers 4 10 3 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

4 ♥

Pass

2 ♣

Pass

5 ♦³

Pass

4NT

All Pass

6 ♥

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♥ by North

Board 402
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ T 5
 ♥ K 8 5 2
 ♦ J 2
 ♣ J T 9 8 5

♠ A Q 8 4 3
 ♥ Q J T 9 6
 ♦ K Q
 ♣ 7



♠ J 9 2
 ♥ A
 ♦ 9 7 6 5 4 3
 ♣ 6 4 3

♠ K 7 6
 ♥ 7 4 3
 ♦ A T 8
 ♣ A K Q 2

Shape 5521 3163 3334 2425
 HCP 14 5 16 5
 Losers 5 9 7 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|----------|-----|------|------------------|
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♠ |

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 403

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 8 7 2

♥ T 6

♦ 2

♣ J T 9 8 5 3 2

♠ J

♥ K J 9 7 5

♦ Q J 8 6 5 4

♣ A



♠ A 9 6 5 4

♥ A 8 3

♦ T 7 3

♣ 7 6

♠ K Q T 3

♥ Q 4 2

♦ A K 9

♣ K Q 4

Shape 1561 5332 4333 3217

HCP 12 8 19 1

Losers 5 9 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

3♥

Pass

3♠

Pass

4♣

Pass

4NT

Pass

5♦²

Pass

5♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=1/5 or 4/5

5♥ by North

Board 404

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 4

♥ 6 4

♦ K T 9 8 7 5 2

♣ Q T

♠ Q 6 3

♥ A J 7 5 3

♦ -

♣ J 9 8 7 2



♠ T 8 2

♥ T

♦ A Q 6 4 3

♣ A 6 5 4

♠ A K J 9 5

♥ K Q 9 8 2

♦ J

♣ K 3

Shape 3505 3154 5512 2272

HCP 8 10 17 5

Losers 7 7 4 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 405

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ 9 5
♥ K Q J T 2
♦ K 6 5 3 2
♣ Q

♠ K J 6 3 2
♥ A 8
♦ 9
♣ T 9 6 5 4

♠ A T 8 7
♥ 9 7 4 3
♦ J 8
♣ 8 7 3

♠ Q 4
♥ 6 5
♦ A Q T 7 4
♣ A K J 2

N
W E
S

Shape 5215 4423 2254 2551
HCP 8 5 16 11
Losers 7 10 6 6

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 3 ♥ by West | | | |

Board 406
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ T 5 3
 ♥ J 6 4 2
 ♦ T 8 6
 ♣ J 7 5

♠ A 9 6 4 2
 ♥ Q 3
 ♦ Q
 ♣ Q T 8 6 4



♠ J 8
 ♥ K T 8 7 5
 ♦ K J 7 3
 ♣ A 3

♠ K Q 7
 ♥ A 9
 ♦ A 9 5 4 2
 ♣ K 9 2

Shape 5215 2542 3253 3433
 HCP 10 12 16 2
 Losers 7 7 6 12

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Dbl | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 3 ♠ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 407

South Deals
Both Vul

♠ 7 6
♥ K J T 3 2
♦ Q J
♣ Q 9 8 5

♠ K J T 9 4
♥ A Q 9 7 6
♦ 3
♣ T 4



♠ 8 5 3
♥ 4
♦ K T 8 7 6 2
♣ J 7 3

♠ A Q 2
♥ 8 5
♦ A 9 5 4
♣ A K 6 2

Shape 5512 3163 3244 2524
HCP 10 4 17 9
Losers 6 9 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♥ | Dbl | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♠ | | 1 ♠ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

2 ♠ by South

Board 408

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 7 3
♥ K 5 3
♦ Q J T 8 6
♣ K 8 6

♠ A K 9 8 5 4
♥ 6
♦ A
♣ T 7 5 3 2



♠ J T 6
♥ Q J 9 8 7 4 2
♦ 4 3
♣ 9

♠ Q 2
♥ A T
♦ K 9 7 5 2
♣ A Q J 4

Shape 6115 3721 2254 2353
HCP 11 4 16 9
Losers 5 8 6 8

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 3 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♠ |

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 409

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ J 7 6 5
♥ 7 6
♦ K 2
♣ Q T 9 8 6

♠ Q 9 8 4 2

♥ 3 2

♦ Q T 8 7 5

♣ A

N

W E

S

♠ A K 3

♥ T 9 4

♦ J 9 6 4

♣ 5 4 3

♠ T

♥ A K Q J 8 5

♦ A 3

♣ K J 7 2

Shape 5251 3343 1624 4225
HCP 8 8 18 6
Losers 6 10 4 8

| West | North | East | South |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♣ |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |
| 3NT by North | | | |

Board 410

South Deals

Both Vul

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

♠ A T 5 4 2

♥ A 7 2

♦ K J T 6 4

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 6
 ♥ K T 5 4 3
 ♦ 8 5
 ♣ Q 9 8

♠ K Q J 7 3

♥ Q 9 6

♦ A

♣ A K 5 3

Shape 5350 3523 5314 0256

HCP 12 5 19 4

Losers 6 9 4 7

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0
3. King ask by 5NT
4. K=1

7 ♠ by North

Board 411

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 6 5 3

♥ -

♦ A 9 7 4 2

♣ A 8 7 4 3

♠ Q J 8 4 2

♥ K 9 7 4 3

♦ K

♣ T 5



♠ 7

♥ J T 8 5

♦ T 8 6 5

♣ J 9 6 2

♠ A K T 9

♥ A Q 6 2

♦ Q J 3

♣ K Q

Shape 5512 1444 4432 3055

HCP 9 2 21 8

Losers 7 10 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*2NT²

3♠

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

4♦

Pass

4♣³

Pass

4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Unusual 2NT

3. limit raise or better in !S

4♠ by North

Board 412

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 7 4 3

♥ A J T

♦ T 7 4 3

♣ Q 6

♠ -

♥ 7 6

♦ A Q 9 8 6

♣ K J T 9 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 8 6 5 2

♥ Q 9 8 2

♦ J 5 2

♣ 2

♠ A K Q 9

♥ K 5 4 3

♦ K

♣ A 8 7 4

Shape 0256 5431 4414 4342

HCP 10 4 19 7

Losers 5 9 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

4 ♠³

Pass

2NT

Pass

5 ♥⁴

Pass

4NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

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

6 ♣ by South

Board 413

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 7 4 2

♥ 4

♦ 9 8 6

♣ K J 8 4

♠ T 6 5

♥ -

♦ A K Q T 7

♣ 9 7 5 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 9 3

♥ Q T 8 7 5

♦ 5 4 3

♣ T 6

♠ Q J

♥ A K J 9 6 3 2

♦ J 2

♣ A Q

Shape 3055 3532 2722 5134

HCP 9 6 18 7

Losers 6 9 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

2♥

Pass

2NT

Pass

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♥ by North

1♣¹

Board 414

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 3
♥ A J T 8 3 2
♦ K 9 8 2
♣ 8 3

♠ A 9 8 7 6
♥ K Q 7 6 4
♦ -
♣ J 6 2



♠ Q J T
♥ 9 5
♦ A Q J 4
♣ A K Q T

♠ K 5 4 2
♥ -
♦ T 7 6 5 3
♣ 9 7 5 4

Shape 5503 4054 3244 1642
HCP 10 3 19 8
Losers 6 8 5 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♥ | Dbl | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ by South | | | |

Board 415

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 5

♥ T 9 7 5 2

♦ A K 9 8

♣ 8 5 2

♠ Q T 8 6 3

♥ -

♦ T 6 3

♣ A Q T 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ -

♥ A Q 4 3

♦ Q 7 5 4 2

♣ J 9 7 6

♠ A K J 9 7 4 2

♥ K J 8 6

♦ J

♣ K

Shape 5035 0454 7411 1543

HCP 8 9 16 7

Losers 6 6 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4. 2 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 416

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 3 2
 ♥ Q T 2
 ♦ Q 4
 ♣ 8 7 6 3 2

♠ 4

♥ A 9 8 7 3

♦ T 2

♣ K Q J T 9

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 8 7 5

♥ J 6

♦ K 9 7 5 3

♣ 5

♠ K Q J 6

♥ K 5 4

♦ A J 8 6

♣ A 4

Shape 1525 5251 4342 3325

HCP 10 4 18 8

Losers 6 8 6 9

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

4. no !H queen

6 ♥ by North

Board 417

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q 5 4
 ♥ 8 3 2
 ♦ 7 5 4
 ♣ K Q 6 2

♠ A T 9 7 2

♥ A T 9 5 4

♦ J 6

♣ 7



♠ K J 6 3
 ♥ J 7 6
 ♦ K 8 3 2
 ♣ 8 4

♠ 8

♥ K Q

♦ A Q T 9

♣ A J T 9 5 3

Shape 5521 4342 1246 3334

HCP 9 8 16 7

Losers 7 9 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 418

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ Q J 8 3
♥ K T 9 7 6
♦ J 8 4
♣ Q

♠ A 9 5 4 2
♥ Q 4 2
♦ -
♣ A 9 6 4 3



♠ K 7 6
♥ 8 5 3
♦ Q T 9 5 2
♣ T 8

♠ T
♥ A J
♦ A K 7 6 3
♣ K J 7 5 2

Shape 5305 3352 1255 4531
HCP 10 5 16 9
Losers 6 9 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♥ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 3NT | | 2 ♦ |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by North

Board 419

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 7 6 4 3

♥ 8 6 5

♦ 8 6

♣ Q J 7 2

♠ A Q T 8 2

♥ Q T 9 4 2

♦ A 9

♣ 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9

♥ A 7 3

♦ K J T 3 2

♣ 6 5 3

♠ K 5

♥ K J

♦ Q 7 5 4

♣ A K T 9 8

Shape 5521 2353 2245 4324

HCP 12 9 16 3

Losers 5 9 5 10

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Pass 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♣

Pass 4 ♥ Pass 4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

Board 420

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J
♥ K 8 5 4 2
♦ 7 4 2
♣ T 8 7 3

♠ Q 7 6 4 2

♥ -

♦ K J 9 6 3

♣ K 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 8 5 3

♥ Q J 7 6

♦ A

♣ J 9 2

♠ A K

♥ A T 9 3

♦ Q T 8 5

♣ A Q 5

Shape 5053 5413 2443 1534

HCP 9 8 19 4

Losers 6 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 421

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ T 5
♥ K 7 3 2
♦ 7 5 4
♣ T 8 6 5

♠ 7
♥ A Q J T 8
♦ A J 8 6 3
♣ J 9



♠ A K J 6 4
♥ 9 5
♦ K
♣ A Q 4 3 2

♠ Q 9 8 3 2
♥ 6 4
♦ Q T 9 2
♣ K 7

Shape 1552 5242 5215 2434
HCP 13 7 17 3
Losers 6 7 5 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 422

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ 9 8 4 2

♥ K T 9 3

♦ 9 5

♣ 8 7 5

♠ -

♥ 6

♦ A Q T 7 6 4 2

♣ K Q T 9 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J T 7 6 5

♥ Q J 8 2

♦ K J

♣ J 3

♠ A K Q 3

♥ A 7 5 4

♦ 8 3

♣ A 6 4

Shape 0175 5422 4423 4423

HCP 11 9 17 3

Losers 3 8 6 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 1N-3C transfer to diamonds

4. automat

5. 2 out of 4

6 ♦ by South

Board 423

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q T 9 5 4 3
♥ K 7 6 4
♦ Q 5
♣ T

♠ 6

♥ A J 9 8 3

♦ J T 9 8 7

♣ Q 7

W N E S

♠ A K J 7

♥ Q T

♦ K

♣ A K J 6 5 2

Shape 1552 2254 4216 6421

HCP 8 4 21 7

Losers 8 9 5 7

♠ 8 2

♥ 5 2

♦ A 6 4 3 2

♣ 9 8 4 3

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

Dbl

3 ♦

Pass

Pass

1 ♣¹

3 ♣

3NT

3NT by South

Board 424

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 6 5

♥ J

♦ K Q 9 4 3

♣ 8 7 5 2

♠ J 9

♥ K T 9 8 6 2

♦ -

♣ K Q 6 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q 3

♥ Q 5 4

♦ 8 7 6 5

♣ J T 9

♠ A T 8 4 2

♥ A 7 3

♦ A J T 2

♣ A

Shape 2605 3343 5341 3154

HCP 9 8 17 6

Losers 5 9 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

4 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 425

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 4 2
♥ 8 6 5 4
♦ 7 5
♣ Q T 7 2

♠ A 8 7 6 3

♥ J

♦ J 2

♣ K J 9 8 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9
♥ K Q T 3
♦ T 8 6 3
♣ A 5 3

♠ K J 5

♥ A 9 7 2

♦ A K Q 9 4

♣ 4

Shape 5125 2443 3451 3424

HCP 10 9 17 4

Losers 7 8 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 426

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ T 9 2

♥ T 9 5 3

♦ T 9 8

♣ Q 9 8

♠ J 3

♥ A J 6 4 2

♦ A Q 7 4 2

♣ T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 8 7

♥ K Q 8 7

♦ K J

♣ J 7 6 4 3

♠ A K Q 6 5 4

♥ -

♦ 6 5 3

♣ A K 5 2

Shape 2551 2425 6034 3433

HCP 12 10 16 2

Losers 6 7 4 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

3♦

Pass

2♠

Pass

4NT

Pass

3♠

Pass

6♠

5♣²

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♠ by South

Board 427

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 5 2
♥ Q 6 3
♦ 5
♣ Q 8 6 5 3 2

♠ 9

♥ K T 8 7 4 2

♦ A K Q T 2

♣ 4



♠ Q T 4 3

♥ A

♦ J 9 8 7 6 3

♣ J 9

♠ A K J 8 6

♥ J 9 5

♦ 4

♣ A K T 7

Shape 1651 4162 5314 3316

HCP 12 8 16 4

Losers 4 7 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|------------------|
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♥ ² |
|------|-----|------|------------------|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

5 ♥ by North

Board 428

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4 3
♥ A K J 8 6 2
♦ 3
♣ K 9 6 2

♠ T 9 8 7 6 5

♥ T 3

♦ A K J 5 2

♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A 2
♥ 7 5 4
♦ T 7 4
♣ T 8 5 4 3

♠ K Q J

♥ Q 9

♦ Q 9 8 6

♣ A Q J 7

Shape 6250 2335 3244 2614

HCP 8 4 17 11

Losers 6 10 6 6

West

EPBot

1 ♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4 ♠ by North

North

EPBot

1 ♠

4 ♠

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♠

Board 429

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 5
♥ 9 7 5
♦ K J 9 4
♣ K J 8 3 2

♠ A K J T 6

♥ Q T 8 3 2

♦ 7 2

♣ 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 4

♥ K J 4

♦ T 8 5 3

♣ T 9 7 4

♠ Q 9 8 3 2

♥ A 6

♦ A Q 6

♣ A Q 5

Shape 5521 2344 5233 1345

HCP 10 4 18 8

Losers 6 10 5 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

4 ♠ by South

Board 430

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 9 7
♥ Q T 5 4
♦ K J 8 7 2
♣ 6 5

♠ K Q J 8 5 2

♥ 8

♦ 6

♣ A Q T 8 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6 4

♥ J 9 2

♦ Q T 9 4 3

♣ 7 4 2

♠ A T 3

♥ A K 7 6 3

♦ A 5

♣ K J 9

Shape 6115 2353 3523 2452

HCP 12 3 19 6

Losers 4 10 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♣ ² |
| Pass | 7 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. A=0/5 or 3/5

7 ♠ by North

Board 431

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 2
♥ 9 8 5 4 3
♦ Q 7 6 5 2
♣ 5

♠ J 6 5 4 3

♥ J T

♦ J

♣ A J 8 7 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q 8
♥ Q 7 2
♦ A 9 3
♣ K 6 4 3

♠ A 9 7

♥ A K 6

♦ K T 8 4

♣ Q T 9

Shape 5215 3334 3343 2551

HCP 8 14 16 2

Losers 8 7 7 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 2NT | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 432

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 7
♥ J 6 5
♦ J 9 7 4 3 2
♣ 4

♠ -
♥ A K 7 4 3
♦ A 8 6
♣ K J 9 8 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q J 6 4 3
♥ T 9 8 2
♦ -
♣ 6 5 3

♠ K 9 5 2
♥ Q
♦ K Q T 5
♣ A Q T 2

Shape 0535 6403 4144 3361

HCP 15 7 16 2

Losers 5 7 5 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

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|------|-----|--|--|
| Pass | 4NT | | |
|------|-----|--|--|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4NT by South

Board 433

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 6 5
♥ J 9 5
♦ K 9 4 3 2
♣ J 2

♠ Q
♥ 6 4
♦ Q T 7 6 5
♣ A T 8 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 4 3 2
♥ A 8 7 3
♦ A
♣ 9 7 6 4

♠ A K T 8 7
♥ K Q T 2
♦ J 8
♣ K Q

Shape 1255 4414 5422 3352

HCP 8 8 18 6

Losers 7 8 5 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 434

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T
 ♥ 9 8 4 3 2
 ♦ Q 8 6 4
 ♣ 9 8 5

♠ J 8 6 4 2

♥ -

♦ A K 3

♣ K T 6 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q 5 3

♥ J 5

♦ J T 5 2

♣ Q J 7

♠ A 9 7

♥ A K Q T 7 6

♦ 9 7

♣ A 2

Shape 5035 4243 3622 1543

HCP 11 10 17 2

Losers 6 8 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5 ♠ by North

Board 435

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 7 5 2

♥ A T 5

♦ K T 5 4

♣ T 3

♠ J 9

♥ K J 6 4 3

♦ 6

♣ A 9 6 4 2



♠ 8 6 4

♥ 9 8 2

♦ Q J 9 8 7 3

♣ 5

♠ A K Q 3

♥ Q 7

♦ A 2

♣ K Q J 8 7

Shape 2515 3361 4225 4342

HCP 9 3 21 7

Losers 7 9 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

2NT

Pass

3♦

Pass

3♥

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 436

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A T 9 6 4

♥ T 7 6

♦ A 8 3

♣ 5 2

♠ J

♥ 2

♦ K J 9 7 4 2

♣ K J 9 8 7



♠ 8

♥ A J 9 8 5 4 3

♦ Q T 5

♣ T 3

♠ K Q 7 5 3 2

♥ K Q

♦ 6

♣ A Q 6 4

Shape 1165 1732 6214 5332

HCP 9 7 16 8

Losers 6 7 4 9

West

EPBot

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♠²

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2 ♠ by North

Board 437

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q 9 5
♥ A K J 6 5 3
♦ 9 3
♣ 9 4

♠ K J 7 4 3
♥ -
♦ Q J T 8 6 4
♣ Q 7

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 2
♥ T 8 7 4
♦ 7 5
♣ J T 8 5 3 2

♠ A T 8 6
♥ Q 9 2
♦ A K 2
♣ A K 6

Shape 5062 1426 4333 3622

HCP 9 1 20 10

Losers 6 9 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| 2♥ | 3♣ ² | 4♥ | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 6♦ | | 5♦ |

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

6♦ by South

Board 438

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 5 4 2

♥ 5 4

♦ A 7 4 3

♣ J 3

♠ -

♥ A 9 8 6 3

♦ Q 8 6

♣ K T 9 6 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 9 7

♥ K Q J T 7 2

♦ T 5 2

♣ 5

♠ K Q J 6 3

♥ -

♦ K J 9

♣ A Q 8 7 4

Shape 0535 3631 5035 5242

HCP 9 6 16 9

Losers 6 8 4 8

West

EPBot

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

EPBot

3 ♥

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

3NT

3NT by South

Board 439

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 4 3
♥ K J 5
♦ J 8 5
♣ Q 9 5 4 2

♠ Q J 8

♥ Q T 4 3 2

♦ -

♣ K T 8 7 6

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 6 5 2

♥ 6

♦ Q T 9 7 4 3 2

♣ 3

♠ A K T 7

♥ A 9 8 7

♦ A K 6

♣ A J

Shape 3505 4171 4432 2335

HCP 8 2 23 7

Losers 6 7 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|------------------|
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 4 ♥ ³ |
|------|-----|------|------------------|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♥ by North

Board 440

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K 7 4
 ♥ T 7 5 3
 ♦ 7
 ♣ K 7 6 5 4

♠ 2

♥ A J 9 6 4

♦ A 9 6 5 2

♣ J T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 9 8 6

♥ Q 8 2

♦ 8 3

♣ 9 8 3 2

♠ A Q T 5 3

♥ K

♦ K Q J T 4

♣ A Q

Shape 1552 4324 5152 3415

HCP 10 3 21 6

Losers 7 10 4 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 3NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 441

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 7 5 3

♥ 7 6 3

♦ K 3

♣ K J T 6

♠ A K J 8 6

♥ 9

♦ Q 9 7 4 2

♣ Q 3



♠ T 9

♥ Q T 8 5

♦ T 8 6 5

♣ 8 7 5

♠ 4 2

♥ A K J 4 2

♦ A J

♣ A 9 4 2

Shape 5152 2443 2524 4324

HCP 12 2 17 9

Losers 6 10 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

3 ♦

Pass

2 ♥

All Pass

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

3NT by South

Board 442

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 7 6

♥ J 2

♦ 8

♣ A Q T 9 8 3

♠ J

♥ T 9 8 5 3

♦ A Q 9 7 6 4

♣ J

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 8 3 2

♥ Q 7 6

♦ T 2

♣ 7 6 5 2

♠ A 9 5 4

♥ A K 4

♦ K J 5 3

♣ K 4

Shape 1561 4324 4342 4216

HCP 8 2 18 12

Losers 6 10 6 5

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2♣

2♥

Pass

1♣¹3♣²

Dbl

4NT

Pass

5♣³

Pass

5♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. limit raise or better in !H

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

5♥ by North

Board 443

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 9 3 2
♥ Q T 4
♦ K J 6 5 3
♣ A K

♠ 8 7 6 5 4
♥ A K J 7 6
♦ -
♣ T 4 3



♠ A K T
♥ 8 3
♦ A Q 9 2
♣ Q J 8 7

♠ Q J
♥ 9 5 2
♦ T 8 7 4
♣ 9 6 5 2

Shape 5503 2344 3244 3352
HCP 8 3 16 13
Losers 7 11 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♦ | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♥ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♠ by North | | | |

Board 444

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 9 5 4
♥ K 6 4 3 2
♦ T 8 6
♣ 6 5

♠ Q 3
♥ 5
♦ K Q J 7 5
♣ 9 7 4 3 2



♠ J T 7 6
♥ T 9 8
♦ A 9 4 2
♣ Q 8

♠ A K 8 2
♥ A Q J 7
♦ 3
♣ A K J T

Shape 2155 4342 4414 3532

HCP 8 7 22 3

Losers 7 10 4 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4NT |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4NT by South

Board 445

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8 7
♥ T 9 4
♦ 9 8 6
♣ K Q J 5 2

♠ 6

♥ K J 8 6 5 2

♦ A

♣ T 9 8 7 3



♠ J 5 3

♥ A 7 3

♦ J T 7 5 2

♣ 6 4

♠ A K Q T 9 4 2

♥ Q

♦ K Q 4 3

♣ A

Shape 1615 3352 7141 2335

HCP 8 6 20 6

Losers 6 10 2 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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|------|------------------|------|------------------|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 3 ♠ ³ |
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| Pass | 4 ♦ | Pass | 6 ♠ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. solo suit

6 ♠ by South

Board 446

South Deals
None Vul

♠ A 9 8 4
♥ K 8 7 2
♦ Q 9
♣ 9 6 3

♠ 5
♥ Q 4
♦ A J T 7 2
♣ K Q J T 7



♠ J T 3
♥ J T 9 3
♦ 8 6 5 4
♣ 5 2

♠ K Q 7 6 2
♥ A 6 5
♦ K 3
♣ A 8 4

Shape 1255 3442 5323 4423
HCP 13 2 16 9
Losers 6 11 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 2 ♠ |
| Pass | 3 ♣ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 447

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 9 5 2

♥ T 9 5

♦ Q 7

♣ K 4 3

♠ A 4

♥ -

♦ K J T 5 4 3

♣ A J 7 5 2

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| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ T 8 6

♥ Q J 8 6 3 2

♦ 6

♣ T 8 6

♠ K 7 3

♥ A K 7 4

♦ A 9 8 2

♣ Q 9

Shape 2065 3613 3442 5323

HCP 13 3 16 8

Losers 5 9 7 9

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

Pass

All Pass

North

*EPBot*2 ♠²

4 ♦

6 ♦

East

EPBot

Pass

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

2NT

5 ♦

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

6 ♦ by North

Board 448

South Deals
E-W Vul

♠ A K T 5 2
♥ 8 4 2
♦ K 8 4
♣ 5 3

♠ 7 4
♥ K Q 7 5 3
♦ 3
♣ K Q J 8 6



♠ J 9 8 6
♥ T 9
♦ Q T 7 5
♣ 9 7 2

♠ Q 3
♥ A J 6
♦ A J 9 6 2
♣ A T 4

Shape 2515 4243 2353 5332
HCP 11 3 16 10
Losers 5 10 8 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| 1 ♠ | 3 ♥ | Pass | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| All Pass | | | 4 ♥ |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 4 ♥ by North | | | |

Board 449

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q T 3
♥ K 6 5
♦ T 6
♣ Q T 9 7 6

♠ J 9 8 6 5
♥ Q 7
♦ A K 9 3 2
♣ 3



♠ 7 2
♥ T 8 4 3 2
♦ 7 5 4
♣ K J 5

♠ A K 4
♥ A J 9
♦ Q J 8
♣ A 8 4 2

Shape 5251 2533 3334 3325

HCP 10 4 19 7

Losers 7 10 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by South

Board 450

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 3

♥ J 8 5 4

♦ K 9 7 4

♣ T 6 3 2

♠ A T 9 7 5

♥ Q

♦ J 5

♣ Q 9 8 7 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 6 4

♥ A K T 9 6 3

♦ Q 6 2

♣ 5

♠ K J 8 2

♥ 7 2

♦ A T 8 3

♣ A K J

Shape 5125 3631 4243 1444

HCP 9 11 16 4

Losers 7 6 7 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Dbl

3 ♠³

Pass

3NT

Pass

4 ♣

Pass

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♠ by South

Board 451

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 8 5 3
♥ Q 9 4
♦ 9
♣ A J T 8 7

♠ K 9 7 4 2

♥ A

♦ J 8 7 5 2

♣ K 9



♠ Q J 6
♥ J 8 5 3 2
♦ Q T
♣ 4 3 2

♠ A

♥ K T 7 6

♦ A K 6 4 3

♣ Q 6 5

Shape 5152 3523 1453 4315

HCP 11 6 16 7

Losers 6 10 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 452

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K 8 5
♥ 5 2
♦ T 5 4
♣ A Q T 8 4

♠ J 9 3
♥ J 8 7 6 3
♦ A Q J 8 7
♣ -

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q T
♥ A K Q 4
♦ K 9 3
♣ K J 7

♠ 7 6 4 2
♥ T 9
♦ 6 2
♣ 9 6 5 3 2

Shape 3550 4225 3433 3235

HCP 9 0 22 9

Losers 7 10 5 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 6 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

6 ♥ by North

Board 453
 South Deals
 N-S Vul

♠ T 2
 ♥ Q T 7 6
 ♦ K Q J 9
 ♣ K 7 6

♠ K Q 8 7 6
 ♥ K J 9 8 4
 ♦ 7
 ♣ Q 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 4 3
 ♥ 5 2
 ♦ 8 6 4 3 2
 ♣ T 4 3

♠ A 9 5
 ♥ A 3
 ♦ A T 5
 ♣ A J 9 8 2

Shape 5512 3253 3235 2443
 HCP 11 1 17 11
 Losers 6 11 7 7

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. A=1/5 or 4/5

6 ♠ by South

Board 454

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q 9 7 6 3

♥ A 9 6 4

♦ J 7

♣ J 2

♠ T 8 5 4 2

♥ K 8

♦ A Q T 8 4

♣ T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ -

♥ Q 7 5

♦ K 9 6 5 2

♣ 9 7 6 5 4

♠ A K J

♥ J T 3 2

♦ 3

♣ A K Q 8 3

Shape 5251 0355 3415 5422

HCP 9 5 18 8

Losers 6 7 5 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

Pass

2 ♣

All Pass

4 ♠

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 455

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ Q 9 8
♥ 8 7
♦ 2
♣ Q J T 8 7 3 2

♠ K J T 4 3
♥ Q 2
♦ Q T 8 5 4 3
♣ -



♠ 7 5 2
♥ A K J 9 6 3
♦ 6
♣ 9 6 5

♠ A 6
♥ T 5 4
♦ A K J 9 7
♣ A K 4

Shape 5260 3613 2353 3217
HCP 8 8 19 5
Losers 6 8 6 7

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 3 ♣ | 3 ♠ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 456

South Deals

None Vul

♠ K T 2
 ♥ T 9 7 4
 ♦ Q 7 3
 ♣ T 5 2

♠ Q 9 8 5 3

♥ A 5 2

♦ -

♣ A Q 9 6 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6

♥ 8 6 3

♦ K J 6 5 4

♣ J 8 7

♠ A J 4

♥ K Q J

♦ A T 9 8 2

♣ K 4

Shape 5305 2353 3352 3433

HCP 12 5 18 5

Losers 5 10 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 5 ♦ ² | Pass | 5 ♠ ³ |
| Pass | 6 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

6 ♠ by North

Board 457

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T
♥ K Q J 9 8 5
♦ J 9 8 5
♣ 5 2

♠ Q J 7 4 3

♥ 7

♦ Q 3

♣ K Q T 8 7

W N
S E

♠ 8 5 2

♥ 6 4 2

♦ K T 6 2

♣ A 4 3

♠ A K 9 6

♥ A T 3

♦ A 7 4

♣ J 9 6

Shape 5125 3343 4333 1642

HCP 10 7 16 7

Losers 6 10 8 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2♥

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

4♠ by South

Dbl
4♠

Pass

1♣¹
2♠

Board 458

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q 8 7 5 2

♥ K 6 5

♦ T 6

♣ T 8

♠ A J T 6 3

♥ A Q 4 3 2

♦ 9

♣ 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 4

♥ T 7

♦ J 7 5 4 3

♣ A 7 5 3 2

♠ 9

♥ J 9 8

♦ A K Q 8 2

♣ K Q J 9

Shape 5512 1255 1354 6322

HCP 11 5 16 8

Losers 6 8 5 7

West

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

EPBot

Dbl

4 ♥

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

3 ♥

4 ♥ by South

Board 459

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 4
♥ 9 4 2
♦ 9 8 6 3
♣ Q 7 6 4 3

♠ Q 9 8 7 6

♥ J

♦ K Q 7 5 4

♣ 9 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T 5 2

♥ 8 7 5

♦ A J 2

♣ K J 2

♠ A J 3

♥ A K Q T 6 3

♦ T

♣ A T 8

Shape 5152 4333 3613 1345

HCP 8 12 18 2

Losers 6 9 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

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| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

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|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♥ |
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|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 460

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8
♥ K 9 7
♦ J 7 6 3
♣ 9 8 7 6 4

♠ 6 5 4 3 2

♥ A

♦ A T 5 4 2

♣ K 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J
♥ Q T 8 3 2
♦ 9 8
♣ A T 5 2

♠ A K T 9 7

♥ J 6 5 4

♦ K Q

♣ Q J

Shape 5152 2524 5422 1345

HCP 11 9 16 4

Losers 6 8 7 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Splinter

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

6 ♠ by South

Board 461

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 7 2
 ♥ 9 6 5 3
 ♦ 8 3 2
 ♣ T 9 7 3

♠ A K 6 5 4

♥ -

♦ A T 6 5 4

♣ K Q 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 3
 ♥ T 8 7 2
 ♦ Q 7
 ♣ J 8 6 5

♠ Q J T

♥ A K Q J 4

♦ K J 9

♣ A 4

Shape 5053 3424 3532 2434

HCP 16 3 21 0

Losers 4 11 5 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !S

3. 1 out of 4

4. !S queen and !D king

7 ♠ by North

Board 462

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 2
♥ 9 7 5
♦ T 9 8 3
♣ A Q 7 5 3

♠ K T 9 8 5

♥ A 4

♦ Q J 7 6 5

♣ 6

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|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 7 6 4 3

♥ Q J T 2

♦ A 4 2

♣ 8

♠ A Q

♥ K 8 6 3

♦ K

♣ K J T 9 4 2

Shape 5251 5431 2416 1345

HCP 10 8 16 6

Losers 6 8 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2 ♠ by North

Board 463

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 4

♥ Q T 9 7 6 5 2

♦ Q T 9 8 7

♣ -

♠ A Q J 9 2

♥ 4

♦ 5 2

♣ Q 9 8 7 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K T 8 7 5

♥ J 8 3

♦ K 3

♣ A T 6

♠ 6 3

♥ A K

♦ A J 6 4

♣ K J 4 3 2

Shape 5125 5323 2245 1750

HCP 9 11 16 4

Losers 6 8 6 5

West

EPBot

3♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

North

EPBot

3♠

East

EPBot

Pass

South

*EPBot*1♣¹

3NT

3NT by South

Board 464

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ Q T 7 2

♥ 6

♦ 9 8 4

♣ K T 9 5 2

♠ -

♥ K Q 8 5 2

♦ A 5 3

♣ A 8 7 6 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 9 4 3

♥ T 7 3

♦ Q T 7 6 2

♣ 4

♠ A J 8 6 5

♥ A J 9 4

♦ K J

♣ Q J

Shape 0535 4351 5422 4135

HCP 13 5 17 5

Losers 5 8 7 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♥

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

5♠²

Pass

6♣³

Pass

6♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 1 out of 4

6♥ by North

Board 465

South Deals

None Vul

♠ A 2

♥ J T 8 4

♦ 7 5 4 2

♣ K 8 6

♠ T 6

♥ Q

♦ A Q T 9 8

♣ A Q T 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 7 5 4 3

♥ 7 5 3

♦ J 6 3

♣ 7

♠ K Q J

♥ A K 9 6 2

♦ K

♣ J 9 3 2

Shape 2155 6331 3514 2443

HCP 14 1 17 8

Losers 5 10 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♦

Pass

2♥

Pass

3♣

Pass

3NT

Pass

4NT

Pass

6♣

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

6♣ by South

Board 466

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 3
 ♥ 9 6
 ♦ J 9 8 7 6
 ♣ K 8 6 5

♠ K Q T 9 4

♥ Q T 8 5 3

♦ 3

♣ A 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6 2

♥ A 7

♦ 5 2

♣ Q J T 9 7 3

♠ A 8 5

♥ K J 4 2

♦ A K Q T 4

♣ 2

Shape 5512 3226 3451 2254

HCP 11 7 17 5

Losers 5 8 5 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |

| | | | |
|--|--|--|------------------|
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
|--|--|--|------------------|

| | | | |
|------|------------------|------|-----|
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2 ♦ |
|------|------------------|------|-----|

| | | | |
|------|-----|------|-----|
| Pass | 2 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
|------|-----|------|-----|

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 467

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A 8 7 3
♥ 9 8 7 4 3 2
♦ 5
♣ 7 3

♠ 9 6

♥ -

♦ Q J 8 3 2

♣ A Q T 8 6 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 5
♥ Q J T 6 5
♦ K T 6
♣ K 2

♠ K J 4 2

♥ A K

♦ A 9 7 4

♣ J 9 4

Shape 2056 3532 4243 4612

HCP 9 11 16 4

Losers 5 7 7 8

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial
3. 1N-2S transfer to clubs
4. automat

3NT by South

Board 468
 South Deals
 Both Vul

♠ 8 6
 ♥ K 7
 ♦ T 7 5 3 2
 ♣ T 7 6 4

♠ Q J 9 4 3 2
 ♥ T 9
 ♦ -
 ♣ K Q 5 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A T 5
 ♥ 8 5 4 3
 ♦ A Q J 8 6
 ♣ 8

♠ K 7
 ♥ A Q J 6 2
 ♦ K 9 4
 ♣ A J 9

Shape 6205 3451 2533 2254
 HCP 8 11 18 3
 Losers 5 7 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 469

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ A J 6 5 2

♥ A J 6 3 2

♦ 7

♣ 9 6

♠ K

♥ 7 5

♦ Q J T 8 2

♣ Q T 8 5 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q T 9 7 3

♥ K

♦ 6 5 4 3

♣ J 7 4

♠ 8 4

♥ Q T 9 8 4

♦ A K 9

♣ A K 2

Shape 1255 5143 2533 5512

HCP 8 6 16 10

Losers 7 9 6 7

West

EPBot

1 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

4 ♠ X by West

North

*EPBot*2 ♠²

East

EPBot

4 ♠

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Dbl

Board 470

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 8
 ♥ J 7 4 2
 ♦ A Q 9 4
 ♣ K 8

♠ 2

♥ A T 9 8 5

♦ K J T 8 7 3

♣ Q

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ J 6 4 3

♥ 6

♦ 6 5

♣ 9 7 6 5 3 2

♠ A K Q 7 5

♥ K Q 3

♦ 2

♣ A J T 4

Shape 1561 4126 5314 3442

HCP 10 1 19 10

Losers 6 9 4 8

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

Dbl

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6 ♥ X by North

Board 471

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 9 5
♥ 9 8 7 4 2
♦ Q J T 6
♣ J

♠ 8 6 4 3 2

♥ 3

♦ 7 4

♣ A K Q 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A K Q

♥ 5

♦ 8 5 3 2

♣ T 9 7 6 2

♠ T 7

♥ A K Q J T 6

♦ A K 9

♣ 8 3

Shape 5125 3145 2632 3541

HCP 9 9 17 5

Losers 6 7 5 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by North

Board 472

South Deals

None Vul

♠ Q J 8 7 2

♥ A Q 6

♦ J 8 5

♣ T 6

♠ 9 6

♥ 9

♦ A T 9 7 3

♣ A K 9 4 3



♠ K T 5 4 3

♥ T 8 5 4 3

♦ 6 4

♣ 5

♠ A

♥ K J 7 2

♦ K Q 2

♣ Q J 8 7 2

Shape 2155 5521 1435 5332

HCP 11 3 16 10

Losers 6 8 5 8

West

EPBot

1 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

North

*EPBot*2 ♠²

5 ♣

East

EPBot

4 ♠

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹

Dbl

5 ♣ by South

Board 473
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ T 8 5
 ♥ J 8
 ♦ K 9 5 2
 ♣ 6 5 4 2

♠ K J 9 6 3
 ♥ A K 9 7 4
 ♦ 8 6
 ♣ K

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 4 2
 ♥ T 6
 ♦ Q J T 3
 ♣ 9 8 7 3

♠ A 7
 ♥ Q 5 3 2
 ♦ A 7 4
 ♣ A Q J T

Shape 5521 3244 2434 3244
 HCP 14 5 17 4
 Losers 6 9 6 10

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP
2. Two Way New Minor Forcing
3. artificial
4. A=0/5 or 3/5
5. !H queen no !S king no !C king no !D king
6. King ask by available bid
7. K=0

7 ♥ by South

Board 474

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A J 7 5 3

♥ 3

♦ 9 5 2

♣ J 9 7 5

♠ 6 2

♥ J T 9 8 7

♦ 6

♣ A K Q T 3



♠ Q 9 4

♥ Q 6 4

♦ Q 4 3

♣ 8 6 4 2

♠ K T 8

♥ A K 5 2

♦ A K J T 8 7

♣ -

Shape 2515 3334 3460 5134

HCP 10 6 18 6

Losers 6 9 4 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

*EPBot*1 ♣¹Pass 1 ♥² Pass 2 ♦

Pass 2 ♥ Pass 5 ♣

Pass 5 ♦³ Pass 6 ♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. 0 out of 4

6 ♥ by North

Board 475

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 8 7 6
 ♥ 5 2
 ♦ J 8
 ♣ Q T 9 6 4 2

♠ -

♥ A Q J T 7

♦ A Q 6 5 4 3

♣ J 3



♠ A Q T 9 5 3
 ♥ 9 8 3
 ♦ T 9 7
 ♣ 5

♠ K J 4 2

♥ K 6 4

♦ K 2

♣ A K 8 7

Shape 0562 6331 4324 3226

HCP 14 6 17 3

Losers 4 8 6 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 2♥ | Pass | 3♥ |
| Pass | 5♠ ² | Dbl | 5NT ³ |
| Pass | 7♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. Exclusion, for !H

3. 2 out of 4

7♥ by North

Board 476

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 8 7 3

♥ 7 5 2

♦ 9 6 2

♣ T 4 3

♠ T 2

♥ K J 9 6 4

♦ 4

♣ A Q J 5 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q 9 4

♥ A Q 8

♦ T 8 3

♣ 9 7 6

♠ A 6 5

♥ T 3

♦ A K Q J 7 5

♣ K 8

Shape 2515 4333 3262 4333

HCP 11 11 17 1

Losers 6 8 5 12

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

2 ♥

Pass

2 ♦

All Pass

3NT

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 477

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ A Q 9 8 6 5

♥ Q T 3

♦ -

♣ J 9 3 2

♠ J 4

♥ K 8 7 5 2

♦ A T 8 7 2

♣ 7



♠ T 7 3 2

♥ 9 6 4

♦ K 4 3

♣ Q T 4

♠ K

♥ A J

♦ Q J 9 6 5

♣ A K 8 6 5

Shape 2551 4333 1255 6304

HCP 8 5 18 9

Losers 7 10 5 6

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2 ♠

Pass

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

Dbl

4 ♥

3 ♠

Dbl

1 ♣¹

4 ♥ by North

Board 478

South Deals
None Vul

♠ A J 4
♥ 5
♦ K T 3
♣ Q J T 8 4 2

♠ K Q 2
♥ K J 8 7 6
♦ 8 7 6 5 2
♣ -



♠ T 7 6 5
♥ T 9 3
♦ J 4
♣ K 9 5 3

♠ 9 8 3
♥ A Q 4 2
♦ A Q 9
♣ A 7 6

Shape 3550 4324 3433 3136
HCP 9 4 16 11
Losers 6 10 7 7

| | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♣ | 3 ♣ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

3NT by South

Board 479

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q J 6 2
♥ T 5 4
♦ 3
♣ 8 6 5 3 2

♠ K T 9 8 3

♥ -

♦ K J 9 6 5

♣ A J 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 5

♥ K Q J 8 6 2

♦ Q T 8

♣ 9 7

♠ A 4

♥ A 9 7 3

♦ A 7 4 2

♣ K Q T

Shape 5053 2632 2443 4315

HCP 12 8 17 3

Losers 6 7 6 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♠

Pass

1NT

Pass

2 ♦²

2 ♥

4 ♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Two Way New Minor Forcing

4 ♠ by North

Board 480
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ A J 7
 ♥ 6 4
 ♦ A Q 9 7
 ♣ T 9 8 4

♠ K 9
 ♥ Q
 ♦ K J 5 3 2
 ♣ J 7 5 3 2

N
 W E
 S

♠ Q 8 6 3 2
 ♥ A K T
 ♦ T 6
 ♣ A K 6

♠ T 5 4
 ♥ J 9 8 7 5 3 2
 ♦ 8 4
 ♣ Q

Shape 2155 3721 5323 3244
 HCP 10 3 16 11
 Losers 7 9 6 8

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1 ♠ |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
 2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 481

South Deals
None Vul

♠ 9 6 5 4
♥ 9 7 3 2
♦ 7 4
♣ Q 8 7

♠ 2
♥ Q T
♦ Q J T 6 3
♣ K J T 3 2

N
W E
 S

♠ A Q J T 8 7
♥ 8 5 4
♦ 8 5
♣ A 5

♠ K 3
♥ A K J 6
♦ A K 9 2
♣ 9 6 4

Shape 1255 6322 2443 4423
HCP 9 11 18 2
Losers 7 7 6 10

| | | | |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| West | North | East | South |
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 1 ♠ | 3NT |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |

3NT by South

Board 482

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ 8 7 3 2

♥ J T 3

♦ Q 6 4 3

♣ 4 2

♠ J 4

♥ K Q 9 7 2

♦ 7

♣ Q J T 6 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K 6 5

♥ 5

♦ A J 9 8 5

♣ K 8 7 5

♠ A Q T 9

♥ A 8 6 4

♦ K T 2

♣ A 9

Shape 2515 3154 4432 4342

HCP 9 11 17 3

Losers 6 7 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Dbl | 3 ♥ ³ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4 ♣ |
| Pass | 4 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Super acceptance after NT

4 ♥ by North

Board 483

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ T 9 6 3

♥ J 7

♦ J 8 6 4

♣ 5 4 3

♠ K Q 7 5 2

♥ K Q 9 6 5 2

♦ 7 2

♣ -



♠ J 8 4

♥ 4 3

♦ 9 5

♣ K Q J 8 7 6

♠ A

♥ A T 8

♦ A K Q T 3

♣ A T 9 2

Shape 5620 3226 1354 4243

HCP 10 7 21 2

Losers 4 8 4 11

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

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. A=1/5 or 4/5

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

6 ♥ by North

Board 484

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9
♥ J 7 6 2
♦ T 8 6
♣ A Q 9 7 6

♠ -

♥ A T 9 8 5

♦ A Q 9 7 3

♣ J 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q J T 7 5 4 3

♥ Q

♦ J 4

♣ T 8 5

♠ A K 8 6 2

♥ K 4 3

♦ K 5 2

♣ K 2

Shape 0553 7123 5332 1435

HCP 11 6 16 7

Losers 6 8 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

3♠

1♣¹

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3♠ by East

Board 485

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ Q T 2
♥ A K T 7 6 4
♦ J
♣ T 7 2

♠ A K 9 8 7 5

♥ Q J 9 3 2

♦ 3

♣ Q

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6

♥ 5

♦ T 9 8 6 4 2

♣ 9 8 6 4 3

♠ J 4 3

♥ 8

♦ A K Q 7 5

♣ A K J 5

Shape 6511 1165 3154 3613

HCP 12 0 18 10

Losers 5 8 5 7

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

2♥
All Pass
1♣¹
4♠

3♥²

Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. Rubensohl after 1m

4♠ by South

Board 486

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ K T 9

♥ K J 4 3

♦ Q J 9

♣ K J 8

♠ 8

♥ Q 5

♦ A 6 5 4 2

♣ Q T 7 6 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 7 6 5 3

♥ T 9 8 6

♦ T 3

♣ 9 5

♠ A J 4 2

♥ A 7 2

♦ K 8 7

♣ A 3 2

Shape 1255 5422 4333 3433

HCP 8 2 16 14

Losers 7 9 8 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Dbl

1♥²

Pass

1NT

Pass

2NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

2NT by South

Board 487

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 8
♥ 9 6 4 3 2
♦ K J 9 4 3
♣ T 9

♠ K J T 7 6 4

♥ K

♦ 7

♣ J 8 4 3 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 9 5 3

♥ A J T 5

♦ Q T 6

♣ K 5

♠ A 2

♥ Q 8 7

♦ A 8 5 2

♣ A Q 7 6

Shape 6115 4432 2344 1552

HCP 8 12 16 4

Losers 7 7 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1♥²

Pass

1♣¹

Pass

4♥³

Pass

4♠

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

4♠ by South

Board 488
 South Deals
 None Vul

♠ T 8 7 5
 ♥ 6 3 2
 ♦ K 8 6
 ♣ A T 7

♠ Q J 9 4 3
 ♥ 9
 ♦ Q T
 ♣ Q J 5 4 2

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A K 2
 ♥ A J 8 5 4
 ♦ A 9
 ♣ 9 8 6

♠ 6
 ♥ K Q T 7
 ♦ J 7 5 4 3 2
 ♣ K 3

Shape 5125 1462 3523 4333
 HCP 8 9 16 7
 Losers 7 6 7 10

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

1. 16+ HCP
2. artificial

4 ♠ by North

Board 489

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ A J 3
♥ 8 4 2
♦ 7 5
♣ J T 8 6 2

♠ 7
♥ Q J T 9 6
♦ K J 9 3 2
♣ Q 5

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ K Q 8 6 5
♥ 5 3
♦ A 6
♣ 9 7 4 3

♠ T 9 4 2
♥ A K 7
♦ Q T 8 4
♣ A K

Shape 1552 5224 4342 3325

HCP 9 9 16 6

Losers 7 7 6 10

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 1NT |
| Pass | 2 ♦ | Pass | 2 ♥ |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 4 ♥ |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4 ♥ by North

Board 490

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ J 8 6 4
♥ 9 6
♦ Q T 7 3
♣ Q 9 7

♠ A Q 7 5 3

♥ Q T 8 3 2

♦ 4

♣ 5 2



♠ 9

♥ A J 7 4

♦ J 9 8 2

♣ T 8 6 3

♠ K T 2

♥ K 5

♦ A K 6 5

♣ A K J 4

Shape 5512 1444 3244 4243

HCP 8 6 21 5

Losers 6 9 5 9

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

Pass

Pass

3NT

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3NT by South

Board 491

South Deals

None Vul

♠ 7 4 2
♥ A Q T 9 7
♦ 6 3 2
♣ 7 6

♠ 9 8 5

♥ -

♦ Q J 8 5 4

♣ A K 8 5 4

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 6 3

♥ K J 8 6 5 4

♦ T 7

♣ Q 9 3

♠ A K Q J T

♥ 3 2

♦ A K 9

♣ J T 2

Shape 3055 2623 5233 3532

HCP 10 6 18 6

Losers 6 8 6 9

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Exclusion, for !S

4. 3 out of 4

6 ♠ by South

Board 492

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ J 9 3
♥ T
♦ J 9 7
♣ A 8 7 6 5 2

♠ 4

♥ Q 9 8 7 2

♦ A T 5 4 2

♣ Q J

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ A Q 6 2

♥ A K J

♦ K Q 8 6

♣ K 3

♠ K T 8 7 5

♥ 6 5 4 3

♦ 3

♣ T 9 4

Shape 1552 5413 4342 3136

HCP 9 3 22 6

Losers 7 9 4 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | Pass | 2NT |
| Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♥ |
| Pass | 3NT | Pass | 4NT |
| Pass | 6NT | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

6NT by South

Board 493

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ 9 8 5 4

♥ 4

♦ Q 6 5

♣ Q J T 7 2

♠ A

♥ K J

♦ A T 7 3 2

♣ 8 6 5 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 6 3 2

♥ Q 9 8 6 5 2

♦ K 9 8

♣ -

♠ K Q J T

♥ A T 7 3

♦ J 4

♣ A K 9

Shape 1255 4630 4423 4135

HCP 12 5 18 5

Losers 6 7 6 8

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

2♦

Pass

1♣¹

4NT

Pass

5♥²

Pass

6♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

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

6♦ by North

Board 494

South Deals

None Vul

♠ J 6 5
♥ 9 6 5 3 2
♦ 9 4
♣ 7 5 3

♠ K T 9 8 4

♥ Q

♦ J T 8 5 2

♣ K T

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 2

♥ A K J 8 7 4

♦ Q 7 3

♣ A 9 2

♠ A Q 7 3

♥ T

♦ A K 6

♣ Q J 8 6 4

Shape 5152 1633 4135 3523

HCP 9 14 16 1

Losers 7 6 5 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

4♥

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

4♥X by East

1♣¹

3♣

1♥²

Dbl

2♥

Board 495

South Deals
N-S Vul

♠ A Q T 7 5 2
♥ K 9
♦ 7 4
♣ 6 3 2

♠ 3
♥ Q J T 8 6
♦ K Q T 8 3
♣ T 9



♠ J 9 4
♥ 7 5 2
♦ J 6 5
♣ K 8 5 4

♠ K 8 6
♥ A 4 3
♦ A 9 2
♣ A Q J 7

Shape 1552 3334 3334 6223
HCP 8 5 18 9
Losers 6 11 7 7

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| 2 ♠ | Dbl | 3 ♠ | Pass |
| Pass | 4 ♥ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |

4 ♥ by North

Board 496

South Deals

E-W Vul

♠ J 7 6 2

♥ 8 5 3 2

♦ 9 5 2

♣ 7 2

♠ 4 3

♥ -

♦ A K T 7 6 3

♣ K J 8 4 3

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 9 8 5

♥ A J 7 6 4

♦ Q 8

♣ T 6 5

♠ A K Q T

♥ K Q T 9

♦ J 4

♣ A Q 9

Shape 2065 3523 4423 4432

HCP 11 7 21 1

Losers 5 10 4 11

West

EPBot

North

EPBot

East

EPBot

South

EPBot

Pass

1 ♥²

Pass

1 ♣¹

Pass

4 ♠³

Pass

5 ♣

Pass

6 ♦

All Pass

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

3. Texas

6 ♦ by North

Board 497

South Deals
None Vul

♠ Q 8 6
♥ 7 6
♦ Q 7 3
♣ K Q 7 6 3

♠ J 7
♥ A K J 5 2
♦ -
♣ J T 9 5 4 2

♠ 4 2
♥ Q T 9 8
♦ K T 9 8 5 4 2
♣ -

N
W E
S

♠ A K T 9 5 3
♥ 4 3
♦ A J 6
♣ A 8

Shape 2506 2470 6232 3235
HCP 10 5 16 9
Losers 6 6 6 7

| West | North | East | South |
|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♥ ² | 3 ♦ | 3 ♠ |
| Pass | 4 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |
| 1. 16+ HCP | | | |
| 2. artificial | | | |
| 4 ♠ by South | | | |

Board 498

South Deals

N-S Vul

♠ T 4 2
♥ J 2
♦ T 9 8 2
♣ J 7 5 4

♠ A
♥ T 8 7 4 3
♦ 5
♣ A Q 8 6 3 2

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| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ Q 9 8 7 5 3
♥ K Q 6
♦ K J 7 4
♣ -

♠ K J 6
♥ A 9 5
♦ A Q 6 3
♣ K T 9

Shape 1516 6340 3343 3244

HCP 10 11 17 2

Losers 5 5 7 11

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. artificial

6 ♣ by South

Board 499
 South Deals
 E-W Vul

♠ 9 6 4
 ♥ Q 8 7 3
 ♦ 9 8 6 4 2
 ♣ J

♠ A Q 8 3 2
 ♥ K 5
 ♦ A
 ♣ A 9 8 7 2



♠ K T 7
 ♥ A J 9 4
 ♦ K J 3
 ♣ K Q 5

♠ J 5
 ♥ T 6 2
 ♦ Q T 7 5
 ♣ T 6 4 3

Shape 5215 2344 3433 3451
 HCP 17 3 17 3
 Losers 4 10 7 9

| West | North | East | South |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> | <i>EPBot</i> |
| | | | 1 ♣ ¹ |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| Pass | 4NT | Pass | 5 ♥ ² |
| Pass | 7 ♠ | | |
| All Pass | | | |

1. 16+ HCP
2. A=2/5 or 5/5, Q(S)=0

7 ♠ by North

Board 500

South Deals

Both Vul

♠ K Q J T
♥ T 4
♦ A Q T 7 2
♣ 8 6

♠ 6
♥ K Q 8 3 2
♦ 9
♣ K Q J T 9 3

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| | N | |
| W | | E |
| | S | |

♠ 7 5 4 3
♥ J 6 5
♦ 8 6 5 3
♣ 4 2

♠ A 9 8 2
♥ A 9 7
♦ K J 4
♣ A 7 5

Shape 1516 4342 4333 4252

HCP 11 1 16 12

Losers 4 11 8 6

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

1. 16+ HCP

2. strength cue bid

3. A=0/5 or 3/5

6♥ by North