

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 1	♠ AK42	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 832	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ K97	
HCP: 14	♣ KJ9	Partner bids first.
Board: 2	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9865	
Vul: NS	♦ AK5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ9	
Board: 3	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9	
Vul: EW	♦ Q542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K1074	
Board: 4	♠ AJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9872	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K4	
Board: 5	♠ KQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ108	
Vul: NS	♦ K763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q7	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: None	♠ AK42	♠ Q73	Pass	1♠	1NT ¹	X ²
North HCP: 14	♥ 832	♥ J104	2♣	2♥ ³	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 12	♦ K97	♦ AQJ102	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N	♣ KJ9	♣ Q7				
			1. Unusual 1NT			
			2. Support double redouble			
			3. strength cue bid			

Board: 2			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ Q106	♠ AK3		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♥ 9865	♥ AKJ	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♦ AK5	♦ 632	AP			
Contract: 3N N	♣ QJ9	♣ K1074				
			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 3			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: EW	♠ AK	♠ 107	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♥ AJ9	♥ Q543	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 14	♦ Q542	♦ AJ	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N N	♣ K1074	♣ AQJ65				
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			

Board: 4			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: Both	♠ AJ105	♠ Q983		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♥ 9872	♥ AKQJ	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♦ KJ8	♦ 97	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	3♥
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ K4	♣ AJ3	Pass	4♥	AP	
			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			

Board: 5
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ KQ9
♥ AQ108
♦ K763
♣ Q7

South:
♠ A82
♥ J643
♦ J104
♣ AK8

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 1	♠ Q73	East Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ J104	West Bids 2♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AQJ102	
HCP: 12	♣ Q7	You bid first.
Board: 2	♠ AK3	
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: NS	♦ 632	
HCP: 18	♣ K1074	Partner bids first.
Board: 3	♠ 107	
Dealer: S	♥ Q543	The opponents are silent.
Vul: EW	♦ AJ	
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ65	You bid first.
Board: 4	♠ Q983	
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ	The opponents are silent.
Vul: Both	♦ 97	
HCP: 17	♣ AJ3	Partner bids first.
Board: 5	♠ A82	
Dealer: S	♥ J643	The opponents are silent.
Vul: NS	♦ J104	
HCP: 13	♣ AK8	You bid first.

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 1			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: None	♠ AK42	♠ Q73	Pass	1♠	1NT ¹	X ²
North HCP: 14	♥ 832	♥ J104	2♣	2♥ ³	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 12	♦ K97	♦ AQJ102	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N	♣ KJ9	♣ Q7				
			1. Unusual 1NT			
			2. Support double redouble			
			3. strength cue bid			

Board: 2			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ Q106	♠ AK3		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
North HCP: 12	♥ 9865	♥ AKJ	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♦ AK5	♦ 632	AP			
Contract: 3N N	♣ QJ9	♣ K1074				
			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 3			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: EW	♠ AK	♠ 107	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 17	♥ AJ9	♥ Q543	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠
South HCP: 14	♦ Q542	♦ AJ	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N N	♣ K1074	♣ AQJ65				
			1. Inverted minors			
			2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣			

Board: 4			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: Both	♠ AJ105	♠ Q983		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♥ 9872	♥ AKQJ	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
South HCP: 17	♦ KJ8	♦ 97	Pass	3♣ ²	Pass	3♥
Contract: 4♥ S	♣ K4	♣ AJ3	Pass	4♥	AP	
			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			

Board: 5
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 13
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ KQ9
♥ AQ108
♦ K763
♣ Q7

South:
♠ A82
♥ J643
♦ J104
♣ AK8

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

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Board: 6	♠ J653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ J972	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ9	

Board: 7	♠ Q842	East Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ 986	West Bids 3♦ if possible.
Vul: Both	♦ KQ7	
HCP: 7	♣ 1093	Partner bids first.

Board: 8	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ43	
Vul: None	♦ A10652	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ8	

Board: 9	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A543	
Vul: EW	♦ A73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A63	

Board: 10	♠ 9643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ	
Vul: Both	♦ K76	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q63	

Board: 11	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A532	
Vul: None	♦ KJ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J10	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 10
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ J653
♥ Q
♦ J972
♣ AKQ9

South:
♠ A1092
♥ K932
♦ K54
♣ 43

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

Board: 7
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ Q842
♥ 986
♦ KQ7
♣ 1093

South:
♠ AJ63
♥ AQJ
♦ 65
♣ Q854

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

Board: 8
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 3
♥ KJ43
♦ A10652
♣ KJ8

South:
♠ K1052
♥ Q5
♦ KQ8
♣ A1043

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

Board: 9
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQ5
♥ A543
♦ A73
♣ A63

South:
♠ K874
♥ 62
♦ KQJ6
♣ K108

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 10
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 9643
♥ AKQ
♦ K76
♣ Q63

South:
♠ AK5
♥ 9854
♦ A1094
♣ A10

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 11

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ A532

♦ KJ109

♣ J10

South:

♠ 105

♥ J4

♦ AQ7

♣ AKQ763

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♣

Pass 6♣ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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Board: 6 ♠ A1092
Dealer: N ♥ K932
Vul: EW ♦ K54
HCP: 10 ♣ 43

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 7 ♠ AJ63
Dealer: S ♥ AQJ
Vul: Both ♦ 65
HCP: 14 ♣ Q854

East Doubles Pass if possible.

West Bids 3♦ if possible.

You bid first.

Board: 8 ♠ K1052
Dealer: N ♥ Q5
Vul: None ♦ KQ8
HCP: 14 ♣ A1043

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 9 ♠ K874
Dealer: S ♥ 62
Vul: EW ♦ KQJ6
HCP: 12 ♣ K108

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Board: 10 ♠ AK5
Dealer: N ♥ 9854
Vul: Both ♦ A1094
HCP: 15 ♣ A10

The opponents are silent.

Partner bids first.

Board: 11 ♠ 105
Dealer: S ♥ J4
Vul: None ♦ AQ7
HCP: 16 ♣ AKQ763

The opponents are silent.

You bid first.

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 6
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 10
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ J653
♥ Q
♦ J972
♣ AKQ9

South:
♠ A1092
♥ K932
♦ K54
♣ 43

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

Board: 7
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3♠ N

North:
♠ Q842
♥ 986
♦ KQ7
♣ 1093

South:
♠ AJ63
♥ AQJ
♦ 65
♣ Q854

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

Board: 8
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 3
♥ KJ43
♦ A10652
♣ KJ8

South:
♠ K1052
♥ Q5
♦ KQ8
♣ A1043

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

Board: 9
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQ5
♥ A543
♦ A73
♣ A63

South:
♠ K874
♥ 62
♦ KQJ6
♣ K108

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 10
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 9643
♥ AKQ
♦ K76
♣ Q63

South:
♠ AK5
♥ 9854
♦ A1094
♣ A10

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 11

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♣ S

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ A532

♦ KJ109

♣ J10

South:

♠ 105

♥ J4

♦ AQ7

♣ AKQ763

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 3♣

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♣

Pass 6♣ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

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Board: 12	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K42	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ954	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK10	

Board: 13	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J72	
Vul: Both	♦ J84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ104	

Board: 14	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ86	
Vul: None	♦ AK963	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J65	

Board: 15	♠ KQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ J852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ4	

Board: 16	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ83	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K109	

Board: 17	♠ K65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 102	
Vul: None	♦ AJ865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J108	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 83	♠ Q64		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K42	♥ AQ53	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ954	♦ A1087	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AK10	♣ QJ				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK8	♠ QJ				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J72	♥ 10853	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ J84	♦ AQ103	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ104	♣ KQ3	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ AQ75		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ QJ86	♥ 972	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK963	♦ Q5	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J65	♣ K843				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ62	♠ A4				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K2	♥ Q764	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J852	♦ AK96	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ4	♣ J83				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ AQ75		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ QJ10	♥ AK6	Pass	2NT	Pass	7NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ83	♦ 1095	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ K109	♣ AJ2				
Contract: 7N N						

Board: 17	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ AQJ2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 102	♥ A965	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ865	♦ 10	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J108	♣ KQ96				
Contract: 1N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 12	♠ Q64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ53	
Vul: NS	♦ A1087	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ	

Board: 13	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10853	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ103	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ3	

Board: 14	♠ AQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 972	
Vul: None	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K843	

Board: 15	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q764	
Vul: NS	♦ AK96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J83	

Board: 16	♠ AQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK6	
Vul: EW	♦ 1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ2	

Board: 17	♠ AQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A965	
Vul: None	♦ 10	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ96	

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Board: 12	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 83	♠ Q64		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K42	♥ AQ53	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ954	♦ A1087	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ AK10	♣ QJ				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 13	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK8	♠ QJ				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ J72	♥ 10853	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ J84	♦ AQ103	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ104	♣ KQ3	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 14	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J	♠ AQ75		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ QJ86	♥ 972	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK963	♦ Q5	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ J65	♣ K843				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 15	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ62	♠ A4				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K2	♥ Q764	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J852	♦ AK96	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ4	♣ J83				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 16	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ	♠ AQ75		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ QJ10	♥ AK6	Pass	2NT	Pass	7NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AKQ83	♦ 1095	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ K109	♣ AJ2				
Contract: 7N N						

Board: 17	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K65	♠ AQJ2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 102	♥ A965	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 9	♦ AJ865	♦ 10	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ J108	♣ KQ96				
Contract: 1N N						

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Board: 18	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1053	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 109754	

Board: 19	♠ 1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AK4	

Board: 20	♠ KJ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10864	

Board: 21	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J98	
Vul: NS	♦ AK9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10965	

Board: 22	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ107	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ743	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10	

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Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ AK4
♥ 1053
♦ KQ
♣ 109754

South:
♠ 1082
♥ AK2
♦ 1097
♣ AQJ6

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 1073
♥ AQ
♦ QJ1053
♣ AK4

South:
♠ Q96
♥ KJ5
♦ A872
♣ Q85

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KJ64
♥ A3
♦ KQ5
♣ 10864

South:
♠ AQ7
♥ KJ2
♦ 73
♣ AKJ72

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 21
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ K3
♥ J98
♦ AK9
♣ A10965

South:
♠ AQJ4
♥ AK3
♦ 108
♣ KQ43

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 22
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ J7
♥ AJ107
♦ AKJ743
♣ 10

South:
♠ AKQ10
♥ Q864
♦ 95
♣ AQ6

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ¹
Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
AP			
1. Cue bid, surplus			
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper			
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥			

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 18	♠ 1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK2	
Vul: NS	♦ 1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ6	

Board: 19	♠ Q96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ A872	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q85	

Board: 20	♠ AQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ72	

Board: 21	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK3	
Vul: NS	♦ 108	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ43	

Board: 22	♠ AKQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q864	
Vul: EW	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ6	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 18
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 5♣ N

North:
♠ AK4
♥ 1053
♦ KQ
♣ 109754

South:
♠ 1082
♥ AK2
♦ 1097
♣ AQJ6

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

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 19
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 1073
♥ AQ
♦ QJ1053
♣ AK4

South:
♠ Q96
♥ KJ5
♦ A872
♣ Q85

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 20
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ KJ64
♥ A3
♦ KQ5
♣ 10864

South:
♠ AQ7
♥ KJ2
♦ 73
♣ AKJ72

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Pass	2♦	Pass	4♣
Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♦	Pass	6NT
	AP		

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 21
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ K3
♥ J98
♦ AK9
♣ A10965

South:
♠ AQJ4
♥ AK3
♦ 108
♣ KQ43

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 22
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6♥ S

North:
♠ J7
♥ AJ107
♦ AKJ743
♣ 10

South:
♠ AKQ10
♥ Q864
♦ 95
♣ AQ6

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ¹
Pass	4♣ ²	Pass	4NT ³
Pass	5♥	Pass	6♥
	AP		
	1. Cue bid, surplus		
	2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper		
	3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥		

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 23	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q843	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K93	
Board: 24	♠ AK109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1075	
Vul: None	♦ 104	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ5	
Board: 25	♠ J92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A102	
Vul: EW	♦ J7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J10974	
Board: 26	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ Q973	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ42	
Board: 27	♠ AJ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K42	
Vul: None	♦ AK3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A74	
Board: 28	♠ Q1064	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ AK86	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K8	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 23	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ KJ95				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q843	♥ K2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ7	♦ 85	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ K93	♣ AQJ54	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK109	♠ 875		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q1075	♥ 83	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 104	♦ AK865	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ5	♣ 863				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J92	♠ K87				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A102	♥ KJ	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 7	♦ J7	♦ AK9832	AP			
South HCP: 21	♣ J10974	♣ AK				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J3	♠ AK42		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KJ5	♥ A97	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q973	♦ AK65	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ AQ42	♣ 105				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ94	♠ 6				1♣
Vul: None	♥ K42	♥ AQ63	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 19	♦ AK3	♦ J9	Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 13	♣ A74	♣ KQJ1098	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ S			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 28

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ Q1064

♥ AK86

♦ AQ8

♣ K8

South:

♠ K2

♥ J43

♦ J10643

♣ Q105

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	Pass
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X	1♥	Pass	2♦
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AP			
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 23	♠ KJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: Both	♦ 85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ54	
Board: 24	♠ 875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 83	
Vul: None	♦ AK865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 863	
Board: 25	♠ K87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9832	You bid first.
HCP: 21	♣ AK	
Board: 26	♠ AK42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A97	
Vul: Both	♦ AK65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 105	
Board: 27	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ63	
Vul: None	♦ J9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ1098	
Board: 28	♠ K2	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ J43	
Vul: NS	♦ J10643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 23	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1042	♠ KJ95				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ Q843	♥ K2	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AQ7	♦ 85	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ K93	♣ AQJ54	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 24	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK109	♠ 875		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q1075	♥ 83	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 104	♦ AK865	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ AJ5	♣ 863				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 25	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J92	♠ K87				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A102	♥ KJ	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 7	♦ J7	♦ AK9832	AP			
South HCP: 21	♣ J10974	♣ AK				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 26	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J3	♠ AK42		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ KJ5	♥ A97	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q973	♦ AK65	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ AQ42	♣ 105				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 27	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ94	♠ 6				1♣
Vul: None	♥ K42	♥ AQ63	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 19	♦ AK3	♦ J9	Pass	4♣	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 13	♣ A74	♣ KQJ1098	Pass	5♣	Pass	6♣
Contract: 6♣ S			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 28

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ Q1064

♥ AK86

♦ AQ8

♣ K8

South:

♠ K2

♥ J43

♦ J10643

♣ Q105

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	Pass
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X	1♥	Pass	2♦
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AP			
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 29	♠ K2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ5	
Board: 30	♠ K52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK53	
Vul: None	♦ A865	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ	
Board: 31	♠ Q102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q93	
Vul: NS	♦ 986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ43	
Board: 32	♠ AK53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J985	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ52	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 2	
Board: 33	♠ AK65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: None	♦ Q94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q852	
Board: 34	♠ QJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q964	
Vul: NS	♦ 10982	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K2	♠ A1084				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ KQ9	♥ AJ86	Pass	1♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ932	♦ K7	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ5	♣ AQ9	AP			
Contract: 6N S			1. Quantitative 4NT			

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K52	♠ Q843				
Vul: None	♥ AK53	♥ 87		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ A865	♦ QJ109	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ KQ	♣ J94				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q102	♠ AKJ3				
Vul: NS	♥ Q93	♥ A865				1♦
North HCP: 9	♦ 986	♦ Q1054	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ43	♣ 7				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 32	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK53	♠ 10762		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ J985	♥ AQ7	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ52	♦ AQ94	Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT ²
South HCP: 18	♣ 2	♣ AQ	Pass	6♦	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ S			AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			2. King ask by 5NT			

Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK65	♠ J7				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ Q1076				
North HCP: 18	♦ Q94	♦ AJ6	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ Q852	♣ A964	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 34

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ3

♥ Q964

♦ 10982

♣ AK

South:

♠ AK84

♥ KJ5

♦ AQ

♣ J763

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 29	♠ A1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ86	
Vul: Both	♦ K7	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ9	

Board: 30	♠ Q843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 87	
Vul: None	♦ QJ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J94	

Board: 31	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A865	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1054	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 7	

Board: 32	♠ 10762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ7	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	

Board: 33	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1076	
Vul: None	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A964	

Board: 34	♠ AK84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ5	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ J763	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 29	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K2	♠ A1084				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ KQ9	♥ AJ86	Pass	1♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ932	♦ K7	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ5	♣ AQ9	AP			
Contract: 6N S			1. Quantitative 4NT			

Board: 30	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K52	♠ Q843				
Vul: None	♥ AK53	♥ 87		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ A865	♦ QJ109	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ KQ	♣ J94				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 31	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q102	♠ AKJ3				
Vul: NS	♥ Q93	♥ A865				1♦
North HCP: 9	♦ 986	♦ Q1054	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ43	♣ 7				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 32	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK53	♠ 10762		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ J985	♥ AQ7	Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ52	♦ AQ94	Pass	5♥	Pass	5NT ²
South HCP: 18	♣ 2	♣ AQ	Pass	6♦	Pass	6♠
Contract: 6♠ S			AP			
			1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠			
			2. King ask by 5NT			

Board: 33	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK65	♠ J7				
Vul: None	♥ AK	♥ Q1076				1♣
North HCP: 18	♦ Q94	♦ AJ6	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ Q852	♣ A964	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 34

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ3

♥ Q964

♦ 10982

♣ AK

South:

♠ AK84

♥ KJ5

♦ AQ

♣ J763

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 35	♠ AJ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ85	
Vul: EW	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ5	

Board: 36	♠ A92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK53	
Vul: Both	♦ Q65	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1096	

Board: 37	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ63	
Vul: NS	♦ A873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ2	

Board: 38	♠ AK76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	
Vul: EW	♦ A109532	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 5	

Board: 39	♠ 7542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ76	

Board: 40	♠ K65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K3	
Vul: None	♦ A843	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K763	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 35
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AJ64
♥ AQ85
♦ 95
♣ AQ5

South:
♠ K873
♥ 10972
♦ KQJ
♣ K4

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

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

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 9
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ A92
♥ AK53
♦ Q65
♣ 1096

South:
♠ 10743
♥ J74
♦ A4
♣ KJ87

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

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AQ
♥ KQ63
♦ A873
♣ KJ2

South:
♠ K1096
♥ J8
♦ KQ5
♣ A1043

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

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ AK76
♥ QJ
♦ A109532
♣ 5

South:
♠ Q532
♥ K92
♦ 86
♣ AQ107

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

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ 7542
♥ QJ5
♦ QJ
♣ KQ76

South:
♠ Q
♥ K10
♦ AK754
♣ 98543

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

Board: 40

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K65

♥ K3

♦ A843

♣ K763

South:

♠ 10743

♥ QJ10

♦ K976

♣ AJ

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 35	♠ K873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10972	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K4	

Board: 36	♠ 10743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J74	
Vul: Both	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KJ87	

Board: 37	♠ K1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1043	

Board: 38	♠ Q532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K92	
Vul: EW	♦ 86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ107	

Board: 39	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ AK754	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 98543	

Board: 40	♠ 10743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: None	♦ K976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 35
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ AJ64
♥ AQ85
♦ 95
♣ AQ5

South:
♠ K873
♥ 10972
♦ KQJ
♣ K4

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

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

Board: 36
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 9
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ A92
♥ AK53
♦ Q65
♣ 1096

South:
♠ 10743
♥ J74
♦ A4
♣ KJ87

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

Board: 37
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ AQ
♥ KQ63
♦ A873
♣ KJ2

South:
♠ K1096
♥ J8
♦ KQ5
♣ A1043

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

Board: 38
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ AK76
♥ QJ
♦ A109532
♣ 5

South:
♠ Q532
♥ K92
♦ 86
♣ AQ107

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

Board: 39
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3♣ S

North:
♠ 7542
♥ QJ5
♦ QJ
♣ KQ76

South:
♠ Q
♥ K10
♦ AK754
♣ 98543

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

Board: 40

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K65

♥ K3

♦ A843

♣ K763

South:

♠ 10743

♥ QJ10

♦ K976

♣ AJ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 41	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ83	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ J7	

Board: 42	♠ A985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1032	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ84	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A3	

Board: 43	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ8	
Vul: None	♦ AJ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q105	

Board: 44	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1042	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ103	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK1074	

Board: 45	♠ A2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ62	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J53	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 41
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AKJ3
♥ KJ83
♦ AQ7
♣ J7

South:
♠ 876
♥ A92
♦ K93
♣ KQ53

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

Board: 42
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A985
♥ 1032
♦ KQ84
♣ A3

South:
♠ KQ2
♥ AK7
♦ 32
♣ Q10874

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

Board: 43
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 1042
♥ KQ8
♦ AJ73
♣ Q105

South:
♠ AJ5
♥ 104
♦ KQ642
♣ A86

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

Board: 44
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K
♥ 1042
♦ QJ103
♣ AK1074

South:
♠ AQ4
♥ AJ93
♦ K86
♣ 653

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

Board: 45
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A2
♥ AQ62
♦ KQ63
♣ J53

South:
♠ K653
♥ J1095
♦ J10
♣ AK7

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 41	♠ 876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A92	
Vul: EW	♦ K93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ53	

Board: 42	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK7	
Vul: Both	♦ 32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q10874	

Board: 43	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 104	
Vul: None	♦ KQ642	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A86	

Board: 44	♠ AQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ93	
Vul: NS	♦ K86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 653	

Board: 45	♠ K653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1095	
Vul: Both	♦ J10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK7	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 41
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AKJ3
♥ KJ83
♦ AQ7
♣ J7

South:
♠ 876
♥ A92
♦ K93
♣ KQ53

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

Board: 42
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ A985
♥ 1032
♦ KQ84
♣ A3

South:
♠ KQ2
♥ AK7
♦ 32
♣ Q10874

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

Board: 43
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 1042
♥ KQ8
♦ AJ73
♣ Q105

South:
♠ AJ5
♥ 104
♦ KQ642
♣ A86

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

Board: 44
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ K
♥ 1042
♦ QJ103
♣ AK1074

South:
♠ AQ4
♥ AJ93
♦ K86
♣ 653

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

Board: 45
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A2
♥ AQ62
♦ KQ63
♣ J53

South:
♠ K653
♥ J1095
♦ J10
♣ AK7

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 46	♠ 6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A84	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQJ83	

Board: 47	♠ K854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ 63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J109	

Board: 48	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q873	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A5	

Board: 49	♠ Q94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A86	
Vul: None	♦ AK5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A1094	

Board: 50	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ87	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J5	

Board: 51	♠ AQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J84	
Vul: EW	♦ 54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 9753	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 6	♠ KQ32		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A84	♥ KJ93	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AQJ3	♦ 65	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ83	♣ A104				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K854	♠ J96				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AQJ4	♥ K76	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 63	♦ AK8	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ J109	♣ AK63	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A7	♠ J1093		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ Q873	♥ A4	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ1062	♦ A954				
South HCP: 10	♣ A5	♣ J108				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q94	♠ AK7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A86	♥ 52	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ AK5	♦ J932	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A1094	♣ KQ86				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ5	♠ AJ64		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ QJ87	♥ 943	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ96	♦ K5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J5	♣ A1043				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ96	♠ K72				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J84	♥ AK106	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 54	♦ KQ1092	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 9753	♣ 4				
Contract: 1N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 46	♠ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ93	
Vul: None	♦ 65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A104	

Board: 47	♠ J96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K76	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK63	

Board: 48	♠ J1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: EW	♦ A954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J108	

Board: 49	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 52	
Vul: None	♦ J932	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ86	

Board: 50	♠ AJ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 943	
Vul: NS	♦ K5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1043	

Board: 51	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK106	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ1092	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 46	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 6	♠ KQ32		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ A84	♥ KJ93	Pass	2♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AQJ3	♦ 65	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ KQJ83	♣ A104				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 47	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K854	♠ J96				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AQJ4	♥ K76	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 63	♦ AK8	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ J109	♣ AK63	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 48	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A7	♠ J1093		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ Q873	♥ A4	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ1062	♦ A954				
South HCP: 10	♣ A5	♣ J108				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 49	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q94	♠ AK7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ A86	♥ 52	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 17	♦ AK5	♦ J932	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A1094	♣ KQ86				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 50	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ5	♠ AJ64		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ QJ87	♥ 943	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ96	♦ K5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J5	♣ A1043				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 51	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ96	♠ K72				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J84	♥ AK106	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 54	♦ KQ1092	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 9753	♣ 4				
Contract: 1N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 52	♠ 983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A82	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ92	

Board: 53	♠ 984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J973	
Vul: NS	♦ 10732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ AJ	

Board: 54	♠ J53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1065	
Vul: EW	♦ AK92	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A4	

Board: 55	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 863	
Vul: Both	♦ K85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J863	

Board: 56	♠ K975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A763	
Vul: None	♦ Q94	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 983	♠ AQ62		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A82	♥ J1073				
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ5	♦ KQ4	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ92	♣ AQ	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 984	♠ AQ10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J973	♥ 86				
North HCP: 6	♦ 10732	♦ KQJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ	♣ 108654	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J53	♠ A6		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q1065	♥ AKJ8				
North HCP: 14	♦ AK92	♦ 843	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
South HCP: 15	♣ A4	♣ K763	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ²
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	3NT ³	Pass	4♣ ⁴
			Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♣
			Pass	6♥	AP	

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

Board: 55	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ5	♠ K106				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 863	♥ AK7				
North HCP: 10	♦ K85	♦ Q10942	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 12	♣ J863	♣ 75	AP			
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 56	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K975	♠ QJ10		1♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ A763	♥ 542				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q94	♦ KJ72				
South HCP: 10	♣ AJ	♣ K75	AP			
Contract: 1N S						



South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 52	♠ AQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1073	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	

Board: 53	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 86	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 108654	

Board: 54	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ 843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K763	

Board: 55	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK7	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10942	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 75	

Board: 56	♠ QJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 542	
Vul: None	♦ KJ72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K75	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 52	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 983	♠ AQ62		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ A82	♥ J1073				
North HCP: 13	♦ AJ5	♦ KQ4	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ92	♣ AQ	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 53	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 984	♠ AQ10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ J973	♥ 86				
North HCP: 6	♦ 10732	♦ KQJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ	♣ 108654	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 54	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J53	♠ A6		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q1065	♥ AKJ8				
North HCP: 14	♦ AK92	♦ 843	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
South HCP: 15	♣ A4	♣ K763	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ²
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	3NT ³	Pass	4♣ ⁴
			Pass	4NT ⁵	Pass	5♣
			Pass	6♥	AP	

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

Board: 55	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ5	♠ K106				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 863	♥ AK7				
North HCP: 10	♦ K85	♦ Q10942	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
South HCP: 12	♣ J863	♣ 75	AP			
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 56	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K975	♠ QJ10		1♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ A763	♥ 542				
North HCP: 14	♦ Q94	♦ KJ72				
South HCP: 10	♣ AJ	♣ K75	AP			
Contract: 1N S						



North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 57	♠ K975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q65	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A4	

Board: 58	♠ AQ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ Q862	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 108	

Board: 59	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J106	
Vul: None	♦ QJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ87	

Board: 60	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A965	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1098	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q5	

Board: 61	♠ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ43	
Vul: Both	♦ Q95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J73	

Board: 62	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 76	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ1093	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q6	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 57

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ K975

♥ Q65

♦ QJ108

♣ A4

South:

♠ QJ108

♥ AJ4

♦ K4

♣ QJ75

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 58

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AQ72

♥ AJ10

♦ Q862

♣ 108

South:

♠ 943

♥ K6

♦ K74

♣ A9743

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1NT
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AP

Board: 59

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 86

♥ J106

♦ QJ7

♣ AQJ87

South:

♠ KQ73

♥ K4

♦ K1094

♣ K96

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 60

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ A965

♦ Q1098

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AJ32

♥ KQ102

♦ K4

♣ A87

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ²
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 61

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ KQ43

♦ Q95

♣ J73

South:

♠ 75

♥ A1082

♦ A32

♣ AQ54

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3NT ²
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 62

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A76

♥ 76

♦ AKJ1093

♣ Q6

South:

♠ Q83

♥ AK8

♦ Q82

♣ 10853

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 57	♠ QJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ75	

Board: 58	♠ 943	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: Both	♦ K74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A9743	

Board: 59	♠ KQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ K1094	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K96	

Board: 60	♠ AJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ102	
Vul: NS	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A87	

Board: 61	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1082	
Vul: Both	♦ A32	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ54	

Board: 62	♠ Q83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK8	
Vul: None	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 10853	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 57

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ K975

♥ Q65

♦ QJ108

♣ A4

South:

♠ QJ108

♥ AJ4

♦ K4

♣ QJ75

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	4♠	AP	
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Board: 58

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AQ72

♥ AJ10

♦ Q862

♣ 108

South:

♠ 943

♥ K6

♦ K74

♣ A9743

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1NT
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AP

Board: 59

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 86

♥ J106

♦ QJ7

♣ AQJ87

South:

♠ KQ73

♥ K4

♦ K1094

♣ K96

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 60

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 17

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ A965

♦ Q1098

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AJ32

♥ KQ102

♦ K4

♣ A87

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ²
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 61

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KQJ

♥ KQ43

♦ Q95

♣ J73

South:

♠ 75

♥ A1082

♦ A32

♣ AQ54

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3NT ²
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 62

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A76

♥ 76

♦ AKJ1093

♣ Q6

South:

♠ Q83

♥ AK8

♦ Q82

♣ 10853

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 63	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ42	
Vul: NS	♦ Q4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K764	

Board: 64	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J532	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ105	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 73	

Board: 65	♠ 743	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 84	
Vul: None	♦ Q109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AK1098	

Board: 66	♠ AKJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 964	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q83	

Board: 67	♠ A97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ98	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 76	

Board: 68	♠ Q872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A74	
Vul: Both	♦ K875	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A6	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A62	♠ K985				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ42	♥ A109	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ Q4	♦ AK92	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 18	♣ K764	♣ A8	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♠ S			Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ9	♠ KJ7				
Vul: EW	♥ J532	♥ KQ64		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ105	♦ J92	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ 73	♣ 854				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 743	♠ AQJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 84	♥ AK97				
North HCP: 9	♦ Q109	♦ A75	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ AK1098	♣ 764	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ4	♠ 102				
Vul: NS	♥ 964	♥ AQJ10		1♣	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ3	♦ A652	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ Q83	♣ AJ10	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A97	♠ KQ3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ98	♥ K104	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ93	♦ A106	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 19	♣ 76	♣ AQJ8	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 68

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ Q872

♥ A74

♦ K875

♣ A6

South:

♠ KJ4

♥ 1053

♦ A962

♣ Q105

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1NT
AP			

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 63	♠ K985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A109	
Vul: NS	♦ AK92	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A8	

Board: 64	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ64	
Vul: EW	♦ J92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 854	

Board: 65	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK97	
Vul: None	♦ A75	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 764	

Board: 66	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ A652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ10	

Board: 67	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K104	
Vul: EW	♦ A106	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQJ8	

Board: 68	♠ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1053	
Vul: Both	♦ A962	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 63	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A62	♠ K985				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ42	♥ A109	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ Q4	♦ AK92	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 18	♣ K764	♣ A8	Pass	3NT	Pass	4♥
Contract: 4♠ S			Pass	4♠	AP	

Board: 64	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ9	♠ KJ7				
Vul: EW	♥ J532	♥ KQ64		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ105	♦ J92	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ 73	♣ 854				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 65	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 743	♠ AQJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 84	♥ AK97				
North HCP: 9	♦ Q109	♦ A75	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ AK1098	♣ 764	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 66	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AKJ4	♠ 102				
Vul: NS	♥ 964	♥ AQJ10		1♣	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ3	♦ A652	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 16	♣ Q83	♣ AJ10	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 67	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A97	♠ KQ3				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ98	♥ K104	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ93	♦ A106	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 19	♣ 76	♣ AQJ8	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 68

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ Q872

♥ A74

♦ K875

♣ A6

South:

♠ KJ4

♥ 1053

♦ A962

♣ Q105

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1NT
AP			

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 69	♠ AK82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ J6	

Board: 70	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ986	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ6	

Board: 71	♠ K1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1092	
Vul: Both	♦ K1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q6	

Board: 72	♠ 7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A62	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ42	

Board: 73	♠ 765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9852	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J65	

Board: 74	♠ AJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ97	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K103	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 69	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK82	♠ 95				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AJ10	♥ K94	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ63	♦ AJ982	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J6	♣ A42				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 70	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 42	♠ AKQ5		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K7	♥ AJ96	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ986	♦ Q32	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 16	♣ KQ6	♣ 95	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N N						

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 71	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1032	♠ AQ6				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 1092	♥ AQ76	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8	♦ K1052	♦ Q4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ Q6	♣ A1085				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 72	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 7	♠ KQ105		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A62	♥ KQ4	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQJ104	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ KQ42	♣ A1093				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 73	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 765	♠ A4				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 9852	♥ K1074	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 6	♦ AJ6	♦ Q52	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ J65	♣ A1084				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 74
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ AJ102
♥ K
♦ AQJ97
♣ K103

South:
♠ K754
♥ 1043
♦ K4
♣ AJ74

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

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 69	♠ 95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K94	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ982	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A42	

Board: 70	♠ AKQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ96	
Vul: EW	♦ Q32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 95	

Board: 71	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ76	
Vul: Both	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A1085	

Board: 72	♠ KQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ4	
Vul: None	♦ A5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A1093	

Board: 73	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1074	
Vul: EW	♦ Q52	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1084	

Board: 74	♠ K754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1043	
Vul: Both	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AJ74	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 69	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK82	♠ 95				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AJ10	♥ K94	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ63	♦ AJ982	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J6	♣ A42				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 70	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 42	♠ AKQ5		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K7	♥ AJ96	Pass	3♦	Pass	3♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AKJ986	♦ Q32	Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ¹
South HCP: 16	♣ KQ6	♣ 95	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N N						

1. Quantitative 4NT

Board: 71	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K1032	♠ AQ6				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ 1092	♥ AQ76	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8	♦ K1052	♦ Q4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ Q6	♣ A1085				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 72	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 7	♠ KQ105		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ A62	♥ KQ4	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQJ104	♦ A5	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ KQ42	♣ A1093				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 73	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 765	♠ A4				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 9852	♥ K1074	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 6	♦ AJ6	♦ Q52	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ J65	♣ A1084				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 74
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 11
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ AJ102
♥ K
♦ AQJ97
♣ K103

South:
♠ K754
♥ 1043
♦ K4
♣ AJ74

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

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 75	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 986	
Vul: None	♦ K4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ763	

Board: 76	♠ J1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q975	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K10	

Board: 77	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: Both	♦ K1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A75	

Board: 78	♠ KQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q852	
Vul: None	♦ A74	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J42	

Board: 79	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A654	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK83	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 75			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♣
Vul: None			Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	North:	South:	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦ ²
South HCP: 18	♠ K86	♠ QJ95	Pass	4♠ ³	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ S	♥ 986	♥ AJ2	AP			
	♦ K4	♦ AQ5				
	♣ KJ763	♣ A95				

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 76			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS			Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 19	♠ J1042	♠ KQ93	AP			
Contract: 6♠ S	♥ Q975	♥ A3				
	♦ AQ2	♦ KJ9				
	♣ K10	♣ AQ43				

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 77			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♦
Vul: Both			Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	North:	South:	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♠ KQ4	♠ A872	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N N	♥ AK4	♥ Q5				
	♦ K1098	♦ QJ52				
	♣ A75	♣ KQ8				

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 78			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None			Pass	2♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 13	North:	South:	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 19	♠ KQJ	♠ A102	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S	♥ Q852	♥ A1074				
	♦ A74	♦ KJ				
	♣ J42	♣ AK87				

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 79
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ Q9
♥ A654
♦ AJ10
♣ AK83

South:
♠ AK63
♥ KJ10
♦ Q743
♣ J7

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. King ask by 5NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 75	♠ QJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ2	
Vul: None	♦ AQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A95	

Board: 76	♠ KQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A3	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ43	

Board: 77	♠ A872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ8	

Board: 78	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1074	
Vul: None	♦ KJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK87	

Board: 79	♠ AK63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ Q743	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J7	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 75			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♣
Vul: None			Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	North:	South:	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♦ ²
South HCP: 18	♠ K86	♠ QJ95	Pass	4♠ ³	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ S	♥ 986	♥ AJ2	AP			
	♦ K4	♦ AQ5				
	♣ KJ763	♣ A95				

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 76			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS			Pass	2♠	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 12	North:	South:	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♠
South HCP: 19	♠ J1042	♠ KQ93	AP			
Contract: 6♠ S	♥ Q975	♥ A3				
	♦ AQ2	♦ KJ9				
	♣ K10	♣ AQ43				

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 77			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S						1♦
Vul: Both			Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	North:	South:	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♠ KQ4	♠ A872	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N N	♥ AK4	♥ Q5				
	♦ K1098	♦ QJ52				
	♣ A75	♣ KQ8				

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 78			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N				1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None			Pass	2♥	Pass	4NT ¹
North HCP: 13	North:	South:	Pass	5♦	Pass	6♥
South HCP: 19	♠ KQJ	♠ A102	AP			
Contract: 6♥ S	♥ Q852	♥ A1074				
	♦ A74	♦ KJ				
	♣ J42	♣ AK87				

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 79
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ Q9
♥ A654
♦ AJ10
♣ AK83

South:
♠ AK63
♥ KJ10
♦ Q743
♣ J7

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. King ask by 5NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 80	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ762	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ864	

Board: 81	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 872	
Vul: None	♦ AJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A764	

Board: 82	♠ AJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K108	
Vul: NS	♦ J106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ8	

Board: 83	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1083	
Vul: EW	♦ 852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQ94	

Board: 84	♠ 965	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ932	

Board: 85	♠ 97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J87	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K1093	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 80	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 2	♠ Q74		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KQ	♥ 8752	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ762	♦ KJ104	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ AJ864	♣ Q3				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 81	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ6	♠ K43				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 872	♥ AQ10	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ7	♦ K654	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A764	♣ 1053	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ84	♠ 1062		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K108	♥ QJ65	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J106	♦ K42	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ8	♣ 765				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 83	♠ J7				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q1083	♥ K976	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 852	♦ AKQ9	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ94	♣ J106				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 965	♠ AKQ4		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ	♥ K86	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ5	♦ K987	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ KQ932	♣ A10				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97	♠ K1084				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ J87	♥ AQ104	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ KJ108	♦ A52	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ K1093	♣ AJ				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 80	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8752	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ Q3	

Board: 81	♠ K43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: None	♦ K654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1053	

Board: 82	♠ 1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ65	
Vul: NS	♦ K42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 765	

Board: 83	♠ J7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K976	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J106	

Board: 84	♠ AKQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K86	
Vul: Both	♦ K987	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A10	

Board: 85	♠ K1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ104	
Vul: NS	♦ A52	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 80	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 2	♠ Q74		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KQ	♥ 8752	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ762	♦ KJ104	Pass	3♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ AJ864	♣ Q3				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 81	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ6	♠ K43				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 872	♥ AQ10	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ7	♦ K654	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A764	♣ 1053	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 82	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ84	♠ 1062		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K108	♥ QJ65	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J106	♦ K42	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ KJ8	♣ 765				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 83	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 83	♠ J7				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q1083	♥ K976	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ 852	♦ AKQ9	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ94	♣ J106				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 84	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 965	♠ AKQ4		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ AJ	♥ K86	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ5	♦ K987	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ KQ932	♣ A10				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 85	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 97	♠ K1084				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ J87	♥ AQ104	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 8	♦ KJ108	♦ A52	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ K1093	♣ AJ				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 86	♠ AK104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K92	
Vul: EW	♦ K1042	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J4	

Board: 87	♠ KQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ97	

Board: 88	♠ A74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A763	

Board: 89	♠ J106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 742	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ63	

Board: 90	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J9	
Vul: Both	♦ 872	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKQ974	

Board: 91	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ2	
Vul: None	♦ J93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ95	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK104
♥ K92
♦ K1042
♣ J4

South:
♠ 875
♥ AQ87
♦ AQJ
♣ Q85

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ KQ92
♥ AJ4
♦ A3
♣ KJ97

South:
♠ A763
♥ Q93
♦ Q4
♣ A632

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ A74
♥ A
♦ AQJ82
♣ A763

South:
♠ KJ82
♥ 852
♦ K1076
♣ 109

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

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 18
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ J106
♥ 742
♦ AJ9
♣ KQ63

South:
♠ AK
♥ A963
♦ K862
♣ A84

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

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K8
♥ J9
♦ 872
♣ AKQ974

South:
♠ AJ3
♥ K43
♦ KQ103
♣ 863

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

Board: 91

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ9

♥ KQ2

♦ J93

♣ KQ95

South:

♠ 54

♥ AJ64

♦ K1087

♣ A103

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 86	♠ 875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ87	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q85	

Board: 87	♠ A763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q93	
Vul: Both	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A632	

Board: 88	♠ KJ82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 852	
Vul: None	♦ K1076	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 109	

Board: 89	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A963	
Vul: EW	♦ K862	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A84	

Board: 90	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K43	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 863	

Board: 91	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ64	
Vul: None	♦ K1087	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A103	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 86
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 15
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK104
♥ K92
♦ K1042
♣ J4

South:
♠ 875
♥ AQ87
♦ AQJ
♣ Q85

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 87
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 6♠ N

North:
♠ KQ92
♥ AJ4
♦ A3
♣ KJ97

South:
♠ A763
♥ Q93
♦ Q4
♣ A632

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
Pass	6♠	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 88
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 7
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ A74
♥ A
♦ AQJ82
♣ A763

South:
♠ KJ82
♥ 852
♦ K1076
♣ 109

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

Board: 89
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 18
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ J106
♥ 742
♦ AJ9
♣ KQ63

South:
♠ AK
♥ A963
♦ K862
♣ A84

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

Board: 90
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ K8
♥ J9
♦ 872
♣ AKQ974

South:
♠ AJ3
♥ K43
♦ KQ103
♣ 863

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

Board: 91

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ9

♥ KQ2

♦ J93

♣ KQ95

South:

♠ 54

♥ AJ64

♦ K1087

♣ A103

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 92	♠ J95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J93	
Vul: NS	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ54	

Board: 93	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q862	
Vul: Both	♦ 74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ J643	

Board: 94	♠ K432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ6	
Vul: None	♦ 9732	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A8	

Board: 95	♠ A964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ4	
Vul: NS	♦ AK4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q105	

Board: 96	♠ K109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK5	
Vul: EW	♦ J64	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K1043	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 92
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ J95
♥ J93
♦ A5
♣ AQJ54

South:
♠ AK42
♥ Q6
♦ Q973
♣ 1076

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

Board: 93
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 19
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ KJ7
♥ Q862
♦ 74
♣ J643

South:
♠ AQ104
♥ AJ
♦ J96
♣ AK75

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

Board: 94
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 2N S

North:
♠ K432
♥ AJ6
♦ 9732
♣ A8

South:
♠ A96
♥ K1095
♦ K106
♣ J76

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

Board: 95
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A964
♥ KQ4
♦ AK4
♣ Q105

South:
♠ K1052
♥ 9865
♦ Q
♣ AK74

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

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

Board: 96
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♣ N

North:
♠ K109
♥ AK5
♦ J64
♣ K1043

South:
♠ 85
♥ Q72
♦ A1093
♣ AQ86

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 92	♠ AK42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ Q973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1076	

Board: 93	♠ AQ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: Both	♦ J96	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK75	

Board: 94	♠ A96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1095	
Vul: None	♦ K106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J76	

Board: 95	♠ K1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9865	
Vul: NS	♦ Q	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK74	

Board: 96	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q72	
Vul: EW	♦ A1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ86	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 92
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 11
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ J95
♥ J93
♦ A5
♣ AQJ54

South:
♠ AK42
♥ Q6
♦ Q973
♣ 1076

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

Board: 93
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 7
South HCP: 19
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ KJ7
♥ Q862
♦ 74
♣ J643

South:
♠ AQ104
♥ AJ
♦ J96
♣ AK75

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

Board: 94
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 11
Contract: 2N S

North:
♠ K432
♥ AJ6
♦ 9732
♣ A8

South:
♠ A96
♥ K1095
♦ K106
♣ J76

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

Board: 95
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A964
♥ KQ4
♦ AK4
♣ Q105

South:
♠ K1052
♥ 9865
♦ Q
♣ AK74

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

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

Board: 96
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2♣ N

North:
♠ K109
♥ AK5
♦ J64
♣ K1043

South:
♠ 85
♥ Q72
♦ A1093
♣ AQ86

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 97	♠ A732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ AQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ32	

Board: 98	♠ AK73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: NS	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 973	

Board: 99	♠ KQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ A964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A8	

Board: 100	♠ J832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K108	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ95	

Board: 101	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK62	
Vul: NS	♦ A62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K983	

Board: 102	♠ AK6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 742	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ107	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A732	♠ KQ6				1♣
Vul: None	♥ K4	♥ AJ107	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ8	♦ 73	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KQ32	♣ A875				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK73	♠ 652		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ8	♥ 975	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A43	♦ KQ96	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 973	♣ AKJ				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ74	♠ AJ85				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ	♥ A8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	♦ A964	♦ Q3	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 12	♣ A8	♣ J9732	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Contract: 6♠ N			Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥
			Pass	6♠	AP	

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

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J832	♠ A105		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K108	♥ A73	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ	♦ Q10532	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ95	♣ A3				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 101	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q7	♠ AJ32				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AK62	♥ Q3	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A62	♦ KQ7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K983	♣ J1075				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 102

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ AK6

♥ 742

♦ AQ107

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ 84

♥ AK8

♦ 9642

♣ 10753

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 97	♠ KQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ107	
Vul: None	♦ 73	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A875	

Board: 98	♠ 652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 975	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ	

Board: 99	♠ AJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ Q3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J9732	

Board: 100	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A73	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10532	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A3	

Board: 101	♠ AJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J1075	

Board: 102	♠ 84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK8	
Vul: EW	♦ 9642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 10753	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 97	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A732	♠ KQ6				1♣
Vul: None	♥ K4	♥ AJ107	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ8	♦ 73	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KQ32	♣ A875				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 98	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK73	♠ 652		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ QJ8	♥ 975	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A43	♦ KQ96	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 973	♣ AKJ				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 99	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ74	♠ AJ85				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQJ	♥ A8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	♦ A964	♦ Q3	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
South HCP: 12	♣ A8	♣ J9732	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
Contract: 6♠ N			Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♥
			Pass	6♠	AP	

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

Board: 100	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J832	♠ A105		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K108	♥ A73	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ	♦ Q10532	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ KJ95	♣ A3				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 101	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q7	♠ AJ32				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AK62	♥ Q3	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ A62	♦ KQ7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K983	♣ J1075				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 102

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 7

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ AK6

♥ 742

♦ AQ107

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ 84

♥ AK8

♦ 9642

♣ 10753

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 103	♠ A1097	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ A105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1074	

Board: 104	♠ 10432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ AK62	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A104	

Board: 105	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ43	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ7	

Board: 106	♠ QJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K873	
Vul: Both	♦ K1087	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ	

Board: 107	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 962	
Vul: None	♦ KJ1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K109	

Board: 108	♠ 96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q54	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ764	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q5	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A1097
♥ AQ9
♦ A105
♣ 1074

South:
♠ Q432
♥ K1082
♦ KJ
♣ AJ3

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 10432
♥ K4
♦ AK62
♣ A104

South:
♠ Q86
♥ QJ106
♦ 94
♣ KQ75

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

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A8
♥ KJ43
♦ KJ92
♣ AJ7

South:
♠ Q92
♥ A1092
♦ A873
♣ Q4

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 106
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ QJ9
♥ K873
♦ K1087
♣ QJ

South:
♠ A63
♥ A109
♦ A3
♣ AK1086

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 107
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ A9
♥ 962
♦ KJ1096
♣ K109

South:
♠ QJ102
♥ A4
♦ 53
♣ AQ843

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

Board: 108

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ 96

♥ Q54

♦ AKQ764

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AQ2

♥ AJ86

♦ 32

♣ AJ63

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 103	♠ Q432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1082	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ3	

Board: 104	♠ Q86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ106	
Vul: None	♦ 94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ75	

Board: 105	♠ Q92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1092	
Vul: EW	♦ A873	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q4	

Board: 106	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A109	
Vul: Both	♦ A3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK1086	

Board: 107	♠ QJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ 53	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ843	

Board: 108	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ86	
Vul: NS	♦ 32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ63	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 103
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:
♠ A1097
♥ AQ9
♦ A105
♣ 1074

South:
♠ Q432
♥ K1082
♦ KJ
♣ AJ3

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 104
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ 10432
♥ K4
♦ AK62
♣ A104

South:
♠ Q86
♥ QJ106
♦ 94
♣ KQ75

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

Board: 105
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 12
Contract: 4♥ N

North:
♠ A8
♥ KJ43
♦ KJ92
♣ AJ7

South:
♠ Q92
♥ A1092
♦ A873
♣ Q4

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 106
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N S

North:
♠ QJ9
♥ K873
♦ K1087
♣ QJ

South:
♠ A63
♥ A109
♦ A3
♣ AK1086

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 107
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 13
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ A9
♥ 962
♦ KJ1096
♣ K109

South:
♠ QJ102
♥ A4
♦ 53
♣ AQ843

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

Board: 108

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ 96

♥ Q54

♦ AKQ764

♣ Q5

South:

♠ AQ2

♥ AJ86

♦ 32

♣ AJ63

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♦	Pass	4♦
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♦
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 109	♠ KJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ Q5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ96	

Board: 110	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 3	
Vul: None	♦ AQ1064	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AKQ73	

Board: 111	♠ Q853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 753	

Board: 112	♠ A97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 107	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K76	

Board: 113	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ 9765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K973	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ KJ85

♥ QJ6

♦ Q5

♣ AQ96

South:

♠ 1064

♥ A75

♦ AJ9

♣ KJ107

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	2♣	AP	
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Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 108

♥ 3

♦ AQ1064

♣ AKQ73

South:

♠ A975

♥ AQJ4

♦ K93

♣ 108

West	North	East	South
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1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
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AP

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♣ ³
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Pass	4♦ ⁴	Pass	4NT ⁵
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Pass	5♣	Pass	5NT ⁶
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Pass	6♦	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
6. King ask by 5NT

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q853

♥ AKJ3

♦ AK

♣ 753

South:

♠ A10

♥ Q652

♦ J72

♣ AQ94

Board: 112

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 9

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A97

♥ 107

♦ AQ1062

♣ K76

South:

♠ J32

♥ K986

♦ J53

♣ A94

West	North	East	South
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1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass	1NT	AP	
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Board: 113

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ K8

♦ 9765

♣ K973

South:

♠ Q953

♥ Q1062

♦ A82

♣ A10

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

1. Inverted minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 109	♠ 1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A75	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ107	

Board: 110	♠ A975	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: None	♦ K93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 108	

Board: 111	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q652	
Vul: NS	♦ J72	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ94	

Board: 112	♠ J32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K986	
Vul: EW	♦ J53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A94	

Board: 113	♠ Q953	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1062	
Vul: None	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 109

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ KJ85

♥ QJ6

♦ Q5

♣ AQ96

South:

♠ 1064

♥ A75

♦ AJ9

♣ KJ107

West North East South

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 2♣ AP

Board: 110

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 108

♥ 3

♦ AQ1064

♣ AKQ73

South:

♠ A975

♥ AQJ4

♦ K93

♣ 108

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 111

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ Q853

♥ AKJ3

♦ AK

♣ 753

South:

♠ A10

♥ Q652

♦ J72

♣ AQ94

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT² Pass 4♣³

Pass 4♦⁴ Pass 4NT⁵

Pass 5♣ Pass 5NT⁶

Pass 6♦ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

5. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

6. King ask by 5NT

Board: 112

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 9

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A97

♥ 107

♦ AQ1062

♣ K76

South:

♠ J32

♥ K986

♦ J53

♣ A94

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT AP

Board: 113

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ AJ4

♥ K8

♦ 9765

♣ K973

South:

♠ Q953

♥ Q1062

♦ A82

♣ A10

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

1. Inverted minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 114	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: NS	♦ A9643	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q109	

Board: 115	♠ K832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J963	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A74	

Board: 116	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A942	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ95	

Board: 117	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K73	
Vul: NS	♦ 10876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ9	

Board: 118	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ853	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 87	

Board: 119	♠ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 753	
Vul: Both	♦ 654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AJ76	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 114	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ4	♠ K63		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K9	♥ 10872	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A9643	♦ KJ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q109	♣ AJ3				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 115	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K832	♠ A6				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J963	♥ 10	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ	♦ AJ8762	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A74	♣ KJ65				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 116	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ K542		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A942	♥ 87	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AJ4	♦ KQ76	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ95	♣ 876				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 117	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ7	♠ KQ8				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K73	♥ 984	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 10876	♦ J2	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ9	♣ AQ863				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 118	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ K863		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ QJ4	♥ AK5	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ853	♦ J104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 87	♣ 1054				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 119	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ4	♠ 8765				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 753	♥ K10	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ 654	♦ AK732	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ76	♣ Q8				
Contract: 2♦ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 114	♠ K63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10872	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ3	

Board: 115	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ8762	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ65	

Board: 116	♠ K542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 87	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 876	

Board: 117	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 984	
Vul: NS	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ863	

Board: 118	♠ K863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK5	
Vul: EW	♦ J104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1054	

Board: 119	♠ 8765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ AK732	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q8	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 114	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ4	♠ K63		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K9	♥ 10872	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A9643	♦ KJ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q109	♣ AJ3				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 115	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K832	♠ A6				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ J963	♥ 10	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ	♦ AJ8762	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A74	♣ KJ65				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 116	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A10	♠ K542		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ A942	♥ 87	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AJ4	♦ KQ76	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ KQ95	♣ 876				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 117	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ7	♠ KQ8				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K73	♥ 984	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ 10876	♦ J2	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ9	♣ AQ863				
Contract: 3♣ S						

Board: 118	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ K863		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ QJ4	♥ AK5	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ853	♦ J104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 87	♣ 1054				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 119	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ4	♠ 8765				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 753	♥ K10	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 9	♦ 654	♦ AK732	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ76	♣ Q8				
Contract: 2♦ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 120	♠ Q95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: None	♦ A1084	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ84	

Board: 121	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ103	
Vul: EW	♦ Q83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ6	

Board: 122	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ62	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K872	

Board: 123	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ83	
Vul: None	♦ A72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A953	

Board: 124	♠ J107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ53	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ109	

Board: 125	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ6	
Vul: Both	♦ J1043	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K97	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 120

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q95

♥ Q5

♦ A1084

♣ AQ84

South:

♠ A104

♥ 10743

♦ KQJ5

♣ J3

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 121

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K62

♥ AQ103

♦ Q83

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ AQ94

♥ K765

♦ KJ107

♣ 7

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 122

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ Q10

♥ KQ62

♦ QJ2

♣ K872

South:

♠ A754

♥ J1083

♦ AK3

♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 123

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q2

♥ AJ83

♦ A72

♣ A953

South:

♠ AK43

♥ KQ

♦ J543

♣ 876

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 124

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J107

♥ 53

♦ AQ53

♣ AJ109

South:

♠ AQ62

♥ AQ4

♦ K6

♣ K873

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

Board: 125

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A43

♥ AQ6

♦ J1043

♣ K97

South:

♠ KQ

♥ K72

♦ AK85

♣ QJ103

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 120	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10743	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J3	

Board: 121	♠ AQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K765	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 7	

Board: 122	♠ A754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1083	
Vul: Both	♦ AK3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ	

Board: 123	♠ AK43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: None	♦ J543	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 876	

Board: 124	♠ AQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ4	
Vul: NS	♦ K6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K873	

Board: 125	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K72	
Vul: Both	♦ AK85	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ QJ103	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 120

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q95

♥ Q5

♦ A1084

♣ AQ84

South:

♠ A104

♥ 10743

♦ KQJ5

♣ J3

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 121

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 13

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K62

♥ AQ103

♦ Q83

♣ AJ6

South:

♠ AQ94

♥ K765

♦ KJ107

♣ 7

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3♠ ²	Pass	4♣ ³
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 122

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ Q10

♥ KQ62

♦ QJ2

♣ K872

South:

♠ A754

♥ J1083

♦ AK3

♣ AQ

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♦	Pass	6♥
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 123

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q2

♥ AJ83

♦ A72

♣ A953

South:

♠ AK43

♥ KQ

♦ J543

♣ 876

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 124

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J107

♥ 53

♦ AQ53

♣ AJ109

South:

♠ AQ62

♥ AQ4

♦ K6

♣ K873

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

Board: 125

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A43

♥ AQ6

♦ J1043

♣ K97

South:

♠ KQ

♥ K72

♦ AK85

♣ QJ103

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3NT
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 126	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ96	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ J3	

Board: 127	♠ AK105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK62	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 932	

Board: 128	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: EW	♦ K10982	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ6	

Board: 129	♠ K1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K54	
Vul: None	♦ K1094	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 75	

Board: 130	♠ Q654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ 853	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ KJ96

♦ AKJ6

♣ J3

South:

♠ K82

♥ 854

♦ Q854

♣ KQ8

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

Board: 127

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AK105

♥ AK62

♦ A9

♣ 932

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ QJ74

♦ J107

♣ AQ6

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

5. King ask by available bid

Board: 128

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ K74

♥ K9

♦ K10982

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ J85

♥ J86

♦ A65

♣ 8754

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

Board: 129

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ K1062

♥ K54

♦ K1094

♣ 75

South:

♠ J97

♥ 982

♦ AJ

♣ AQ983

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

Board: 130

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q654

♥ AQJ4

♦ 853

♣ QJ

South:

♠ J32

♥ K7

♦ AQJ96

♣ AK9

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

1. Inverted minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 126	♠ K82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 854	
Vul: None	♦ Q854	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ8	

Board: 127	♠ QJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ74	
Vul: NS	♦ J107	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ6	

Board: 128	♠ J85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J86	
Vul: EW	♦ A65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 8754	

Board: 129	♠ J97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 982	
Vul: None	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ983	

Board: 130	♠ J32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K7	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK9	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 126

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ5

♥ KJ96

♦ AKJ6

♣ J3

South:

♠ K82

♥ 854

♦ Q854

♣ KQ8

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

Board: 127

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AK105

♥ AK62

♦ A9

♣ 932

South:

♠ QJ2

♥ QJ74

♦ J107

♣ AQ6

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

5. King ask by available bid

Board: 128

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ K74

♥ K9

♦ K10982

♣ KQ6

South:

♠ J85

♥ J86

♦ A65

♣ 8754

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

Board: 129

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ K1062

♥ K54

♦ K1094

♣ 75

South:

♠ J97

♥ 982

♦ AJ

♣ AQ983

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

Board: 130

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q654

♥ AQJ4

♦ 853

♣ QJ

South:

♠ J32

♥ K7

♦ AQJ96

♣ AK9

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

1. Inverted minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 131	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ98	
Vul: EW	♦ K86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q1074	

Board: 132	♠ AQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ93	
Vul: Both	♦ K1086	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 5	

Board: 133	♠ J106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ5	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ43	

Board: 134	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK95	
Vul: EW	♦ AK6	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 543	

Board: 135	♠ AK95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK62	
Vul: Both	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 1073	

Board: 136	♠ Q96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1074	
Vul: None	♦ KJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A10	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 72	♠ A985				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AQ98	♥ 543	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♦ K86	♦ A1097	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1074	♣ A3				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ96	♠ J107		1♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ93	♥ 1085	AP			
North HCP: 14	♦ K1086	♦ AQ				
South HCP: 7	♣ 5	♣ 98643				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J106	♠ AK8				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ5	♥ K9	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ9	♦ AJ1073	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ AQ43	♣ KJ8				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A62	♠ K754		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK95	♥ Q863	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ¹
North HCP: 18	♦ AK6	♦ Q94	Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 11	♣ 543	♣ A6	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK95	♠ 42				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK62	♥ QJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 18	♦ A7	♦ Q9852	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 1073	♣ AKJ5				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 136

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ Q96

♥ A1074

♦ KJ85

♣ A10

South:

♠ A54

♥ J98

♦ Q106

♣ 9643

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1NT
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 131	♠ A985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 543	
Vul: EW	♦ A1097	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A3	

Board: 132	♠ J107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1085	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 98643	

Board: 133	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K9	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ1073	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KJ8	

Board: 134	♠ K754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q863	
Vul: EW	♦ Q94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A6	

Board: 135	♠ 42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9852	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AKJ5	

Board: 136	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J98	
Vul: None	♦ Q106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 9643	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 131	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 72	♠ A985				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AQ98	♥ 543	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♦ K86	♦ A1097	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q1074	♣ A3				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 132	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ96	♠ J107		1♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: Both	♥ KQ93	♥ 1085				
North HCP: 14	♦ K1086	♦ AQ	AP			
South HCP: 7	♣ 5	♣ 98643				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 133	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J106	♠ AK8				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ5	♥ K9	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 18	♦ KQ9	♦ AJ1073	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ AQ43	♣ KJ8				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 134	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A62	♠ K754		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ AK95	♥ Q863	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ¹
North HCP: 18	♦ AK6	♦ Q94	Pass	4♦ ²	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 11	♣ 543	♣ A6	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S			1. Cue bid, surplus			
			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 135	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK95	♠ 42				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AK62	♥ QJ	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 18	♦ A7	♦ Q9852	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 1073	♣ AKJ5				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 136

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ Q96

♥ A1074

♦ KJ85

♣ A10

South:

♠ A54

♥ J98

♦ Q106

♣ 9643

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1NT
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AP

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 137	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ3	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A7	

Board: 138	♠ AQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q102	
Vul: Both	♦ K973	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J8	

Board: 139	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ82	
Vul: None	♦ J103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ QJ3	

Board: 140	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A92	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1076	

Board: 141	♠ 652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 98	
Vul: Both	♦ AK2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ863	

Board: 142	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK76	
Vul: None	♦ QJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K964	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ3	♠ A82				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KJ3	♥ Q105	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ1053	♦ 84	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A7	♣ KQJ43				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ 873				
Vul: Both	♥ Q102	♥ KJ5		1♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K973	♦ 104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ J8	♣ AK1095				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK5	♠ J9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ82	♥ 9	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ J103	♦ AK92	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ3	♣ AK9765	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ S						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ AKQ				
Vul: NS	♥ A92	♥ KQ84		1♣	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ9	♦ K87	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ AQ1076	♣ J83	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 652	♠ A87				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 98	♥ AJ7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK2	♦ QJ943	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ863	♣ Q5				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 142

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ AJ

♥ AK76

♦ QJ9

♣ K964

South:

♠ Q654

♥ 84

♦ A1085

♣ 1087

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 137	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q105	
Vul: EW	♦ 84	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQJ43	

Board: 138	♠ 873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ 104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AK1095	

Board: 139	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: None	♦ AK92	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK9765	

Board: 140	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ84	
Vul: NS	♦ K87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ J83	

Board: 141	♠ A87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ943	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q5	

Board: 142	♠ Q654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: None	♦ A1085	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 1087	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 137	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ3	♠ A82				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KJ3	♥ Q105	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ AJ1053	♦ 84	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A7	♣ KQJ43				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 138	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQJ5	♠ 873				
Vul: Both	♥ Q102	♥ KJ5		1♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K973	♦ 104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ J8	♣ AK1095				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 139	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK5	♠ J9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ82	♥ 9	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 15	♦ J103	♦ AK92	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
South HCP: 15	♣ QJ3	♣ AK9765	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♣ S						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 140	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 105	♠ AKQ				
Vul: NS	♥ A92	♥ KQ84		1♣	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ9	♦ K87	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ AQ1076	♣ J83	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 141	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 652	♠ A87				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 98	♥ AJ7	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK2	♦ QJ943	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ863	♣ Q5				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 142

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 6

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ AJ

♥ AK76

♦ QJ9

♣ K964

South:

♠ Q654

♥ 84

♦ A1085

♣ 1087

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 143	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1097	
Vul: NS	♦ J963	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ AJ65	

Board: 144	♠ A865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: EW	♦ 1096	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK1094	

Board: 145	♠ 974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A32	
Vul: None	♦ Q873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KJ10	

Board: 146	♠ Q97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ3	
Vul: NS	♦ A1093	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J94	

Board: 147	♠ K432	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: EW	♦ 10752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ A63	

Board: 148	♠ A1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J104	
Vul: Both	♦ A64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K108	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 63	♠ AK7				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 1097	♥ A543	Pass	1♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 6	♦ J963	♦ K52	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ AJ65	♣ KQ7				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A865	♠ Q9		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q	♥ AK102	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 1096	♦ AQ7	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ AK1094	♣ QJ86				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 974	♠ Q106				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A32	♥ Q5	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ Q873	♦ A62	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ10	♣ A9874				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 146	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q97	♠ AJ8		1♦	Pass	2NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ3	♥ 1092	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ A1093	♦ Q2				
South HCP: 12	♣ J94	♣ KQ1053				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 147	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K432	♠ QJ				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 95	♥ AQ8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 10752	♦ AK4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ A63	♣ K10984				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 148	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1093	♠ 84		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J104	♥ KQ98	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A64	♦ Q983	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K108	♣ A65				
Contract: 2N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 143	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A543	
Vul: NS	♦ K52	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ7	

Board: 144	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK102	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ QJ86	

Board: 145	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: None	♦ A62	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A9874	

Board: 146	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1092	
Vul: NS	♦ Q2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ1053	

Board: 147	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K10984	

Board: 148	♠ 84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ98	
Vul: Both	♦ Q983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A65	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 143	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 63	♠ AK7				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ 1097	♥ A543	Pass	1♦	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 6	♦ J963	♦ K52	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ AJ65	♣ KQ7				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 144	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A865	♠ Q9		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ Q	♥ AK102	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ 1096	♦ AQ7	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ AK1094	♣ QJ86				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 145	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 974	♠ Q106				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A32	♥ Q5	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ Q873	♦ A62	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ10	♣ A9874				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 146	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q97	♠ AJ8		1♦	Pass	2NT
Vul: NS	♥ AQ3	♥ 1092	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ A1093	♦ Q2				
South HCP: 12	♣ J94	♣ KQ1053				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 147	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K432	♠ QJ				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 95	♥ AQ8	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 7	♦ 10752	♦ AK4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ A63	♣ K10984				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 148	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1093	♠ 84		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ J104	♥ KQ98	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A64	♦ Q983	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ K108	♣ A65				
Contract: 2N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 149	♠ 9832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A52	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ5	

Board: 150	♠ AJ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 92	
Vul: EW	♦ A94	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K753	

Board: 151	♠ 1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ 732	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ5	

Board: 152	♠ A954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK104	
Vul: None	♦ Q32	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ	

Board: 153	♠ 9864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ J65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K5	

Board: 154	♠ 532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ63	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9832	♠ K104				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A52	♥ KJ96	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ6	♦ AK10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ KQ5	♣ A84				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 150	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ92	♠ Q83		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 92	♥ K1065	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A94	♦ 52	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ K753	♣ AJ94				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 151	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1032	♠ K97				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ9	♥ 86	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 732	♦ A1065	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ5	♣ KQ73				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 152	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A954	♠ Q86		1♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ AK104	♥ J2	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 19	♦ Q32	♦ KJ104				
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ	♣ J984				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 153	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9864	♠ KQ7				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ8	♥ 54	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J65	♦ A832	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K5	♣ A983				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 154	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 532	♠ A8		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ QJ102	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQJ9	♦ 1052	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ63	♣ AK97				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 149	♠ K104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ96	
Vul: NS	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A84	

Board: 150	♠ Q83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1065	
Vul: EW	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ94	

Board: 151	♠ K97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 86	
Vul: Both	♦ A1065	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ73	

Board: 152	♠ Q86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J2	
Vul: None	♦ KJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J984	

Board: 153	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 54	
Vul: EW	♦ A832	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A983	

Board: 154	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ102	
Vul: Both	♦ 1052	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK97	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 149	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9832	♠ K104				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A52	♥ KJ96	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ6	♦ AK10	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ KQ5	♣ A84				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 150	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ92	♠ Q83		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 92	♥ K1065	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A94	♦ 52	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ K753	♣ AJ94				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 151	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1032	♠ K97				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AKQ9	♥ 86	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ 732	♦ A1065	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ5	♣ KQ73				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 152	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A954	♠ Q86		1♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: None	♥ AK104	♥ J2	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 19	♦ Q32	♦ KJ104				
South HCP: 8	♣ AQ	♣ J984				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 153	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9864	♠ KQ7				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AKQ8	♥ 54	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ J65	♦ A832	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K5	♣ A983				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 154	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 532	♠ A8		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ QJ102	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AQJ9	♦ 1052	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ63	♣ AK97				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 155	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1092	
Vul: None	♦ A954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A1065	

Board: 156	♠ K1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K95	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1076	

Board: 157	♠ A964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A74	
Vul: Both	♦ K76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 875	

Board: 158	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K105	
Vul: None	♦ KJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ74	

Board: 159	♠ A764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A83	
Vul: NS	♦ K62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q53	

Board: 160	♠ 963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K43	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1063	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 155	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 74	♠ KQ109				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 1092	♥ K743				
North HCP: 8	♦ A954	♦ KJ7	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A1065	♣ Q7				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1083	♠ AJ4		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K95	♥ 8742				
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ	♦ A104	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 9	♣ K1076	♣ 954	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A964	♠ 102				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A74	♥ KQ10	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ K76	♦ Q853	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 875	♣ AQ109	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J6	♠ K985		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ K105	♥ A94	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ106	♦ A72	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ74	♣ 953				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A764	♠ K10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A83	♥ QJ54				
North HCP: 13	♦ K62	♦ Q105	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ Q53	♣ A984	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 963	♠ AQ5		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K43	♥ AJ109				
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ10	♦ K74	Pass	1NT	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 19	♣ A1063	♣ KQ5	AP			
Contract: 6N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 155	♠ KQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K743	
Vul: None	♦ KJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q7	

Board: 156	♠ AJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8742	
Vul: NS	♦ A104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 954	

Board: 157	♠ 102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ Q853	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ109	

Board: 158	♠ K985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A94	
Vul: None	♦ A72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 953	

Board: 159	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ54	
Vul: NS	♦ Q105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A984	

Board: 160	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ109	
Vul: EW	♦ K74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ5	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 155	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 74	♠ KQ109				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 1092	♥ K743				
North HCP: 8	♦ A954	♦ KJ7	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A1065	♣ Q7				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 156	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1083	♠ AJ4		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ K95	♥ 8742				
North HCP: 12	♦ QJ	♦ A104	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 9	♣ K1076	♣ 954	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 157	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A964	♠ 102				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A74	♥ KQ10	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ K76	♦ Q853	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ 875	♣ AQ109	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 158	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J6	♠ K985		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ K105	♥ A94	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ106	♦ A72	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KJ74	♣ 953				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 159	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A764	♠ K10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A83	♥ QJ54				
North HCP: 13	♦ K62	♦ Q105	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 12	♣ Q53	♣ A984	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 160	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 963	♠ AQ5		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ K43	♥ AJ109				
North HCP: 13	♦ AQ10	♦ K74	Pass	1NT	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 19	♣ A1063	♣ KQ5	AP			
Contract: 6N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 161	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ9	
Vul: None	♦ 1072	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 10653	

Board: 162	♠ A96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1073	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ73	

Board: 163	♠ AKJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K72	
Vul: EW	♦ A97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K74	

Board: 164	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q876	
Vul: Both	♦ A93	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K876	

Board: 165	♠ Q54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A62	
Vul: NS	♦ K103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ54	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 161

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ AK4

♥ QJ9

♦ 1072

♣ 10653

South:

♠ 8

♥ 10732

♦ AK864

♣ AQJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦

AP

Board: 162

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A96

♥ Q1073

♦ AJ

♣ QJ73

South:

♠ QJ102

♥ A854

♦ 83

♣ AK10

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 163

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKJ7

♥ K72

♦ A97

♣ K74

South:

♠ Q92

♥ AQ5

♦ 10654

♣ AJ6

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT AP

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4NT⁴

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 164

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ A6

♥ Q876

♦ A93

♣ K876

South:

♠ KQ75

♥ AKJ5

♦ KJ7

♣ Q3

Board: 165

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ Q54

♥ A62

♦ K103

♣ KJ54

South:

♠ AK102

♥ J8

♦ AQ76

♣ A86

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT Pass 6NT

AP

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 161	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10732	
Vul: None	♦ AK864	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ	

Board: 162	♠ QJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A854	
Vul: NS	♦ 83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK10	

Board: 163	♠ Q92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ5	
Vul: EW	♦ 10654	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ6	

Board: 164	♠ KQ75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ5	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q3	

Board: 165	♠ AK102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ76	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A86	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 161	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK4	♠ 8				1♦
Vul: None	♥ QJ9	♥ 10732	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 10	♦ 1072	♦ AK864	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 10653	♣ AQJ				
Contract: 2♦ S						

Board: 162	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A96	♠ QJ102		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ Q1073	♥ A854	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 14	♦ AJ	♦ 83	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
South HCP: 14	♣ QJ73	♣ AK10	AP			
Contract: 4♥ S						

1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 163	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ7	♠ Q92				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K72	♥ AQ5	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ A97	♦ 10654	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ K74	♣ AJ6				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 164	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A6	♠ KQ75		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ Q876	♥ AKJ5	Pass	2♥	Pass	2NT ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ A93	♦ KJ7	Pass	3♥	Pass	3NT ²
South HCP: 19	♣ K876	♣ Q3	Pass	4♣ ³	Pass	4NT ⁴
Contract: 6♥ S			Pass	5♠	Pass	6♥
			AP			

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

Board: 165	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q54	♠ AK102				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ A62	♥ J8	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 13	♦ K103	♦ AQ76	Pass	3NT	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ54	♣ A86	AP			
Contract: 6N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 166	♠ A75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ A963	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 93	

Board: 167	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A7	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J76	

Board: 168	♠ KJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q64	
Vul: None	♦ K965	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A73	

Board: 169	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J5	
Vul: EW	♦ J982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ105	

Board: 170	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 85	
Vul: Both	♦ AK954	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K853	

Board: 171	♠ 763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 863	
Vul: None	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AKJ83	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 166
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ A75
 ♥ KQ105
 ♦ A963
 ♣ 93

South:
 ♠ KQJ4
 ♥ A743
 ♦ KQ4
 ♣ 85

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 167
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠	A1087
♥	A7
♦	KQ108
♣	J76

South:
 ♠ KJ43
 ♥ 632
 ♦ A93
 ♣ AQ10

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

- ### 1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 168
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ KJ8
 ♥ Q64
 ♦ K965
 ♣ A73

South:
 ♠ A1032
 ♥ A52
 ♦ 108
 ♣ KQ106

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

Board: 169
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♦ S

North:
 ♠ AQ10
 ♥ J5
 ♦ J982
 ♣ KJ105

South:
 ♠ KJ9
 ♥ KQ76
 ♦ K10764
 ♣ A

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for \heartsuit

Board: 170
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N S

North:

♠	K5
♥	85
♦	AK954
♣	K853

South:
 ♠ AQ3
 ♥ AKJ9
 ♦ Q103
 ♣ J104

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

Board: 171

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 763

♥ 863

♦ Q8

♣ AKJ83

South:

♠ KQ5

♥ K92

♦ A976

♣ 965

West	North	East	South
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Pass	1NT	AP	1♦
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 166	♠ KQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A743	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 85	

Board: 167	♠ KJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 632	
Vul: Both	♦ A93	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ10	

Board: 168	♠ A1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A52	
Vul: None	♦ 108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ106	

Board: 169	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ76	
Vul: EW	♦ K10764	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ A	

Board: 170	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ Q103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ J104	

Board: 171	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K92	
Vul: None	♦ A976	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 965	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 166
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♥ S

North:
 ♠ A75
 ♥ KQ105
 ♦ A963
 ♣ 93

South:
 ♠ KQJ4
 ♥ A743
 ♦ KQ4
 ♣ 85

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

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 167
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 14
Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠	A1087
♥	A7
♦	KQ108
♣	J76

South:
 ♠ KJ43
 ♥ 632
 ♦ A93
 ♣ AQ10

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

- ### 1. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 168
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ KJ8
 ♥ Q64
 ♦ K965
 ♣ A73

South:
 ♠ A1032
 ♥ A52
 ♦ 108
 ♣ KQ106

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

Board: 169
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 16
Contract: 5♦ S

North:
 ♠ AQ10
 ♥ J5
 ♦ J982
 ♣ KJ105

South:
 ♠ KJ9
 ♥ KQ76
 ♦ K10764
 ♣ A

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ²
Pass	5♦	AP	

1. Inverted minors
2. Blackwood 0314, for \heartsuit

Board: 170
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 17
Contract: 3N S

North:

♠	K5
♥	85
♦	AK954
♣	K853

South:
 ♠ AQ3
 ♥ AKJ9
 ♦ Q103
 ♣ J104

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

Board: 171

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 763

♥ 863

♦ Q8

♣ AKJ83

South:

♠ KQ5

♥ K92

♦ A976

♣ 965

West	North	East	South
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Pass	1NT	AP	1♦
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 172	♠ 65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ	
Vul: NS	♦ J86	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ105	

Board: 173	♠ AK8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK64	
Vul: Both	♦ K1075	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ J4	

Board: 174	♠ KQ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ	
Vul: None	♦ 106	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ53	

Board: 175	♠ AQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ A109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ KQ96	

Board: 176	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ76	
Vul: EW	♦ K1082	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K7	

Board: 177	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: None	♦ Q85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q104	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 172
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 65
 ♥ KQJ
 ♦ J86
 ♣ AQJ105

South:
 ♠ AKQ9
 ♥ 62
 ♦ AQ105
 ♣ K84

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

Board: 173
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6♦ S

North:
 ♠ AK8
 ♥ AK64
 ♦ K1075
 ♣ J4

South:
 ♠ J2
 ♥ J
 ♦ AJ943
 ♣ AK1085

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♣	Pass	6♦
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 174
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ KQ73
 ♥ AKJ
 ♦ 106
 ♣ KQ53

South:
 ♠ AJ5
 ♥ Q7
 ♦ Q9872
 ♣ 1064

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

Board: 175
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AQ52
 ♥ Q6
 ♦ A109
 ♣ KQ96

South:
 ♠ J8
 ♥ K109
 ♦ KQ83
 ♣ AJ43

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

Board: 176
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 6
 Contract: 2♥ S

North:
 ♠ K72
 ♥ QJ76
 ♦ K1082
 ♣ K7

South:
 ♠ AQ6
 ♥ 9832
 ♦ 975
 ♣ 943

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

Board: 177

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKJ3

♥ A96

♦ Q85

♣ Q104

South:

♠ Q2

♥ Q842

♦ A104

♣ KJ93

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 172	♠ AKQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 62	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K84	

Board: 173	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ943	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK1085	

Board: 174	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: None	♦ Q9872	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 1064	

Board: 175	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K109	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ83	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ43	

Board: 176	♠ AQ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9832	
Vul: EW	♦ 975	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 943	

Board: 177	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q842	
Vul: None	♦ A104	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ93	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 172
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 18
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 65
♥ KQJ
♦ J86
♣ AQJ105

South:
♠ AKQ9
♥ 62
♦ AQ105
♣ K84

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

Board: 173
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6♦ S

North:
♠ AK8
♥ AK64
♦ K1075
♣ J4

South:
♠ J2
♥ J
♦ AJ943
♣ AK1085

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	4♦	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♣	Pass	6♦
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 174
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ KQ73
♥ AKJ
♦ 106
♣ KQ53

South:
♠ AJ5
♥ Q7
♦ Q9872
♣ 1064

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

Board: 175
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQ52
♥ Q6
♦ A109
♣ KQ96

South:
♠ J8
♥ K109
♦ KQ83
♣ AJ43

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

Board: 176
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 12
South HCP: 6
Contract: 2♥ S

North:
♠ K72
♥ QJ76
♦ K1082
♣ K7

South:
♠ AQ6
♥ 9832
♦ 975
♣ 943

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

Board: 177

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKJ3

♥ A96

♦ Q85

♣ Q104

South:

♠ Q2

♥ Q842

♦ A104

♣ KJ93

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 178	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 75	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9742	

Board: 179	♠ AQ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J10	
Vul: EW	♦ A64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK94	

Board: 180	♠ KJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J7	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 765	

Board: 181	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK3	
Vul: NS	♦ 72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ65	

Board: 182	♠ 942	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: EW	♦ K102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9873	

Board: 183	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A64	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ852	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 178

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ5

♥ 75

♦ AKJ3

♣ 9742

South:

♠ AJ32

♥ AQ93

♦ 76

♣ AK6

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

Board: 179

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ83

♥ J10

♦ A64

♣ AK94

South:

♠ J542

♥ AQ52

♦ QJ

♣ Q108

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 180

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KJ62

♥ J7

♦ AKQ3

♣ 765

South:

♠ 9875

♥ KQ32

♦ 82

♣ AKQ

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

Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ AK3

♦ 72

♣ AKQ65

South:

♠ A864

♥ 107

♦ AKJ954

♣ 7

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 942

♥ AK

♦ K102

♣ A9873

South:

♠ A763

♥ 1095

♦ AQ3

♣ KQ6

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

Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K74

♥ A64

♦ QJ852

♣ AK

South:

♠ AJ106

♥ KQ8

♦ A96

♣ 1073

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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AP

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 178	♠ AJ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ93	
Vul: NS	♦ 76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK6	

Board: 179	♠ J542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ52	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q108	

Board: 180	♠ 9875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ32	
Vul: Both	♦ 82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ	

Board: 181	♠ A864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 107	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ954	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 7	

Board: 182	♠ A763	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1095	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ6	

Board: 183	♠ AJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ8	
Vul: Both	♦ A96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1073	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 178

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KQ5

♥ 75

♦ AKJ3

♣ 9742

South:

♠ AJ32

♥ AQ93

♦ 76

♣ AK6

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

Board: 179

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ AQ83

♥ J10

♦ A64

♣ AK94

South:

♠ J542

♥ AQ52

♦ QJ

♣ Q108

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♥ ²
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Pass	3♠	Pass	4♠
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AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 180

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ N

North:

♠ KJ62

♥ J7

♦ AKQ3

♣ 765

South:

♠ 9875

♥ KQ32

♦ 82

♣ AKQ

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

Board: 181

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ QJ5

♥ AK3

♦ 72

♣ AKQ65

South:

♠ A864

♥ 107

♦ AKJ954

♣ 7

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 182

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 942

♥ AK

♦ K102

♣ A9873

South:

♠ A763

♥ 1095

♦ AQ3

♣ KQ6

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

Board: 183

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K74

♥ A64

♦ QJ852

♣ AK

South:

♠ AJ106

♥ KQ8

♦ A96

♣ 1073

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

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 184	♠ AJ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: None	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10854	

Board: 185	♠ KJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A97	
Vul: EW	♦ J82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ5	

Board: 186	♠ 1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ5	

Board: 187	♠ A96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ62	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J10	

Board: 188	♠ Q103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ9	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ874	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 4	

Board: 189	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ42	
Vul: Both	♦ A2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K643	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 184	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ72	♠ 963		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ 84	♥ KQ103	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K4	♦ 8762	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ A10854	♣ K9				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 185	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ85	♠ A104				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A97	♥ K532	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J82	♦ AQ3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ5	♣ 973				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1082	♠ AKQ		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ QJ10	♥ A853	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQJ3	♦ 87	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ KJ5	♣ AQ82				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A96	♠ QJ4				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KQ62	♥ 954	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ8	♦ 93	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J10	♣ AKQ85				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 188	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q103	♠ K54		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ KQ9	♥ J654	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ874	♦ 95				
South HCP: 7	♣ 4	♣ K865				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 189

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AQ10

♥ KJ42

♦ A2

♣ K643

South:

♠ K9

♥ A5

♦ KQJ643

♣ A87

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT
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Pass	7NT	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 184	♠ 963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ103	
Vul: None	♦ 8762	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K9	

Board: 185	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K532	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 973	

Board: 186	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A853	
Vul: Both	♦ 87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ82	

Board: 187	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 954	
Vul: None	♦ 93	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ85	

Board: 188	♠ K54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J654	
Vul: NS	♦ 95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K865	

Board: 189	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ643	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A87	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 184	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ72	♠ 963		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ 84	♥ KQ103	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K4	♦ 8762	AP			
South HCP: 8	♣ A10854	♣ K9				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 185	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ85	♠ A104				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ A97	♥ K532	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J82	♦ AQ3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ5	♣ 973				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 186	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1082	♠ AKQ		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ QJ10	♥ A853	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQJ3	♦ 87	AP			
South HCP: 19	♣ KJ5	♣ AQ82				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 187	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A96	♠ QJ4				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KQ62	♥ 954	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KQJ8	♦ 93	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J10	♣ AKQ85				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 188	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q103	♠ K54		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ KQ9	♥ J654	Pass	3♦	AP	
North HCP: 15	♦ AKJ874	♦ 95				
South HCP: 7	♣ 4	♣ K865				
Contract: 3♦ N						

Board: 189

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 17

Contract: 7N N

North:

♠ AQ10

♥ KJ42

♦ A2

♣ K643

South:

♠ K9

♥ A5

♦ KQJ643

♣ A87

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
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Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT
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Pass	7NT	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 190	♠ K109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ2	
Vul: None	♦ A	You bid first.
HCP: 21	♣ KQ974	
Board: 191	♠ AKQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: NS	♦ Q942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 987	
Board: 192	♠ A3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 43	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ1082	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ8	
Board: 193	♠ A1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ6	
Vul: None	♦ Q8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ94	
Board: 194	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1082	
Vul: NS	♦ A105	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ K10432	
Board: 195	♠ 1084	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 82	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQJ107	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K109	♠ Q843		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ AKQ2	♥ 873	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 21	♦ A	♦ 9765	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ KQ974	♣ A6	1. Splinter			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ2	♠ 8				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A9	♥ KQ10	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 15	♦ Q942	♦ 876	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 987	♣ AKQ1053				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ Q864		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 43	♥ K109	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQJ1082	♦ 97	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ8	♣ AJ105				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1074	♠ J5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ6	♥ AQ102	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ Q8	♦ K1063	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ94	♣ K105				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ KQ95		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A1082	♥ KQ4	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A105	♦ KQJ3	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ K10432	♣ Q7				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1084	♠ KJ96				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 82	♥ A743	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ7	♦ 63	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ107	♣ A65	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 190	♠ Q843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 873	
Vul: None	♦ 9765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A6	
Board: 191	♠ 8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ 876	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ1053	
Board: 192	♠ Q864	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K109	
Vul: EW	♦ 97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ105	
Board: 193	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ102	
Vul: None	♦ K1063	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K105	
Board: 194	♠ KQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ4	
Vul: NS	♦ KQJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q7	
Board: 195	♠ KJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A743	
Vul: EW	♦ 63	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A65	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 190	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K109	♠ Q843		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ AKQ2	♥ 873	Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 21	♦ A	♦ 9765	AP			
South HCP: 6	♣ KQ974	♣ A6	1. Splinter			
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 191	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQ2	♠ 8				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A9	♥ KQ10	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 15	♦ Q942	♦ 876	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ 987	♣ AKQ1053				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 192	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A3	♠ Q864		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ 43	♥ K109	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ KQJ1082	♦ 97	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ8	♣ AJ105				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 193	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1074	♠ J5				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ6	♥ AQ102	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ Q8	♦ K1063	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ94	♣ K105				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 194	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A	♠ KQ95		1♣	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A1082	♥ KQ4	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ A105	♦ KQJ3	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ K10432	♣ Q7				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 195	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1084	♠ KJ96				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 82	♥ A743	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ KQ7	♦ 63	Pass	3♣	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ107	♣ A65	1. Inverted minors			
Contract: 3♣ S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 196	♠ A106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K873	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q108	

Board: 197	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ	
Vul: NS	♦ 643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK85	

Board: 198	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 985	
Vul: EW	♦ Q832	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A106	

Board: 199	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 103	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ6	

Board: 200	♠ Q106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	
Vul: None	♦ 975	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ3	

Board: 201	♠ K986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 93	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A98	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A106
 ♥ K873
 ♦ AKQ
 ♣ Q108

South:
 ♠ Q985
 ♥ QJ
 ♦ J952
 ♣ K75

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

Board: 197
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ KJ10
 ♥ AKJ
 ♦ 643
 ♣ AK85

South:
 ♠ A95
 ♥ 9854
 ♦ AK95
 ♣ QJ

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 198
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 1N N

North:
 ♠ AK10
 ♥ 985
 ♦ Q832
 ♣ A106

South:
 ♠ QJ
 ♥ AJ64
 ♦ K94
 ♣ J943

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

Board: 199
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2N S

North:
 ♠ A102
 ♥ 103
 ♦ KJ105
 ♣ KQJ6

South:
 ♠ KJ43
 ♥ A65
 ♦ 943
 ♣ A94

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 200
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 16
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ Q106
 ♥ A96
 ♦ 975
 ♣ AQJ3

South:
 ♠ AK4
 ♥ Q543
 ♦ A10
 ♣ K1096

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

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ K986

♥ 93

♦ KJ62

♣ A98

South:

♠ A

♥ AK75

♦ A1085

♣ 10763

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 196	♠ Q985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	
Vul: Both	♦ J952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K75	

Board: 197	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9854	
Vul: NS	♦ AK95	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ	

Board: 198	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ64	
Vul: EW	♦ K94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J943	

Board: 199	♠ KJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A65	
Vul: Both	♦ 943	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A94	

Board: 200	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q543	
Vul: None	♦ A10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K1096	

Board: 201	♠ A	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK75	
Vul: EW	♦ A1085	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 10763	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 196
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 9
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ A106
♥ K873
♦ AKQ
♣ Q108

South:
♠ Q985
♥ QJ
♦ J952
♣ K75

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

Board: 197
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ KJ10
♥ AKJ
♦ 643
♣ AK85

South:
♠ A95
♥ 9854
♦ AK95
♣ QJ

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

1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦
3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 198
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 12
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ AK10
♥ 985
♦ Q832
♣ A106

South:
♠ QJ
♥ AJ64
♦ K94
♣ J943

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

Board: 199
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 12
Contract: 2N S

North:
♠ A102
♥ 103
♦ KJ105
♣ KQJ6

South:
♠ KJ43
♥ A65
♦ 943
♣ A94

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 200
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q106
♥ A96
♦ 975
♣ AQJ3

South:
♠ AK4
♥ Q543
♦ A10
♣ K1096

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

Board: 201

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 15

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ K986

♥ 93

♦ KJ62

♣ A98

South:

♠ A

♥ AK75

♦ A1085

♣ 10763

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 202	♠ A974	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ K62	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ7	

Board: 203	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J64	
Vul: None	♦ K73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQJ	

Board: 204	♠ A842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K9	
Vul: NS	♦ A543	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK7	

Board: 205	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K53	

Board: 206	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: None	♦ AQ9743	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ2	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A974

♥ KJ2

♦ K62

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ KQ2

♥ 874

♦ J3

♣ AK653

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ J64

♦ K73

♣ AKQJ

South:

♠ J102

♥ AK3

♦ AJ2

♣ 9754

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥

Pass 6NT AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A842

♥ K9

♦ A543

♣ AK7

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ A842

♦ 1097

♣ Q86

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ KJ3

♦ KQ108

♣ K53

South:

♠ KQ109

♥ AQ76

♦ 752

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ 63

♥ A7

♦ AQ9743

♣ QJ2

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ 963

♦ KJ10

♣ AK109

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

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. King ask by 5NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 202	♠ KQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 874	
Vul: Both	♦ J3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK653	

Board: 203	♠ J102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK3	
Vul: None	♦ AJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 9754	

Board: 204	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A842	
Vul: NS	♦ 1097	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ Q86	

Board: 205	♠ KQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ76	
Vul: Both	♦ 752	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ	

Board: 206	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 963	
Vul: None	♦ KJ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK109	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 202

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A974

♥ KJ2

♦ K62

♣ QJ7

South:

♠ KQ2

♥ 874

♦ J3

♣ AK653

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2♦ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 203

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ KQ7

♥ J64

♦ K73

♣ AKQJ

South:

♠ J102

♥ AK3

♦ AJ2

♣ 9754

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♦

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥

Pass 6NT AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 204

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A842

♥ K9

♦ A543

♣ AK7

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ A842

♦ 1097

♣ Q86

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 205

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ KJ3

♦ KQ108

♣ K53

South:

♠ KQ109

♥ AQ76

♦ 752

♣ QJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 206

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ 63

♥ A7

♦ AQ9743

♣ QJ2

South:

♠ AQJ

♥ 963

♦ KJ10

♣ AK109

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

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. King ask by 5NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 207	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9754	
Vul: NS	♦ A1092	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q95	

Board: 208	♠ Q102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ42	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J742	

Board: 209	♠ Q973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: None	♦ AJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q4	

Board: 210	♠ Q1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ865	

Board: 211	♠ K652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 874	
Vul: EW	♦ J8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KJ106	

Board: 212	♠ 854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ42	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K74	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K9

♥ 9754

♦ A1092

♣ Q95

South:

♠ QJ54

♥ AJ6

♦ J83

♣ K104

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT AP

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q102

♥ KJ42

♦ KQ

♣ J742

South:

♠ AJ3

♥ A8

♦ A876

♣ KQ86

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q973

♥ AKQ10

♦ AJ3

♣ Q4

South:

♠ K

♥ 74

♦ K7542

♣ AK865

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q1094

♥ Q6

♦ A9

♣ AQ865

South:

♠ A65

♥ AK94

♦ KJ3

♣ J94

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ K652

♥ 874

♦ J8

♣ KJ106

South:

♠ 73

♥ AKQ3

♦ KQ10974

♣ 5

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

AP

Board: 212

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 854

♥ AQ9

♦ KJ42

♣ K74

South:

♠ A6

♥ KJ87

♦ Q73

♣ J653

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 207	♠ QJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ J83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K104	
Board: 208	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: EW	♦ A876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ86	
Board: 209	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: None	♦ K7542	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK865	
Board: 210	♠ A65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK94	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J94	
Board: 211	♠ 73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ10974	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 5	
Board: 212	♠ A6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ87	
Vul: Both	♦ Q73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J653	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 207

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K9

♥ 9754

♦ A1092

♣ Q95

South:

♠ QJ54

♥ AJ6

♦ J83

♣ K104

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT AP

Board: 208

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q102

♥ KJ42

♦ KQ

♣ J742

South:

♠ AJ3

♥ A8

♦ A876

♣ KQ86

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 209

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q973

♥ AKQ10

♦ AJ3

♣ Q4

South:

♠ K

♥ 74

♦ K7542

♣ AK865

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 210

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q1094

♥ Q6

♦ A9

♣ AQ865

South:

♠ A65

♥ AK94

♦ KJ3

♣ J94

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 211

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ K652

♥ 874

♦ J8

♣ KJ106

South:

♠ 73

♥ AKQ3

♦ KQ10974

♣ 5

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦

AP

Board: 212

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 854

♥ AQ9

♦ KJ42

♣ K74

South:

♠ A6

♥ KJ87

♦ Q73

♣ J653

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 213	♠ 1052	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ72	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K9	

Board: 214	♠ AQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 102	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ64	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K106	

Board: 215	♠ 10863	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A4	

Board: 216	♠ AJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K104	
Vul: None	♦ J53	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ86	

Board: 217	♠ A108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ AK	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q7632	

Board: 218	♠ 5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ Q10742	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ864	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 213	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1052	♠ A86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ KJ72	♥ Q109	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQJ6	♦ K952	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K9	♣ AJ7				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 214	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ74	♠ K1032		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 102	♥ KQ74	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ64	♦ 52	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K106	♣ A98				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 215	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10863	♠ AK				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ83	♥ J4	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ8	♦ 10753	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A4	♣ KJ1086				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 216	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ3	♠ K4		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ K104	♥ A92	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J53	♦ AQ76	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ86	♣ K954				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 217	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A108	♠ KQ93				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AJ10	♥ K75	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ AK	♦ Q854	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14	♣ Q7632	♣ A9	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 5	♠ K86		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK	♥ Q1043	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ Q10742	♦ A853	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ864	♣ KJ				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 213	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q109	
Vul: NS	♦ K952	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ7	

Board: 214	♠ K1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ74	
Vul: EW	♦ 52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A98	

Board: 215	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J4	
Vul: Both	♦ 10753	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ1086	

Board: 216	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A92	
Vul: None	♦ AQ76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K954	

Board: 217	♠ KQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K75	
Vul: EW	♦ Q854	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9	

Board: 218	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1043	
Vul: Both	♦ A853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 213	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1052	♠ A86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ KJ72	♥ Q109	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQJ6	♦ K952	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ K9	♣ AJ7				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 214	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ74	♠ K1032		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 102	♥ KQ74	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ64	♦ 52	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ K106	♣ A98				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 215	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10863	♠ AK				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AQ83	♥ J4	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ AJ8	♦ 10753	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A4	♣ KJ1086				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 216	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ3	♠ K4		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: None	♥ K104	♥ A92	Pass	2♥	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ J53	♦ AQ76	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ AJ86	♣ K954				
Contract: 3N S						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 217	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A108	♠ KQ93				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ AJ10	♥ K75	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ AK	♦ Q854	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 14	♣ Q7632	♣ A9	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 218	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 5	♠ K86		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK	♥ Q1043	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 15	♦ Q10742	♦ A853	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ864	♣ KJ				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 219	♠ QJ3	West Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ108	
Vul: None	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A854	
Board: 220	♠ A652	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q10865	
Board: 221	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 863	
Vul: Both	♦ AK65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q65	
Board: 222	♠ 962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ2	
Vul: None	♦ K92	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ73	
Board: 223	♠ AQ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K87	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J9	
Board: 224	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A973	
Vul: EW	♦ AK109	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K9	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ QJ3

♥ AJ108

♦ J2

♣ A854

South:

♠ AK64

♥ K95

♦ 653

♣ K106

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

X¹ 2♣² Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Two suit takeout double

2. strength cue bid

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A652

♥ K6

♦ KQ

♣ Q10865

South:

♠ K84

♥ A108

♦ J653

♣ K94

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ4

♥ 863

♦ AK65

♣ Q65

South:

♠ K963

♥ AK

♦ QJ94

♣ 1084

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 962

♥ KQ2

♦ K92

♣ KJ73

South:

♠ J875

♥ A86

♦ 84

♣ AQ86

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

AP

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ76

♥ K87

♦ AQ105

♣ J9

South:

♠ K54

♥ Q103

♦ K4

♣ AQ1054

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 224

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A43

♥ A973

♦ AK109

♣ K9

South:

♠ QJ5

♥ Q852

♦ 62

♣ AQ108

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 219	♠ AK64	West Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K95	
Vul: None	♦ 653	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K106	

Board: 220	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A108	
Vul: NS	♦ J653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K94	

Board: 221	♠ K963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ94	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 1084	

Board: 222	♠ J875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A86	
Vul: None	♦ 84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ86	

Board: 223	♠ K54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q103	
Vul: NS	♦ K4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ1054	

Board: 224	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q852	
Vul: EW	♦ 62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ108	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 219

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ QJ3

♥ AJ108

♦ J2

♣ A854

South:

♠ AK64

♥ K95

♦ 653

♣ K106

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

X¹ 2♣² Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Two suit takeout double

2. strength cue bid

Board: 220

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A652

♥ K6

♦ KQ

♣ Q10865

South:

♠ K84

♥ A108

♦ J653

♣ K94

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 221

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ4

♥ 863

♦ AK65

♣ Q65

South:

♠ K963

♥ AK

♦ QJ94

♣ 1084

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 222

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 11

Contract: 2N N

North:

♠ 962

♥ KQ2

♦ K92

♣ KJ73

South:

♠ J875

♥ A86

♦ 84

♣ AQ86

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

AP

Board: 223

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AQ76

♥ K87

♦ AQ105

♣ J9

South:

♠ K54

♥ Q103

♦ K4

♣ AQ1054

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 224

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 11

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ A43

♥ A973

♦ AK109

♣ K9

South:

♠ QJ5

♥ Q852

♦ 62

♣ AQ108

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 225	♠ J986	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK64	
Vul: None	♦ KQ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ	

Board: 226	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ A9862	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 73	

Board: 227	♠ Q832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K64	
Vul: EW	♦ J87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 974	

Board: 228	♠ Q1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K762	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K53	

Board: 229	♠ KJ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1095	
Vul: NS	♦ 865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ K107	

Board: 230	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ74	
Vul: EW	♦ 1085	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ5	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J986	♠ A105				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK64	♥ Q105	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ KQ4	♦ AJ107	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ	♣ K86				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK2	♠ 764				
Vul: NS	♥ QJ3	♥ K82		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A9862	♦ 75	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ 73	♣ AJ1098				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q832	♠ AJ96				2♣
Vul: EW	♥ K64	♥ 8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 6	♦ J87	♦ AK4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 21	♣ 974	♣ AKQ108				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q1032	♠ 954				
Vul: Both	♥ K762	♥ J53		1♣	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ K53	♣ AQ64				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ52	♠ 3				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 1095	♥ AQJ2	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 865	♦ AQ97	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ K107	♣ A865				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ QJ5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ74	♥ A9	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ 1085	♦ AQJ42	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ5	♣ A74				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 225	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q105	
Vul: None	♦ AJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K86	
Board: 226	♠ 764	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K82	
Vul: NS	♦ 75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ1098	
Board: 227	♠ AJ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK4	You bid first.
HCP: 21	♣ AKQ108	
Board: 228	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J53	
Vul: Both	♦ K97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQ64	
Board: 229	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ97	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A865	
Board: 230	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A74	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 225	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J986	♠ A105				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AK64	♥ Q105	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ KQ4	♦ AJ107	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ	♣ K86				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 226	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK2	♠ 764				
Vul: NS	♥ QJ3	♥ K82		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ A9862	♦ 75	Pass	2♦	AP	
South HCP: 8	♣ 73	♣ AJ1098				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 227	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q832	♠ AJ96				2♣
Vul: EW	♥ K64	♥ 8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 6	♦ J87	♦ AK4	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 21	♣ 974	♣ AKQ108				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 228	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q1032	♠ 954				
Vul: Both	♥ K762	♥ J53		1♣	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ	♦ K97	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ K53	♣ AQ64				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 229	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ52	♠ 3				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 1095	♥ AQJ2	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 7	♦ 865	♦ AQ97	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ K107	♣ A865				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 230	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A82	♠ QJ5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ KJ74	♥ A9	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ 1085	♦ AQJ42	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ5	♣ A74				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 231	♠ AQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q764	
Vul: Both	♦ Q2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK3	

Board: 232	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K98	
Vul: None	♦ Q743	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ106	

Board: 233	♠ KJ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 76	
Vul: EW	♦ K64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ93	

Board: 234	♠ A1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A52	
Vul: Both	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A7543	

Board: 235	♠ KQJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ4	
Vul: None	♦ 7543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A8	

Board: 236	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A942	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ107	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ94	♠ J6				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q764	♥ A9	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ Q2	♦ AKJ543	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AK3	♣ Q86	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ	♠ K10		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ K98	♥ AQ10	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ Q743	♦ K1086	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ106	♣ A974	1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
Contract: 5♣ S						

Board: 233	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ52	♠ A843				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 76	♥ AKQ4				
North HCP: 13	♦ K64	♦ 987	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ93	♣ 65	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 234	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1082	♠ K4		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A52	♥ 986	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ 8	♦ AK432	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A7543	♣ KQJ				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 235	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ5	♠ A1043				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ4	♥ A32	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 7543	♦ QJ6	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ A8	♣ Q96	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q7

♥ A942

♦ KJ9

♣ QJ107

South:

♠ A653

♥ 653

♦ A103

♣ K54

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 231	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q86	

Board: 232	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10	
Vul: None	♦ K1086	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ A974	

Board: 233	♠ A843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ4	
Vul: EW	♦ 987	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 65	

Board: 234	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 986	
Vul: Both	♦ AK432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ	

Board: 235	♠ A1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A32	
Vul: None	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q96	

Board: 236	♠ A653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 653	
Vul: NS	♦ A103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K54	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 231	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ94	♠ J6				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q764	♥ A9	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 17	♦ Q2	♦ AKJ543	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 15	♣ AK3	♣ Q86	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 232	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ	♠ K10		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: None	♥ K98	♥ AQ10	Pass	3♣	Pass	4♠ ¹
North HCP: 13	♦ Q743	♦ K1086	Pass	5♣	AP	
South HCP: 16	♣ QJ106	♣ A974	1. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper			
Contract: 5♣ S						

Board: 233	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ52	♠ A843				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ 76	♥ AKQ4				
North HCP: 13	♦ K64	♦ 987	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ93	♣ 65	Pass	4♠	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 234	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A1082	♠ K4		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A52	♥ 986	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ 8	♦ AK432	AP			
South HCP: 16	♣ A7543	♣ KQJ				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 235	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQJ5	♠ A1043				1♣
Vul: None	♥ KJ4	♥ A32	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 14	♦ 7543	♦ QJ6	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♠
South HCP: 13	♣ A8	♣ Q96	Pass	4♣	AP	
Contract: 4♠ N			1. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 236

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q7

♥ A942

♦ KJ9

♣ QJ107

South:

♠ A653

♥ 653

♦ A103

♣ K54

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 237	♠ K1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 983	
Vul: Both	♦ J73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KJ4	

Board: 238	♠ K972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 8	
Vul: None	♦ AK63	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1074	

Board: 239	♠ 853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ107	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 86	

Board: 240	♠ AK82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q98	
Vul: EW	♦ K87	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ5	

Board: 241	♠ 532	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK93	
Vul: None	♦ A103	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K65	

Board: 242	♠ AK96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K75	
Vul: NS	♦ Q10753	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ K1063

♥ 983

♦ J73

♣ KJ4

South:

♠ J95

♥ K765

♦ AK96

♣ Q9

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ K972

♥ 8

♦ AK63

♣ A1074

South:

♠ QJ10

♥ KJ2

♦ J2

♣ KQJ65

West North East South

1♦

Pass

2♣

Pass 3♥¹ Pass 4♥²

Pass 4♠³ Pass 5♣

AP

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 853

♥ KQ107

♦ AKQ2

♣ 86

South:

♠ K102

♥ AJ2

♦ 43

♣ KQ543

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AK82

♥ Q98

♦ K87

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ 105

♥ K753

♦ AQ53

♣ K108

West North East South

1♣

Pass

1♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♣ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ 532

♥ AK93

♦ A103

♣ K65

South:

♠ K96

♥ 74

♦ K5

♣ AQJ874

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

Pass 5♣ AP

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ AK96

♥ K75

♦ Q10753

♣ 4

South:

♠ Q52

♥ Q82

♦ K96

♣ J1095

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 237	♠ J95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K765	
Vul: Both	♦ AK96	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q9	

Board: 238	♠ QJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: None	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ65	

Board: 239	♠ K102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ2	
Vul: NS	♦ 43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ543	

Board: 240	♠ 105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K753	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K108	

Board: 241	♠ K96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: None	♦ K5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQJ874	

Board: 242	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q82	
Vul: NS	♦ K96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J1095	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 237

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ K1063

♥ 983

♦ J73

♣ KJ4

South:

♠ J95

♥ K765

♦ AK96

♣ Q9

West North East South

Pass 1♠ Pass 1♦

Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 238

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ K972

♥ 8

♦ AK63

♣ A1074

South:

♠ QJ10

♥ KJ2

♦ J2

♣ KQJ65

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 3♥¹ Pass 4♥²

Pass 4♠³ Pass 5♣

AP

1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 239

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 853

♥ KQ107

♦ AKQ2

♣ 86

South:

♠ K102

♥ AJ2

♦ 43

♣ KQ543

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♣

Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 240

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AK82

♥ Q98

♦ K87

♣ AQ5

South:

♠ 105

♥ K753

♦ AQ53

♣ K108

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2NT Pass 3♦

Pass 3♠ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♣ Pass 6NT

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 241

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 5♣ S

North:

♠ 532

♥ AK93

♦ A103

♣ K65

South:

♠ K96

♥ 74

♦ K5

♣ AQJ874

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♣

Pass 2♣

Pass 5♣ AP

Board: 242

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♦ N

North:

♠ AK96

♥ K75

♦ Q10753

♣ 4

South:

♠ Q52

♥ Q82

♦ K96

♣ J1095

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 243	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AJ2	

Board: 244	♠ KQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A8	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK3	

Board: 245	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ 109763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ7	

Board: 246	♠ AK75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A875	
Vul: EW	♦ 9	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A1084	

Board: 247	♠ Q52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A109	
Vul: Both	♦ AK63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 854	

Board: 248	♠ AK62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: None	♦ 764	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q1043	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K73	♠ Q1054				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQ3	♥ A65	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ87	♦ K105	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ2	♣ K63	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ95	♠ A1074				
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ 1065		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ QJ102	♦ 986	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AK3	♣ Q105				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ10	♠ K93				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q5	♥ A743	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ 109763	♦ KQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ7	♣ Q93				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 246	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK75	♠ Q93		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A875	♥ K6	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 9	♦ AQ102	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A1084	♣ J976	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 247	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q52	♠ AK10				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A109	♥ J875	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AK63	♦ 2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 854	♣ KQ1096				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AK62

♥ K4

♦ 764

♣ Q1043

South:

♠ QJ3

♥ Q6

♦ AQ853

♣ J95

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 243	♠ Q1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A65	
Vul: EW	♦ K105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K63	

Board: 244	♠ A1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1065	
Vul: Both	♦ 986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ Q105	

Board: 245	♠ K93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A743	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q93	

Board: 246	♠ Q93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J976	

Board: 247	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J875	
Vul: Both	♦ 2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ1096	

Board: 248	♠ QJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q6	
Vul: None	♦ AQ853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J95	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 243	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K73	♠ Q1054				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ KQ3	♥ A65	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ87	♦ K105	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ2	♣ K63	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 244	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ95	♠ A1074				
Vul: Both	♥ A8	♥ 1065		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ QJ102	♦ 986	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ AK3	♣ Q105				
Contract: 4♠ S						

Board: 245	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ10	♠ K93				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q5	♥ A743	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ 109763	♦ KQ5	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AJ7	♣ Q93				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 246	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK75	♠ Q93		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A875	♥ K6	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ 9	♦ AQ102	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A1084	♣ J976	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 247	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q52	♠ AK10				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ A109	♥ J875	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ AK63	♦ 2	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 854	♣ KQ1096				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 248

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ AK62

♥ K4

♦ 764

♣ Q1043

South:

♠ QJ3

♥ Q6

♦ AQ853

♣ J95

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 249	♠ 954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ103	

Board: 250	♠ AJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: Both	♦ K10863	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K74	

Board: 251	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1062	
Vul: None	♦ KQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K5	

Board: 252	♠ Q83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1097	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A873	

Board: 253	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K62	
Vul: Both	♦ 84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQJ84	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 249	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 954	♠ KQ8				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q10	♥ A52	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ64	♦ K875	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ103	♣ 874				
Contract: 2N S						1. Inverted minors

Board: 250	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ10	♠ K9		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: Both	♥ J6	♥ K32	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ K10863	♦ AQ7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ K74	♣ AJ853				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 251	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1065	♠ K74				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A1062	♥ KJ85	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ7	♦ A54	Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
South HCP: 12	♣ K5	♣ J84	Pass	3♥	Pass	3♠ ³
Contract: 4♥ N			Pass	3NT ⁴	Pass	4♥
			AP			
						1. Cue bid, surplus
						2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper
						3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper
						4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 252	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q83	♠ AK104		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A9	♥ Q32	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1097	♦ AJ42	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ A873	♣ KJ				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 253	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ	♠ K762				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K62	♥ AQJ7	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ 84	♦ Q1095	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 12	♣ KQJ84	♣ 9	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 249	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A52	
Vul: EW	♦ K875	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 874	

Board: 250	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K32	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AJ853	

Board: 251	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ85	
Vul: None	♦ A54	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J84	

Board: 252	♠ AK104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q32	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ42	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ	

Board: 253	♠ K762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1095	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 9	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 249

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ 954

♥ Q10

♦ AJ64

♣ KQ103

South:

♠ KQ8

♥ A52

♦ K875

♣ 874

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 250

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ10

♥ J6

♦ K10863

♣ K74

South:

♠ K9

♥ K32

♦ AQ7

♣ AJ853

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠³

Pass 3NT⁴ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 251

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ A1065

♥ A1062

♦ KQ7

♣ K5

South:

♠ K74

♥ KJ85

♦ A54

♣ J84

Board: 252

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q83

♥ A9

♦ Q1097

♣ A873

South:

♠ AK104

♥ Q32

♦ AJ42

♣ KJ

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 253

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AQJ

♥ K62

♦ 84

♣ KQJ84

South:

♠ K762

♥ AQJ7

♦ Q1095

♣ 9

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♣ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT AP

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 254	♠ 72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J5	
Vul: None	♦ AKQJ96	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AJ3	

Board: 255	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ	
Vul: NS	♦ A72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 10865	

Board: 256	♠ J1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ5	
Vul: EW	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ109	

Board: 257	♠ 1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J7	
Vul: None	♦ J97	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ AK1074	

Board: 258	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ8	
Vul: NS	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ743	

Board: 259	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1064	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A95	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 72

♥ J5

♦ AKQJ96

♣ AJ3

South:

♠ 10984

♥ AK64

♦ 107

♣ KQ5

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K74

♥ KQJ

♦ A72

♣ 10865

South:

♠ QJ106

♥ A82

♦ J3

♣ KQ43

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J1093

♥ KQ5

♦ 72

♣ AQ109

South:

♠ AK5

♥ AJ76

♦ AQ109

♣ 43

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦¹

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ 1063

♥ J7

♦ J97

♣ AK1074

South:

♠ KQ8

♥ A4

♦ KQ10864

♣ 86

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦

AP

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K10

♥ AKQ8

♦ 72

♣ AQ743

South:

♠ A74

♥ 105

♦ K10986

♣ K65

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A10

♥ 1064

♦ AJ1065

♣ A95

South:

♠ K54

♥ 9832

♦ KQ43

♣ KQ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2♠

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 254	♠ 10984	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK64	
Vul: None	♦ 107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ5	
Board: 255	♠ QJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A82	
Vul: NS	♦ J3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ43	
Board: 256	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ76	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ109	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 43	
Board: 257	♠ KQ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A4	
Vul: None	♦ KQ10864	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 86	
Board: 258	♠ A74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 105	
Vul: NS	♦ K10986	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K65	
Board: 259	♠ K54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9832	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 254

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 72

♥ J5

♦ AKQJ96

♣ AJ3

South:

♠ 10984

♥ AK64

♦ 107

♣ KQ5

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 255

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K74

♥ KQJ

♦ A72

♣ 10865

South:

♠ QJ106

♥ A82

♦ J3

♣ KQ43

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 256

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J1093

♥ KQ5

♦ 72

♣ AQ109

South:

♠ AK5

♥ AJ76

♦ AQ109

♣ 43

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♦¹

Pass 2♥ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 257

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♦ S

North:

♠ 1063

♥ J7

♦ J97

♣ AK1074

South:

♠ KQ8

♥ A4

♦ KQ10864

♣ 86

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1NT Pass 2♦

AP

Board: 258

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K10

♥ AKQ8

♦ 72

♣ AQ743

South:

♠ A74

♥ 105

♦ K10986

♣ K65

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 2♥ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 259

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A10

♥ 1064

♦ AJ1065

♣ A95

South:

♠ K54

♥ 9832

♦ KQ43

♣ KQ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 260	♠ 9542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A62	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ3	

Board: 261	♠ AK86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K852	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ Q65	

Board: 262	♠ 3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1084	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10987	

Board: 263	♠ AKJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1032	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ J8	

Board: 264	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A42	
Vul: None	♦ J752	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ6	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 260
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ 9542
♥ A62
♦ KJ2
♣ KQ3

South:
♠ AJ6
♥ QJ
♦ AQ1085
♣ 1086

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 261
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK86
♥ K852
♦ K10
♣ Q65

South:
♠ 1043
♥ AQ10
♦ A973
♣ K103

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

Board: 262
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 18
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ 3
♥ A1084
♦ AQ7
♣ K10987

South:
♠ AKQJ
♥ Q7
♦ K942
♣ QJ4

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♥	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 263
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 13
Contract: 6♣ S

North:
♠ AKJ9
♥ A1032
♦ KQ9
♣ J8

South:
♠ Q8
♥ 97
♦ A82
♣ AK10973

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♣	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 264
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 19
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ A102
♥ A42
♦ J752
♣ AJ6

South:
♠ J6
♥ KQJ6
♦ AKQ10
♣ K92

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 260	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ1085	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 1086	

Board: 261	♠ 1043	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ A973	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K103	

Board: 262	♠ AKQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: EW	♦ K942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ QJ4	

Board: 263	♠ Q8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 97	
Vul: Both	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK10973	

Board: 264	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ6	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K92	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 260
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 14
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 9542
 ♥ A62
 ♦ KJ2
 ♣ KQ3

South:
 ♠ AJ6
 ♥ QJ
 ♦ AQ1085
 ♣ 1086

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 261
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AK86
 ♥ K852
 ♦ K10
 ♣ Q65

South:
 ♠ 1043
 ♥ AQ10
 ♦ A973
 ♣ K103

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

Board: 262
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ 3
 ♥ A1084
 ♦ AQ7
 ♣ K10987

South:
 ♠ AKQJ
 ♥ Q7
 ♦ K942
 ♣ QJ4

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♠
Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
Pass	3NT	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♥	Pass	6NT
AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for N

Board: 263
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 6♣ S

North:
 ♠ AKJ9
 ♥ A1032
 ♦ KQ9
 ♣ J8

South:
 ♠ Q8
 ♥ 97
 ♦ A82
 ♣ AK10973

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
Pass	6♣	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 264
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A102
 ♥ A42
 ♦ J752
 ♣ AJ6

South:
 ♠ J6
 ♥ KQJ6
 ♦ AKQ10
 ♣ K92

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 265	♠ 843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ	
Vul: EW	♦ AK6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ1062	

Board: 266	♠ Q102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 109	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ732	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ4	

Board: 267	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K87	
Vul: None	♦ Q76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AJ73	

Board: 268	♠ KJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A106	
Vul: NS	♦ 105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A952	

Board: 269	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K874	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K6	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ 843

♥ KQ

♦ AK6

♣ AQ1062

South:

♠ AK106

♥ A9

♦ 108743

♣ J7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥

Pass 5NT³ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q102

♥ 109

♦ AQ732

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ AK94

♥ J654

♦ J5

♣ K105

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ K87

♦ Q76

♣ AJ73

South:

♠ J543

♥ AQ6

♦ AJ108

♣ 92

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 268

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KJ86

♥ A106

♦ 105

♣ A952

South:

♠ Q2

♥ QJ9

♦ AKQ2

♣ KJ86

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 269
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ A63
♥ K874
♦ AKJ6
♣ K6

South:
♠ K542
♥ AJ6
♦ 94
♣ AQ32

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. King ask by 5NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 265	♠ AK106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A9	
Vul: EW	♦ 108743	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J7	

Board: 266	♠ AK94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J654	
Vul: Both	♦ J5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K105	

Board: 267	♠ J543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ6	
Vul: None	♦ AJ108	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 92	

Board: 268	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ9	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ86	

Board: 269	♠ K542	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ 94	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ32	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 265

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ 843

♥ KQ

♦ AK6

♣ AQ1062

South:

♠ AK106

♥ A9

♦ 108743

♣ J7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♥¹

Pass 4NT² Pass 5♥

Pass 5NT³ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

3. King ask by 5NT

Board: 266

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q102

♥ 109

♦ AQ732

♣ AJ4

South:

♠ AK94

♥ J654

♦ J5

♣ K105

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 267

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKQ

♥ K87

♦ Q76

♣ AJ73

South:

♠ J543

♥ AQ6

♦ AJ108

♣ 92

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 268

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ KJ86

♥ A106

♦ 105

♣ A952

South:

♠ Q2

♥ QJ9

♦ AKQ2

♣ KJ86

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2♣¹

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 269
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 14
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ A63
♥ K874
♦ AKJ6
♣ K6

South:
♠ K542
♥ AJ6
♦ 94
♣ AQ32

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♥
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Pass	5NT ³	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Fourth suit game force
2. Blackwood 0314, for ♥
3. King ask by 5NT

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 270	♠ A109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K865	
Vul: None	♦ AQ97	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 65	

Board: 271	♠ KJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ 542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ 83	

Board: 272	♠ K1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ72	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J5	

Board: 273	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A103	
Vul: None	♦ 7543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ64	

Board: 274	♠ J1032	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1085	
Vul: NS	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ10	

Board: 275	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J104	
Vul: EW	♦ A82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 8764	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 270
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 6N S

North:
 ♠ A109
 ♥ K865
 ♦ AQ97
 ♣ 65

South:
 ♠ KJ6
 ♥ A73
 ♦ K853
 ♣ AK10

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

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

Board: 271
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ KJ93
 ♥ AKQ2
 ♦ 542
 ♣ 83

South:
 ♠ A54
 ♥ 64
 ♦ K63
 ♣ AQ1065

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

Board: 272
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ K1032
 ♥ KQ72
 ♦ KJ5
 ♣ J5

South:
 ♠ QJ5
 ♥ J86
 ♦ 1098
 ♣ KQ96

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1NT
	AP		

Board: 273
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ K5
 ♥ A103
 ♦ 7543
 ♣ AJ64

South:
 ♠ J1096
 ♥ KJ52
 ♦ AKJ6
 ♣ 8

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

1. Inverted minors
2. shortness

Board: 274
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ J1032
 ♥ A1085
 ♦ Q9
 ♣ AJ10

South:
 ♠ 75
 ♥ J94
 ♦ AJ104
 ♣ K843

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

Board: 275

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q74

♥ J104

♦ A82

♣ 8764

South:

♠ 1095

♥ K83

♦ KQJ9

♣ K93

West	North	East	South
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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			1♦
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 270	♠ KJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A73	
Vul: None	♦ K853	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK10	

Board: 271	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 64	
Vul: NS	♦ K63	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1065	

Board: 272	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J86	
Vul: EW	♦ 1098	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ KQ96	

Board: 273	♠ J1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ52	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 8	

Board: 274	♠ 75	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J94	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K843	

Board: 275	♠ 1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K83	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K93	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 270			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♦	Pass	2♦ ¹
Vul: None	♠ A109	♠ KJ6	Pass	2♥	Pass	4NT ²
North HCP: 13	♥ K865	♥ A73	Pass	5♠	Pass	5NT ³
South HCP: 18	♦ AQ97	♦ K853	Pass	6♦	Pass	6NT
Contract: 6N S	♣ 65	♣ AK10	AP			

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

Board: 271			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: NS	♠ KJ93	♠ A54	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♥ AKQ2	♥ 64	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♦ 542	♦ K63				
Contract: 3N S	♣ 83	♣ AQ1065				

Board: 272			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♦	Pass	1NT
Vul: EW	♠ K1032	♠ QJ5	AP			
North HCP: 13	♥ KQ72	♥ J86				
South HCP: 9	♦ KJ5	♦ 1098				
Contract: 1N S	♣ J5	♣ KQ96				

Board: 273			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♦
Vul: None	♠ K5	♠ J1096	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	3♣ ²
North HCP: 12	♥ A103	♥ KJ52	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♦ 7543	♦ AKJ6				
Contract: 3N N	♣ AJ64	♣ 8				

1. Inverted minors
2. shortness

Board: 274			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♠ J1032	♠ 75	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♥ A1085	♥ J94	AP			
South HCP: 9	♦ Q9	♦ AJ104				
Contract: 1N S	♣ AJ10	♣ K843				

Board: 275

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q74

♥ J104

♦ A82

♣ 8764

South:

♠ 1095

♥ K83

♦ KQJ9

♣ K93

West	North	East	South
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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1♦

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 276	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ2	
Vul: Both	♦ 7543	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ7	

Board: 277	♠ AQ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ103	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ K10	

Board: 278	♠ K873	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K53	
Vul: EW	♦ K83	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K108	

Board: 279	♠ AQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10832	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A3	

Board: 280	♠ 83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q32	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ75	

Board: 281	♠ Q954	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ87	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 843	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A53

♥ KJ2

♦ 7543

♣ AJ7

South:

♠ 10964

♥ A743

♦ AK8

♣ K4

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQ43

♥ KJ103

♦ AJ7

♣ K10

South:

♠ K6

♥ A764

♦ Q2

♣ QJ762

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♦

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K873

♥ K53

♦ K83

♣ K108

South:

♠ AQ10

♥ A9

♦ AQJ94

♣ 643

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥¹

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AQ102

♥ 10832

♦ KJ6

♣ A3

South:

♠ J84

♥ KQ94

♦ A43

♣ Q97

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 83

♥ Q32

♦ KQJ10

♣ KQ75

South:

♠ AQ62

♥ A954

♦ 82

♣ 1093

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT AP

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q954

♥ KJ87

♦ AQ

♣ 843

South:

♠ A32

♥ Q10

♦ 985

♣ AQ1075

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 276	♠ 10964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A743	
Vul: Both	♦ AK8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ K4	

Board: 277	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A764	
Vul: NS	♦ Q2	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ762	

Board: 278	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A9	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ 643	

Board: 279	♠ J84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ94	
Vul: Both	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q97	

Board: 280	♠ AQ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A954	
Vul: None	♦ 82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 1093	

Board: 281	♠ A32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: EW	♦ 985	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ1075	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 276

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A53

♥ KJ2

♦ 7543

♣ AJ7

South:

♠ 10964

♥ A743

♦ AK8

♣ K4

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 277

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ AQ43

♥ KJ103

♦ AJ7

♣ K10

South:

♠ K6

♥ A764

♦ Q2

♣ QJ762

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4NT¹ Pass 5♦

Pass 6♥ AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 278

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K873

♥ K53

♦ K83

♣ K108

South:

♠ AQ10

♥ A9

♦ AQJ94

♣ 643

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♥¹

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 279

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AQ102

♥ 10832

♦ KJ6

♣ A3

South:

♠ J84

♥ KQ94

♦ A43

♣ Q97

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 280

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ 83

♥ Q32

♦ KQJ10

♣ KQ75

South:

♠ AQ62

♥ A954

♦ 82

♣ 1093

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT AP

Board: 281

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q954

♥ KJ87

♦ AQ

♣ 843

South:

♠ A32

♥ Q10

♦ 985

♣ AQ1075

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 282	♠ J1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1053	
Vul: Both	♦ AK62	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	
Board: 283	♠ A64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 862	
Vul: None	♦ J95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ Q863	
Board: 284	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A873	
Vul: NS	♦ 10543	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A6	
Board: 285	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K65	
Vul: Both	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K10754	
Board: 286	♠ AKJ9	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ A643	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ Q75	
HCP: 14	♣ 83	You bid first.

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J1042

♥ K1053

♦ AK62

♣ Q

South:

♠ AK7

♥ QJ8

♦ 953

♣ K863

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 283

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A64

♥ 862

♦ J95

♣ Q863

South:

♠ Q5

♥ Q1054

♦ AK107

♣ K54

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
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Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3NT ³
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Pass	4♣ ⁴	Pass	4♦ ⁵
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 284

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ A873

♦ 10543

♣ A6

South:

♠ J6

♥ KQ65

♦ AQJ

♣ K743

Board: 285

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ K65

♦ 73

♣ K10754

South:

♠ 973

♥ Q94

♦ QJ8

♣ AQJ9

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 286

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♠ S

North:

♠ AKJ9

♥ A643

♦ Q75

♣ 83

South:

♠ 10532

♥ 95

♦ J104

♣ AK107

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 282	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ 953	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K863	

Board: 283	♠ Q5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1054	
Vul: None	♦ AK107	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K54	

Board: 284	♠ J6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ65	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K743	

Board: 285	♠ 973	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q94	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQJ9	

Board: 286	♠ 10532	West Doubles Pass if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 95	East Bids 3♣ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ J104	
HCP: 8	♣ AK107	Partner bids first.

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 282

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ J1042

♥ K1053

♦ AK62

♣ Q

South:

♠ AK7

♥ QJ8

♦ 953

♣ K863

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	2♣
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Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 283

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 7

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A64

♥ 862

♦ J95

♣ Q863

South:

♠ Q5

♥ Q1054

♦ AK107

♣ K54

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♣ ¹
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Pass	3♦ ²	Pass	3NT ³
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Pass	4♣ ⁴	Pass	4♦ ⁵
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

3. Cue bid, surplus

4. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

5. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 284

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ KQ4

♥ A873

♦ 10543

♣ A6

South:

♠ J6

♥ KQ65

♦ AQJ

♣ K743

Board: 285

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3♣ S

North:

♠ AJ6

♥ K65

♦ 73

♣ K10754

South:

♠ 973

♥ Q94

♦ QJ8

♣ AQJ9

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3♣	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

Board: 286

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 8

Contract: 3♠ S

North:

♠ AKJ9

♥ A643

♦ Q75

♣ 83

South:

♠ 10532

♥ 95

♦ J104

♣ AK107

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 287	♠ KJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: NS	♦ 107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ53	

Board: 288	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K763	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 43	

Board: 289	♠ AJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ A76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A874	

Board: 290	♠ K982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ105	
Vul: NS	♦ 97	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K73	

Board: 291	♠ AKJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A632	
Vul: EW	♦ K108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A2	

Board: 292	♠ A1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q863	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 287
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ KJ43
 ♥ AK6
 ♦ 107
 ♣ AQ53

South:
 ♠ AQ2
 ♥ Q75
 ♦ AK8632
 ♣ 4

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♦
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 288
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AQ2
 ♥ K763
 ♦ QJ64
 ♣ 43

South:
 ♠ K9
 ♥ QJ8
 ♦ AK1053
 ♣ KQJ

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 289
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AJ54
 ♥ AJ
 ♦ A76
 ♣ A874

South:
 ♠ KQ10
 ♥ K984
 ♦ QJ853
 ♣ Q

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

Board: 290
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ K982
 ♥ AQ105
 ♦ 97
 ♣ K73

South:
 ♠ AJ6
 ♥ 62
 ♦ AK1063
 ♣ J106

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

Board: 291
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ AKJ5
 ♥ A632
 ♦ K108
 ♣ A2

South:
 ♠ 1092
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AQJ9543
 ♣ KQ

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ A1083

♥ J

♦ AJ87

♣ Q863

South:

♠ QJ54

♥ K1095

♦ 942

♣ A4

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 287	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q75	
Vul: NS	♦ AK8632	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 4	
Board: 288	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ AK1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQJ	
Board: 289	♠ KQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K984	
Vul: None	♦ QJ853	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q	
Board: 290	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 62	
Vul: NS	♦ AK1063	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J106	
Board: 291	♠ 1092	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ9543	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ	
Board: 292	♠ QJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1095	
Vul: Both	♦ 942	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 287
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 17
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ KJ43
 ♥ AK6
 ♦ 107
 ♣ AQ53

South:
 ♠ AQ2
 ♥ Q75
 ♦ AK8632
 ♣ 4

West	North	East	South
			1♦
Pass	1♠	Pass	3♦
Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♣
Pass	6NT	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 288
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AQ2
 ♥ K763
 ♦ QJ64
 ♣ 43

South:
 ♠ K9
 ♥ QJ8
 ♦ AK1053
 ♣ KQJ

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 289
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 18
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AJ54
 ♥ AJ
 ♦ A76
 ♣ A874

South:
 ♠ KQ10
 ♥ K984
 ♦ QJ853
 ♣ Q

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

Board: 290
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ K982
 ♥ AQ105
 ♦ 97
 ♣ K73

South:
 ♠ AJ6
 ♥ 62
 ♦ AK1063
 ♣ J106

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

Board: 291
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ AKJ5
 ♥ A632
 ♦ K108
 ♣ A2

South:
 ♠ 1092
 ♥ 8
 ♦ AQJ9543
 ♣ KQ

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

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 292

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3♠ N

North:

♠ A1083

♥ J

♦ AJ87

♣ Q863

South:

♠ QJ54

♥ K1095

♦ 942

♣ A4

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 293	♠ AK32	West Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ Q963	
Vul: NS	♦ 54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ6	
Board: 294	♠ QJ62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: EW	♦ Q102	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ73	
Board: 295	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1072	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A85	
Board: 296	♠ K1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 873	
Vul: None	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK103	
Board: 297	♠ A98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1094	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ4	
Board: 298	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ83	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ53	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J84	

Board: 298

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A8

♥ KJ83

♦ KQ53

♣ J84

South:

♠ KQ64

♥ Q2

♦ AJ2

♣ AQ53

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 293	♠ Q1086	West Doubles 1♠ if possible.
Dealer: S	♥ K	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9743	
Board: 294	♠ AK98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K953	
Vul: EW	♦ J83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 84	
Board: 295	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: Both	♦ A10963	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K104	
Board: 296	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: None	♦ KQ964	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J94	
Board: 297	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A832	
Vul: EW	♦ J97	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A765	
Board: 298	♠ KQ64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ53	

Board: 298

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A8

♥ KJ83

♦ KQ53

♣ J84

South:

♠ KQ64

♥ Q2

♦ AJ2

♣ AQ53

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 299	♠ Q105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ7	
Vul: None	♦ Q75	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J1043	

Board: 300	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9853	
Vul: NS	♦ J2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK104	

Board: 301	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A96	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A52	

Board: 302	♠ K842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ KJ109	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQJ7	

Board: 303	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q762	
Vul: NS	♦ A96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ94	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 299

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q105

♥ KQ7

♦ Q75

♣ J1043

South:

♠ K762

♥ A63

♦ AK8

♣ 975

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1NT AP

Board: 300

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ 9853

♦ J2

♣ AK104

South:

♠ K7

♥ AKJ6

♦ K653

♣ J53

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 301

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A4

♥ A96

♦ KQJ82

♣ A52

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ K4

♦ 654

♣ KQ743

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1NT

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 302

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K842

♥ Q

♦ KJ109

♣ KQJ7

South:

♠ Q976

♥ KJ10

♦ AQ74

♣ 93

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 303

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ J8

♥ Q762

♦ A96

♣ AJ94

South:

♠ K

♥ AK53

♦ J10753

♣ KQ3

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT ¹	Pass	4♣ ²
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Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4♥
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AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 299	♠ K762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A63	
Vul: None	♦ AK8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 975	

Board: 300	♠ K7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ6	
Vul: NS	♦ K653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ J53	

Board: 301	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ 654	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ743	

Board: 302	♠ Q976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ10	
Vul: None	♦ AQ74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 93	

Board: 303	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK53	
Vul: NS	♦ J10753	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ3	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 299

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 14

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q105

♥ KQ7

♦ Q75

♣ J1043

South:

♠ K762

♥ A63

♦ AK8

♣ 975

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1NT AP

Board: 300

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ 9853

♦ J2

♣ AK104

South:

♠ K7

♥ AKJ6

♦ K653

♣ J53

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 301

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A4

♥ A96

♦ KQJ82

♣ A52

South:

♠ KQ3

♥ K4

♦ 654

♣ KQ743

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1NT

Pass 6NT AP

Board: 302

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ K842

♥ Q

♦ KJ109

♣ KQJ7

South:

♠ Q976

♥ KJ10

♦ AQ74

♣ 93

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 3♠

Pass 4♠ AP

Board: 303

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 16

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ J8

♥ Q762

♦ A96

♣ AJ94

South:

♠ K

♥ AK53

♦ J10753

♣ KQ3

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	3NT ¹	Pass	4♣ ²
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Pass	4♦ ³	Pass	4♥
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AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 304	♠ K64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J7	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ32	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ84	

Board: 305	♠ A1094	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 43	
Vul: None	♦ KQ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A43	

Board: 306	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ1075	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK986	

Board: 307	♠ AKQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J9	
Vul: EW	♦ 873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 6543	

Board: 308	♠ KJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ54	
Vul: Both	♦ J65	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J64	

Board: 309	♠ AQJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 63	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ43	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K64	♠ Q9		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J7	♥ AK52	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ32	♦ A654	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ84	♣ J96				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1094	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 43	♥ AQJ10	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ52	♦ A108	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A43	♣ J1095				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ A876		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A	♥ KJ102	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ1075	♦ K83	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AK986	♣ 74				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQJ	♠ 753				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J9	♥ AK42	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 873	♦ K104	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 12	♣ 6543	♣ Q87	AP			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 308	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ10	♠ Q85		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AQ54	♥ J83	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ J65	♦ AK107	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ J64	♣ AK8				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ6	♠ K72				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 63	♥ Q84	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ8	♦ J10974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ43	♣ AQ				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 304	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK52	
Vul: EW	♦ A654	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J96	

Board: 305	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ10	
Vul: None	♦ A108	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J1095	

Board: 306	♠ A876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ102	
Vul: NS	♦ K83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 74	

Board: 307	♠ 753	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK42	
Vul: EW	♦ K104	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q87	

Board: 308	♠ Q85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J83	
Vul: Both	♦ AK107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK8	

Board: 309	♠ K72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q84	
Vul: NS	♦ J10974	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 304	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K64	♠ Q9		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ J7	♥ AK52	Pass	1NT	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ32	♦ A654	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ84	♣ J96				
Contract: 2♦ N						

Board: 305	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A1094	♠ Q2				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 43	♥ AQJ10	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ52	♦ A108	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A43	♣ J1095				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 306	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J2	♠ A876		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A	♥ KJ102	Pass	2♣	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 15	♦ QJ1075	♦ K83	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ AK986	♣ 74				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 307	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKQJ	♠ 753				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J9	♥ AK42	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 873	♦ K104	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♠
South HCP: 12	♣ 6543	♣ Q87	AP			
Contract: 2♠ N						

Board: 308	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ10	♠ Q85		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AQ54	♥ J83	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ J65	♦ AK107	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 17	♣ J64	♣ AK8				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 309	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ6	♠ K72				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ 63	♥ Q84	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ KQ8	♦ J10974	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KJ43	♣ AQ				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 310	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	
Vul: EW	♦ AK9	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q9753	

Board: 311	♠ AK104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q86	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ J104	

Board: 312	♠ Q543	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J7	
Vul: None	♦ A983	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ	

Board: 313	♠ 1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K75	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ Q87	

Board: 314	♠ J762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q972	
Vul: Both	♦ AK10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K3	

Board: 315	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 875	
Vul: None	♦ AJ973	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 310
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AJ7
♥ 53
♦ AK9
♣ Q9753

South:
♠ KQ3
♥ AKQ10
♦ J76
♣ A104

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

Board: 311
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK104
♥ Q86
♦ AQ9
♣ J104

South:
♠ 92
♥ AK97
♦ K642
♣ A83

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

Board: 312
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q543
♥ J7
♦ A983
♣ AQJ

South:
♠ K82
♥ AK2
♦ QJ
♣ K8654

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

Board: 313
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♦ N

North:
♠ 1065
♥ K75
♦ KQ98
♣ Q87

South:
♠ K9
♥ J8
♦ A1065
♣ AJ654

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	2♦
AP			

Board: 314
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ J762
♥ Q972
♦ AK10
♣ K3

South:
♠ A985
♥ A104
♦ Q763
♣ AJ

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

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

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A4

♥ 875

♦ AJ973

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ 9

♦ K642

♣ K1085

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 310	♠ KQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: EW	♦ J76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A104	
Board: 311	♠ 92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK97	
Vul: Both	♦ K642	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A83	
Board: 312	♠ K82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK2	
Vul: None	♦ QJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K8654	
Board: 313	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J8	
Vul: EW	♦ A1065	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ654	
Board: 314	♠ A985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A104	
Vul: Both	♦ Q763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ	
Board: 315	♠ KQJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9	
Vul: None	♦ K642	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1085	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 310
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 19
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ AJ7
♥ 53
♦ AK9
♣ Q9753

South:
♠ KQ3
♥ AKQ10
♦ J76
♣ A104

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♥
Pass	1NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

Board: 311
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 16
South HCP: 14
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AK104
♥ Q86
♦ AQ9
♣ J104

South:
♠ 92
♥ AK97
♦ K642
♣ A83

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

Board: 312
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 16
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q543
♥ J7
♦ A983
♣ AQJ

South:
♠ K82
♥ AK2
♦ QJ
♣ K8654

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

Board: 313
Dealer: S
Vul: EW
North HCP: 10
South HCP: 13
Contract: 2♦ N

North:
♠ 1065
♥ K75
♦ KQ98
♣ Q87

South:
♠ K9
♥ J8
♦ A1065
♣ AJ654

West	North	East	South
			1♣
Pass	1♦	Pass	2♦
AP			

Board: 314
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 15
Contract: 4♠ S

North:
♠ J762
♥ Q972
♦ AK10
♣ K3

South:
♠ A985
♥ A104
♦ Q763
♣ AJ

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

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

Board: 315

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A4

♥ 875

♦ AJ973

♣ AQ4

South:

♠ KQJ3

♥ 9

♦ K642

♣ K1085

West	North	East	South
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			1♦
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Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 316	♠ AQ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 84	
Vul: NS	♦ AK108742	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A	
Board: 317	♠ Q65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ63	
Vul: Both	♦ 9542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A7	
Board: 318	♠ A976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 73	
Vul: None	♦ AJ986	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A10	
Board: 319	♠ Q9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ103	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK2	
Board: 320	♠ AK10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A92	
Vul: EW	♦ K8	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ763	
Board: 321	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ93	
Vul: None	♦ AKQ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 94	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 316
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♦ N

North:
♠ AQ10
♥ 84
♦ AK108742
♣ A

South:
♠ KJ
♥ AK65
♦ QJ5
♣ KJ109

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT ²
Pass	6♣	Pass	7♦
	AP		

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

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 18
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q65
♥ KQ63
♦ 9542
♣ A7

South:
♠ J10
♥ A
♦ AK76
♣ KQJ1083

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

Board: 318
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 6
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ A976
♥ 73
♦ AJ986
♣ A10

South:
♠ KJ3
♥ Q942
♦ 32
♣ 8754

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

Board: 319
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ Q9
♥ AQ103
♦ QJ64
♣ AK2

South:
♠ KJ3
♥ K95
♦ A85
♣ J743

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

Board: 320
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 6
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AK10
♥ A92
♦ K8
♣ KJ763

South:
♠ 963
♥ 10763
♦ Q1042
♣ A8

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

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ9

♥ KQ93

♦ AKQ5

♣ 94

South:

♠ Q53

♥ AJ6

♦ 96

♣ AK653

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 316	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK65	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ109	
Board: 317	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: Both	♦ AK76	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQJ1083	
Board: 318	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q942	
Vul: None	♦ 32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 8754	
Board: 319	♠ KJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K95	
Vul: NS	♦ A85	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J743	
Board: 320	♠ 963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10763	
Vul: EW	♦ Q1042	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ A8	
Board: 321	♠ Q53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ6	
Vul: None	♦ 96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK653	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 316
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 17
South HCP: 18
Contract: 7♦ N

North:
♠ AQ10
♥ 84
♦ AK108742
♣ A

South:
♠ KJ
♥ AK65
♦ QJ5
♣ KJ109

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	3♦	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♦	Pass	5NT ²
Pass	6♣	Pass	7♦
	AP		

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

Board: 317
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 11
South HCP: 18
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ Q65
♥ KQ63
♦ 9542
♣ A7

South:
♠ J10
♥ A
♦ AK76
♣ KQJ1083

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

Board: 318
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 13
South HCP: 6
Contract: 1N S

North:
♠ A976
♥ 73
♦ AJ986
♣ A10

South:
♠ KJ3
♥ Q942
♦ 32
♣ 8754

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

Board: 319
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 12
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ Q9
♥ AQ103
♦ QJ64
♣ AK2

South:
♠ KJ3
♥ K95
♦ A85
♣ J743

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

Board: 320
Dealer: N
Vul: EW
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 6
Contract: 2N N

North:
♠ AK10
♥ A92
♦ K8
♣ KJ763

South:
♠ 963
♥ 10763
♦ Q1042
♣ A8

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

Board: 321

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KJ9

♥ KQ93

♦ AKQ5

♣ 94

South:

♠ Q53

♥ AJ6

♦ 96

♣ AK653

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 322	♠ 107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ73	
Vul: NS	♦ K93	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1074	

Board: 323	♠ K64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9	
Vul: EW	♦ 932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ1087	

Board: 324	♠ KQ83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ94	
Vul: Both	♦ 76	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKJ	

Board: 325	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 863	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J98	

Board: 326	♠ A952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ42	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 327	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQJ8	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 107

♥ AQ73

♦ K93

♣ A1074

South:

♠ A43

♥ K952

♦ AQ7

♣ KQ2

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K64

♥ Q9

♦ 932

♣ AQ1087

South:

♠ Q1093

♥ 74

♦ AKJ8

♣ K63

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ83

♥ AJ94

♦ 76

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ 752

♥ Q106

♦ AKJ

♣ 8765

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT AP

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥³

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ Q4

♥ 863

♦ AKQ106

♣ J98

South:

♠ AK

♥ KQ10

♦ J98752

♣ A4

Board: 326

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A952

♥ QJ42

♦ AJ83

♣ Q

South:

♠ K63

♥ 965

♦ K102

♣ AKJ7

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 327

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ Q74

♥ AQ

♦ QJ94

♣ AQJ8

South:

♠ AKJ3

♥ K974

♦ K6

♣ 962

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 322	♠ A43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K952	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ2	

Board: 323	♠ Q1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 74	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K63	

Board: 324	♠ 752	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q106	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 8765	

Board: 325	♠ AK	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ10	
Vul: NS	♦ J98752	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ A4	

Board: 326	♠ K63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 965	
Vul: EW	♦ K102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKJ7	

Board: 327	♠ AKJ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K974	
Vul: Both	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 962	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 322

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ 107

♥ AQ73

♦ K93

♣ A1074

South:

♠ A43

♥ K952

♦ AQ7

♣ KQ2

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 323

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 11

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K64

♥ Q9

♦ 932

♣ AQ1087

South:

♠ Q1093

♥ 74

♦ AKJ8

♣ K63

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 324

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ83

♥ AJ94

♦ 76

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ 752

♥ Q106

♦ AKJ

♣ 8765

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT AP

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 2♥

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♦ Pass 4♥³

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Inverted minors
2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper
3. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

Board: 325

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 17

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ Q4

♥ 863

♦ AKQ106

♣ J98

South:

♠ AK

♥ KQ10

♦ J98752

♣ A4

Board: 326

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A952

♥ QJ42

♦ AJ83

♣ Q

South:

♠ K63

♥ 965

♦ K102

♣ AKJ7

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 327

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ Q74

♥ AQ

♦ QJ94

♣ AQJ8

South:

♠ AKJ3

♥ K974

♦ K6

♣ 962

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 328	♠ 8754	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A109	
Vul: None	♦ KJ43	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A3	

Board: 329	♠ Q76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: EW	♦ Q653	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQ107	

Board: 330	♠ Q2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9632	
Vul: Both	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AKQ98	

Board: 331	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ52	
Vul: None	♦ Q1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ K84	

Board: 332	♠ K872	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A752	
Vul: NS	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K64	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 328

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 8754

♥ A109

♦ KJ43

♣ A3

South:

♠ K62

♥ KQ3

♦ A2

♣ K9765

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 329

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ Q76

♥ A2

♦ Q653

♣ KQ107

South:

♠ A92

♥ Q1096

♦ AKJ102

♣ 8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠²

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 330

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q2

♥ 9632

♦ K6

♣ AKQ98

South:

♠ A1083

♥ KQJ

♦ AQ87

♣ 53

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AQ

♥ KQ52

♦ Q1083

♣ K84

South:

♠ KJ4

♥ A1043

♦ K97

♣ J75

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠³

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ K872

♥ A752

♦ A8

♣ K64

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ QJ

♦ QJ54

♣ A105

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♣ ³
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Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 328	♠ K62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ3	
Vul: None	♦ A2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K9765	

Board: 329	♠ A92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1096	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 8	

Board: 330	♠ A1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ 53	

Board: 331	♠ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1043	
Vul: None	♦ K97	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J75	

Board: 332	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ A105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 328

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ 8754

♥ A109

♦ KJ43

♣ A3

South:

♠ K62

♥ KQ3

♦ A2

♣ K9765

West North East South

1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♣

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 329

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 5♦ S

North:

♠ Q76

♥ A2

♦ Q653

♣ KQ107

South:

♠ A92

♥ Q1096

♦ AKJ102

♣ 8

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 4♦

Pass 4♥¹ Pass 4♠²

Pass 5♦ AP

1. Cue bid, a ♥ stopper

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 330

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q2

♥ 9632

♦ K6

♣ AKQ98

South:

♠ A1083

♥ KQJ

♦ AQ87

♣ 53

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 331

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ AQ

♥ KQ52

♦ Q1083

♣ K84

South:

♠ KJ4

♥ A1043

♦ K97

♣ J75

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♦²

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠³

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 332

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 17

Contract: 6♠ S

North:

♠ K872

♥ A752

♦ A8

♣ K64

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ QJ

♦ QJ54

♣ A105

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♠	Pass	2NT ¹
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Pass	3NT ²	Pass	4♣ ³
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Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6♠	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 333	♠ AKJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ8	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AJ74	
Board: 334	♠ 765	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ6	
Vul: None	♦ A1098	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K98	
Board: 335	♠ 1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ54	
Vul: NS	♦ AK4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ6	
Board: 336	♠ K1075	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1097	
Vul: EW	♦ AK3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q107	
Board: 337	♠ A65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 109	
Vul: None	♦ QJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1093	
Board: 338	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: NS	♦ A76	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ KJ10862	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ7	♠ Q64				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ QJ8	♥ AK	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ Q9	♦ J43	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ74	♣ K10852				
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 765	♠ K98				
Vul: None	♥ AQ6	♥ KJ98		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A1098	♦ J642	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ K98	♣ J3				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ K54				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ54	♥ K10	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AK4	♦ QJ105	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ6	♣ KJ102				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1075	♠ AJ6		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 1097	♥ A4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK3	♦ 10542	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q107	♣ A643				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A65	♠ KJ7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 109	♥ J764	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ3	♦ A9654	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ1093	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 338

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ K

♥ A103

♦ A76

♣ KJ10862

South:

♠ AQ102

♥ Q92

♦ KQ9

♣ AQ4

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♣	Pass	6NT
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 333	♠ Q64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ J43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K10852	

Board: 334	♠ K98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ98	
Vul: None	♦ J642	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ J3	

Board: 335	♠ K54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ102	

Board: 336	♠ AJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A4	
Vul: EW	♦ 10542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A643	

Board: 337	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J764	
Vul: None	♦ A9654	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K	

Board: 338	♠ AQ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q92	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 333	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AKJ7	♠ Q64				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ QJ8	♥ AK	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ Q9	♦ J43	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AJ74	♣ K10852				
Contract: 2♣ S						

Board: 334	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 765	♠ K98				
Vul: None	♥ AQ6	♥ KJ98		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A1098	♦ J642	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 9	♣ K98	♣ J3				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 335	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 1086	♠ K54				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ54	♥ K10	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AK4	♦ QJ105	Pass	6NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ6	♣ KJ102				
Contract: 6N S						

Board: 336	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K1075	♠ AJ6		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 1097	♥ A4	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ AK3	♦ 10542	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q107	♣ A643				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 337	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A65	♠ KJ7				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 109	♥ J764	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ QJ3	♦ A9654	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ1093	♣ K	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 338

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ K

♥ A103

♦ A76

♣ KJ10862

South:

♠ AQ102

♥ Q92

♦ KQ9

♣ AQ4

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♠
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Pass	2♣	Pass	4NT ¹
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Pass	5♣	Pass	6NT
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AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 339	♠ 8732	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 843	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ QJ98	

Board: 340	♠ AQ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ Q43	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ43	

Board: 341	♠ KQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J987	
Vul: NS	♦ 73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 1075	

Board: 342	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A82	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ87	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q76	

Board: 343	♠ K983	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ76	
Vul: Both	♦ A6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 1095	

Board: 344	♠ 43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ64	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A9	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 339

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 8732

♥ 843

♦ AJ

♣ QJ98

South:

♠ A105

♥ A962

♦ K8764

♣ A

West North East South

Pass 1♠ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 340

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ93

♥ K4

♦ Q43

♣ QJ43

South:

♠ J1062

♥ AQ10

♦ J87

♣ AK8

West North East South

Pass 1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♥³ Pass 4♠

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 341

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ KQ74

♥ J987

♦ 73

♣ 1075

South:

♠ 52

♥ 105

♦ AQJ105

♣ AK84

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

AP

Board: 342

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ 63

♥ A82

♦ AQJ87

♣ Q76

South:

♠ A104

♥ J105

♦ K652

♣ A84

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 2NT

AP

Board: 343

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K983

♥ QJ76

♦ A6

♣ 1095

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ K2

♦ J103

♣ AKQJ6

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 344

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 43

♥ KJ64

♦ KQJ106

♣ A9

South:

♠ A92

♥ AQ53

♦ 832

♣ Q63

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 339	♠ A105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A962	
Vul: EW	♦ K8764	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A	

Board: 340	♠ J1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ J87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK8	

Board: 341	♠ 52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 105	
Vul: NS	♦ AQJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK84	

Board: 342	♠ A104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J105	
Vul: EW	♦ K652	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A84	

Board: 343	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: Both	♦ J103	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQJ6	

Board: 344	♠ A92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ53	
Vul: None	♦ 832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q63	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 339

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 15

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 8732

♥ 843

♦ AJ

♣ QJ98

South:

♠ A105

♥ A962

♦ K8764

♣ A

West North East South

Pass 1♠ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 340

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AQ93

♥ K4

♦ Q43

♣ QJ43

South:

♠ J1062

♥ AQ10

♦ J87

♣ AK8

West North East South

Pass 1♣ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♠ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♥³ Pass 4♠

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 341

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 6

South HCP: 14

Contract: 2♣ S

North:

♠ KQ74

♥ J987

♦ 73

♣ 1075

South:

♠ 52

♥ 105

♦ AQJ105

♣ AK84

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♣

AP

Board: 342

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2N S

North:

♠ 63

♥ A82

♦ AQJ87

♣ Q76

South:

♠ A104

♥ J105

♦ K652

♣ A84

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 2NT

AP

Board: 343

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K983

♥ QJ76

♦ A6

♣ 1095

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ K2

♦ J103

♣ AKQJ6

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 344

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ S

North:

♠ 43

♥ KJ64

♦ KQJ106

♣ A9

South:

♠ A92

♥ AQ53

♦ 832

♣ Q63

West	North	East	South
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	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	2♥	Pass	3♥
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Pass	4♥	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 345	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A764	
Vul: EW	♦ AK2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ 863	

Board: 346	♠ 2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ10	
Vul: Both	♦ K1064	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ KJ53	

Board: 347	♠ QJ86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q8	
Vul: None	♦ AQ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J874	

Board: 348	♠ Q43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ85	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K943	

Board: 349	♠ J109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK53	
Vul: Both	♦ A86	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK6	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 345
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A95
 ♥ A764
 ♦ AK2
 ♣ 863

South:
 ♠ J643
 ♥ K85
 ♦ J3
 ♣ AK74

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 346
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ AKQ10
 ♦ K1064
 ♣ KJ53

South:
 ♠ AJ97
 ♥ 96
 ♦ Q98
 ♣ AQ96

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 347
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ QJ86
 ♥ Q8
 ♦ AQ2
 ♣ J874

South:
 ♠ A10
 ♥ A1053
 ♦ KJ3
 ♣ AK109

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

Board: 348
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2N S

North:
 ♠ Q43
 ♥ KJ85
 ♦ K10
 ♣ K943

South:
 ♠ KJ9
 ♥ 106
 ♦ A542
 ♣ A1076

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

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ J109

♥ AK53

♦ A86

♣ AK6

South:

♠ AQ53

♥ Q876

♦ K75

♣ Q5

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	3♠ ³	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♦
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Pass	5♠	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 345	♠ J643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K85	
Vul: EW	♦ J3	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK74	

Board: 346	♠ AJ97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: Both	♦ Q98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ96	

Board: 347	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1053	
Vul: None	♦ KJ3	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK109	

Board: 348	♠ KJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 106	
Vul: NS	♦ A542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1076	

Board: 349	♠ AQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q876	
Vul: Both	♦ K75	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q5	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 345
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A95
 ♥ A764
 ♦ AK2
 ♣ 863

South:
 ♠ J643
 ♥ K85
 ♦ J3
 ♣ AK74

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 346
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 16
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 2
 ♥ AKQ10
 ♦ K1064
 ♣ KJ53

South:
 ♠ AJ97
 ♥ 96
 ♦ Q98
 ♣ AQ96

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 347
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ QJ86
 ♥ Q8
 ♦ AQ2
 ♣ J874

South:
 ♠ A10
 ♥ A1053
 ♦ KJ3
 ♣ AK109

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

Board: 348
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 12
 Contract: 2N S

North:
 ♠ Q43
 ♥ KJ85
 ♦ K10
 ♣ K943

South:
 ♠ KJ9
 ♥ 106
 ♦ A542
 ♣ A1076

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

Board: 349

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6♥ N

North:

♠ J109

♥ AK53

♦ A86

♣ AK6

South:

♠ AQ53

♥ Q876

♦ K75

♣ Q5

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
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Pass	2NT ¹	Pass	3♦ ²
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Pass	3♠ ³	Pass	4♥
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Pass	4NT ⁴	Pass	5♦
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Pass	5♠	Pass	6♦
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 350	♠ AQ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q92	
Vul: None	♦ 983	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A865	

Board: 351	♠ KQ103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ93	
Vul: NS	♦ J108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q8	

Board: 352	♠ KQ109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 932	
Vul: EW	♦ J43	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ4	

Board: 353	♠ K643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 832	
Vul: None	♦ A8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ76	

Board: 354	♠ AJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q82	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ102	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ	

Board: 355	♠ AKJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ 1073	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 350	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ9	♠ 852		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q92	♥ A54				
North HCP: 12	♦ 983	♦ AJ107	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A865	♣ QJ3	AP			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ103	♠ 862				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ93	♥ K10				
North HCP: 14	♦ J108	♦ K6542	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 13	♣ Q8	♣ AK4	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ109	♠ A54		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 932	♥ J6				
North HCP: 12	♦ J43	♦ AKQ	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ AQ4	♣ KJ763	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K643	♠ J98				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 832	♥ AQ10				
North HCP: 13	♦ A8	♦ QJ43	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ76	♣ K83	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ2	♠ 9854		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q82	♥ K96				
North HCP: 19	♦ QJ102	♦ A9	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8	♣ AKQ	♣ J1098	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 355

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AKJ5

♥ AQJ

♦ KJ9

♣ 1073

South:

♠ Q74

♥ 8

♦ AQ3

♣ AJ9862

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 350	♠ 852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A54	
Vul: None	♦ AJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ3	

Board: 351	♠ 862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: NS	♦ K6542	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK4	

Board: 352	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J6	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ763	

Board: 353	♠ J98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ10	
Vul: None	♦ QJ43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K83	

Board: 354	♠ 9854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: NS	♦ A9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ J1098	

Board: 355	♠ Q74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ3	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ9862	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 350	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ9	♠ 852		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ Q92	♥ A54				
North HCP: 12	♦ 983	♦ AJ107	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 12	♣ A865	♣ QJ3	AP			
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 351	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ103	♠ 862				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AQ93	♥ K10				
North HCP: 14	♦ J108	♦ K6542	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 13	♣ Q8	♣ AK4	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 352	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KQ109	♠ A54		1♣	Pass	2♣ ¹
Vul: EW	♥ 932	♥ J6				
North HCP: 12	♦ J43	♦ AKQ	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ AQ4	♣ KJ763	AP			
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 353	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K643	♠ J98				1♦
Vul: None	♥ 832	♥ AQ10				
North HCP: 13	♦ A8	♦ QJ43	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AQ76	♣ K83	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 354	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ2	♠ 9854		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ Q82	♥ K96				
North HCP: 19	♦ QJ102	♦ A9	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 8	♣ AKQ	♣ J1098	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 355

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ AKJ5

♥ AQJ

♦ KJ9

♣ 1073

South:

♠ Q74

♥ 8

♦ AQ3

♣ AJ9862

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♥
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 356	♠ K5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K4	
Vul: Both	♦ A43	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ8743	

Board: 357	♠ K103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K74	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ432	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ J8	

Board: 358	♠ 762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ65	
Vul: EW	♦ AK108	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK	

Board: 359	♠ Q83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ 542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ5	

Board: 360	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ	
Vul: None	♦ A752	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q9843	

Board: 361	♠ K962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ6	
Vul: EW	♦ J10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A54	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 356	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K5	♠ A82		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ Q965	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ A43	♦ K972	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ8743	♣ K5				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 357	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K103	♠ A86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K74	♥ 1082	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ432	♦ AJ85	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J8	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 3N N			1. Inverted minors			

Board: 358	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 762	♠ A1098		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ KJ65	♥ 32	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 18	♦ AK108	♦ Q53				
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ 10985				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q83	♠ AJ9				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ10	♥ Q63	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 542	♦ AK8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ5	♣ 10964				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ 10987		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ K764	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ A752	♦ 106				
South HCP: 8	♣ Q9843	♣ AJ6				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K962	♠ 854				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ6	♥ K5	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J10	♦ AQ7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A54	♣ QJ1083				
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 356	♠ A82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q965	
Vul: Both	♦ K972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K5	

Board: 357	♠ A86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1082	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ3	

Board: 358	♠ A1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: EW	♦ Q53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ 10985	

Board: 359	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q63	
Vul: Both	♦ AK8	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 10964	

Board: 360	♠ 10987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K764	
Vul: None	♦ 106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AJ6	

Board: 361	♠ 854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K5	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ1083	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 356	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K5	♠ A82		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ K4	♥ Q965	Pass	3♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 16	♦ A43	♦ K972	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ8743	♣ K5				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 357	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K103	♠ A86				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ K74	♥ 1082	Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ432	♦ AJ85	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ J8	♣ KQ3				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 358	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 762	♠ A1098		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ KJ65	♥ 32	Pass	2NT	AP	
North HCP: 18	♦ AK108	♦ Q53				
South HCP: 6	♣ AK	♣ 10985				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 359	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q83	♠ AJ9				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AKJ10	♥ Q63	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 16	♦ 542	♦ AK8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ5	♣ 10964				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 360	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ 10987		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ AJ	♥ K764	Pass	1NT	AP	
North HCP: 13	♦ A752	♦ 106				
South HCP: 8	♣ Q9843	♣ AJ6				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 361	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K962	♠ 854				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQJ6	♥ K5	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ J10	♦ AQ7	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A54	♣ QJ1083				
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 362	♠ A84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 865	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ965	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A6	

Board: 363	♠ AQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ3	
Vul: None	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A974	

Board: 364	♠ QJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A83	
Vul: NS	♦ AK54	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ KJ5	

Board: 365	♠ K85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 10932	
Vul: Both	♦ Q62	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ J107	

Board: 366	♠ 10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ A10942	

Board: 367	♠ A9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1087	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K1073	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 362	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A84	♠ 10632		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 865	♥ AQ43				
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ965	♦ J2	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ A6	♣ K85				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 363	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ2	♠ K87				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ3	♥ 102				
North HCP: 19	♦ A4	♦ KJ86	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 13	♣ A974	♣ KQJ2	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 364	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ5	♠ K106		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ A83	♥ KQJ10				
North HCP: 18	♦ AK54	♦ Q32	Pass	2NT	Pass	6NT
South HCP: 17	♣ KJ5	♣ AQ7	AP			
Contract: 6N N						

Board: 365	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K85	♠ AQJ				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 10932	♥ AQ7				
North HCP: 6	♦ Q62	♦ 10973	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 19	♣ J107	♣ AQ6	AP			
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 366	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 10	♠ AKQ		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ AQ	♥ KJ98				
North HCP: 15	♦ KQ1062	♦ AJ4	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ A10942	♣ 753	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 367	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A9	♠ KJ4				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AQ2	♥ 1063	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ Q1087	♦ K43				
South HCP: 13	♣ K1073	♣ AQ95	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 362	♠ 10632	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ43	
Vul: Both	♦ J2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K85	

Board: 363	♠ K87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 102	
Vul: None	♦ KJ86	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ2	

Board: 364	♠ K106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ Q32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AQ7	

Board: 365	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ7	
Vul: Both	♦ 10973	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ6	

Board: 366	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ98	
Vul: None	♦ AJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 753	

Board: 367	♠ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1063	
Vul: NS	♦ K43	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ95	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 362
Dealer: N
Vul: Both
North HCP: 14
South HCP: 10
Contract: 1N N

North:
♠ A84
♥ 865
♦ AQ965
♣ A6

South:
♠ 10632
♥ AQ43
♦ J2
♣ K85

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

Board: 363
Dealer: S
Vul: None
North HCP: 19
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ AQJ2
♥ KJ3
♦ A4
♣ A974

South:
♠ K87
♥ 102
♦ KJ86
♣ KQJ2

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

Board: 364
Dealer: N
Vul: NS
North HCP: 18
South HCP: 17
Contract: 6N N

North:
♠ QJ5
♥ A83
♦ AK54
♣ KJ5

South:
♠ K106
♥ KQJ10
♦ Q32
♣ AQ7

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♥
Pass	2NT	Pass	6NT
AP			

Board: 365
Dealer: S
Vul: Both
North HCP: 6
South HCP: 19
Contract: 2N S

North:
♠ K85
♥ 10932
♦ Q62
♣ J107

South:
♠ AQJ
♥ AQ7
♦ 10973
♣ AQ6

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

Board: 366
Dealer: N
Vul: None
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 18
Contract: 3N S

North:
♠ 10
♥ AQ
♦ KQ1062
♣ A10942

South:
♠ AKQ
♥ KJ98
♦ AJ4
♣ 753

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

Board: 367
Dealer: S
Vul: NS
North HCP: 15
South HCP: 13
Contract: 3N N

North:
♠ A9
♥ AQ2
♦ Q1087
♣ K1073

South:
♠ KJ4
♥ 1063
♦ K43
♣ AQ95

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

1. Inverted minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 368	♠ Q43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ42	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ6	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K54	

Board: 369	♠ KJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ98	
Vul: None	♦ K72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 1065	

Board: 370	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ J64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ1053	

Board: 371	♠ K10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A104	
Vul: EW	♦ K982	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ KQ63	

Board: 372	♠ AQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ87	
Vul: Both	♦ AK3	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 74	

Board: 373	♠ 10842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1053	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ K98	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q43	♠ 85		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KJ42	♥ AQ105				
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ6	♦ 10874	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ K54	♣ A93				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 369	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ4	♠ Q10				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ98	♥ A	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ K72	♦ Q109843	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ 1065	♣ AQ74	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 370	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A53	♠ 64		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q8	♥ 1062				
North HCP: 12	♦ J64	♦ AKQ32	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ1053	♣ A97	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 371	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10	♠ Q987				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A104	♥ KQ8	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K982	♦ Q753	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ63	♣ A8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 372	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ74	♠ 103		1♦	Pass	2♦ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQ87	♥ A63				
North HCP: 18	♦ AK3	♦ J965	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 74	♣ AQ103				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 373	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10842	♠ AKQ				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K2	♥ A643				
North HCP: 8	♦ Q1053	♦ A86	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 19	♣ K98	♣ Q104	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 368	♠ 85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ105	
Vul: EW	♦ 10874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ A93	
Board: 369	♠ Q10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A	
Vul: None	♦ Q109843	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ74	
Board: 370	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1062	
Vul: NS	♦ AKQ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A97	
Board: 371	♠ Q987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ8	
Vul: EW	♦ Q753	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A8	
Board: 372	♠ 103	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A63	
Vul: Both	♦ J965	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ103	
Board: 373	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A643	
Vul: NS	♦ A86	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ Q104	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 368	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q43	♠ 85		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ KJ42	♥ AQ105				
North HCP: 14	♦ KQ6	♦ 10874	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ K54	♣ A93				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 369	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KJ4	♠ Q10				1♦
Vul: None	♥ KJ98	♥ A	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ K72	♦ Q109843	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ 1065	♣ AQ74	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 370	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A53	♠ 64		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: NS	♥ Q8	♥ 1062				
North HCP: 12	♦ J64	♦ AKQ32	Pass	1NT	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ1053	♣ A97	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 371	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K10	♠ Q987				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ A104	♥ KQ8	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 15	♦ K982	♦ Q753	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ KQ63	♣ A8	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 372	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ74	♠ 103		1♦	Pass	2♦ ¹
Vul: Both	♥ KQ87	♥ A63				
North HCP: 18	♦ AK3	♦ J965	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 74	♣ AQ103				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 373	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 10842	♠ AKQ				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K2	♥ A643				
North HCP: 8	♦ Q1053	♦ A86	Pass	1♠	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 19	♣ K98	♣ Q104	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N S						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 374	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K6	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ8743	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K874	

Board: 375	♠ A63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ9	
Vul: Both	♦ K76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ43	

Board: 376	♠ AK54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q52	
Vul: None	♦ 10987	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K7	

Board: 377	♠ 1082	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 82	
Vul: EW	♦ 865	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ KQJ84	

Board: 378	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ108	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ62	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q1097	

Board: 379	♠ Q72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 32	
Vul: None	♦ KJ763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K85	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 374
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ K6
 ♦ AJ8743
 ♣ K874

South:
 ♠ AJ104
 ♥ AQ5
 ♦ K96
 ♣ AJ9

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

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Board: 375
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ A63
 ♥ QJ9
 ♦ K76
 ♣ AJ43

South:
 ♠ Q108
 ♥ AK75
 ♦ AQ543
 ♣ 8

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

Board: 376
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AK54
 ♥ Q52
 ♦ 10987
 ♣ K7

South:
 ♠ QJ2
 ♥ A96
 ♦ AJ6
 ♣ AQ82

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

Board: 377
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 2N N

North:
 ♠ 1082
 ♥ 82
 ♦ 865
 ♣ KQJ84

South:
 ♠ KJ
 ♥ KJ73
 ♦ AKQJ9
 ♣ 93

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

Board: 378
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 5♦ N

North:
 ♠ J
 ♥ AJ108
 ♦ KQ62
 ♣ Q1097

South:
 ♠ AQ63
 ♥ K95
 ♦ AJ8
 ♣ A86

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♦	AP	

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Board: 379

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q72

♥ 32

♦ KJ763

♣ K85

South:

♠ K65

♥ A764

♦ AQ10

♣ 764

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 374	♠ AJ104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: EW	♦ K96	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AJ9	

Board: 375	♠ Q108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK75	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ543	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ 8	

Board: 376	♠ QJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A96	
Vul: None	♦ AJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ82	

Board: 377	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ73	
Vul: EW	♦ AKQJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ 93	

Board: 378	♠ AQ63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K95	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A86	

Board: 379	♠ K65	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A764	
Vul: None	♦ AQ10	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 764	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 374
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ Q
 ♥ K6
 ♦ AJ8743
 ♣ K874

South:
 ♠ AJ104
 ♥ AQ5
 ♦ K96
 ♣ AJ9

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 375
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 15
 South HCP: 15
 Contract: 6N N

North:
 ♠ A63
 ♥ QJ9
 ♦ K76
 ♣ AJ43

South:
 ♠ Q108
 ♥ AK75
 ♦ AQ543
 ♣ 8

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

Board: 376
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ AK54
 ♥ Q52
 ♦ 10987
 ♣ K7

South:
 ♠ QJ2
 ♥ A96
 ♦ AJ6
 ♣ AQ82

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

Board: 377
 Dealer: S
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 6
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 2N N

North:
 ♠ 1082
 ♥ 82
 ♦ 865
 ♣ KQJ84

South:
 ♠ KJ
 ♥ KJ73
 ♦ AKQJ9
 ♣ 93

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

Board: 378
 Dealer: N
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 13
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 5♦ N

North:
 ♠ J
 ♥ AJ108
 ♦ KQ62
 ♣ Q1097

South:
 ♠ AQ63
 ♥ K95
 ♦ AJ8
 ♣ A86

West	North	East	South
	1♦	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♣	Pass	4NT ¹
Pass	5♦	AP	

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

Board: 379

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 9

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q72

♥ 32

♦ KJ763

♣ K85

South:

♠ K65

♥ A764

♦ AQ10

♣ 764

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 380	♠ 964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQJ	
Vul: NS	♦ 864	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A83	

Board: 381	♠ 643	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ	
Vul: Both	♦ K1082	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ3	

Board: 382	♠ J2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J943	
Vul: None	♦ AK2	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ109	

Board: 383	♠ J53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ65	
Vul: NS	♦ 82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ KJ84	

Board: 384	♠ K93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A76	
Vul: EW	♦ A82	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J1093	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 380

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 964

♥ AKQJ

♦ 864

♣ A83

South:

♠ Q102

♥ 862

♦ KQ9

♣ QJ65

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 381

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 643

♥ AKQ

♦ K1082

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ AQJ10

♥ J764

♦ 7

♣ KJ85

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠¹ Pass 2♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 382

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ J2

♥ J943

♦ AK2

♣ KJ109

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AQ85

♦ 105

♣ A542

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥¹ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥² Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4NT⁴

Pass 5♦⁴ Pass 5♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 383

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J53

♥ QJ65

♦ 82

♣ KJ84

South:

♠ AK74

♥ 932

♦ AK96

♣ A7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 384

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K93

♥ A76

♦ A82

♣ J1093

South:

♠ J108

♥ 10854

♦ Q954

♣ K6

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 380	♠ Q102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 862	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ QJ65	

Board: 381	♠ AQJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J764	
Vul: Both	♦ 7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ85	

Board: 382	♠ AKQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ85	
Vul: None	♦ 105	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ A542	

Board: 383	♠ AK74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 932	
Vul: NS	♦ AK96	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A7	

Board: 384	♠ J108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10854	
Vul: EW	♦ Q954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K6	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 380

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 10

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ 964

♥ AKQJ

♦ 864

♣ A83

South:

♠ Q102

♥ 862

♦ KQ9

♣ QJ65

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 381

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 643

♥ AKQ

♦ K1082

♣ AQ3

South:

♠ AQJ10

♥ J764

♦ 7

♣ KJ85

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1♠¹ Pass 2♠

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 382

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 5♥ S

North:

♠ J2

♥ J943

♦ AK2

♣ KJ109

South:

♠ AKQ

♥ AQ85

♦ 105

♣ A542

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥¹ Pass 2NT¹

Pass 3♥² Pass 3NT²

Pass 4♣³ Pass 4NT⁴

Pass 5♦⁴ Pass 5♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

4. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 383

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 8

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J53

♥ QJ65

♦ 82

♣ KJ84

South:

♠ AK74

♥ 932

♦ AK96

♣ A7

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 384

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 6

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ K93

♥ A76

♦ A82

♣ J1093

South:

♠ J108

♥ 10854

♦ Q954

♣ K6

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 385	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q75	
Vul: None	♦ AK874	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K85	

Board: 386	♠ AK4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q72	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ872	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ A10	

Board: 387	♠ 654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K6	
Vul: EW	♦ A542	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ83	

Board: 388	♠ QJ87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ83	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 5	

Board: 389	♠ 76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ4	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AK8	

Board: 390	♠ AJ102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A865	
Vul: EW	♦ A9	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 863	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ	♠ K9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q75	♥ A863	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AK874	♦ QJ6	Pass	1♠ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K85	♣ QJ106	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 386	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK4	♠ 1098				
Vul: NS	♥ Q72	♥ 96		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ872	♦ K954	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ A10	♣ K764				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 387	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 654	♠ AQ2				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K6	♥ J43	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A542	♦ KJ73	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ83	♣ K94	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 388	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ87	♠ 63				
Vul: Both	♥ QJ83	♥ K1074		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ105	♦ 876	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ 5	♣ AQJ10				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 389	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 76	♠ KJ85				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AQ4	♥ K8	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ876	♦ A109	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK8	♣ Q1074				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 390

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ102

♥ A865

♦ A9

♣ 863

South:

♠ KQ96

♥ KJ10

♦ J643

♣ A4

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 385	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A863	
Vul: None	♦ QJ6	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ106	

Board: 386	♠ 1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: NS	♦ K954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 6	♣ K764	

Board: 387	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J43	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K94	

Board: 388	♠ 63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1074	
Vul: Both	♦ 876	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AQJ10	

Board: 389	♠ KJ85	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K8	
Vul: NS	♦ A109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q1074	

Board: 390	♠ KQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ J643	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 385	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AJ	♠ K9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ Q75	♥ A863	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 17	♦ AK874	♦ QJ6	Pass	1♠ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K85	♣ QJ106	AP			
Contract: 3N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 386	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK4	♠ 1098				
Vul: NS	♥ Q72	♥ 96		1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ872	♦ K954	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 6	♣ A10	♣ K764				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 387	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 654	♠ AQ2				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K6	♥ J43	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A542	♦ KJ73	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ83	♣ K94	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 388	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ QJ87	♠ 63				
Vul: Both	♥ QJ83	♥ K1074		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♦ AQ105	♦ 876	Pass	2♥	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ 5	♣ AQJ10				
Contract: 2♥ S						

Board: 389	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 76	♠ KJ85				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ AQ4	♥ K8	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 17	♦ KJ876	♦ A109	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AK8	♣ Q1074				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 390

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 14

Contract: 4♠ S

North:

♠ AJ102

♥ A865

♦ A9

♣ 863

South:

♠ KQ96

♥ KJ10

♦ J643

♣ A4

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

1. Cue bid, surplus

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 391	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 8765	
Vul: Both	♦ J64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ A84	

Board: 392	♠ AQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 854	
Vul: None	♦ A873	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q643	

Board: 393	♠ A94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K98	
Vul: EW	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ KQ964	

Board: 394	♠ AJ108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 108	
Vul: Both	♦ AKQ96	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 93	

Board: 395	♠ AK53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ9	
Vul: None	♦ KJ5	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K43	

Board: 396	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ104	
Vul: NS	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ97	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A76	♠ 1042				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 8765	♥ AKJ4	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9	♦ J64	♦ AQ952	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A84	♣ 6				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ J964		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 854	♥ AJ3	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A873	♦ 954	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q643	♣ AK9				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A94	♠ KQ5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K98	♥ AQ75	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ A7	♦ J10963	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ964	♣ 10	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ108	♠ KQ53		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 108	♥ KJ93	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ AKQ96	♦ 1083	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 93	♣ K5				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 395	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK53	♠ QJ72				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AJ9	♥ Q3	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	♦ KJ5	♦ Q732	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♣ K43	♣ AQJ	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 396

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q4

♥ KJ104

♦ Q4

♣ KQJ97

South:

♠ J1096

♥ Q8

♦ A752

♣ 864

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 391	♠ 1042	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ4	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ952	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 6	

Board: 392	♠ J964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ3	
Vul: None	♦ 954	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK9	

Board: 393	♠ KQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ75	
Vul: EW	♦ J10963	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10	

Board: 394	♠ KQ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ93	
Vul: Both	♦ 1083	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K5	

Board: 395	♠ QJ72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q3	
Vul: None	♦ Q732	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ	

Board: 396	♠ J1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q8	
Vul: NS	♦ A752	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 864	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 391	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A76	♠ 1042				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 8765	♥ AKJ4	Pass	1♥	Pass	3♥
North HCP: 9	♦ J64	♦ AQ952	Pass	4♥	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ A84	♣ 6				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 392	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ	♠ J964		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 854	♥ AJ3	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ A873	♦ 954	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ Q643	♣ AK9				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 393	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A94	♠ KQ5				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ K98	♥ AQ75	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 16	♦ A7	♦ J10963	Pass	3♣	Pass	3♥
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ964	♣ 10	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 394	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ108	♠ KQ53		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ 108	♥ KJ93	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 14	♦ AKQ96	♦ 1083	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ 93	♣ K5				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 395	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK53	♠ QJ72				1♦
Vul: None	♥ AJ9	♥ Q3	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♠
North HCP: 19	♦ KJ5	♦ Q732	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 14	♣ K43	♣ AQJ	Pass	6♣	AP	
Contract: 6♠ N						

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 396

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 7

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ Q4

♥ KJ104

♦ Q4

♣ KQJ97

South:

♠ J1096

♥ Q8

♦ A752

♣ 864

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 397	♠ AJ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q72	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ543	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J8	

Board: 398	♠ J63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ87	
Vul: None	♦ 5	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ854	

Board: 399	♠ AJ43	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q98	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q9	

Board: 400	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 952	
Vul: EW	♦ AKJ106	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J9	

Board: 401	♠ A95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K104	
Vul: None	♦ QJ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A1076	

Board: 402	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ8	
Vul: NS	♦ KQ1043	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 72	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 397

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ Q72

♦ KQ543

♣ J8

South:

♠ K842

♥ 95

♦ A8

♣ AQ1063

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 398

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ J63

♥ AQ87

♦ 5

♣ AJ854

South:

♠ AK7

♥ J1063

♦ KQJ

♣ KQ10

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 399

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ43

♥ Q98

♦ KQ32

♣ Q9

South:

♠ 1096

♥ AJ3

♦ A7

♣ AJ754

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 400

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A54

♥ 952

♦ AKJ106

♣ J9

South:

♠ KJ93

♥ KJ10

♦ 832

♣ AK5

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 401

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A95

♥ K104

♦ QJ3

♣ A1076

South:

♠ K63

♥ AJ2

♦ 109642

♣ KJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 402

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A83

♥ KQ8

♦ KQ1043

♣ 72

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ A1095

♦ A92

♣ AK3

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 397	♠ K842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 95	
Vul: Both	♦ A8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ1063	

Board: 398	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1063	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ10	

Board: 399	♠ 1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ3	
Vul: NS	♦ A7	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AJ754	

Board: 400	♠ KJ93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ10	
Vul: EW	♦ 832	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK5	

Board: 401	♠ K63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ2	
Vul: None	♦ 109642	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ	

Board: 402	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1095	
Vul: NS	♦ A92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK3	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 397

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ5

♥ Q72

♦ KQ543

♣ J8

South:

♠ K842

♥ 95

♦ A8

♣ AQ1063

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 398

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ J63

♥ AQ87

♦ 5

♣ AJ854

South:

♠ AK7

♥ J1063

♦ KQJ

♣ KQ10

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♠ Pass 6♥

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

Board: 399

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ43

♥ Q98

♦ KQ32

♣ Q9

South:

♠ 1096

♥ AJ3

♦ A7

♣ AJ754

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 1NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 400

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A54

♥ 952

♦ AKJ106

♣ J9

South:

♠ KJ93

♥ KJ10

♦ 832

♣ AK5

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 401

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A95

♥ K104

♦ QJ3

♣ A1076

South:

♠ K63

♥ AJ2

♦ 109642

♣ KJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 2♦

Pass 3♦ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 402

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A83

♥ KQ8

♦ KQ1043

♣ 72

South:

♠ QJ4

♥ A1095

♦ A92

♣ AK3

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 403	♠ J53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q1097	
Vul: EW	♦ Q98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ KQ3	

Board: 404	♠ 1083	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q7	
Vul: Both	♦ AK1072	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K74	

Board: 405	♠ 842	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: NS	♦ J10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K1083	

Board: 406	♠ KQJ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ43	
Vul: EW	♦ Q4	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ K87	

Board: 407	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ1085	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J43	

Board: 408	♠ A1086	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K	
Vul: None	♦ Q109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A6432	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 403

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ J53

♥ Q1097

♦ Q98

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ K74

♥ J6

♦ AJ104

♣ A1064

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 404

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ 1083

♥ Q7

♦ AK1072

♣ K74

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ AK

♦ Q983

♣ A1086

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 405

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ 842

♥ AQ83

♦ J10

♣ K1083

South:

♠ J106

♥ K965

♦ A964

♣ A6

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

AP

Board: 406

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQJ2

♥ QJ43

♦ Q4

♣ K87

South:

♠ A108

♥ K108

♦ K1093

♣ AQ5

West North East South

Pass 1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠¹

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 407

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AJ7

♦ AJ1085

♣ J43

South:

♠ K985

♥ 5

♦ KQ43

♣ AQ105

West North East South

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 1♦

Pass 3♥² Pass 3♥²

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

2. shortness

Board: 408

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A1086

♥ K

♦ Q109

♣ A6432

South:

♠ QJ9

♥ AJ7

♦ AKJ7

♣ K105

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥ ¹
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥	Pass	6NT
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1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 403	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J6	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A1064	

Board: 404	♠ KQ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK	
Vul: Both	♦ Q983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A1086	

Board: 405	♠ J106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K965	
Vul: NS	♦ A964	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A6	

Board: 406	♠ A108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K108	
Vul: EW	♦ K1093	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ5	

Board: 407	♠ K985	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 5	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ43	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ105	

Board: 408	♠ QJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ7	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ K105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 403

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 13

Contract: 1N S

North:

♠ J53

♥ Q1097

♦ Q98

♣ KQ3

South:

♠ K74

♥ J6

♦ AJ104

♣ A1064

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1NT

AP

Board: 404

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ 1083

♥ Q7

♦ AK1072

♣ K74

South:

♠ KQ4

♥ AK

♦ Q983

♣ A1086

West North East South

Pass 1♦ Pass 2♣

Pass 2♦ Pass 3♦

Pass 3NT Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 405

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 2♥ N

North:

♠ 842

♥ AQ83

♦ J10

♣ K1083

South:

♠ J106

♥ K965

♦ A964

♣ A6

West North East South

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

AP

Board: 406

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 16

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQJ2

♥ QJ43

♦ Q4

♣ K87

South:

♠ A108

♥ K108

♦ K1093

♣ AQ5

West North East South

Pass 1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠¹

Pass 2♠ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 407

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ QJ

♥ AJ7

♦ AJ1085

♣ J43

South:

♠ K985

♥ 5

♦ KQ43

♣ AQ105

West North East South

Pass 2♦¹ Pass 1♦

Pass 3♥² Pass 3♥²

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

2. shortness

Board: 408

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ A1086

♥ K

♦ Q109

♣ A6432

South:

♠ QJ9

♥ AJ7

♦ AKJ7

♣ K105

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♦
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Pass	1♠	Pass	2♥ ¹
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Pass	3♣	Pass	4NT ²
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Pass	5♥	Pass	6NT
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1. Fourth suit game force

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♣

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 409	♠ A7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ53	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ73	
Board: 410	♠ A98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ85	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J9	
Board: 411	♠ 108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ104	
Vul: None	♦ AKJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J73	
Board: 412	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ94	
Vul: NS	♦ 952	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ3	
Board: 413	♠ Q82	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: Both	♦ 754	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AQ93	
Board: 414	♠ A4	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ Q1086	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ AK1072	
HCP: 13	♣ 73	You bid first.

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 409

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A7

♥ AJ53

♦ KJ9

♣ AQ73

South:

♠ K1053

♥ —

♦ AQ872

♣ K986

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 410

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A98

♥ K96

♦ KQJ85

♣ J9

South:

♠ KJ

♥ 7542

♦ A932

♣ A74

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 411

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 108

♥ KJ104

♦ AKJ6

♣ J73

South:

♠ A972

♥ A875

♦ 8

♣ AK95

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT¹ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♦³ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 412

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ AJ8

♥ KQ94

♦ 952

♣ QJ3

South:

♠ 1096

♥ 10876

♦ A64

♣ A84

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ AP

Board: 413

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q82

♥ AK6

♦ 754

♣ AQ93

South:

♠ AK63

♥ Q754

♦ Q9

♣ J65

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 414

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ A4

♥ Q1086

♦ AK1072

♣ 73

South:

♠ K96

♥ 7532

♦ 864

♣ AKJ

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

1. Unusual 1NT

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 409	♠ K1053	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ —	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ872	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K986	

Board: 410	♠ KJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7542	
Vul: Both	♦ A932	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A74	

Board: 411	♠ A972	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A875	
Vul: None	♦ 8	You bid first.
HCP: 15	♣ AK95	

Board: 412	♠ 1096	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10876	
Vul: NS	♦ A64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ A84	

Board: 413	♠ AK63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q754	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J65	

Board: 414	♠ K96	West Bids 1NT if possible.
Dealer: N	♥ 7532	East Bids 2♠ if possible.
Vul: None	♦ 864	
HCP: 11	♣ AKJ	Partner bids first.

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 409

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ A7

♥ AJ53

♦ KJ9

♣ AQ73

South:

♠ K1053

♥ —

♦ AQ872

♣ K986

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3NT

AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 410

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A98

♥ K96

♦ KQJ85

♣ J9

South:

♠ KJ

♥ 7542

♦ A932

♣ A74

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♥

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 411

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 15

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 108

♥ KJ104

♦ AKJ6

♣ J73

South:

♠ A972

♥ A875

♦ 8

♣ AK95

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 3♥

Pass 3NT¹ Pass 4♣²

Pass 4♦³ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♦ stopper

Board: 412

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 2♥ S

North:

♠ AJ8

♥ KQ94

♦ 952

♣ QJ3

South:

♠ 1096

♥ 10876

♦ A64

♣ A84

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♥

Pass 2♥ AP

Board: 413

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 15

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q82

♥ AK6

♦ 754

♣ AQ93

South:

♠ AK63

♥ Q754

♦ Q9

♣ J65

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

1. Inverted minors

Board: 414

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3♥ S

North:

♠ A4

♥ Q1086

♦ AK1072

♣ 73

South:

♠ K96

♥ 7532

♦ 864

♣ AKJ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 415	♠ AK7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ82	
Vul: NS	♦ 10863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 105	

Board: 416	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 9875	
Vul: EW	♦ A9543	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ10	

Board: 417	♠ 9854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 832	
Vul: None	♦ K95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ KJ7	

Board: 418	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK98	
Vul: NS	♦ J1063	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q104	

Board: 419	♠ A76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 765	
Vul: EW	♦ AQJ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 108	

Board: 420	♠ Q7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J92	
Vul: Both	♦ A52	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQJ85	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 415			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: NS	♠ AK7	♠ 9854	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♥ AJ82	♥ Q	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 18	♦ 10863	♦ AK2	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ S	♣ 105	♣ AKQ43	AP			

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

Board: 416			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: EW	♠ —	♠ AQ32		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♥ 9875	♥ 1032	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♦ A9543	♦ KQJ	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ AKJ10	♣ Q97				

Board: 417			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: None	♠ 9854	♠ J63	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 7	♥ 832	♥ QJ9	AP			
South HCP: 14	♦ K95	♦ A102				
Contract: 1N S	♣ KJ7	♣ AQ93				

Board: 418			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ K6	♠ A53		1♦	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♥ AK98	♥ Q5	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 14	♦ J1063	♦ A952	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N	♣ Q104	♣ KJ75				

Board: 419			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: EW	♠ A76	♠ 10952	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♥ 765	♥ A93	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♦ AQJ52	♦ 1086				
Contract: 2N N	♣ 108	♣ AKJ				

Board: 420

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q7

♥ J92

♦ A52

♣ AQJ85

South:

♠ AK5

♥ A64

♦ J9763

♣ 93

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 415	♠ 9854	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q	
Vul: NS	♦ AK2	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ43	

Board: 416	♠ AQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1032	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q97	

Board: 417	♠ J63	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ9	
Vul: None	♦ A102	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ93	

Board: 418	♠ A53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q5	
Vul: NS	♦ A952	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KJ75	

Board: 419	♠ 10952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A93	
Vul: EW	♦ 1086	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ	

Board: 420	♠ AK5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A64	
Vul: Both	♦ J9763	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 93	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 415			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: NS	♠ AK7	♠ 9854	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 12	♥ AJ82	♥ Q	Pass	3♦ ¹	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 18	♦ 10863	♦ AK2	Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♣
Contract: 5♣ S	♣ 105	♣ AKQ43	AP			

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

Board: 416			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: EW	♠ —	♠ AQ32		1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 12	♥ 9875	♥ 1032	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♦ A9543	♦ KQJ	AP			
Contract: 3N S	♣ AKJ10	♣ Q97				

Board: 417			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: None	♠ 9854	♠ J63	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 7	♥ 832	♥ QJ9	AP			
South HCP: 14	♦ K95	♦ A102				
Contract: 1N S	♣ KJ7	♣ AQ93				

Board: 418			West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	North:	South:				
Vul: NS	♠ K6	♠ A53		1♦	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 13	♥ AK98	♥ Q5	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
South HCP: 14	♦ J1063	♦ A952	Pass	3NT	AP	
Contract: 3N N	♣ Q104	♣ KJ75				

Board: 419			West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	North:	South:				1♣
Vul: EW	♠ A76	♠ 10952	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♥ 765	♥ A93	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♦ AQJ52	♦ 1086				
Contract: 2N N	♣ 108	♣ AKJ				

Board: 420

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q7

♥ J92

♦ A52

♣ AQJ85

South:

♠ AK5

♥ A64

♦ J9763

♣ 93

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

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 421	♠ KQJ10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: NS	♦ Q1084	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ A85	

Board: 422	♠ AJ84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K92	
Vul: EW	♦ A104	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ7	

Board: 423	♠ K98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ Q873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ7	

Board: 424	♠ KQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ	
Vul: None	♦ KQ5	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K985	

Board: 425	♠ J9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KJ63	
Vul: EW	♦ Q106	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K965	

Board: 426	♠ J	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q52	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ642	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A86	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 421

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQJ10

♥ Q10

♦ Q1084

♣ A85

South:

♠ A72

♥ 975

♦ AK65

♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 422

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ84

♥ K92

♦ A104

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ Q93

♥ J1065

♦ KJ98

♣ 64

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

1♥

Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 423

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ K98

♥ AQJ

♦ Q873

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ AQ74

♥ K10

♦ KJ62

♣ 432

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 424

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ KQ96

♥ AQ

♦ KQ5

♣ K985

South:

♠ 53

♥ J104

♦ J74

♣ AQ1076

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

3♣

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	5♣
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AP

1. Splinter

Board: 425

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ J9

♥ KJ63

♦ Q106

♣ K965

South:

♠ 10876

♥ Q9

♦ A942

♣ AQ7

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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Board: 426

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J

♥ Q52

♦ AQJ642

♣ A86

South:

♠ A62

♥ K1093

♦ K93

♣ K107

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 421	♠ A72	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 975	
Vul: NS	♦ AK65	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q76	

Board: 422	♠ Q93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1065	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 7	♣ 64	

Board: 423	♠ AQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K10	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ62	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 432	

Board: 424	♠ 53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J104	
Vul: None	♦ J74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ AQ1076	

Board: 425	♠ 10876	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q9	
Vul: EW	♦ A942	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ7	

Board: 426	♠ A62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1093	
Vul: Both	♦ K93	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ K107	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 421

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQJ10

♥ Q10

♦ Q1084

♣ A85

South:

♠ A72

♥ 975

♦ AK65

♣ Q76

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
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Pass	3NT	AP	
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Board: 422

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 7

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ AJ84

♥ K92

♦ A104

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ Q93

♥ J1065

♦ KJ98

♣ 64

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

1♥

Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
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AP

Board: 423

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 13

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ K98

♥ AQJ

♦ Q873

♣ AQ7

South:

♠ AQ74

♥ K10

♦ KJ62

♣ 432

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♦ ¹	Pass	2♥
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Pass	4NT ²	Pass	5♠
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Pass	6NT	AP	
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1. Inverted minors

2. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 424

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 8

Contract: 5♣ N

North:

♠ KQ96

♥ AQ

♦ KQ5

♣ K985

South:

♠ 53

♥ J104

♦ J74

♣ AQ1076

West	North	East	South
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1♣

Pass

3♣

Pass	4♦ ¹	Pass	5♣
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AP

1. Splinter

Board: 425

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 10

South HCP: 12

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ J9

♥ KJ63

♦ Q106

♣ K965

South:

♠ 10876

♥ Q9

♦ A942

♣ AQ7

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
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Pass	1NT	AP	
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Board: 426

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ J

♥ Q52

♦ AQJ642

♣ A86

South:

♠ A62

♥ K1093

♦ K93

♣ K107

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 427	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9542	
Vul: None	♦ AK65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 763	

Board: 428	♠ AK74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 7	
Vul: NS	♦ AK652	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AJ10	

Board: 429	♠ 976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: Both	♦ 74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A10873	

Board: 430	♠ A952	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K8	
Vul: None	♦ K62	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q654	

Board: 431	♠ A94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A2	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9643	

Board: 432	♠ A109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ4	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ9	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 10986	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 427	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J5	♠ A1063				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 9542	♥ AJ107	Pass	1♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 8	♦ AK65	♦ QJ	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ 763	♣ AQ5				
Contract: 4♥ N						

Board: 428	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK74	♠ 865		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 7	♥ AK65	Pass	2♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 19	♦ AK652	♦ 108	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ AJ10	♣ Q987				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 429	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 976	♠ K105				1♣
Vul: Both	♥ AK6	♥ 9852	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ 74	♦ A109	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ A10873	♣ KQJ				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 430	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A952	♠ KJ7		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ K8	♥ 10542	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ K62	♦ AJ104	AP			
South HCP: 9	♣ Q654	♣ 87				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 431	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A94	♠ KQ52				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A2	♥ Q43	Pass	2♣ ¹	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 14	♦ AQ52	♦ K3	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ 9643	♣ AKQ7				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Inverted minors

Board: 432	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A109	♠ KQ		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ QJ4	♥ A732	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KQ9	♦ AJ107	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ 10986	♣ QJ7				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 427	♠ A1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ107	
Vul: None	♦ QJ	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ5	

Board: 428	♠ 865	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK65	
Vul: NS	♦ 108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ Q987	

Board: 429	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 9852	
Vul: Both	♦ A109	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KQJ	

Board: 430	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10542	
Vul: None	♦ AJ104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 87	

Board: 431	♠ KQ52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q43	
Vul: NS	♦ K3	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKQ7	

Board: 432	♠ KQ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A732	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ QJ7	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 427
 Dealer: S
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 8
 South HCP: 18
 Contract: 4♥ N

North:
 ♠ J5
 ♥ 9542
 ♦ AK65
 ♣ 763

South:
 ♠ A1063
 ♥ AJ107
 ♦ QJ
 ♣ AQ5

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

Board: 428
 Dealer: N
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 19
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 3N S

North:
 ♠ AK74
 ♥ 7
 ♦ AK652
 ♣ AJ10

South:
 ♠ 865
 ♥ AK65
 ♦ 108
 ♣ Q987

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

Board: 429
 Dealer: S
 Vul: Both
 North HCP: 11
 South HCP: 13
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ 976
 ♥ AK6
 ♦ 74
 ♣ A10873

South:
 ♠ K105
 ♥ 9852
 ♦ A109
 ♣ KQJ

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 430
 Dealer: N
 Vul: None
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 9
 Contract: 1N S

North:
 ♠ A952
 ♥ K8
 ♦ K62
 ♣ Q654

South:
 ♠ KJ7
 ♥ 10542
 ♦ AJ104
 ♣ 87

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

Board: 431
 Dealer: S
 Vul: NS
 North HCP: 14
 South HCP: 19
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A94
 ♥ A2
 ♦ AQ52
 ♣ 9643

South:
 ♠ KQ52
 ♥ Q43
 ♦ K3
 ♣ AKQ7

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

1. Inverted minors

Board: 432
 Dealer: N
 Vul: EW
 North HCP: 12
 South HCP: 17
 Contract: 3N N

North:
 ♠ A109
 ♥ QJ4
 ♦ KQ9
 ♣ 10986

South:
 ♠ KQ
 ♥ A732
 ♦ AJ107
 ♣ QJ7

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 433	♠ K982	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ84	
Vul: None	♦ J10	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKJ	

Board: 434	♠ A93	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A763	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ832	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q	

Board: 435	♠ 86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ96	
Vul: EW	♦ K32	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A973	

Board: 436	♠ 852	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A72	
Vul: Both	♦ KQ104	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ KJ3	

Board: 437	♠ QJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ83	
Vul: NS	♦ A84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ2	

Board: 438	♠ A74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A543	
Vul: EW	♦ A972	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J9	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 433

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K982

♥ AJ84

♦ J10

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ KQ62

♦ 64

♣ 984

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 434

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A93

♥ A763

♦ KJ832

♣ Q

South:

♠ KQ54

♥ QJ10

♦ A7

♣ AK42

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 435

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 86

♥ AQ96

♦ K32

♣ A973

South:

♠ K52

♥ K743

♦ Q954

♣ KJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 852

♥ A72

♦ KQ104

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ A1076

♥ KJ3

♦ 983

♣ A64

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 437

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ QJ4

♥ AQ83

♦ A84

♣ AQ2

South:

♠ AK97

♥ 4

♦ Q753

♣ K1096

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 438

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A74

♥ A543

♦ A972

♣ J9

South:

♠ KQ98

♥ K76

♦ 1065

♣ 1054

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 433	♠ AQJ4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ62	
Vul: None	♦ 64	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 984	

Board: 434	♠ KQ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ10	
Vul: NS	♦ A7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK42	

Board: 435	♠ K52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K743	
Vul: EW	♦ Q954	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ	

Board: 436	♠ A1076	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ3	
Vul: Both	♦ 983	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A64	

Board: 437	♠ AK97	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 4	
Vul: NS	♦ Q753	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K1096	

Board: 438	♠ KQ98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K76	
Vul: EW	♦ 1065	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 1054	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 433

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 17

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ K982

♥ AJ84

♦ J10

♣ AKJ

South:

♠ AQJ4

♥ KQ62

♦ 64

♣ 984

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♠²

Pass 4♥ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

Board: 434

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A93

♥ A763

♦ KJ832

♣ Q

South:

♠ KQ54

♥ QJ10

♦ A7

♣ AK42

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 435

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ 86

♥ AQ96

♦ K32

♣ A973

South:

♠ K52

♥ K743

♦ Q954

♣ KJ

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 4♥ AP

Board: 436

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ 852

♥ A72

♦ KQ104

♣ KJ3

South:

♠ A1076

♥ KJ3

♦ 983

♣ A64

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 1NT Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 437

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ QJ4

♥ AQ83

♦ A84

♣ AQ2

South:

♠ AK97

♥ 4

♦ Q753

♣ K1096

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♣¹ Pass 3NT

Pass 6NT AP

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 438

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 8

Contract: 1N N

North:

♠ A74

♥ A543

♦ A972

♣ J9

South:

♠ KQ98

♥ K76

♦ 1065

♣ 1054

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 439	♠ 9843	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: Both	♦ 94	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQJ10	

Board: 440	♠ 10653	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K92	
Vul: None	♦ K73	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK7	

Board: 441	♠ AK2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 973	
Vul: EW	♦ AQ95	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ KQ5	

Board: 442	♠ AJ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: Both	♦ K6	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ85	

Board: 443	♠ A83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1076	
Vul: None	♦ Q873	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AQ4	

Board: 444	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ72	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 93	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 439	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9843	♠ AJ7				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A98	♥ KQ6	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 94	♦ A1053	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ10	♣ 943	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 440	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 10653	♠ K42		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ K92	♥ Q75	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K73	♦ AQJ8	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AK7	♣ J83				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 441	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK2	♠ J94				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 973	♥ AK4	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ95	♦ K108	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ5	♣ J763				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 442	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ105	♠ Q3		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AQ5	♥ J1083	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 19	♦ K6	♦ AQJ4	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ85	♣ 1064	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 443	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A83	♠ K9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1076	♥ AJ98	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q873	♦ J65	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ4	♣ K975				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 444	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ KQ74		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ72	♥ K96	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AKJ107	♦ Q3	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 93	♣ AJ105				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 439	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ6	
Vul: Both	♦ A1053	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 943	

Board: 440	♠ K42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q75	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ J83	

Board: 441	♠ J94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: EW	♦ K108	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J763	

Board: 442	♠ Q3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1083	
Vul: Both	♦ AQJ4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 1064	

Board: 443	♠ K9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ98	
Vul: None	♦ J65	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ K975	

Board: 444	♠ KQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: NS	♦ Q3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ AJ105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 439	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9843	♠ AJ7				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A98	♥ KQ6	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ 94	♦ A1053	Pass	2NT	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AQJ10	♣ 943	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 440	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 10653	♠ K42		1♣	Pass	1♦
Vul: None	♥ K92	♥ Q75	Pass	1♠	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K73	♦ AQJ8	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AK7	♣ J83				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 441	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK2	♠ J94				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ 973	♥ AK4	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 18	♦ AQ95	♦ K108	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ KQ5	♣ J763				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 442	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AJ105	♠ Q3		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AQ5	♥ J1083	Pass	2NT	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 19	♦ K6	♦ AQJ4	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 10	♣ KQ85	♣ 1064	AP			
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 443	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A83	♠ K9				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 1076	♥ AJ98	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 12	♦ Q873	♦ J65	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ4	♣ K975				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 444	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J8	♠ KQ74		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ AJ72	♥ K96	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AKJ107	♦ Q3	AP			
South HCP: 15	♣ 93	♣ AJ105				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 445	♠ J94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ107	
Vul: Both	♦ Q1064	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A10	

Board: 446	♠ A8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 10	
Vul: None	♦ KQ953	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A9763	

Board: 447	♠ K8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ Q104	

Board: 448	♠ A976	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q2	
Vul: EW	♦ A1052	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q95	

Board: 449	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A972	
Vul: None	♦ QJ108	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KJ9	

Board: 450	♠ J5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ105	
Vul: NS	♦ A832	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q97	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 445	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J94	♠ Q83				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AJ107	♥ K53	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1064	♦ AK92	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A10	♣ 975				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 446	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ K762		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 10	♥ KQ6	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ953	♦ A2	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ A9763	♣ Q1054				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 447	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K8	♠ AJ73				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ4	♥ 98	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ85	♦ Q32	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q104	♣ AJ63				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 448	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A976	♠ K84		1♦	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q2	♥ A103	AP			
North HCP: 12	♦ A1052	♦ J84				
South HCP: 12	♣ Q95	♣ A1086				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 449	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 54	♠ AQJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A972	♥ Q63	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ108	♦ K54	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ9	♣ AQ64	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 450	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ K87		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ AQ105	♥ K96	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A832	♦ J107	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q97	♣ AK105				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 445	♠ Q83	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K53	
Vul: Both	♦ AK92	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 975	

Board: 446	♠ K762	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ6	
Vul: None	♦ A2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q1054	

Board: 447	♠ AJ73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 98	
Vul: NS	♦ Q32	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AJ63	

Board: 448	♠ K84	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A103	
Vul: EW	♦ J84	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ A1086	

Board: 449	♠ AQJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q63	
Vul: None	♦ K54	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQ64	

Board: 450	♠ K87	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K96	
Vul: NS	♦ J107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ AK105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 445	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J94	♠ Q83				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ AJ107	♥ K53	Pass	1♥	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 12	♦ Q1064	♦ AK92	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ A10	♣ 975				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 446	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A8	♠ K762		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: None	♥ 10	♥ KQ6	Pass	2♣	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ KQ953	♦ A2	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ A9763	♣ Q1054				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 447	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K8	♠ AJ73				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ KQJ4	♥ 98	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 16	♦ AJ85	♦ Q32	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ Q104	♣ AJ63				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 448	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A976	♠ K84		1♦	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ Q2	♥ A103	AP			
North HCP: 12	♦ A1052	♦ J84				
South HCP: 12	♣ Q95	♣ A1086				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 449	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 54	♠ AQJ				1♣
Vul: None	♥ A972	♥ Q63	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ108	♦ K54	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ KJ9	♣ AQ64	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 450	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J5	♠ K87		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: NS	♥ AQ105	♥ K96	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 13	♦ A832	♦ J107	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 14	♣ Q97	♣ AK105				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 451	♠ Q1063	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q10	
Vul: EW	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ AK83	
Board: 452	♠ K86	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ5	
Vul: Both	♦ K532	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J76	
Board: 453	♠ 9642	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQ	
Vul: NS	♦ K74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ K83	
Board: 454	♠ A853	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ9	
Vul: EW	♦ AK843	You bid first.
HCP: 17	♣ 9	
Board: 455	♠ AQJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q964	
Vul: Both	♦ 72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ 975	
Board: 456	♠ K32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q	
Vul: None	♦ QJ2	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQJ1076	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 451	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q1063	♠ AJ				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q10	♥ AJ62	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q82	♦ 9643	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK83	♣ Q105				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 452	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K86	♠ A73		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AQ5	♥ KJ107	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K532	♦ AQ9	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ J76	♣ A103				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 453	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9642	♠ KJ7				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ	♥ J63	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K74	♦ QJ105	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K83	♣ A105				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 454	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A853	♠ QJ		1♦	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQ9	♥ J53	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK843	♦ Q92				
South HCP: 11	♣ 9	♣ KQ874				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 455	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ8	♠ 1093				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q964	♥ A5	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9	♦ 72	♦ AJ83	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 975	♣ AKQ10	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 456	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K32	♠ AQ105		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ J1042	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ2	♦ 976	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQJ1076	♣ A5				
Contract: 3♣ N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 451	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AJ62	
Vul: EW	♦ 9643	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q105	

Board: 452	♠ A73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ107	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ A103	

Board: 453	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J63	
Vul: NS	♦ QJ105	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A105	

Board: 454	♠ QJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J53	
Vul: EW	♦ Q92	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ874	

Board: 455	♠ 1093	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A5	
Vul: Both	♦ AJ83	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ10	

Board: 456	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J1042	
Vul: None	♦ 976	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ A5	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 451	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q1063	♠ AJ				1♦
Vul: EW	♥ Q10	♥ AJ62	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 13	♦ Q82	♦ 9643	AP			
South HCP: 12	♣ AK83	♣ Q105				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 452	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K86	♠ A73		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AQ5	♥ KJ107	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 13	♦ K532	♦ AQ9	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ J76	♣ A103				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 453	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9642	♠ KJ7				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AKQ	♥ J63	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 15	♦ K74	♦ QJ105	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ K83	♣ A105				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 454	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A853	♠ QJ		1♦	Pass	2NT
Vul: EW	♥ AQ9	♥ J53	Pass	3NT	AP	
North HCP: 17	♦ AK843	♦ Q92				
South HCP: 11	♣ 9	♣ KQ874				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 455	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQJ8	♠ 1093				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ Q964	♥ A5	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 9	♦ 72	♦ AJ83	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 975	♣ AKQ10	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 456	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K32	♠ AQ105		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ Q	♥ J1042	Pass	2♣	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 14	♦ QJ2	♦ 976	AP			
South HCP: 11	♣ KQJ1076	♣ A5				
Contract: 3♣ N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 457	♠ J3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK109	
Vul: EW	♦ K74	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 7654	

Board: 458	♠ Q4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ Q94	
Vul: Both	♦ KQJ7	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q1084	

Board: 459	♠ 9862	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 62	
Vul: None	♦ QJ2	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AK83	

Board: 460	♠ AQ76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1072	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ53	You bid first.
HCP: 16	♣ 5	

Board: 461	♠ AK54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K95	
Vul: Both	♦ Q76	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1084	

Board: 462	♠ K3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ98	
Vul: None	♦ KQJ4	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ K105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 457	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ K6				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK109	♥ Q764	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ K74	♦ A83	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 7654	♣ KQ109				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 458	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ AK102		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ Q94	♥ AK10	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KQJ7	♦ 1095	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ Q1084	♣ K63				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 459	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9862	♠ A4				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 62	♥ AQ75	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ2	♦ 875	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AK83	♣ QJ54				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 460	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ76	♠ J1098		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A1072	♥ K63	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ53	♦ J107	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 5	♣ AQ9	1. Splinter			
Contract: 4♠ S			2. Cue bid, surplus			

Board: 461	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK54	♠ Q				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K95	♥ A107	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ Q76	♦ AKJ104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ 1084	♣ AJ53				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 462

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ K3

♥ AQ98

♦ KQJ4

♣ K105

South:

♠ AJ

♥ KJ7

♦ A10863

♣ J98

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

1. Inverted minors

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 457	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q764	
Vul: EW	♦ A83	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ109	

Board: 458	♠ AK102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK10	
Vul: Both	♦ 1095	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ K63	

Board: 459	♠ A4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ75	
Vul: None	♦ 875	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ54	

Board: 460	♠ J1098	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K63	
Vul: NS	♦ J107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ9	

Board: 461	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A107	
Vul: Both	♦ AKJ104	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ AJ53	

Board: 462	♠ AJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KJ7	
Vul: None	♦ A10863	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ J98	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 457	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J3	♠ K6				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AK109	♥ Q764	Pass	1♥	Pass	2♥
North HCP: 11	♦ K74	♦ A83	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 7654	♣ KQ109				
Contract: 2♥ N						

Board: 458	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ Q4	♠ AK102		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: Both	♥ Q94	♥ AK10	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KQJ7	♦ 1095	AP			
South HCP: 17	♣ Q1084	♣ K63				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 459	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 9862	♠ A4				1♣
Vul: None	♥ 62	♥ AQ75	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 10	♦ QJ2	♦ 875	AP			
South HCP: 13	♣ AK83	♣ QJ54				
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 460	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ76	♠ J1098		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: NS	♥ A1072	♥ K63	Pass	4♣ ¹	Pass	4♥ ²
North HCP: 16	♦ AQ53	♦ J107	Pass	4♠	AP	
South HCP: 11	♣ 5	♣ AQ9				
Contract: 4♠ S						

1. Splinter
2. Cue bid, surplus

Board: 461	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK54	♠ Q				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ K95	♥ A107	Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
North HCP: 12	♦ Q76	♦ AKJ104	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 19	♣ 1084	♣ AJ53				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 462

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6N N

North:

♠ K3

♥ AQ98

♦ KQJ4

♣ K105

South:

♠ AJ

♥ KJ7

♦ A10863

♣ J98

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

1. Inverted minors

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 463	♠ KQ32	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK4	
Vul: NS	♦ Q972	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 85	
Board: 464	♠ AK52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 53	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ107	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1098	
Board: 465	♠ J98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K74	
Vul: None	♦ AK8	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK93	
Board: 466	♠ A102	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J	
Vul: NS	♦ K10963	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ AQ96	
Board: 467	♠ J875	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ	
Vul: EW	♦ QJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ J765	
Board: 468	♠ —	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ73	
Vul: Both	♦ KJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQ653	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 463	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ32	♠ J107				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK4	♥ 96	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q972	♦ A1065	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 85	♣ AK97				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 464	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK52	♠ Q1064		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 53	♥ A1092	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ107	♦ K3	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 1098	♣ KQ4				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 465	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J98	♠ AK52				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K74	♥ A98	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ AK8	♦ Q1064	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AK93	♣ 76	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 466	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A102	♠ KJ54				
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ AQ103		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ K10963	♦ 85	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ96	♣ 754				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 467	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J875	♠ 1062				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ	♥ K106	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ6	♦ A102	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J765	♣ KQ93				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 468

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ —

♥ AJ73

♦ KJ9

♣ AKQ653

South:

♠ QJ95

♥ KQ85

♦ AQ3

♣ 87

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	3NT ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 463	♠ J107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 96	
Vul: NS	♦ A1065	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AK97	

Board: 464	♠ Q1064	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1092	
Vul: EW	♦ K3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ4	

Board: 465	♠ AK52	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A98	
Vul: None	♦ Q1064	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ 76	

Board: 466	♠ KJ54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ103	
Vul: NS	♦ 85	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ 754	

Board: 467	♠ 1062	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K106	
Vul: EW	♦ A102	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ93	

Board: 468	♠ QJ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ85	
Vul: Both	♦ AQ3	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ 87	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 463	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ KQ32	♠ J107				1♦
Vul: NS	♥ AK4	♥ 96	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ Q972	♦ A1065	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ 85	♣ AK97				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 464	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AK52	♠ Q1064		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: EW	♥ 53	♥ A1092	Pass	1♠	Pass	4♠
North HCP: 12	♦ AJ107	♦ K3	AP			
South HCP: 14	♣ 1098	♣ KQ4				
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 465	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J98	♠ AK52				1♦
Vul: None	♥ K74	♥ A98	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ AK8	♦ Q1064	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 13	♣ AK93	♣ 76	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 466	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ A102	♠ KJ54				
Vul: NS	♥ J	♥ AQ103		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ K10963	♦ 85	Pass	2♣	AP	
South HCP: 10	♣ AQ96	♣ 754				
Contract: 2♣ N						

Board: 467	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J875	♠ 1062				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ AQ	♥ K106	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 11	♦ QJ6	♦ A102	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ J765	♣ KQ93				
Contract: 2N S						

Board: 468

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 18

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♥ S

North:

♠ —

♥ AJ73

♦ KJ9

♣ AKQ653

South:

♠ QJ95

♥ KQ85

♦ AQ3

♣ 87

West	North	East	South
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	1♣	Pass	1♥
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Pass	3♠ ¹	Pass	3NT ²
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Pass	4NT ³	Pass	5♣
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Pass	6♥	AP	
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1. Splinter

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♥

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 469	♠ J964	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1094	
Vul: NS	♦ K43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 8	♣ 108	

Board: 470	♠ AQ3	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K1052	
Vul: EW	♦ K1063	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 95	

Board: 471	♠ A54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A3	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ65	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK102	

Board: 472	♠ K74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J95	
Vul: None	♦ AK1063	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q3	

Board: 473	♠ AK94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K86	
Vul: EW	♦ J632	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ 103	

Board: 474	♠ Q107	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K32	
Vul: Both	♦ A5	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ A8543	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 469	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J964	♠ A10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A1094	♥ 865	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8	♦ K43	♦ A10	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 108	♣ AKQJ75	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 470	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ3	♠ J4		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ K1052	♥ AJ8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ K1063	♦ A72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 95	♣ QJ1083				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 471	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A54	♠ KJ106				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A3	♥ KQJ7	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ QJ65	♦ K87	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK102	♣ J5	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
Contract: 5♦ S			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 472	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K74	♠ 98		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ J95	♥ AQ64	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK1063	♦ QJ87	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q3	♣ A95				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 473	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK94	♠ Q		1♠	Pass	2♦
Vul: EW	♥ K86	♥ Q75	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 11	♦ J632	♦ AK95	Pass	4♦	Pass	5♦
South HCP: 18	♣ 103	♣ AQJ85	Pass	6♦	AP	
Contract: 6♦ S						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 474

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q107

♥ K32

♦ A5

♣ A8543

South:

♠ 962

♥ AQ4

♦ Q9864

♣ KJ

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 469	♠ A10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 865	
Vul: NS	♦ A10	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AKQJ75	

Board: 470	♠ J4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ8	
Vul: EW	♦ A72	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ1083	

Board: 471	♠ KJ106	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQJ7	
Vul: Both	♦ K87	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ J5	

Board: 472	♠ 98	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ64	
Vul: None	♦ QJ87	Partner bids first.
HCP: 13	♣ A95	

Board: 473	♠ Q	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q75	
Vul: EW	♦ AK95	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ AQJ85	

Board: 474	♠ 962	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ4	
Vul: Both	♦ Q9864	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KJ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 469	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ J964	♠ A10				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ A1094	♥ 865	Pass	1♥	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 8	♦ K43	♦ A10	Pass	3♠	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 108	♣ AKQJ75	AP			
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 470	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ3	♠ J4		1♦	Pass	2♣
Vul: EW	♥ K1052	♥ AJ8	Pass	2♦	Pass	3♦
North HCP: 12	♦ K1063	♦ A72	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ 95	♣ QJ1083				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 471	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ A54	♠ KJ106				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ A3	♥ KQJ7	Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 18	♦ QJ65	♦ K87	Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 14	♣ AK102	♣ J5	Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
Contract: 5♦ S			AP			

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 472	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ K74	♠ 98		1♦	Pass	1♥
Vul: None	♥ J95	♥ AQ64	Pass	1NT	Pass	2NT
North HCP: 13	♦ AK1063	♦ QJ87	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q3	♣ A95				
Contract: 3N N						

Board: 473	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AK94	♠ Q				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ K86	♥ Q75	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦
North HCP: 11	♦ J632	♦ AK95	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	2NT
South HCP: 18	♣ 103	♣ AQJ85	Pass	4♦	Pass	5♦
Contract: 6♦ S			Pass	6♦	AP	

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 474

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ Q107

♥ K32

♦ A5

♣ A8543

South:

♠ 962

♥ AQ4

♦ Q9864

♣ KJ

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 475	♠ 987	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK10	
Vul: None	♦ AQ63	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AQ9	

Board: 476	♠ KJ53	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A7	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ1064	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q4	

Board: 477	♠ K874	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 1074	
Vul: Both	♦ Q7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ AQ104	

Board: 478	♠ KJ6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 96	
Vul: None	♦ A10983	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ3	

Board: 479	♠ 742	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q2	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ98	Partner bids first.
HCP: 9	♣ K985	

Board: 480	♠ K6	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ J62	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ73	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A105	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 475	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 987	♠ AK62				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AK10	♥ Q75	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ63	♦ K82	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ9	♣ 1076	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 476	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ53	♠ 74				
Vul: NS	♥ A7	♥ KQ108		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ1064	♦ Q82	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 10	♣ Q4	♣ K975	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 477	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K874	♠ 10963				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 1074	♥ AKQJ	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ Q7	♦ A93	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ104	♣ 85	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 478	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ6	♠ 1095				
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ AKQ3		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A10983	♦ 765	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ3	♣ K109				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 479	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 742	♠ AQ5				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ J106				
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ98	♦ 1052	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K985	♣ AQ104	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 480

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K6

♥ J62

♦ KQJ73

♣ A105

South:

♠ AQ105

♥ AQ98

♦ A4

♣ QJ4

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

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 475	♠ AK62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q75	
Vul: None	♦ K82	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 1076	

Board: 476	♠ 74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ108	
Vul: NS	♦ Q82	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ K975	

Board: 477	♠ 10963	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ A93	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 85	

Board: 478	♠ 1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKQ3	
Vul: None	♦ 765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ K109	

Board: 479	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J106	
Vul: NS	♦ 1052	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AQ104	

Board: 480	♠ AQ105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQ98	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ QJ4	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 475	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 987	♠ AK62				1♣
Vul: None	♥ AK10	♥ Q75	Pass	1♦	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 19	♦ AQ63	♦ K82	Pass	2♥ ¹	Pass	3NT
South HCP: 12	♣ AQ9	♣ 1076	Pass	6NT	AP	
Contract: 6N S			1. Fourth suit game force			

Board: 476	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ53	♠ 74				
Vul: NS	♥ A7	♥ KQ108		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 14	♦ KJ1064	♦ Q82	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 10	♣ Q4	♣ K975	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 477	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ K874	♠ 10963				1♦
Vul: Both	♥ 1074	♥ AKQJ	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♣
North HCP: 11	♦ Q7	♦ A93	Pass	3♠	Pass	4♣
South HCP: 14	♣ AQ104	♣ 85	AP			
Contract: 4♠ N						

Board: 478	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ KJ6	♠ 1095				
Vul: None	♥ 96	♥ AKQ3		1♦	Pass	1♥
North HCP: 13	♦ A10983	♦ 765	Pass	1NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ AJ3	♣ K109				
Contract: 1N N						

Board: 479	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 742	♠ AQ5				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ Q2	♥ J106				
North HCP: 9	♦ KJ98	♦ 1052	Pass	1♦	Pass	1NT
South HCP: 13	♣ K985	♣ AQ104	AP			
Contract: 1N S						

Board: 480

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K6

♥ J62

♦ KQJ73

♣ A105

South:

♠ AQ105

♥ AQ98

♦ A4

♣ QJ4

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

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 481	♠ Q832	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ QJ6	
Vul: None	♦ AK83	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ Q8	

Board: 482	♠ J654	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 32	
Vul: NS	♦ K10	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKJ53	

Board: 483	♠ AQ92	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J2	
Vul: EW	♦ J107	Partner bids first.
HCP: 17	♣ AKQ3	

Board: 484	♠ AQ2	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK104	
Vul: Both	♦ K42	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ Q103	

Board: 485	♠ 54	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1075	
Vul: NS	♦ AJ64	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ QJ6	

Board: 486	♠ 1095	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AK3	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ865	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J5	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 481	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q832	♠ A94				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ6	♥ K854	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK83	♦ J	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q8	♣ AJ643				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 482	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J654	♠ KQ7		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 32	♥ AQJ4	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ K10	♦ AQ73	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ AKJ53	♣ 42				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 483	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ92	♠ J10				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J2	♥ AQ3	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ J107	♦ KQ8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ3	♣ J9864				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 484	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ K105		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK104	♥ QJ53	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 18	♦ K42	♦ QJ7	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q103	♣ J85				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 485	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 54	♠ AK62				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K1075	♥ J94	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ64	♦ 972	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ6	♣ A84				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 486	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1095	♠ AK76		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AK3	♥ 982	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ865	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ J5	♣ AK82				
Contract: 3N N						

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 481	♠ A94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K854	
Vul: None	♦ J	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ AJ643	

Board: 482	♠ KQ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ4	
Vul: NS	♦ AQ73	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ 42	

Board: 483	♠ J10	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ3	
Vul: EW	♦ KQ8	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ J9864	

Board: 484	♠ K105	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ QJ53	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ7	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ J85	

Board: 485	♠ AK62	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J94	
Vul: NS	♦ 972	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ A84	

Board: 486	♠ AK76	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 982	
Vul: EW	♦ A4	Partner bids first.
HCP: 18	♣ AK82	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 481	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ Q832	♠ A94				1♣
Vul: None	♥ QJ6	♥ K854	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 14	♦ AK83	♦ J	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ Q8	♣ AJ643				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 482	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ J654	♠ KQ7		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: NS	♥ 32	♥ AQJ4	Pass	1♠	Pass	2♦ ¹
North HCP: 12	♦ K10	♦ AQ73	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 18	♣ AKJ53	♣ 42				
Contract: 3N N						

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 483	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ AQ92	♠ J10				1♣
Vul: EW	♥ J2	♥ AQ3	Pass	1♠	Pass	1NT
North HCP: 17	♦ J107	♦ KQ8	Pass	3NT	AP	
South HCP: 13	♣ AKQ3	♣ J9864				
Contract: 3N S						

Board: 484	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ AQ2	♠ K105		1♣	Pass	1♥
Vul: Both	♥ AK104	♥ QJ53	Pass	3♥	Pass	4♥
North HCP: 18	♦ K42	♦ QJ7	AP			
South HCP: 10	♣ Q103	♣ J85				
Contract: 4♥ S						

Board: 485	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: S	♠ 54	♠ AK62				1♣
Vul: NS	♥ K1075	♥ J94	Pass	1♥	Pass	1♠
North HCP: 11	♦ AJ64	♦ 972	Pass	2NT	AP	
South HCP: 12	♣ QJ6	♣ A84				
Contract: 2N N						

Board: 486	North:	South:	West	North	East	South
Dealer: N	♠ 1095	♠ AK76		1♦	Pass	1♠
Vul: EW	♥ AK3	♥ 982	Pass	1NT	Pass	3NT
North HCP: 12	♦ KJ865	♦ A4	AP			
South HCP: 18	♣ J5	♣ AK82				
Contract: 3N N						

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 487	♠ KQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ83	
Vul: Both	♦ 104	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ AQ10	

Board: 488	♠ KQ94	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ95	
Vul: None	♦ 72	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ A108	

Board: 489	♠ K73	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ Q107	
Vul: EW	♦ Q54	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ KQ53	

Board: 490	♠ Q104	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AKJ10	
Vul: Both	♦ 87	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ QJ103	

Board: 491	♠ KJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A94	
Vul: None	♦ A53	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK96	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 487

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KQ94

♥ KQ83

♦ 104

♣ AQ10

South:

♠ A1065

♥ A1065

♦ K876

♣ J

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♣²

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠³

Pass 4♣⁴ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 488

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ94

♥ KQ95

♦ 72

♣ A108

South:

♠ J8

♥ 842

♦ AJ843

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 489

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K73

♥ Q107

♦ Q54

♣ KQ53

South:

♠ Q1054

♥ AK6

♦ AJ9

♣ A106

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 490

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q104

♥ AKJ10

♦ 87

♣ QJ103

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ 954

♦ K43

♣ K764

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 491

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ KJ7

♥ A94

♦ A53

♣ AK96

South:

♠ Q95

♥ K1086

♦ KQ1094

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6♦	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 487	♠ A1065	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A1065	
Vul: Both	♦ K876	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J	

Board: 488	♠ J8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 842	
Vul: None	♦ AJ843	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ KQ9	

Board: 489	♠ Q1054	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK6	
Vul: EW	♦ AJ9	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ A106	

Board: 490	♠ AJ7	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 954	
Vul: Both	♦ K43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 11	♣ K764	

Board: 491	♠ Q95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ K1086	
Vul: None	♦ KQ1094	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ Q	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 487

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 4♥ N

North:

♠ KQ94

♥ KQ83

♦ 104

♣ AQ10

South:

♠ A1065

♥ A1065

♦ K876

♣ J

West North East South

1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2♥

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3♣²

Pass 3♥ Pass 3♠³

Pass 4♣⁴ Pass 4♥

AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

3. Cue bid, a ♠ stopper

4. Cue bid, a ♣ stopper

Board: 488

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ KQ94

♥ KQ95

♦ 72

♣ A108

South:

♠ J8

♥ 842

♦ AJ843

♣ KQ9

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 1♥ Pass 2NT

Pass 3♠ Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 489

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ K73

♥ Q107

♦ Q54

♣ KQ53

South:

♠ Q1054

♥ AK6

♦ AJ9

♣ A106

West North East South

1♣

Pass 2NT Pass 3NT

AP

Board: 490

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 11

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ Q104

♥ AKJ10

♦ 87

♣ QJ103

South:

♠ AJ7

♥ 954

♦ K43

♣ K764

West North East South

1♣ Pass 2NT

Pass 3NT AP

Board: 491

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 12

Contract: 6♦ S

North:

♠ KJ7

♥ A94

♦ A53

♣ AK96

South:

♠ Q95

♥ K1086

♦ KQ1094

♣ Q

West	North	East	South
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1♦

Pass	2♣	Pass	2♦
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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Pass	4NT ¹	Pass	5♦
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Pass	6♦	AP	
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1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 492	♠ AKJ	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ 1072	
Vul: NS	♦ AKJ82	You bid first.
HCP: 19	♣ K4	
Board: 493	♠ A108	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AKJ6	
Vul: Both	♦ J52	Partner bids first.
HCP: 16	♣ QJ10	
Board: 494	♠ K4	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A102	
Vul: None	♦ AQJ1062	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 83	
Board: 495	♠ 64	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ J1083	
Vul: NS	♦ Q102	Partner bids first.
HCP: 12	♣ AKQ9	
Board: 496	♠ A5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K962	
Vul: EW	♦ Q95	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ QJ53	
Board: 497	♠ AJ8	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 764	
Vul: None	♦ AQ1096	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ QJ	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 492

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKJ

♥ 1072

♦ AKJ82

♣ K4

South:

♠ 109

♥ KQ3

♦ 743

♣ AJ975

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

Board: 493

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A108

♥ AKJ6

♦ J52

♣ QJ10

South:

♠ KQ74

♥ 54

♦ AK87

♣ 875

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 494

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K4

♥ A102

♦ AQJ1062

♣ 83

South:

♠ AQ95

♥ K965

♦ 43

♣ KQ5

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

Board: 495

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 64

♥ J1083

♦ Q102

♣ AKQ9

South:

♠ AQ5

♥ AK5

♦ A873

♣ J108

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

Board: 496

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A5

♥ K962

♦ Q95

♣ QJ53

South:

♠ Q1074

♥ AJ5

♦ KJ6

♣ A76

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

Board: 497

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ8

♥ 764

♦ AQ1096

♣ QJ

South:

♠ K1073

♥ AQ85

♦ J7

♣ K74

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

1. Fourth suit game force

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 492	♠ 109	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ3	
Vul: NS	♦ 743	Partner bids first.
HCP: 10	♣ AJ975	

Board: 493	♠ KQ74	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ 54	
Vul: Both	♦ AK87	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ 875	

Board: 494	♠ AQ95	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K965	
Vul: None	♦ 43	Partner bids first.
HCP: 14	♣ KQ5	

Board: 495	♠ AQ5	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AK5	
Vul: NS	♦ A873	You bid first.
HCP: 18	♣ J108	

Board: 496	♠ Q1074	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AJ5	
Vul: EW	♦ KJ6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 15	♣ A76	

Board: 497	♠ K1073	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ AQ85	
Vul: None	♦ J7	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ K74	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 492

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 10

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AKJ

♥ 1072

♦ AKJ82

♣ K4

South:

♠ 109

♥ KQ3

♦ 743

♣ AJ975

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

Board: 493

Dealer: S

Vul: Both

North HCP: 16

South HCP: 12

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A108

♥ AKJ6

♦ J52

♣ QJ10

South:

♠ KQ74

♥ 54

♦ AK87

♣ 875

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

1. Fourth suit game force

Board: 494

Dealer: N

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 14

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ K4

♥ A102

♦ AQJ1062

♣ 83

South:

♠ AQ95

♥ K965

♦ 43

♣ KQ5

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

Board: 495

Dealer: S

Vul: NS

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 18

Contract: 6N S

North:

♠ 64

♥ J1083

♦ Q102

♣ AKQ9

South:

♠ AQ5

♥ AK5

♦ A873

♣ J108

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

Board: 496

Dealer: N

Vul: EW

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 15

Contract: 3N N

North:

♠ A5

♥ K962

♦ Q95

♣ QJ53

South:

♠ Q1074

♥ AJ5

♦ KJ6

♣ A76

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

Board: 497

Dealer: S

Vul: None

North HCP: 14

South HCP: 13

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ8

♥ 764

♦ AQ1096

♣ QJ

South:

♠ K1073

♥ AQ85

♦ J7

♣ K74

West	North	East	South
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			1♣
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Pass	1♦	Pass	1♥
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Pass	1♠ ¹	Pass	2♣
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Pass	3♦	Pass	3NT
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1. Fourth suit game force

North hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 498	♠ K	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ A1086	
Vul: NS	♦ KJ9754	You bid first.
HCP: 13	♣ Q5	

Board: 499	♠ K1085	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ KQ9	
Vul: EW	♦ KQJ9	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ KQ	

Board: 500	♠ AJ9	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ K64	
Vul: Both	♦ K	You bid first.
HCP: 12	♣ J109864	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 498

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ K

♥ A1086

♦ KJ9754

♣ Q5

South:

♠ A1087

♥ KQ2

♦ Q6

♣ AKJ7

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 499

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K1085

♥ KQ9

♦ KQJ9

♣ KQ

South:

♠ AQ96

♥ A65

♦ A3

♣ 9852

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♣

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus
2. Cue bid, surplus
3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 500

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ9

♥ K64

♦ K

♣ J109864

South:

♠ Q42

♥ AQJ

♦ QJ765

♣ AK

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

AP

South hands (Practice Page)

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev)

Board: 498	♠ A1087	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ KQ2	
Vul: NS	♦ Q6	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AKJ7	

Board: 499	♠ AQ96	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: S	♥ A65	
Vul: EW	♦ A3	You bid first.
HCP: 14	♣ 9852	

Board: 500	♠ Q42	The opponents are silent.
Dealer: N	♥ AQJ	
Vul: Both	♦ QJ765	Partner bids first.
HCP: 19	♣ AK	

Minor Opening w/Bal Resp (Lev) Both hands (Answers Page)

Board: 498

Dealer: N

Vul: NS

North HCP: 13

South HCP: 19

Contract: 6♦ N

North:

♠ K

♥ A1086

♦ KJ9754

♣ Q5

South:

♠ A1087

♥ KQ2

♦ Q6

♣ AKJ7

West North East South

1♦ Pass 1♠

Pass 2♦ Pass 4NT¹

Pass 5♥ Pass 6♦

AP

1. Blackwood 0314, for ♦

Board: 499

Dealer: S

Vul: EW

North HCP: 19

South HCP: 14

Contract: 6♠ N

North:

♠ K1085

♥ KQ9

♦ KQJ9

♣ KQ

South:

♠ AQ96

♥ A65

♦ A3

♣ 9852

West North East South

1♣

Pass 1♠ Pass 2♠

Pass 2NT¹ Pass 3NT²

Pass 4NT³ Pass 5♣

Pass 6♠ AP

1. Cue bid, surplus

2. Cue bid, surplus

3. Blackwood 0314, for ♠

Board: 500

Dealer: N

Vul: Both

North HCP: 12

South HCP: 19

Contract: 3N S

North:

♠ AJ9

♥ K64

♦ K

♣ J109864

South:

♠ Q42

♥ AQJ

♦ QJ765

♣ AK

West North East South

1♣ Pass 1♦

Pass 2♣ Pass 3NT

AP